

An Act to authorise the company of proprietors of the Regent's Canal to purchase the Hertford Union Canal, and for other purposes.

An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the Glasgow and South-Western Railway, and for other purposes.

An Act for the improvement of the town of Newton, in Mackerfield and neighbourhood, in the county of Lancaster.

An Act to authorise improvements in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the South Wales Railway Company, and to authorise the construction of new works and alterations of existing works, and for other purposes.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
June 27, 1855.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received a Notice to Mariners, issued by the United States Lighthouse Board, copy of which is subjoined.

(Copy.)

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Buoy on Outer Wreck, in Hooper's Straits.

A SPAR BUOY, 26 feet long, painted black, has been planted to mark a sunken wreck near the entrance of Hooper's Straits, Chesapeake Bay.

The wreck lies N.W. and S.E., about 80 yards in-shore of the buoy, in 2 fathoms' water.

The bearings of the buoy are as follows :

Two pine trees on Hooper's Island, E.N.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.

Buoy on upper wreck near the straits, S.E.

North end of Hooper's Island, N. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.

The buoy must be left on the port-hand going in.

By order of the Lighthouse Board,

A. M. PENNOCK,

L. H. Inspector, 5th Dist.

Norfolk, Va., May 12, 1855.

War-Office, 29th June, 1855.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class William Holmes Jephson, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Stone, promoted on the Staff. Dated 29th June, 1855.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Cornet J. J. Corrigan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coleman, appointed to the 1st Dragoons. Dated 29th June, 1855.

1st Dragoons, Lieutenant H. F. G. Coleman, from the 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Webster, who retires. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Assistant-Surgeon H. Sherlock, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Gorringe, promoted on the Staff. Dated 29th June, 1855.

6th Dragoons, Cornet E. Robinson, from 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Cornet, without purchase. Dated 29th June, 1855.

16th Light Dragoons, Assistant-Surgeon Alfred Malpas Tippetts, from the 7th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Evans, promoted on the Staff. Dated 29th June, 1855.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Villiers Latouche Hatton to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Reynardson, who retires. Dated 29th June, 1855.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant W. Bellew to be Captain, without purchase, vice Muller, killed in action. Dated 8th June, 1855.

Lieutenant M. A. H. Legge to be Captain, without purchase, vice Hawkins, promoted without purchase to an unattached Majority. Dated 25th June, 1855.

Ensign W. G. Brown to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Bellew. Dated 8th June, 1855.

Ensign G. W. Thompson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Legge. Dated 25th June, 1855.

Lieutenant William Kelly, from the Galway Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Reid, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th June, 1855.

3rd Foot, Lieutenant E. K. V. Arbuckle to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 29th June, 1855.

4th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Lowe Erskine, M.D., from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Dunlop, promoted in the 88th Foot. Dated 29th June, 1855.

7th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Charles Ricketts, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Tippetts, appointed to the 16th Light Dragoons. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Sheehy, M.D., from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Langham, deceased. Dated 29th June, 1855.

13th Foot,

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Ensign F. W. Ruck, from 50th Foot. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Ensign E. C. R. Arundell de Pentheny O'Kelly, from the Royal Brecknock Rifle Regiment of Militia. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Assistant-Surgeon George Bell Popplewell, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th June, 1855.

14th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Price, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Renwick, deceased. Dated 29th June, 1855.

17th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Lucas George Hooper, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th June, 1855.

23rd Foot, Captain Samuel Falkiner, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, repaying the difference, vice Tritton, who exchanges. Dated 29th June, 1855.

29th Foot, Brevet-Colonel E. Lugard, C.B., to be Major, without purchase, vice Power, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1855.

Lieutenant Frederick Kneebone to be Captain without purchase, vice Lugard. Dated 13th June, 1855.

Ensign G. W. F. D. Smith to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Kneebone. Dated 13th June, 1855.

31st Foot, Ensign F. H. Suckling, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant without purchase. Dated 29th June, 1855.

Assistant-Surgeon William Grantt, M.B., from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 29th June, 1855.