

Foreign-Office, January 31, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Joaquin Garcia de Miranda as Vice-Consul in London for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

Whitehall, January 31, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint Colonel Godfrey Charles Mundy to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Jersey, in the room of Major-General Sir James Frederick Love, K.C.B., resigned.

Whitehall, January 30, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Henry Lumley, of Rufford Abbey, in the county of Nottingham, Esq., a Captain in the Second Regiment of Life Guards, Her Majesty's royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may henceforth take and use the surname of Savile, in lieu of that of Lumley, and that he and they may bear the arms of Savile, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of the Right Honourable John-Savile Lumley-Savile, late Earl of Scarbrough, deceased; such arms being first duly exemplified, according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, February 3, 1857.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Salford.

Edward Ryley Langworthy, of Salford, Esq., in the room of Joseph Brotherton, Esq., deceased.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.**Royal Wiltshire Militia.*

Francis Frederick Pinkett, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Archer, promoted. Dated 22nd January, 1857.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.**Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.*

Major Thomas Webb to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Clowes, resigned.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

Francis Stanley Maxwell Stephens, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Malton, promoted. Dated 23rd January, 1857.

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Robert Seymour Arthur Burgess, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Cooper, resigned. Dated 23rd January, 1857.

George James Gilbard, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Paley, resigned. Dated 23rd January, 1857.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 1.) NORWAY—WEST COAST.

Lights at the Lofoten Islands.

The Royal Norwegian Marine Department at Christiania has given notice, that on and after the 1st day of January, 1857, the following lights will be established at the Lofoten Islands, on the north-west coast of Norway.

Glopen.

This light is a fixed white light of the sixth order. It is placed at a height of 140 English feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be visible from the deck of a ship in clear weather at a distance of 12 miles, from S.W. round southerly and easterly to N.W. It will be lighted from the 1st January until the 14th April.

The lighthouse stands on the south side of the entrance of Sörvaagen, and serves to point out the fairway into that harbour. It is in lat. 68° 3' N. long. 13° 4½' East from Greenwich. Vessels approaching Sörvaagen between the light and Kraaken islet (which lies to the N.N.E.) must keep close to Glopen, as there are three blind rocks on the S.E. side of Kraagen. If approaching to the north of Kraagen, they should keep close to that islet. When the light has been brought to bear to the eastward of S. by E. there is anchorage in from 8 to 10 fathoms.

Svinö, near Balstad.

This light is a fixed red light of the sixth order. It is placed at a height of 200 English feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be visible from the deck of a ship in clear weather at a distance of from 8 to 10 miles, from N.W. round southerly to N.E. It will be lighted from the 1st January until the 14th April, and will serve chiefly as a guide for the passage between Henningsvaer and Sörvaagen.

The lighthouse stands in lat. 68° 3' N. long. 13° 3¼' east from Greenwich.

Henningsvaer.

This light is a white light of the fourth order, varied by a flash every third minute, seen all round the compass. It is placed at a height of 120 English feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be visible from the deck of a ship, in clear weather, at a distance of from 12 to 14 miles. It will be exhibited from the 15th August through the winter until the 1st May.

This light is placed on the Quitvaerden near Henningsvaer, and serves chiefly to point out the fairway across the West-fiord; also for making for the anchorage in Saltvaering Sound. To reach the latter, the light must be brought to bear N.E. by N., and that course kept until about 3 cables' length from the lighthouse; then altered a little more easterly, in order to pass south of the light, and when 2 or 3 cables' length to the eastward of it, the vessel may be brought up in from 5 to 6 fathoms' water. The anchorage is narrow, and cannot be recommended for large vessels.

[All courses and bearings are by compass. Var. 16° W. in 1857.]

By command of their Lordships,
John Washington, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
1st January, 1857.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Norway, General, No. 2,303; Fleina to the Lofoten Isles, Sheet 9, No. 2,311; Lofoten Islands to Andö, sheet 10, No. 2,312. Also Norway Pilot, Part 2, pp. 136 to 138; and Norway Lighthouse, List, Nos. 270 a, b, c.