be Adjutant, vice Captain C. F. Waterhouse, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), who has resigned his commission. Dated 10th August, 1907.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders; Lieutenant J. Rae resigns his commission. Dated 25th July, 1907.

4th (Donside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders; Charles McCombie to be Second Lieutenant (supernumerary). Dated 19th July, 1907.

Alexander Grant to be Second Lieutenant (supernumerary). Dated 19th July, 1907.

5th (Deeside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders; Major A. D. Dunbar resigns his commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 22nd July, 1907.

18th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps; Walter Daniel Wymark Simmons to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th July, 1907.

UNATTACHED LIST FOR AUXILIARY FORCES.

Archibald Graham Weir to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1907.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

The Right Honourable Henry James, Earl of Euston, to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1907.

The Right Honourable Luke, Baron Annaly, to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1907.

Colonel Joseph Hill, C.B., to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1907.

Oivil Service Commission, August 27, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Second Class Draughtsman in the Survey Branch of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, will be held in London, commencing on the 15th October, 1907, under the Special Regulations dated 3rd March, 1899, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 26th September, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, August 27, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that Open Competitive Examinations for situations as Male Learner in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held on the 30th October, 1907, under the Regulations dated

the 28th August, 1906, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The Examinations will be held in the following towns and for the number of situations indicated,

Bath	• •	Not fewer than		
Birmingham		"	,,	2
Derby		91	**	1
Manchester	٠.	"	,,	1
Portsmouth	• •	12	,,	1
Southampton		,,	"	1
Aberdeen	• •	91	,,	1
Belfast		,,	33	1

The Examinations are intended to supply the several Post Offices with persons resident in or near the towns in which they desire to serve. With the undermentioned exceptions Candidates will be allowed to compete only for vacancies in the town in which they apply to be examined.

The exceptions referred to above are that, for reasons of convenience, at the forthcoming Examinations:—

Candidates for Bath will be examined at Bristol.

Candidates for Southampton will be examined at Portsmouth.

No person will be admitted to any of these Examinations from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 10th October, an application, on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, August 27, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that Open Competitive Examinations for situations as Female Learner in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held on the 29th October, 1907, under the Regulations dated the 28th August, 1906, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The Examinations will be held in the following towns and for the number of situations indicated, viz.:—

Cardiff		. Not fewer than	
Derby		33 33	1
Leicester	• •	39 99	1
Manchester	• •)) 19	1
Newport (Mon.)	• •	31 33	1
Oxford	• •	37 33	1
Portsmouth	• •	? 1 ? 3	1
Shrewsbury	• •	33 13	2
Stoke-on-Trent	• •	23 29	1
York	•, •	39 ~ 37	1

The Examinations are intended to supply the several Post Offices with persons resident in or near the towns in which they desire to serve. With the undermentioned exceptions Candidates will be allowed to compete only for vacancies in the town in which they apply to be examined.

The exceptions referred to above are that, for reasons of convenience, at the forthcoming Examinations:—

Candidates for Leicester and Stoke-on-Trent will be examined at Derby.

Candidates for Newport (Mon.) will be examined at Cardiff.

. Candidates for York will be examined at Leeds.

No person will be admitted to any of these Examinations from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 9th October, an application, on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.