3. The Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury may, by Warrant under their hands duly made, at any time hereafter alter, repeal, or revoke any of the orders, directions, or regulations hereby made, and may make and establish any new or other orders, directions, or regulations in lieu thereof.

4. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of February, 1861.

teenth day of January, 1861.

Whitehall Treasury Chambers, the nine-

J. Bagwell. Wm. Dunbar.

## THE DEFENCE ACT, 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department has, in pursuance of the Defence Act, 1860, made a declaration, bearing date the 15th day of January, 1861, stating therein and showing, with the aid of a map or plan thereto annexed, that certain lands situate in the parishes of Yaverland and Brading, in the county of Southampton, are required to be taken absolutely for the construction of works under the powers and provisions of the said Act.

And notice is also given that copies of such declaration, and of the map or plan thereto annexed, have been deposited with and may be seen on application to any or either of the under-mentioned parties, namely:

1. The clerk of the peace for the said county of

Southampton.

2. The parish clerks of the said parishes of Yaverland and Brading.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1861.

By order of the said Principal Secretary, Chas. M. Clode, Solicitor to the War Department.

## LOCAL TAXATION RETURNS.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, sec. 76, requires that every Local Board shall make an annual report in such form and at such time as the Secretary of State may from time to time direct, of all works executed by them during the preceding year, and of all sums received and disbursements made under and for the purposes of that Act, and publish the same in some newspaper circulating in the district, and shall send a copy to the Secretary of State: Now, I, the Right Honourable Sir George Cornewall Lewis, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do, in pursuance of the 5th section of the Act of the 23rd and 24th Vict., c. 51, by this my order published in the London Gazette, direct that so much of the said reports so required to be made by Local Boards as aforesaid, as relates to the sums received and disbursements made, shall in future be made under the lastmentioned Act. and shall be subject to the provisions and penalties thereof.

G. C. Lewis.

Whitchall, January 22, 1861.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Lee Chapel, situated at Lee-lane, in the township of Horwich, in the sounty of Lancaster, in the district of Bolton,

being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 10th day of January, 1861, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 11th day of January,

1861.

John Woodhouse, Superintendent Regis-

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Saltaire Congregational Courch, situated at Saltaire, in the town-ship of Shipley, in the county of York, in the district of Bradford, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 16th day of January, 1861, 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, 1861. John Darlington, Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given, that the registry of a certain building, named the Roman Catholic Chapel, as a place for the solemnization of marriages therein, situate at Leswell, in the borough and parish of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester (which said building has been disused as a place for the public religious worship of the congregation on whose behalf it was so registered) has been cancelled by the Registrar-General; and that a certain building. named the Roman Catholic Church, situate at Leswell aforesaid, and which is a separate building, and certified as a place for religious worship, was, on the 10th day of January, 1861, duly registered and substituted for solemnizing marriages therein, instead of the said disused building, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap.

Witness my hand this 17th day of January, 1861. H Saunders, Superintendent Registrar of the District of Kidderminster, in the counties of Worcester, Stafford, and Salop.

Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

OTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorized by 18 and 19 Vict., c. 63, s. 13, for the Dissolution of a Friendly Society called the West Pennard Friendly Society, held at the Schoolroom, West Pennard, in the county of Somerset, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England, on the 9th day of January, 1861.

John Tidd Pratt, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

London, 17th day of January, 1861.

In the Matter of a Patent granted to Joshua Vickerman Binns, of Lockwood, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, Mechanic, for the invention of "Improvements in piecing wool cardings, and in a machine called a piecing machine," dated 24th June, 1850, No. 13150.

OTICE is hereby given that Samuel Oldfield, of Portland-place, Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, assignee of the said Letters Patent, has applied by petition to Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for leave to enter a Disclaimer and Memorandum of alteration of certain parts of the Specification of the said Letters Patent; and any person intending to or pose such application must give