

consist of nine persons, and that the entire number shall be elected for the whole of the said district.

3. That the first election of the said Local Board of Health shall take place on the twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

4. That one-third in number of the said Local Board of Health shall go out of office on the thirty-first day of March in each year, subsequently to that in which the said first election takes place; but in case the day so appointed shall fall on a Sunday, or on a day appointed for public fast or thanksgiving, then such one-third shall go out of office on the day next following.

5. That every person at the time of his election as member of the said Local Board of Health, and so long as he shall continue in office by virtue of such election, be resident, as in the said Public Health Act, 1848, is required, and be seized or possessed of real or personal estate, or both, to the value or amount of not less than five hundred pounds, or shall be so resident and rated to the relief of the poor of some parish, township, or place, of which some part is within the said district, upon an annual value of not less than fifteen pounds:

6. That at the first election of the said Local Board of Health, Joseph Hall, Esq., Solicitor, of Keswick aforesaid, shall have the powers and perform the duties vested in or imposed upon the Chairman of the Local Board of Health by the Public Health Act, 1848, in relation to the election by owners of property and ratepayers, and shall perform all other duties which it may be requisite for him to perform in conducting and completing the said first election; and in case the said Joseph Hall, from illness or other sufficient cause, shall be unable to exercise or discharge such powers or duties, or shall be absent, or shall refuse to act, then that the Reverend Thomas Dundas Harford Battersby, Perpetual Curate of Saint John's Church, Keswick, within the district aforesaid, shall exercise and perform such of the said powers and duties as then remain to be exercised or performed.

7. That the fourteen days' notice of qualification required by the Public Health Act, 1848, to be given by owners of property, in order to entitle them to vote at the said first election, shall be given to the said Joseph Hall, at his office, in Main-street, Keswick, within the district aforesaid, or in case he shall refuse, or be unable to receive the same, then to the said Thomas Dundas Harford Battersby, at his residence, Saint John's Parsonage, Keswick, likewise within the aforesaid district.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

*Windsor Castle, February 7, 1853.*

This day had audience of Her Majesty:

General Don Manuel de Mendiburu, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Peru, to deliver his credentials;

To which he was introduced by the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

*Prince of Wales Council Chamber, Somerset-House, February 7, 1853.*

Richard Foster, of Castle, in the county of Cornwall, Esq., has been appointed Sheriff of the county of Cornwall.

*Duchy of Lancaster, February 7, 1853.*

The Queen has been this day pleased to appoint John Talbot Clifton, of Lytham-Hall, Esq., to be Sheriff of the county palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshire.*

Joseph Henry Hudson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1853.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.*

*Royal Berks Militia.*

William Francis Wheble, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1853.

Henry Hanmer Leycester, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th January, 1853.

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

*Warwickshire Militia.*

Robert Stuart, Esq., late Captain in the 7th Royal Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1853.

Neale Porter, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1853.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.*

*Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.*

Frederick Morton Eden to be Lieutenant, vice Brown, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1853.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.*

*Dorset Regiment of Militia.*

Hastings Sands, Esq., late Captain 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1853.

Charles Littlehales, Esq., late Captain 73rd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1853.

John Hill, Esq., late Captain 30th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1853.

Sydney Davis, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 1st February, 1853.

Frederick Charles Henning, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 1st February, 1853.

*National Debt Office, February 5, 1853.*

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt do hereby give notice that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in virtue of the powers vested in them by the Act 10 Geo. 4, cap. 24, have revoked and recalled certain tables sanctioned by warrant of the said Commissioners, bearing date 29th July, 1844, for the grant of Annuities; and have approved of another Table to be used and applied in place thereof.

*A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.*

*County of Radnor Rifle Corps.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Lieutenancy of the county of Radnor will be held at the Shirehall, in the town of Presteign, in the said county, on Tuesday the first day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of carrying into execution the laws relating to the Militia of the