

all convenient speed, in writing under your hands and seals, your several proceedings by virtue of this Our Commission, and what you shall find touching or concerning the premises; together with your opinion upon the matters hereby referred for your consideration:

And We further will and command, and by these presents ordain, that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our Commissioners, do from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment:

And for your further assistance in the execution of these presents, We do hereby appoint Our trusty and well-beloved Sir George Young, Baronet, to be Secretary to this Our Commission, and require you to use his services and assistance from time to time as occasion may require.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, in the forty-fourth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,
W. V. Harcourt.

Downing Street, July 28, 1880.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint John Richard Gould, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of St. Christopher.

Downing Street, July 29, 1880.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint William Henry Lionel Cox, Esq., late Substitute Procureur and Advocate-General of Mauritius, to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of that Colony.

India Office, July 23, 1880.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alexander Thomas Maclean, of the Bengal Civil Service, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, in the room of William Ainslie, Esq., resigned.

Admiralty, 29th July, 1880.

IN consequence of the death, on the 22nd instant, of Vice-Admiral Rowley Lambert, C.B., the following promotions have taken place, with seniority of 23rd instant:—

Rear-Admiral Arthur William Acland Hood, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Captain the Honourable William John Ward to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotion has been made on the Retired List, from the same date:—

Captain Frederick Harrison Smith to be Rear-Admiral on the Retired List.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England, on Thursday, the 5th proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of £1,476,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 10th day of August, 1880, and will be payable at

three or six months after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz.:—on the 10th November or 10th February next, respectively.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Friday, the 6th proximo, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Tuesday, the 10th proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, July 26, 1880.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board. Suspension in part of General Order. Medical Officer's Fees:—

Shaftesbury Union.

Gillingham and Fontmell Districts.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Shaftesbury Union, in the county of Dorset;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Poor Law Commissioners, by a General Order, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, made certain rules and regulations relating to the administration of relief to the Poor within certain Unions, including the said Shaftesbury Union; and by Articles 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, and 183 of the said Order, provision was made for the payment of special fees to District Medical Officers in certain cases;

And whereas by a General Order of the Local Government Board, dated the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and addressed to the said Union amongst others, the proviso contained in Article 178 above recited was rescinded, and another proviso was substituted for it;

And whereas it is expedient to suspend, as hereinafter mentioned, the operation of the Articles above referred to as respects the Medical Officers of the Gillingham and Fontmell Districts of the said Shaftesbury Union;

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby suspend the operation, with respect to the Medical Officers of the said Gillingham and Fontmell Districts of the Shaftesbury Union, of Articles 177, 179, 180, 181, 182, and 183 of the first above-recited Order, and of Article 178 of that Order as amended by the said General Order of the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, until the Local Government Board shall, by an Order under their Seal of Office, otherwise direct.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-eighth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty.



J. G. Dodson,
President.

J. F. Rotton, Assistant Secretary.