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 29 Vic., c. 25, and dated the 11th June, 1876, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th June, 1878, 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 11th December, 1878, will be at the rate of two pounds ten shillings per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated the 11th June, 1875, 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,

May 28, 1878.

Exeter Union.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board, putting in force in the Union certain General Orders respecting Vaccination: Proceedings under Bastardy Acts: Taxation of Bills (Poor Law): Relief: Proceedings of Guardians under Elementary Education Act, 1876: School Fees by way of Loan: "Attendance" at Workhouse Schools:—

To the Governor, Deputy Governor, Assistants and Guardians of the Poor of the city and county of Exon:

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS "The City of Exeter Extension Act, 1877," after extending the then existing city as set forth in section 5 of the said Act, provided in section 35 as follows :—

- "Subject to the provisions of this Act the "several Parishes and Precincts within the
 - "extended City shall be and the same are
 - "hereby constituted and formed into a Poor
 - "Law Union under the provisions of the "Poor Law Amendment Act, 1834."

And whereas by an Order dated the 1st day of larch, 1878, the Local Government Board.

March, 1878, the Local Government Board ordered that the Union constituted and formed by the first above-recited Act should be called and known by the name of the Exeter Union : Now therefore, We, the Local Government

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby order that the provisions of the General Orders hereafter recited shall henceforth apply to and be in force in the Exeter Union, as now constituted; namely,—

1. The General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners dated the twenty-first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, declaring the amount to be allowed to Clerks of the Peace for the taxation of Bills due to Solicitors in respect of business performed on behalf of any Parish or Union.

2. The General Order of the Poor Law Board dated the fourteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, prescribing rules and regulations for the administration of Relief to the Out-door Poor.

3. The General Order of the Poor Law Board | dated the fifteenth day of February, one thousand | eight hundred and sixty-eight, prescribing the |

form of contract to be entered into for Public Vaccination.

4. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the thirtieth day of November, one thousaad eight hundred and seventy one, prescribing the forms of the notices of requirement of Vaccination to be given by Registrars of Births, and the forms of Certificates relating to Vaccination to be given by Public Vaccinators and Medical Practitioners.

5. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, prescribing regulations with respect to the appointment of Vaccination Officers by Boards of Guardians, the tenure of office, duties, and remuneration of such Officers, and the institution and conduct of the proceedings under the Vaccination Acts, and the costs incurred in such proceedings.

6. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, prescribing forms of proceedings in Bastardy, upon the application of Guardians of the Poor. 7. The General Orders of the Local Govern-

7. The General Orders of the Local Government dated respectively the twenty-second day of March, and the fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, prescribing regulations with respect to the proceedings of Guardians under the Elementa y Education Act. 1876.

8. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventyseven, prescribing "attendance" of children at Workhouse Schools for the purpose of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, and the General Order of the said Board dated the third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventyeight, prescribing a Register of "Attendance" as regards Workhouse Schools.

9. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, authorising the allowance by Guardians, by way of Loan, of School Fees under the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1876. 10. The General Order of the Local Govern-

10. The General Order of the Local Government Board dated the tenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, prescribing regulations with respect to the relief of orphan and deserted children.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-fourth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

L. S. G. Sclater-Booth, President.

Hugh Owen, junr., Assistant-Secretary.

Civil Service Commission, May 27, 1878.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for one situation as Assistant to Surveyor in the Office of Her Majesty's Works, will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Tuesday, the 30th of July, 1878, and following days, under the Special Regulations, dated 28th Augest, 1877, and published in the London Gazette of the 31st August, 1377.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in.