

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Henry John Barker, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice William Henry Ogden, deceased. Dated 1st February, 1858.

The Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Eustace John Wilson Patten, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Jacson, promoted. Dated 28th June, 1859.

1st Company of Lancashire Volunteer Rifles.

James Burnside Taylor, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th June, 1859.

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

West Kent Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

William David Cathcart Gybbon Monypenny to be Captain, vice Sir Edmund Filmer, Bart., M.P., resigned. Dated 28th June, 1859.

James Gordon Vinter to be Ensign, vice Garsia, appointed to the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 28th June, 1859.

Commissions signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

John Whitney, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Robert Waller, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1859.

Hugh Sidney Waller, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Arthur Lousada, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1859.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF PARTS OF ACT BY WEST HARTLEPOOL, DURHAM.

WHEREAS certain sections of the Local Government Act, 1858, that is to say, sections 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 39, 40, 50, 53, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66 and 75, were on the 17th day of May, 1859, duly adopted by the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners, incorporated and acting under and by virtue of the provisions of "The West Hartlepool Improvement Act, 1854," the said sections being adopted, and to be put in force within the town and district of West Hartlepool, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioners aforesaid, under the said "West Hartlepool Improvement Act, 1854;" and whereas notice of the adoption of the herein-before recited sections of the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly given, in writing, on the 25th day of May, 1859, to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such last-mentioned Act; and it has now been duly certified to me that a copy of such notice has been advertised for three successive weeks in the Stockton and Hartlepool Mercury, that being one of the local newspapers published and circulated in the aforesaid town and district, and that copies of such notice had also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such town and district to which notices are usually affixed; and the period of twenty-one days fixed by the Local Government Act, 1858, for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said portions of that Act by such Commissioners, has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice, that the herein-before recited sections of the Local Government Act, 1858, have been duly adopted within the said town and district of West Hartlepool, under the jurisdiction of the West Hartlepool Improvement Commissioners aforesaid, and that, in accordance with the provisions of such Act, the herein-before recited sections of the Local Government Act, 1858, will, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid resolution, have the force of law within such town and district.

Given under my hand this twenty-eighth day of June, 1859.

G. C. Lewis.

Home-Office, Whitehall.

Whitehall, May 5, 1859.

The Right Honourable Sir Alexander Edmund Cockburn, Bart., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Thomas Henry Smith, of Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgements of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance in and for the city of London, also in and for the city and liberties of Westminster, and county of Middlesex.

Whitehall, June 9, 1859.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Edward Walmisley, of No. 25, Abingdon-street, Westminster, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, June 14, 1859.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Aston, of the city of Hereford, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England, under the Act of Parliament passed for the relief of Her Majesty's subjects professing the Jewish religion.

Whitehall, June 24, 1859.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Walter Hill, of Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England, under the Act of Parliament passed for the relief of Her Majesty's subjects professing the Jewish religion.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 23). WEST INDIES—GREAT BAHAMA BANK.

Light on Great Isaac Rock.

THE Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have given notice, that on and after the 1st of August, 1859, a light will be exhibited from the lighthouse in course of erection on the Great Isaac Rock, at the north-west extreme of the Great Bahama Bank, on the eastern side of Florida channel.

The light will be a revolving light, visible every half minute, placed at an elevation of 158 feet