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

13th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

The Reverend Thomas Preston Ball, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain, - dated 1st September 1862.

#### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by the following Officers :-

Ensign Walter Whitehead in the 8th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps;

Captain Richard Rankin Heap, Lieutenant Allan Stanley Clare, and Lieutenant Walter Henry Peat, in the 15th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer

Ensign William Robert Bindloss in the 46th Lancashire Volunteer Corps; and

Lieutenant Martin William McKellar and Ensign John Warburton Wharton in the 65th Laucashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

By Order of the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant William Dugdale,-dated 24th September 1862.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

6th Carmarthenshire Rifle Volunteers. John Hayes Barker, gent. to be Ensign, vice Warren, promoted,—dated 23d September 1862.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

1st City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Frederick Kenmore to be Captain, vice Laurie, resigned,—dated 26th August 1862.

### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant William Ramsay in the 1st City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps; and to approve of the services of Captain Charles H. Farquharson, 1st City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps, being dispensed with.

# MEMORANDA.

1st Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain-Commandant Arthur Trollope.

### 2d Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Fothringham in the above Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Ensign Aldborough Lloyd Williams in the 5th Cumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps,-dated 22d September 1862.

County of Northumberland.

1st Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Allen to be First Lieutenant. vice Shield, resigned,—dated 15th September

John Crosse Brooks to be Second Lieutenant, vice Allen, promoted,—dated 15th September 1862.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 25.)—East Indies—Coromandel Coast.

Fixed Red Light at Pulicat.

THE Superintendent of the Marine Department at Madras has given notice, that a light is exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected at Pulicat, on the coast of Coromandel, East Indies.

The light is a fixed red light, placed at an elevation of 56 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 6 or 7 miles.

The tower stands in the position of the old flagstaff, in lat. 13° 25' N., long. 80° 19' 40" East of Greenwich.

The light is intended to guide vessels clear of the dangerous parts of the Pulicat shoals, before the Madras light has been sighted, which can be seen from a distance of 18 to 25 miles. In the absence of directions in the notice for avoiding them, mariners are reminded that the Madras light should not be brought to the southward of S.S.W. W., and that when Pulicat light bears W. 1 N., a vessel will be to the northward of the shoals.

By Command of their Lordships,

JOHN WASHINGTON, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 1st September 1862.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts: - Indian Ocean, Eastern sheet, 748b and c; and Coromandel Coast, sheet, 3. Also, East India Lights List, No. 60.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 26.)—MEDITERRANEAN—GIBRALTAR.

Vessels approaching the New Mole.

THE temporary light, as announced in the Notice, No. 34, from this Office, dated 15th September 1857, near the extremity of the New Mole extension pier at Gibraltar, shows-

Red to the southward. White to the westward. Green to the northward.

In reference to the foregoing, the Captain Superintendent of Her Majesty's Naval Yard at Gibraltar has given the following directions for vessels approaching the New Mole extension pier at night.

The pier of the Mole should not be approached whilst the red portion of the light is visible.

When the white light is seen, a vessel may steer for the Mole, but a wide berth should be given to the extremity of the pier, so as to avoid the sunken stones used in the course of its construction.

By Command of their Lordships,

John Washington, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 18th September 1862.

See Admiralty Chart, Gibraltar, No. 144.