1st Suffolk, The Reverend John Garforth to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, Major Edward John Renaud resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenauts:-

Thomas George Marsh. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

Joseph Walker Higgs. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, Lieutenant Frederic Mortimer Williams Gutch resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Surgeon Robert Fothergill is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major Dated 22nd December, 1883.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Henry Harris Hewitt Dowding resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1883.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.

Peter Alexander Speirs, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th December, 1883.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Richard Henry Wood, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1883.

Licutenant Rowland John Beech, 2nd Life Guards, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1883.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England, on Wednesday, the 2nd proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of £1,516,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 5th day of January, 1884, and will be payable at three or six months after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz.:—on the 5th April or 5th July next, respectively.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent, which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.

 The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Thursday, the 3rd proximo, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Saturday, the 5th proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, December 20, 1883.

Civil Service Commission, December 18, 1883.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for the situation of Assistant Examiner in the Patent Office, held in London on the 15th December, 1883, under the Regulations dated 27th November, 1883:—

Clark, William Henry Dennis Davidson, Alexander James Davis, Henry Evans, Allen Charles Frederick Halton, Herbert Welch Hopla, Joseph Jenkins, Rhys Lones, Thomas East Madden, Bowman Henry Marfleet, Arthur William Orsman, William James Puckering, Robert Comins Ravenshear, Albert Francis Robinson, William Stevens, Robert Henry Stiven, William Alexander Sumner, William Sutton, Alfred Tomlinson, John Henry Ward, William Whitley, William Thomas Whitwell, Arthur Wilkinson, Henry Wall

INSTRUMENT substituting the New Church of Saint Mary within the Parish of Dartington, for the Old Church thereof, in the County of Devon, and Diocese of Exeter.

> To all to whom these presents shall come the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England send greeting:

WHEREAS a new church has lately been built within the parish of Dartington, in the county of Devon, and in the diocese of Exeter, and has been consecrated and dedicated to Saint Mary.

And whereas the Right Reverend Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of Exeter, and Arthur Champernowne, of Dartington Hall, in the said parish of Dartington, Esquire, the patron of the rectory and parish church of Dartington aforesaid, and the Reverend Richard Champernowne, Clerk in Holy Orders, the Rector or Incumbent of the same rectory and parish church, have, by an instrument under their hands, bearing date on or about the twenty-fourth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty, certified to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England that it would be for the convenience of the said parish of Dartington, that the said new church of Saint Mary, situate within such parish should be substituted for the old parish church (also dedicated to Saint Mary) of the same parish.

Now, therefore, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in exercise and execution of the power or authority in that behalf contained in the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her present Majesty, chapter seventy, and in the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers or authorities in anywise enabling us in the same behalf, do, by this instrument under our common seal, with the consent (testified as hereinafter mentioned) of the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of Exeter, and of the said Arthur Champernowne and of the said Richard Champernowne, hereby declare that the said new church of Saint Mary, situate within the