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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1856.

WAR-DEPARTMENT, November 19, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain George Elliot, R.N., to be Captain of the Port of Gibraltar.

DUBLIN CASTLE, November 20, 1856.

Her Majesty's Letters - Patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing the Right Honourable Francis Blackburne to be " Lord Justice of the Court of Appeal in Chancery in " Ireland," pursuant to the provision of the Act 19 and 20 Vict., cap. 92.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 21, 1856.*

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 Acting-Consul at Carthage, New Granada, stating Carthage to have been declared a free port.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 41.) SEA OF AZOF.

Light Vessel off the Szalmitzk Spit.

THE Russian Lighthouse Board in the Black Sea has given notice that the Light Vessel hitherto placed at the extremity of the sand-bank known by the name of the Krivaya Kosá, or Crooked Spit on the north shore of the channel leading up to Taganrog, in the Sea of Azof, has been transferred to the south side of that channel, and is now placed at the outer end of the shoal which extends for 5 miles from the sandy islets called Peschaníé Ostrová.

The Light Vessel shows, as formerly, two fixed white Lights, vertical, respectively 34 and 22 feet above the level of the sea ; and the upper one should be visible in clear weather from the deck of a ship at a distance of 7 miles.

The outer point of the shoal in question, at which the Light Vessel is placed, lies at 11 miles from the nearest part of the mainland at Szalmitzk, in lat. 46° 56' 30" N., long. 38° 12' East of Greenwich nearly. It is a dangerous bank for vessels going towards Yeisk or Taganrog ; when bound

to or from the latter, the Light Vessel should always be left to the South.

The extremity of the Krivaya Kosá, or Crooked Spit, where the Light Vessel formerly laid, will be henceforward marked by a red buoy.

By Command of their Lordships,

JOHN WASHINGTON, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
6th November 1856.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Black Sea, General, No. 2214 ; Sea of Azof, No. 2234. Also Black Sea Pilot, pp. 70, 73, 74 ; and Mediterranean Lights List, No. 189.

CROWN AND HANAPER OFFICE,

November 21, 1856.

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

In pursuance of an Act passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, entitled " An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give Notice that Writs bearing teste this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of James, Earl of Bandon, in the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom ; which said Writs are severally directed to the following Peers who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the Election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom ; and that the said Writs are ready to be delivered at this Office.

- Augustus Frederick, Duke of Leinster.
- Henry De La Poer, Marquess of Waterford.
- Arthur Wills Blundell Sandys Trumbull, Marquess of Downshire.
- George Hamilton, Marquess of Donegal.
- Henry Francis Seymour, Marquess of Drogheda.
- Thomas, Marquess of Headfort.
- George John, Marquess of Sligo.
- John Loftus, Marquess of Ely.
- Frederick William Robert, Marquess of Londonderry.
- Francis Nathaniel, Marquess of Ely.

