Whitehall, October 3, 1877.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that he has certified the Bristol School Board's Day Industrial School at St. James' Back, Bristol, as a Day Industrial School for the purposes of "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," and the Order in Council of the 20th day of March, 1877.

Civil Service Commission, October 4, 1877.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for 30 situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, will be held on Thursday and Friday, the 13th and 14th of December, 1877, in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Liverpool, Bristol, Plymouth, Leeds, Birmingham, Norwich, Glasgow, Dundee, Aberdeen, Cork, Galway, Belfast, Omagh, and Limerick under the Regulations dated 26th April, 1875, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th April, 1875.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 19th of November, an "application" on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from him at once.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Ledbury, in the county of Hereford, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices : Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Feathers Hotel, in Ledbury, on Thursday, the 11th day of October, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Ledbury aforesaid.

Alfred Montgomery. W. S. Northcote.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, London, October 4, 1877.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, October 1, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the slave bounty awarded for eight slaves captured on the 25th of October, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "London," will commence on Friday, the 12th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, New-street, Springgardens, S.W."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W." (enclosing his certificate of service, or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of Commissioned Officers), —in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes :---

				£	\$.	d.	
Flag	•	•		1	1	8	
Captain '.				3	1	9	
Second class	•			0	10	2	
Third class		•	•	0	8	8	
Fourth class		• ·	•	0	5	10	
Fifth class	•		•	0	3	6	
Sixth class				0	2	11	
Seventh class			•	0	2	1	
Eighth class				0	1	2	
Ninth class	•	•	•	0	0	6	
Tenth class	•	•	•	0	0	3	

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

JAMES A. HARLEY, of 26, St. Patrick's Quay, Cork, hereby give notice, that in con sequence of my becoming owner of the brig "George and John Yourdi," and my believing that by continuing to sail her under that name may mislead parties having any business transactions with the vessel in respect of ownership, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "The George and John Yourdi," of Cork, official number 52,554, of gross tonnage 249 tons, of register tonnage 249 tons, heretofore owned by Nicholas George Yourdi, of South Mall, Cork, for permission to change her name to the "James A. Harley," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Cork, as owned by James A. Harley.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Cork, this 7th day of September, 1877. James A. Harley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Siloam, situate in Mountstuart-square, in the parish of Saint Mary, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Cardiff, heing a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 25th day of August, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 12th day of September, 1877.

W. B. Wathins, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Tockwith Wesleyan Chapel, situate at Tockwith, in the parish of Bilton, in the county of York, in the district of