

7. That the rates of postage chargeable on printed newspapers transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be in lieu of any rates of British postage now chargeable by law thereon.

8. That the respective packets transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be subject to the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage respectively contained in a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1855, relating to redirected rates of postage upon letters and packets which shall be redirected and again forwarded by the post.

9. That nothing in this Warrant contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any newspapers transmitted through France.

10. That the term "British newspaper," used in this Warrant, shall be construed to mean newspapers printed in the United Kingdom, whether they bear a newspaper stamp or not, and that the term "East Indies," used in this Warrant, shall be construed to mean every port or place in Her Majesty's dominions in Asia (China, Hong Kong, Ceylon, the Mauritius, Java, Borneo, Japan, and Australia, excepted); and that the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning, in all respects, as they would have had if inserted in the said Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

11. That it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant under their hands, duly made at any time hereafter, to alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates, orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid.

12. That this Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, 1859.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twenty-first day of January, 1859.

H. G. Lennox.
Henry Whitmore.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the city and borough of Wells, in the county of Somerset, on the 29th day of December, 1858, and notice of such adoption was duly given in writing to the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by William Chester Berryman the younger, Esquire, Mayor of the aforesaid city and borough, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been certified to the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole that a copy of such notice has been duly advertised, for three successive weeks, as required by the aforesaid Act, and that copies of such notice have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such city and borough, to which notices are usually affixed; and the period of twenty-one days fixed by the said Act for appeal

against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act by such city and borough has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, Spencer Horatio Walpole, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice that the Local Government Act, 1858, has been adopted within the city and borough of Wells, in the county of Somerset, and that, in accordance with the provisions thereof, the said Act will, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid resolution, have the force of law within such city and borough.

Given under my hand this twenty-fifth day of January, 1859.

S. H. Walpole.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners, appointed to act in the liberty of Seaford, in the county of Sussex, as commissioners for the general purposes of the Act of Parliament, for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices; now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such commissioners, to be holden at the Old Tree Inn, Seaford, in the said county, on Thursday, the 24th of February next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the liberty of Seaford aforesaid.

Henry Roberts.

Alex. Duff Gordon.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
24th January, 1859.

Somerset House, London, January 22, 1859.

NOTICE.—By order of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, the place for the receipt of Corn Returns at Whitchurch, in Chester Collection, will, in future, be at the Market Hall, Whitchurch.

Thos. Dobson, Assistant Secretary.

Somerset House, London, January 22, 1859.

NOTICE.—By order of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, the place for the receipt of Corn Returns at Ashford, in Canterbury Collection, will, in future, be at the Town Hall, Ashford.

Thos. Dobson, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named United Presbyterian Chapel, situated at Stockton, in the parish of Stockton, in the county of Durham, in the district of Stockton, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 17th day of January, 1859, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 18th day of January, 1859.

William Best, Superintendent Registrar.