An Act for making a railway from Monmouth to Hereford, with branches therefrom to Westbury, and to join the Forest of Dean Railway.

An Act for making a railway from Glasgow to Crofthead, near the town or village of Neilston, to be called "the Glasgow, Barrhead, and Neilston

Direct Railway."

An Act to amend the Acts for regulating the pipe water of the city of Dublin, and to enable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of the city of Dublin to extend the supply of pipe water to the several parishes, or portion of parishes, situate in the city and county of Dublin, and adjoining to the borough of the said city of Dublin, but outside the boundary thereof.

An Act for lighting, draining, cleansing, and improving the lamlets or liberties of Duddeston and Nechells, in the parish of Aston, near Bir-

mingham, in the county of Warwick.

An Act for more effectually maintaining, improving, and repairing the road leading from the city of Glasgow to Yoker-bridge, and certain roads communicating therewith.

And three private Acts.

#### Whitehall, August 6, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Peter Robert Lord Willoughby De Eresby, an additional Commissioner for the purpose of enquiring whether advantage might not be taken of the rebuilding of the Houses of Parliament for promoting and encouraging the Fine Arts.

## Whitehall, August 7, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Lennox (commonly called Lord Arthur Lennox), the office of Clerk of the Ordnance of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

# Whitehall, August 8, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Sir Robert Peel, Bart.; the Right Honourable Henry Goulburn; James Milnes Gaskell, Esq.; Henry Bingham Baring, Esq.; William Forbes Mackenzie, Esq.; and William Cripps, Esq., to be Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

### Whitehall, August 8, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing Sir Charles Eurwicke Douglas, Knt. C. M. G. one of the Commissioners of Greenwich Hospital, in the room of the Honourable Charles Hope, resigned.

### Foreign-Office, August 5, 1845.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Ward, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul General in the kingdom of Saxony.

#### Cambridge-House, August 5, 1845.

The Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint the Reverend James Hutchinson, M.A. of Rome, to be one of His Royal Highness's Chaplains.

## Whitehall, August 8, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable Robert-Vernon Smith, of Farming-woods, in the county of Northampton, and of Saville-row, in the county of Middlesex, one of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and Representative in Parliament for the town of Northampton, only surviving child of Robert-Percy Smith, late of Cheam, in the county of Surrey, and of Saville-row aforesaid, Esq. formerly Judge Advocate General in India, and sometime Representative in Parliament for the city of Lincoln, by Caroline-Maria his wife, second daughter and coheir of Richard Vernon, formerly of Hilton-hall, in the county of Stafford, and afterwards of Newmarket, in the county of Cambridge, Esq. successively Representative in Parliament for the boroughs of Newcastle-under-Lyne, Okehampton, and Bedford, all deceased, on behalf of his children, Fitz-Patrick-Henry Smith, Gowran-Charles Smith, Courtenay-John Smith, Greville-Richard Smith, and Evelyn-Elizabeth Smith, Her royal licence and authority, that they, the said Fitz-Patrick-Henry Smith, Gowran-Charles Smith, Courtenay-John Smith, and Greville-Richard Smith, may take and henceforth assume the surname of Vernon only, instead of that of Smith, and may also bear the arms of Vernon quarterly, in the first quarter, with their paternal arms; and that such surname and arms may, in like manner, be taken, borne, and used by their issue respectively; and that the said Evelyn-Elizabeth Smith may take and henceforth assume the surname of Vernon only, instead of that of Smith, and bear the arms of Vernon quarterly with her paternal arms; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise the said royal 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.

# Whitehall, August 8, 1845.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Maurice FitzGerald Stephens, Clerk, Master of Arts, Vicar of Thornbury, in the county of Gloucester, Her royal licence and authority, that he may, from motives of respect to the