- 72nd Foot, John Thomas Campbell, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wyllie, promoted. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 77th Foot, Robert James Hardinge, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Tollemache, promoted. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 81st Foot, John Trent, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hunter, promoted. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 84th Foot, Captain David Edward Armstrong, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice Cassan, who exchanges. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 91st Foot, James Thornhill Lane, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Squirl, promoted. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 1st West India Regiment, Thomas William Lawson, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Murphy, promoted. Dated 19th August 1851.
- 3rd West India Regiment, Thomas Maurice Quill, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Thompson, deceased. Dated 19th August 1851.

Memorandum.

The Christian names of Lieutenant Thomas, of the 26th Regiment, are "William Esdaile Goring," and not "William Esdaile," as previously stated.

Office of Ordnance, August 18, 1851.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

- First Lieutenant Henry Augustus Smyth to be Second Captain, vice Allen, retired upon halfpay. Dated 11th August 1851.
- Second Lieutenant Campbell Hardy to be First Lieutenant, vice Smyth. Dated 11th August 1851.

Admiralty, 15th August 1851.

With reference to the plan of Naval Retirement which appeared in the London Gazette of 27th June 1851, and to the promotion of Officers which appeared in the London Gazette of the 1st instant, the undermentioned Commander in the Royal Navy has been this day promoted to the rank of Captain, and placed on the Reserved Half-pay List of the Royal Navy, viz.:

. William Edward Hughes Allen, Esq.

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

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

- Lieutenant Philip John William Miles to be Captain, vice Harding, deceased. Dated 16th August 1851.
- Cornet Charles Fox Webster to be Lieutenant, vice Miles, promoted. Dated 16th August 1851.

Port of Aberdeen.

WE, the undersigned, Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby, under the authority of an Act passed in the session of Parliament holden in the ninth and tenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to the Customs," appoint the following place within the port of Aberdeen, to be a legal quay for the lading and unlading of goods, and we do hereby declare the bounds and extent of such quay to be as follows; that is to say:

All that open place, quay, or wharf, at Aberdeen, situate on the south side of Victoria Dock, called Provost Blaikie's Quay, extending in length, eastwardly, from the corner of Regent Bridge, two thousand one hundred feet, and in breadth sixty-two feet.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, this 15th day of August 1851.

R. M. Bellew. H. Rich.

Tonbridge Union.-Speldhurst Parish.

(Signed)

- To the Churchwardens and Overscers of the Poor of the parish of Speldhurst, in the county of Kent;
- To the Clerk or Clerks to the Justices of the Petty Sessions held for the division or divisions in which the said parish is situate; And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Speldhurst, in the county of Kent, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons:

And whereas, at a meeting of the Vestry of said parish held, after public notice in that behalf, on Thursday the nineteenth day of June last, it was unanimously resolved,—

"That application be forthwith made to the

"Poor Law Commissioners to issue their "Order for the appointment of a vestry

" clerk for the parish of Speldhurst."

And whereas the Churchwardens of the said parish have made their application in writing to the Poor Law Board, pursuant to the above resolution.

Now, therefore, we, the said Poor Law Board, under the authority of the several Statutes in that behalf made and provided, do hereby order and direct, that so much of the Act passed in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act to prevent the holding of vestry "or other meetings in churches, and for regulating "the appointment of vestry clerks," as relates to the appointment of a vestry clerk, shall forthwith be applied to, and be put in force within, the said parish of Speldhurst.

And we do hereby order and direct, that a copy of this order shall be published in the London Gazette.

Given under our hand and seal of office, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

M. T. Baines, President.

Courtenay, Secretary.

West Derby Union.-Kirkdale Township.

- To the Overseers of the Poor of the township of Kirkdale, in the county of Lancaster;
- To the Clerk or Clerks to the Justices of the Petty Sessions held for the division or divisions in which the said township is situate; And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the township of Kirkdale, in the county of Lancaster, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons:

And whereas at a meeting of the Vestry of the said township, held, after public notice in that