

Downing-Street, October 14, 1844.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Henry Draper, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Attorney General for that part of the Province of Canada formerly called Upper Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint William Morris, Esq. to be Receiver General for Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Denis B. Papineau, Esq. to be Commissioner of Crown Lands for Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint James Smith, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Attorney General for that part of the Province of Canada formerly called Lower Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Dominick Daly, Esq. to be Secretary for Canada.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint John Downie, Esq. to be First Puisne Judge for the Colony of British Guiana.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Francesco Dalmas, Esq. to be Cashier to the Government of Malta.

Whitehall, October 15, 1844.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto James Bellairs, of Haverfordwest, in the county of Pembroke, Esq. Her royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may henceforth (in compliance with a direction in the last will and testament of William Stevenson, late of Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, Esq. deceased), take, use, and bear the surname and arms of Stevenson only; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise Her Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Metropolitan Buildings Act.

Notice to Candidates for District Surveyorships.

*Office of Metropolitan Buildings, No. 3,
Trafalgar-Square, October 15, 1844.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Examiners appointed by and in pursuance of the Metropolitan Buildings Act, are prepared to receive from persons desirous to obtain a certificate of qualification for the office of District Surveyor, applications to be examined.

Such applications must be accompanied by a preliminary statement according to the course of examination prescribed in the rules for that purpose; copies of which, and any other information on the subject, may be had at the Office of Metropolitan Buildings.

Immediately upon the receipt of such statements the Examiners will proceed to consider the same, and, as soon as possible thereafter, proceed with

the examination of the parties by whom they may be sent, according to such arrangements as may be found best calculated to enable them to pass their examinations without delay; regard, however, being had to the order in which their respective statements shall have been received.

Notice of such arrangements will be given to the parties, either at their respective places of address, or personally upon application at the Office of Metropolitan Buildings.

The last day for receiving preliminary statements for the present examination will be the 6th day of November next.

Subsequent examinations will be held in the months of January, April, July, and October, or at such other periods as shall be appointed, of which due notice will be given.

Arthur Symonds, Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings.

*Church Commissioners' Office,
October 12, 1844.*

THE following is a copy of an Order of Her Majesty in Council, assigning chapelry districts, under the 16th section of the Act of the 59th George 3, cap. 134, to the chapels of Saint Andrew, at Netherton, Saint James, at Eve-hill, Saint John, at Kate's-hill, and Saint Edmund, in Castle-street, all situate in the parish of Dudley, in the county and diocese of Worcester, :

At the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 23d of May 1844, present, the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "that in every case in which the Commissioners appointed for carrying into execution the purposes of the said Act shall be of opinion that it will be expedient to divide any parish into two or more distinct and separate parishes, for all ecclesiastical purposes whatever, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners, with the consent of the bishop of the diocese in which such parish is locally situated, signified under his hand and seal, to apply to the patron or patrons of the church of such parish for his consent to make such division, and for such patron or patrons to signify his or their consent thereto under his hand and seal; and the said Commissioners shall, upon the consent of the said patron or patrons so signified, represent the whole matter to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which it is proposed, with such consent as aforesaid, to divide such parish, together with the relative and respective proportions of glebe land, tithes, moduses, or other endowments which will by such division arise and accrue, and remain and be, within each of such respective divisions, and also the relative proportions of the estimated amount of the value or produce of fees, oblations, offerings, or other ecclesi-