Flying Officer Carlos Gerald Hugh Edward LUMSDEN is transferred from Class C to Class A. 9th Dec. 1930. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 19th Dec. 1930.)

The commission of Pilot Officer on probation William Charles FARR, is terminated on cessation of duty. 6th Jan. 1931.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

No. 601 (County of London) (Bomber) Squadron.

Pilot Officer Nigel Richard William SEELY to be Flying Officer. 9th Oct. 1930.

Flying Officer John Shuldham Schreiber resigns his commission. 13th Jan. 1931.

Civil Service Commission, January 27, 1931.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Examiner in the Patent Office, Department of the Board of Trade, will be held in London, commencing on the 20th July, 1931, under the Regulations dated the 2nd April, 1929, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than 10 candidates will be appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found to be duly qualified.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 4th June, 1931, an application, in the candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

STRETFORD AND DISTRICT GAS BOARD.

Whereas the Stretford and District Gas Board (hereinafter called the Board) have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, alter or amend the Stretford and District Gas Board Act, 1922, so as:

- (1) To provide that the Urmston Urban District Council shall be a constituent authority of the Board with power to elect one member from amongst the members of the Urban District Council;
- (2) To provide that the Bucklow Rural District Council shall cease to be a constituent authority of the Board;
- (3) For the purposes of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make

such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act as may be necessary or desirable:

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance

with the said Application:

Notice is hereby given that E. H. Rhodes, Esq., O.B.E., one of the Inspectors of the Ministry of Health, will attend at the Boardroom at the offices of the Board, Longford Bridge, Stretford, near Manchester, on Friday, the sixth day of February, 1931, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject-matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

I. G. Gibbon,
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 23rd January, 1931.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

In the Matter of the London Traffic Acr, 1924.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Minister of Transport after the expiration of at least forty days from this date in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Section 7 of the aforesaid London Traffic Act to make Regulations amending the London Traffic (Restricted Streets) Regulations.

And notice is hereby further given that on account of urgency the Minister of Transport has under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, made the London Traffic (Restricted Streets) Amendment (Route No. 117) Provisional Regulations, 1931, to come into operation forthwith as Provisional Regulations to continue in force until Regulations have been made in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 of that Act.

These Regulations provide for the operation of certain additional omnibus journeys on Route No. 117 (Hounslow and Slough).

Copies of the Provisional Regulations which constitute the draft of the proposed Regulation can be obtained forthwith from the Ministry of Transport, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W. 1, and subsequently as soon as they are printed, directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Dated this 21st day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

J. S. Pool Godsell, An Assistant Secretary.

7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.