Instructions are in certain respects inconsistent with the said contracts between the New Zealand Company and the said respective settlers and associations; and it is expedient that the said Instructions should be repealed, so far as regards the lands comprised in, or affected by, the said contracts, as far as the same may be inconsistent with the said contracts respectively, or any part thereof:

Now, therefore, know you, that We have revoked and determined, and do by these Our Instructions under Our Sign Manual and Signet, revoke and determine so much and such part only of the thirteenth chapter of the said Instructions as relates to the lands comprised in or affected by the aforesaid contracts between the New Zealand Company and the settlers at Wellington, Nelson, and New Plymouth, and the associations of Otago and Canterbury, and so far as the same may be inconsistent with the said contracts respectively, or any part thereof.

And We do hereby declare that the said contracts respectively, or any amendments in such contracts which may hereafter be made by and between Us, Our Heirs and Successors, or parties on Our or their behalf lawfully authorized, and the said bodies respectively, are and shall be in force as regards the lands comprised in or affected by the said contracts: provided always, that on the expiration or sooner determination of any such contract, the regulations comprised in the said thirteenth chapter of the said recited Instructions shall again become and remain in force as regards the lands comprised in or affected by such contract.

War-Office, 23rd August 1850.

17th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Cornet Alexander Learmonth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Reed, who retires. Dated 23rd August 1850.

34th Regiment of Foot, Captain Thomas Bellew, from the 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice Charles Wilson Randolph, who retires upon half-pay 5th Foot. Dated 23rd August 1850.

63rd Foot, Ensign Edward Ralph Charles Sheldon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fairtlough, who retires. Dated 23rd August 1850.

68th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas De Courcy Hamilton to be Adjutant, vice Nicol, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 23rd August 1850.

77th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Watts, from halfpay Unattached, to be Lieutenant (re-paying the difference), vice O'Brien, promoted. Dated 23rd August 1850.

Ensign Henry Kent to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Watts, who retires. Dated 23rd August 1850.

88th Foot, Lieutenant Nathaniel Steevens, from the 20th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Leatham, promoted. Dated 23rd August 1850.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant James Birley Leatham, from the 88th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 23rd August 1850.

MEMORANDUM.

The Christian names of Ensign McDonald, of the 92nd Foot, are "John Alan," not "John Man," as stated in the Gazette of 16th instant. Office of Ordnance, 20th August 1850.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Second Captain Edward Price to be Captain, vice Young, retired upon full-pay. Dated 6th August 1850.

First Lieutenant Alexander Cameron Gleig to be Second Captain, vice Price. Dated 6th August

Second Lieutenant Roderick Mackenzie to be First Lieutenant, vice Gleig. Dated 6th August 1850.

ERRATUM in Gazette of 25th June 1850.

The name of Second Lieutenant Purcell, of the Royal Artillery, should have been Edward Tobias Willoughby Purcell, and not Willoubuy.

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

The Right Honourable George John Lord Vernon to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th August 1850.

Whitehall, August 16, 1850.

The Queen hath been pleased to ordain and declare that Thomas Orde-Powlett, Clerk, Rector of Wensley, in the county of York, and Amias Charles Orde-Powlett, an Undergraduate of Trinity College, in the University of Cambridge, the younger children of Thomas-Powlett Orde-Powlett, Esquire, commonly called the Honourable Thomas-Powlett Orde-Powlett, deceased, and brothers of William-Henry, now Baron Bolton, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the titles, place, pre-eminence, and precedence of the younger sons of a Baron, as if their said late father, Thomas-Powlett Orde-Powlett had survived his elder brother William-Powlett Baron Bolton, lately deceased, and thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Bolton:

And also to command that the said royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

SCINDE PRIZE MONEY.

Royal Hospital, Chelsea, August 6, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given, by order of the Lords and others, Commissioners for managing the affairs of this Hospital, that the unclaimed shares of prize money for the captures in Lower Scinde in 1843, under General Sir Charles James Napier, G.C.B. on account of Her Majesty's 22nd and 28th Regiments of Foot, will be payable at my office, on and after the 21st instant, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock.

A. J. Moorhead, Secretary and Registrar.

CORN RETURNS.

Inland Revenue Office, Old Broad-Street, August 20, 1850.

OTICE is hereby given by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the Act fifth Victoria, sess. 2, c. 1-1, that they have fixed and appointed the following places for receiving the "Corn Returns" under the said Act.

Wm. Johnson.

LOCALITY OF THE INSPECTORS' OFFICES.

Mr. Humphreys, Bell Inn, Kidderminster. Mr. Crawford, I, Portland-street, Fareham, Hants.