An Act to amend the Act for transferring to counties in Ireland certain works constructed wholly or in part with the public money.

An Act for the better preservation of the peace in Ireland.

An Act for the further amendment of the laws relating to labour in factories.

An Act to carry into effect a Convention respecting a loan by Her Majesty to the King of Sardinia.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from Barnby Moor, in the county of Nottingham, to Maltby, in the county of York, and from Whiston to Rotherham, in the said county of York.

An Act for better paving the city of Glasgow, and for other purposes, in relation to the statutelabour of the said city.

An Act for the transfer of the Wolverhampton Water Works to the Wolverhampton New Water Works Company, and for other purposes.

An Act for repairing the road from Blackburn, in the county palatine of Lancaster, to Addingham and Cocking End, in the West Riding of the county of York, and the road from old Accrington to its junction with such road in Habergham Eaves, in the said county of Lancaster.

An Act for making a railway from the Chappel Station of the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway, to Halstead, in the county of Essex, and for other purposes. Au Act to incorporate "The Wandsworth and

Putney Gas Light and Coke Company," and for other purposes.

An Act to continue the Honiton and Sidmouth

Turnpike Trust and for other purposes. An Act to incorporate "The West Ham Gas Company," to enable them to raise further money, to confirm a contract between the said Company and the Commercial Gas Company, and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the North British Railway Company to raise more money, and to build a bridge over Leith Wynd, in Edinburgh, and for other purposes.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from Penrith to Cockermouth, and other roads connected therewith, and for making and main-taining several new roads, all in the County of Cumberland.

An Act to consolidate the Drainage Trusts in Deeping Fen, in the County of Lincoln, and for other purposes relating to the said Fen

An Act for more effectually repairing certain roads in the County of Chester, of which the short title is "Stockport and Warrington Road Act, 1856."

An Act for enlarging and improving the Elgin and Lossiemouth Harbour, for raising a further sum of money, and for other purposes.

An Act to enable the Carmarthen and Cardigan Railway Company to make a deviation of a portion of their line of railway, and to abandon parts thereof, and to grant further powers to the Com-pany, and for other purposes.

# Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 2, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing as follows the duties upon the undermentioned articles :-

Fabrics of cotton, (other than nankeens,) 35 per cent., ad valorem ;

Fabrics of wool, 30 per cent., ad valorem ;

To be converted into a fixed duty, to be determined by the Consultative Committee of Arts and Manufactures.

Wearing apparel, 40 per cent., ad valorem.

Products arising directly or indirectly from the decomposition of salt, will further pay the duty to which manufactured salts are subject by the Decree of the 17th March 1852.

## ADMIRALTY, June 23, 1856. Corps of Royal Marines.

Gentleman Cadet George Majendie Vivian to be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Edward Servante to be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Edward O'Donovan Powell to be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet James Anderson Morice to be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Daniel Thomas Woodriff to be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet William Younghusband to be Second Lieutenant.

## ADMIRALTY, June 27, 1856.

#### BREVET.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Trant Murray Payne, having been allowed to retire on full-pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September 1854, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only.

#### ADMIRALTY, June 28, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Captain Arthur Sandys Stawell Walsh to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Payne, retired.

First Lieutenant Francis Harry Noott to be Captain, vice Walsh, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Daniel Conner to be First Lieutenant, vice Noott, promoted.

#### ADMIRALTY, July 2, 1856.

# Corps of Royal Marines.

#### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Charles Grey Courtis, having been allowed to retire on full-pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September 1854, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland Regiment of Light Infantry Militia.

William Potts to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th June 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.

1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

Ensign Charles Eldon Clarke to be Lieutenant, vice Saunders, promoted. Dated 30th May vice Saunders, promoted. 1856.