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*Civil Service Commission, December 9, 1884.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competition for the situation of Junior Assistant in the South Kensington Museum (Art Branch) will be held in London, under the Regulations, dated the 25th July, 1879, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, on Tuesday, the 3rd February, 1885, and following days.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London on Tuesday, the 20th January, 1885.

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#### 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 Shebbear North, in the county of Devon, 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 office of the Clerk to the Commissioners, 12, Willett-street, Bideford, on Tuesday, the 16th day of December, 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, 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 for the division of North Shebbear aforesaid.

*Chas. Keith-Falconer.*

*W. S. Northcote.*

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,  
London, December 8, 1884.

Mersey Conservancy,  
8, Richmond-terrace, London,  
6th December, 1884.

THE Commissioners for the Conservancy of the River Mersey hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 and 6 Vic., cap. 110, intituled "An Act for the better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that they have received from Mr. Brownrigg, of 59, South Castle-street, Liverpool, Shipping and General Agent, and Mr. Thurton, of 13, Castle-street, Liverpool, Land Agent, a notice, given pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, in relation to a proposed graving dock to be constructed about 500 yards eastward of Ellesmere Port, in the county of Cheshire, a copy of which notice is subjoined:—

T. SPRATT,  
Vice-Admiral and Acting Conservator.

"We beg to transmit to you herewith a plan of a small graving dock we propose making in connection with a ship building and shipwright yard for repairing coasting and other vessels.

"The situation is above Ellesmere Port, and will in no way interfere with the estuary of the Mersey, the place being so very high up the river and away from all traffic.

"The material to be used will be concrete and other durable substance."

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at Horbury, in the parish of Horbury, in the county of York, in the district of Wakefield, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 21st day of November, 1884, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, now disused.—Witness my hand this 24th day of November, 1884.

*W. R. Wilson, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Old National Schools, situate at Spital-road, in the parish of New Windsor, in the county of Berks, in the district of Windsor, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 21st day of November, 1884, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 25th day of November, 1884.

*George Henry Long, Superintendent Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the St. Martin's, Leicester, Industrial and Provident Freehold Land Society Limited, Register No. 2091, held at the Wycliffe-street Room, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 4th day of December, 1884, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

*J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies.*

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 4th day of December, 1884.

Somersetshire Drainage Act, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the above Act, the Somersetshire Drainage Commissioners having caused surveys and maps to be made showing certain outlying lands in the parishes of Cheddar, Axbridge, Barton St. David, Baltonsborough, Butleigh, East Lydford, Glastonbury, Meare, North Wootton-street, West Pennard, Wookey, Walton, Wheat-hill, Wells (St. Cuthbert), West Lydford, Martock, Tintenhull, and Long Sutton, which will be benefited by the exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, and which should be included within their jurisdiction, and having satisfied themselves as to the drainage districts in which the said outlying lands should be respectively included, and having also satisfied themselves that certain lands already within their jurisdiction will