House, W.C.; or by applying to the Superintendents of the Victualling Establishments at Depiford, Gosport, and Plymouth; the Superintendents of Her Majesty's Dock Yards at Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, and Pembroke; the Naval and Victualling Storekeeper at Haulbowline; the Officer conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool; the Secretary to the Postmaster-General, Dublin; to the Collectors of Her Majesty's Customs at Berwick, Cowes, Dartmouth, Falmouth, Galway, Greenock, Harwich, Hull, Jersey and Guernsey, Londonderry (for Lough Swilly), Newhaven, North Shields, Ramsgate, Scilly, Weymouth, and Yarmouth; and to the Postmasters at each of the other places.

CONTRACT FOR CANVAS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,

Whitehall, May 3, 1869. YENDERS will be received on Tuesday, the 1st June next, at two o'clock p.m., for the supply of

6,600 BOLTS OF CANVAS,

Forms of tender and all particulars may be obtained on application at this office.

CONTRACT FOR HAMMOCKS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, May 5, 1869.

TENDERS will be received on Tuesday, the 1st June next, at two o'clock p.m., for the supply of

20,000 HAMMOČKS.

Each hammoch to contain four yards of cloth, 25 in. wide, and to measure 5 ft. 7 in. in length, and 47 in. in width, and to have 25 eyelet holes.

Samples must accompany each tender as a comparison will be instituted with the view of ascertaining the most suitable for the service, both as regards quality and price.

Manufacturers are invited to submit samples which they may consider suitable for the service.

Any further particulars may be ascertained on personal application at this office.

West Flanders Railways.

No. 61, Moorgate-Street, London, E.C., May 3, 1869.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Dividend coupon No. 40, at the rate of 5s. 6d. or 6 francs 87½ centimes per share, for the halfyear ending 31st December, 1868, and the coupon No. 33 on the preference shares, at the rate of 5s. 6d. or 6 francs $87\frac{1}{2}$ centimes, will be payable on and after 15th May instant, at the offices of the Company in London and Bruges, and at Messrs. Brugmann, fils, Bankers, in Brussels.
In accordance with Art. 49 of the statutes, the

accounts of the Company, with the vouchers in support of them, will be deposited from the 15th May instant, during twenty days at least, at the Siège of the Company, for the inspection of the Shareholders.

By order, F. Smith, Secretary.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children.

Foundling, W.C., May 6, 1869. OTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Meeting of the Governors and Guardians of this Corporation will be held in the Court Room of the Hospital, on Wednesday, the 12th instant, at ten o'clock in the morning precisely.

John Brownlow, Secretary.

The Mutual Life Assurance Society.

No. 39, King-Street, Cheapside, E.C., London, 7th May, 1869.

N Aajourned Extraordinary General -Meeting of this Society will be holden at their office as aforesaid, on Thursday, the 20th duy of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the Election of a Director in the place of James Pennethorne, Esq., resigned, to be determined by ballot, demanded pursuant to the 17th clause in the Deed of Settlement, and the law as amended on the 4th day of March, 1868.

The ballot will commence at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and, pursuant to the aforesaid 17th clause, will be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon

of the same day.

The candidates for the vacant seat in the Direction are

> Stafford Henry Northcote, Esq. John Parson, Esq.

Another Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society will be holden will be holden at their office asoresaid, on the following day. viz., Friday, the 21st day of May, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the purpose of declaring the result of the ballot taken on the preceding day.

Charles Ingali, Actuary.

In the Matter of the Companies Act 1862 and 1867, and of the Rosebush Slate Company Limited.

OTICE is hereby given, that, in pursuance of the Joint Stock Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, a General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above-named Company will be held at the office of Mr. Samuel Hurrison Armitage, No. 9, Dowgate-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 7th of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, when the Liquidators will submit to the Shareholders of the Company their account showing the manner in which the windingup of the affairs of the said Company has been conducted, and the assets of the said Company disposed of, and will also afford any explanation of or upon the said account that may be required of them. — Dated this 5th day of May, 1869. N. Bennett, No. 4, Furnival's-inn, Holborn,

Solicitor for the Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Colcharton Copper Mining Company Limited, in Liquidation.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 14th day of May, 1869, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, to William Hughes, of No. 30, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Secretary to the Liquidators of the said Company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.-Dated this 5th day of May 1869.

Mark Noble Buttanshaw Liquidators. Joseph Smith D. F. Collins

OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edgar Reed and Elizabeth Reed, Widow of Alfred Reed, carrying on and Engagem Reed, whow of Airest Reed, tarrying on the county of York, under the style or firm of John Reed and Son, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said copartnership will be received and paid by Mr. Edward Handy Reed, of Northallerton, Manager for the said firm.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1869. Elizabeth Reed.

Edgar Reed.