

ment Board, having duly considered the grounds of the said appeal, do hereby make order as follows:—

1. That the said appeal shall be dismissed.
2. That the said Local Government Act, 1858, shall come into force in the said district of Whitby from and after the date of this Order.

Given under our seal of office this 1st day of January, 1872.



(Signed) *James Stansfeld,*

President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act 29 and 30 Vic., c. 39, sec. 16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual expenditure thereof for the year ended the 30th day of September, 1871, amounted to the sum of thirty thousand five hundred and thirty-four pounds nine shillings and seven pence.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of seven thousand six hundred and thirty-three pounds twelve shillings and four pence, being one-fourth part of the said surplus of thirty thousand five hundred and thirty-four pounds nine shillings and seven pence, will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 31st day of March, 1872, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.
National Debt Office, January 1, 1872.

Civil Service Commission,
January 1, 1872.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

REGULATIONS respecting Temporary Messengers in Government Departments.

1. A list of persons eligible for occasional employment as Messengers, Porters, &c., in Government Departments will be kept by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. For the present this list will be limited to persons who have served in the Army, and who are in receipt of a military pension.

3. Candidates belonging to this class may present themselves for examination at such times as the Commissioners may fix, at the Civil Service Commission, Cannon-row, Westminster. They must be upwards of 20 years of age, and of good health and character, and must satisfy the Commissioners of their ability to read and write.

4. Whenever the occasional service of Messengers, &c., is required by a Department, application will be made to the Civil Service Commissioners, who will select a person from the list above mentioned. The insertion of a name on this list will not, however, imply a certainty of employment; it will merely render a Candidate eligible for employment in case there should be a demand for his services.

5. The pay of persons selected for such service will be at the rate of 6d. per hour for the time during which they may be actually employed.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, S.W., December 30,
1871.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, the "Salamatee," captured on the 26th February, 1871, by Her Majesty's ship "Columbine."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and at the same time the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

India Office, December 28, 1871.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Calcutta Gazette, containing the following notices of Orders made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at
Calcutta.

In the Matter of George John Sprent, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 18th day of November instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—C. F. Pittar, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1871.

In the matter of John Henry Meyer, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 23rd day of November instant, it was ordered that the first court day in December, 1872, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally, as well as to his after-acquired property, from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands, of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.—Trotman and Co., Attorneys. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1871.

In the Matter of Edward Daniel Latapie and Adolphe Aubert, Insolvents.

On Monday, the 27th day of November instant, it was ordered that the first court day in December, 1872, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent, Adolphe Aubert, be discharged personally, as well as to his after-acquired property, from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands, of and against the said Insolvent, Adolphe Aubert, at the time of the filing of his petition, for relief.—J. Hechle, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, November 29, 1871.