

*Her Majesty's Ship "Amethyst."*

A.B. G. Alford, scrotum ; dangerously.  
 Captain's C. John Searce, left arm ; severely.  
 A.B. Edward Gilbert, neck ; dangerously.  
 A.B. Denis Driscoe, head, right side ; severely.  
 A.B. William Daw, right side of face ; severely.

*Her Majesty's Ship "Argus."*

Leading Seaman William Hart, right thigh ; very severely.  
 A.B. R. Sykes, right arm ; very severely.  
 Boatswain's Mate W. Bunt, left arm ; severely.  
 A.B. Benjamin Vivian, right arm ; slightly.

*Her Majesty's Ship "Active."*

Serjeant R.M.L.I. Timothy Walters, left leg ; very severely.  
 Private William Avery, face and neck ; very severely.  
 Private D. Gavan, face ; slightly.  
 Private Thomas Bavers, left shoulder ; severely.

*Her Majesty's Ship "Druid."*

Private John Bell, face and neck ; dangerously.  
 Private James Sillence, left arm ; severely.

## AT BECQUAH.

*Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines Killed.**Her Majesty's Ship "Active."*

A.B. William Taylor, heart.

*Petty Officers Seamen, and Marines Wounded.**Her Majesty's Ship "Active."*

Captain of Quarter-deck Mr. W. Allridge, left arm ; very severely.  
 A.B. John Malegan, head and ear ; severely.  
 Boatswain's Mate James Willson, right forearm ; slightly.

(Signed) HENRY FEGAN, M.D.,  
 Staff Surgeon, 2nd Class, in Medical Charge.

[These Notices are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the 3rd instant.]

AT the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of March, 1874.

## PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble James, Duke of Abercorn, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

This day, the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford ; Henry George Percy (commonly called Earl Percy) ; the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp ; Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Somerset) ; the Right Honourable George William, Viscount Barrington ; Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) ; the Right Honourable Edward, Lord Skelmersdale ; Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, Baronet ; Sir John Charles Dalrymple-Hay, Baronet ; and George Sclater-Booth, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to direct that the Right Honourable Dudley Francis

Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) be appointed Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education ; and that the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do prepare a warrant for Her Majesty's Royal signature accordingly, under the provisions of an Act passed in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for the appointment of a Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education."

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G., President of the Committee of Council for Trade.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth, President of the Local Government Board.

[This Notice is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 3rd instant.]

Privy Council Office, March 2, 1874.

THIS day, the oath of office of Lord Chamberlain was taken by the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford ; the oath of office of Lord Steward by the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp ; the oath of office of President of the Board of Trade by the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G. ; and the oath of office of President of the Local Government Board by the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth.

Council Office, March 2, 1874.

WHEREAS the Governing Body of Eton College or School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and "The Public Schools (Eton College Property) Act, 1873," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, make a Scheme for the improvement of the property of Eton College :

And whereas the said Scheme has been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the said firstly mentioned Act, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Acts.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do, in these Acts, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such Scheme.

SCHEME for the Improvement of the Property of Eton College.

Made pursuant to "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and "The Public Schools (Eton College Property) Act, 1873."

1. After the approval of this scheme by Her Majesty in Council no fine shall be taken on the renewal or grant of any lease of any part of the College estates.

2. Immediately after the approval of this scheme by Her Majesty in Council all the provisions of the scheme approved by Her Majesty in Council on the 23rd day of June, 1870, entitled "Scheme