Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

5th Kent Artillery Volunteer Corps.

George Barber to be Second Lieutenant, vice Delany, resigned. Dated 4th November, 1864.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 25th ultimo.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Herts.

1st Herts Light Horse Volunteer Corps.

Renforth Thomas Scarr, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 5th October, 1864.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY THE DISTRICT OF NELSON, LANCASHIRE.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted on the 13th day of October, 1864, by the District of Nelson, in the county of Lancaster, within the boundaries of that district, as settled for the purposes of the hereinbefore recited Act, and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act. And whereas it has now been duly certified to me, that a copy of such notice has been duly advertised in the Colne and Nelson Guardian, that being a local newspaper published and circulated in the said district, and the other requirements of the said Act have been complied with, and the period fixed by the said Act for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act by such district has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice that the Local Government Act, 1858, has been adopted in the said district of Nelson, in the county of Lancaster, and that the said Act will have the force of law within such district from and after the expiration of twenty-one days from the date of the resolution adopting the said Act

Given under my hand this 7th day of November, 1864.

G. Grey.

Home Office, Whitehall.

India Office, November 8, 1864.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice,—

That the amount for which Tenders for Bills of Exchange will be received at the Bank of England, on Wednesday, the 16th instant, on the terms stated in the Advertisement issued from this Office on the 10th November, 1863, will be Rupees 30,00,000, of which not more than Rupees 12,00,000 will be drawn on the Government of Bombay.

Herman Merivale.

WHEREAS at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the country of Devon, held at the Castle of Exeter, on the 18th day of

October, 1864, a Provisional Order was made in the words following, that is to say:—

"Whereas, at a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the county of Devon, held at the Castle of Exeter, on the 5th day of January, 1864, a Final Order was made, constituting the parishes of Pilton, Goodleigh, and Sherwill, and certain other parishes in the said Order mentioned, a highway district by the name of the Ilfracombe Highway District.

"And whereas, on the 7th day of September last, five of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the county of Devon, did, by writing, under their hands, require the Clerk of the Peace for the said county, to add to or send with the notice for holding the then next Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said county, a notice that at the said Sessions a proposal would be made to alter the Barnstaple Highway District, in the said county, by adding to such district the said parishes of Pilton, Goodleigh, and Sherwill; and did also require the said Clerk of the Peace to send by post in a prepaid letter notices thereof to the Churchwardens and Overseers of every parish mentioned in the said notice.

"And whereas the Clerk of the Peace having complied with the said requisition, the said five Justices (two at least of whom were resident within the said Ilfracombe Highway District), made the said proposal to this Court, and the same having been entertained by the Justices here assembled.

"This Court doth Order (subject to the same being confirmed at the next Quarter Sessions to be held for this county; on the 3rd day of January next), that the said parishes of Pilton, Goodleigh and Sherwill be subtracted from the said Ilfracombe Highway District, and that the said Barnstaple Highway District be altered by adding the said three parishes thereto."

Notice is hereby given, that the confirmation of the said Provisional Order by a Final Order will be taken into consideration by the Justices at the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said county of Devon, to be held at the Castle of Exeter, on the 3rd day of January next.

H. Ford, Clerk of the Peace.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Westminster Improvement Commissioners, incorporated by, and acting in the execution of the powers of. an Act of Parliament, intituled "An Act for improving parts of the City of Westminster," and authorized to be cited as "The Westminster Improvement Act, 1845;" and of another Act of Parliament, intituled "An Act to amend and enlarge the powers and provisions of 'The Westminster Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and enlarge the powers and provisions of 'The Westminster Improvement Act of the Westminster Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Parliament, intituded "An Act to amend and the Improvement Act of Improvement Act minster Improvement Act, 1845,' and to authorize the application of certain rates in aid of the Improvements," and authorized to be cited as "The Westminster Improvement Act, 1847;" and of another Act of Parliament, intituled "An Act for amending and enlarging the powers and provisions of 'The Westminster Improvement Act, 1845,' and 'The Westminster Improvement Act, 1847,' to extend the time for the compulsory purchase of lands, and for other purposes," and authorized to be cited as "The Westminster Improvement Act, 1850;" and of another Act of Parliament, intituled "An Act to amend and enlarge the powers and provisions of 'The Westminster Improvement Act, 1845,' 'The Westminster Improvement Act, 1847,' and 'The Westminster Improvement Act, 1850,' to extend the time for the com-

pulsory purchase of lands, to authorise further