County of Sussex.

Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex

Henry Morton Orme, gent. to be Ensign, vice Charles Hamilton Bell, promoted. Dated 26th January 1860.

4th Sussex Rifle Volunteers.

Bernard Husey-Hunt to be Captain. Dated 25th January 1860.

Commissions signed by the Governor of the Isle of Wight.

Isle of Wight Rifle Volunteers.

1st Company.

Sir John Lees, Bart., to be Captain. Dated 25th January 1860.

Charles Cavendish Clifford, Esq. M.P., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th January 1860.

2d Company.

Sir John Simeon, Bart., to be Captain. Dated 14th January 1860.

Arthur Harbottle Estcourt, Esq. to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January 1860.

John Tooke, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 14th January 1860.

3d Company.

John Brown Willis Fleming, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 25th January 1860.

Ernest Edwards, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 25th January 1860.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

Haddingtonshire Artillery Volunteers.

No. 1 .- Dunbar Company.

James George Hay, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 18th January 1860.

John Jaffray, Esq. to be First Lieutenant. Dated 18th January 1860. Mr John Brown Wright to be Second Lieutenant.

Dated 18th January 1860.

East Lothian Rifle Volunteers.

No. 1.—Haddington Company.

Alexander Kinloch, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 19th January 1860.

Mr George Gaukroger to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th January 1860.

Mr Robert Richardson to be Ensign. Dated 19th January 1860.

No. 2.-Gifford Company.

John Charles Hay, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 20th January 1860.

Mr Peter Burn Swinton to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th January 1860.

Mr Robert Hope Bogue to be Ensign. Dated 20th January 1860.

No. 3.—Haddington Company.

David Roughead, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 21st January 1860.

Mr David Shirriff to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st January 1860.

Mr William James Dods to be Ensign. Dated 21st January 1860.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex. [The following Appointment is substituted for that of "Edmund Balfour," which appeared in the Gazette of the 24th January.]

> Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

> 9th Company of Surrey Rifle Volunteers. Edmund Belfour, Esq. to be Ensign. Dated 21st January 1860.

> > County of Louth Militia.

Hamilton Low, gent. to be Ensign, vice Power, promoted. Commission dated 17th November

T. Bourne, Clerk of the Peace.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 7.)—IRELAND—EAST COAST.

Alteration of Lights on Blackwater Bank.

THE Port of Dublin Corporation has given notice, that on and after the 1st day of July 1860, the two lights (the one revolving and the other fixed) at present exhibited from the light-vessel moored off the north-east part of the Blackwater Bank, east coast of Ireland, will be discontinued, and thenceforth a fixed white light will be exhibited from the vessel's mainmast. The light will be elevated 33 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of about 9 miles. The vessel will carry a black ball at her mainmast head.

Alteration of Light on Arklow Bank.

Also, that at the same date, the fixed white light at present exhibited from the light-vessel moored off the south end of the Arklow Bank will be discontinued, and thenceforth a revolving white light, which will attain its greatest brilliancy once in every minute, will be exhibited from the vessel's mainmast. The light will be elevated 39 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of about 10 miles. This vessel will also carry a black ball at her mainmast head.

Alteration of the Height of Lights on Kish Bank. Also, that on and after the 1st day of July 1860, the lights at present shown from the fore and mizen masts of the light-vessel moored off the north point of the Kish Bank, at the respective heights of 26 and 25 feet above the level of the sea, will be lowered 6 and 5 feet, or each to the height of 20 feet above that level. The light exhibited from the mainmast will remain as at present, at a height of 36 feet above the level of the sea, or 16 feet above the level of the two other lights. vessel will carry a black ball at each mast head.

This alteration is deemed desirable, it having been represented that the lights now exhibited are, when seen in one, liable to be mistaken for a single light.

By Command of their Lordships,

John Washington, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 17th January 1860.

This Notice will affect the following Charts:—The Irish Channel, No. 1811 Ireland, Sheets 17 and 1, Nos. 1757, Also, British Islands Lights List, Nos. 34