Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Athow Field to be Ensign, vice Winter, resigned. Dated 18th May, 1868.

#### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Robert Hutton Potts in the 1st Durham Militia. Dated 21st May, 1868.

# Whitehall, May 9, 1868.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Nalder, of Shepton Mallet, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

## Exchequer Bills.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 24 V., c. 5, and dated the 11th June, 1866, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th June, 1868, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th June next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to December, 1868, will be at the rate of two pounds per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated 11th June, 1866, who intend to demand payment of the principal sums therein contained, at the expiration of the second year of their currency, must leave the said Bills at the Bank of England, for examination not later than the 8th June next, between the hours of ten and two; and payment of the said principal sums will be made at the Bank on and after the 11th day of June next.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, 29th May, 1868.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY BRIERFIELD, DISTRICT, IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted on the 6th day of April, 1868, by the district of Brierfield, 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, as required by such Act; and it has now been duly certified that a copy of such notice has been advertised, and that copies have also been duly affixed in such district, and the period fixed by the said Act for appeal 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 within the said district, and that though such district is a place with a and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the

population of less than 3,000 by the last census. it has appeared to me that, by reason of the special circumstances of the case, it is expedient that the said district should be allowed to adopt the said Act, I do hereby approve of such adoption; and do further order and direct that such Act shall, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid resolution, have the force of law within such district of Brierfield.

> Given under my hand this 27th day of May, 1868.

> > (Signed) Gathorne Hardy.

Home Office, Whitehall.

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY MIDSOMER NORTON, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the parish of Midsomer Norton, in the county of Somerset, on the 13th day of April, 1868, 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, and that copies have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such parish to which notices are usually affixed; and the period for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act 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 duly adopted within the said parish of Mid-somer Norton, 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 parish of Midsomer Norton.

> Given under my hand this 28th day of May, 1868.

> > (Signed) Gathorne Hardy.

Home Office, Whitehall.

\*\*\* The Index to the London Gazette, for the last six months of the year 1867, is now ready for delivery.

## India Office, May 28, 1868.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received Calcutta Gazettes, containing the following Notices of Orders made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21:

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of John Quigley, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 28th day of March last, it was ordered that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking for relief under the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, be dismissed, but this order is not to