

**WESTMINSTER [10] (Cont.)**  
**(Two Seats)**

Election	Electors	Candidate	Party	Votes
1865	12,546	Hon. R.W. Grosvenor	L	4,534
		J.S. Mill	L	4,525
		W.H. Smith	C	3,824
1868	18,879	W.H. Smith	C	7,648
		Hon. R.W. Grosvenor	L	6,584
		J.S. Mill	L	6,284
1874	19,845	W.H. Smith	C	9,371
		Sir C. Russell, Bt.	C	8,681
		Sir T.F. Buxton, Bt.	L	4,749
		Sir W.J. Codrington	L	3,435
[Appointment of Smith as First Lord of the Admiralty]				
1877 (11/8)		W.H. Smith	C	Unopp.
1880	21,081	W.H. Smith	C	9,093
		Sir C. Russell, Bt.	C	8,930
		J. Morley	L	6,564
		Sir A. Hobhouse	L	6,443
[Resignation of Russell]				
1882 (10/2)		Lord Algernon Percy	C	Unopp.
[Appointment of Smith as Secretary of State for the War Department]				
1885 (29/6)		W.H. Smith	C	Unopp.

**Petition:—**

1868: Dismissed (Smith only)

**Note:—**

1833: Hobhouse had abstained in a vote in the House of Commons on the repeal of the (11/5) House and Window taxes. He resigned as Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and decided to seek re-election in order to give his constituents an opportunity to endorse his actions.