NOTICE.

NAVAL MEDALS FOR THE BALTIC.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, March 13, 1857.

HER Majesty having been graciously pleased to grant a Medal to the Officers and Men serving on board Her Majesty's ships in the Baltic campaigns, from the 28th of March 1854 to the close of the Naval Operations in that year, and from the commencement to the close of Naval Operations in the year 1855-

Notice is Hereby Given, that all claimants to such Medal, notwithstanding any previous appli-cation, should apply personally or by letter, with the words "Baltic Medal" on the outside, to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty,

Somerset House.

Every applicant must state his rank or rating, and the name of the ship or ships on board which he served; also, in the case of every Petty Officer, Seaman, or Marine, it is indispensable that his application should be accompanied by a certificate of service, except in the case of his being on board one of Her Majesty's ships, and the application be made through his Commanding Officer, in which case the certificate will not be required.

Where there are several applicants on board the same ship, it is desirable that they should make their applications in one letter through their Commanding Officer, by a list alphabetically arranged under the ships in which they were serving at the time, and affording the information as above

required.

No other claims should be mixed up with the applications for the Medal in question, and in all cases where the parties have served in more than one ship in the Baltic between the dates before stated, the name of each ship must be stated.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, March 9, 1857.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received information, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that a Royal Decree has been issued by the Government of Spain, requiring all Masters of Vessels bound to ports in Spanish Dominions, to present to the Spanish Consulat the port of departure a manifest in duplicate, exhibiting the marks, numbers, characters, and contents of packages, in order that they may be certified by the Consul, who will return to the Master one copy of the manifest.

Board of Trade, Whitehall. March 12, 1857.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Vienna, enclosing copy of an Austrian Imperial Order authorizing the importation, free of duty, into the Austrian dominions, of looms for weaving, and of machinery employed in the preparation of yarn.

WHITEHALL, March 7, 1857.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Peter Bartholomew Long, of Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL, March 13, 1857.

90th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Alexander Fisher Macintosh to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Felix Calvert, C.B., deceased. Dated 4th March 1857.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL, March 13, 1857.

3d Regiment of Dragoon Guards-Paymaster Thomas Marshall Cockerill, from the 11th Light Dragoons, to be Paymaster, vice Erskine, who exchanges. Dated 13th March 1857.

11th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant Edward Cludde Cockburn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Cook, who retires. Dated 13th

March 1857.

Cornet Alexander Baring Bingham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cockburn. Dated 13th March 1857.

James Affleck Stewart, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Shaw, appointed to the 12th Light Dragoons. Dated 13th March 1857.

Paymaster George Pott Erskine, from the 3d Dragoon Guards, to be Paymaster, vice Cockerill, who exchanges. Dated 13th March 1857.

Military Train—Captain William Robert Gray, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain.

Dated 20th February 1857. Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards-Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Hall, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, repaying the difference, vice Brevet-Colonel William Nelson Hutchinson, who exchanges. Dated 13th March 1857.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major W. Henry B. de Horsey to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Hall, who retires. Dated 13th March 1857.

Ensign and Lieutenant Edward William Lloyd Wynne to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice de Horsey. Dated 13th March

5th Regiment of Foot—Henry Bathe, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Walpole, promoted. Dated 13th March 1857.

14th Foot-Lieutenant William Macdonnell, from half-pay, 55th Foot, late Paymaster of the Invalid Depôts at Smyrna and Abydos, to be Paymaster, vice Hall, appointed to a Depôt Battalion. Dated 13th March 1857.

18th Foot-Lieutenant John Grahame, from the 27th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Cottee, who

exchanges. Dated 13th March 1857.

Ensign John Notherwell has been superseded, he being absent without leave. Dated 13th March 1857

20th Foot-Lieutenant John Thomas Vaughan Kirkby has been superseded, he being absent without leave. Dated 13th March 1857.

22d Foot-Lieutenant Henry Walker Thompson, from half-pay of the 74th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Morrison, promoted in the Military Train. Dated 10th March 1857.

Ensign Thomas Peach to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thompson, who retires. Dated

10th March 1857.

Alexander Grant Glennie, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Peach. Dated 10th March 1857.

27th Foot-Captain Henry Mitford, from the 98th Foot, to be Captain, vice Downing, who exchanges. Dated 13th March 1857.