

West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held in this Corps by Lieutenant Charles Frederick Moore.

2nd Somersetshire Artillery Volunteers.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held in this Corps by the Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Edward Henry Powell, by First Lieutenant William Henry Davies, and by Second Lieutenant William Henry Young.

23rd Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held in this Corps by Lieutenant Thomas Englesby Rogers.

24th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

This Corps is now reduced to a Subdivision.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Julien Harries in the 2nd Pembroke-shire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 6—ATLANTIC—UNITED STATES.)

Alteration of Lights at Navesink.

THE United States' Lighthouse Board has given notice, that on after the 1st day of May, 1862, lights will be shown from the two new light-towers which are being erected at Navesink, coast of New Jersey, a few feet in the rear of the two existing light-towers, from which one fixed and one revolving light have hitherto been exhibited.

The lights will be *fixed* white lights. Both lights will be placed 258 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be seen in clear weather for a distance of about 25 miles.

The illuminating apparatus of each light will be dioptric or by lenses, of the first order.

The light-towers, built of reddish gray granite, are each 53½ feet high, from base to lantern deck. They stand 228 feet apart, and preserve the bearings of the old towers from each other. The old towers will be removed.

The mariner should bear in mind, that in approaching the entrance of the bay of New York from the southward, he may see (if within their range) the *fixed* light at Absecom, or the *flashing* light, visible every *ten seconds*, at Barnegat on the New Jersey coast, and then the two *fixed* lights at Navesink. Or if approaching from the eastward, after passing the *fixed* light, varied by a *flash* every *two minutes*, on Montauk point, the east extreme of Long Island, he may see the *fixed* light on the north side of Shinnecock bay, or the *revolving* light, every *minute*, at Fire Island.

The Navesink lights are 38½ miles northward of Barnegat light, and 38 miles westward of Fire Island light. The Barnegat and Navesink lights will be seen at the same time in clear weather, in 16 fathoms water, and at 13 miles from the New Jersey beach. The Fire Island and Navesink lights will be seen at the same time in clear

weather, in 16 fathoms water, and at 17 miles from Long Island beach.

By command of their Lordships,

John Washington, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
19th April, 1862.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic, No. 2059; North Atlantic, Western sheet, No. 2061; North America, East Coast, Halifax to the Delaware, No. 2670: and New York Harbour, No. 2491. Also, the United States' Lights List, No. 145.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY FARNLEY TYAS, YORKSHIRE.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the township of Farnley Tyas, in the parish of Almondbury, in the county of York, on the 19th day of March, 1862; and notice of such adoption has been duly given in writing to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been duly certified to me that a copy of such notice has been advertized for three successive weeks in the Huddersfield Chronicle, that being one of the local newspapers published and circulated in the aforesaid township, and that copies of such notice have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such township to which notices are usually affixed, and the period of twenty-one days fixed by the said Act for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act by such township has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice, that the Local Government Act, 1858, has been duly adopted within the said township of Farnley Tyas, in the parish of Almondbury, in the county of York, and that, in accordance with the provisions thereof, the said Act, will, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid resolution, have the force of law within such township of Farnley Tyas.

Given under my hand this 26th day of April, 1862.

(Signed) *G. Grey*.

Home-Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY NETHERTHONG, YORKSHIRE.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the township of Netherthong, in the West Riding of the county of York, on the 3rd day of April, 1862; and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been duly certified to me that a copy of such notice has been advertized for three successive weeks in the Huddersfield Chronicle, that being one of the local newspapers published and circulated in the aforesaid township, and that copies of such notice have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such township to which notices are usually affixed; and the period of twenty-one days fixed by the said Act for appeal against the resolution for the adop-