

in accordance with the 21st clause of the Royal Warrant of 3rd November, 1854, viz. :—

Lieutenant-General Richard Uniacke, of the late Royal Irish Artillery. Dated 16th December, 1856.

Lieutenant-General George Irving, of the late Royal Irish Artillery. Dated 16th December, 1856.

The undermentioned Cadets of the East India Company's Service, to have the local and temporary rank of Ensign during the period of their being placed under the command of Colonel Sandham, Royal Engineers, at Chatham, for Field Instructions in the art of Sapping and Mining :

John Herschel, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Robert Claude Daubuz, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Hastings Macsween, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

Warwickshire Militia.

1st Regiment.

Robert Dymock Vaughton, Esq., to be Adjutant, and to rank as Captain, vice Captain and Adjutant T. Cassan, resigned. Commission as Adjutant from the Crown, dated the 7th November, 1856. Commission as Captain, dated the 18th December, 1856.

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

2nd or Eastern Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

Ensign John Gurneys Freeman to be Lieutenant, vice Mathew, promoted. Dated 19th December, 1856.

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

3rd, or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Ensign John Willcocks to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas, appointed Quartermaster. Dated 15th December, 1856.

BARQUE "HYMEN," OF LIVERPOOL, captured by Riff Pirates, on the Moorish Coast, in April, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trade have received from Her Majesty's Consul at Tangier, through the Foreign Office, bills of exchange amounting to £3,278 5s., being the equivalent in sterling of 16,000 dollars, paid by the Moorish Government in satisfaction of the loss occasioned by the pirates.

All persons interested in the above ship, cargo, freight, wages, &c., are requested to send in their claims, with full particulars, accompanied with documents and such evidence of their right as they are able to furnish, to the Board of Trade, on or before the 20th January, after which the distribution will be made as soon as sums to which the respective claimants shall be found to be entitled shall be ascertained.

Board of Trade,
22nd December, 1856.

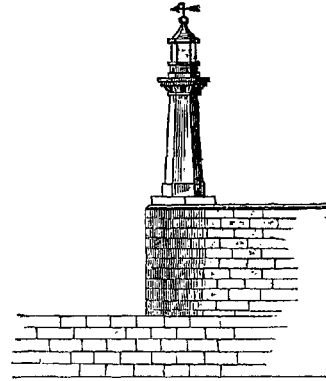
NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 45.) JERSEY.—CHANNEL ISLANDS.

Fixed Light at Verclut, St. Catherine's.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty hereby give notice, that on and after the 1st day of January, 1857, a light will be exhibited from the light tower recently erected at the outer extremity of Verclut pier or breakwater, on the north side of St. Catherine's Bay, on the east coast of Jersey, one of the Channel Islands.

The light will be a fixed white light, the illuminating apparatus a lens of the sixth order. The light is placed at a height of 60 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be visible in ordinary weather from the deck of a ship at a distance of from 7 to 10 miles.



Verclut Lighthouse, from the east, at high water.

The light tower is an octagonal structure of iron, painted white. It is 30 feet high from base to vane, and stands on the outer extremity of the parapet wall of the pier, in lat. 49° 13' 18" N., long. 2° 1' 12" west from Greenwich, nearly.

The tide at Jersey ranges 20 feet at neaps, and 36 feet at ordinary springs.

By command of their Lordships,
John Washington, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
17th December, 1856.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, No. 1598; Jersey, No. 62; Cape Cartaret to Cape Frehel, No. 59; also British Lighthouse List, No. 23.

PROVISIONAL ORDERS.

Wells and Fakenham Road.

WHEREAS the Trustees of the Wells and Fakenham Turnpike Road, acting under the powers of the Local Act of the 9th of George the Fourth, cap. 101, have made application to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Act of the session holden in the 14th and 15th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 38, for a Provisional Order, to reduce the rate of interest on the mortgage debt charged or secured on the tolls or revenues of the said road;

And whereas the said application is dated the twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and is signed by five of the said trustees, who therein certify that the persons entitled to two-thirds of the money charged or secured on the tolls of the said road and remaining unpaid, have signified their consents in writing under their hands to the said application;

And whereas it appears desirable to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department that the aforesaid application should be granted upon the terms herein set forth;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the power and authority of the said Act of the 14th and 15th of