Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

1st City of Edinburgh Artillery Volunteer Corps. Thomas Braidwood to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 16th April, 1868.

# Queen's City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Brigade.

James Barker Duncan to be Lieutenant, vice Richardson, promoted. Dated 24th April, 1868.

William Ferguson to be Ensign, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 23rd April, 1868.

3rd City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Urquhart Martin to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1868.

# Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

# 10th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Robert Knewstub Richmond to be Captain, vice W. Darnell, resigned. Dated 28th April, 1868.

Timothy Bevington, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Richmond, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1868. Walter Cowley Dixon, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Gale, promoted. Dated 28th April, 1868.

# 19th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Frederick Riviére, Gent., to be Captain, vice J. A. Alsop, resigned. Dated 28th April, 1868. Lieutenant Alfred William Ray to be Captain. Dated 28th April, 1868.

Ensign Maurice Charles Copinger to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1868.

John Alfred Alsop, Gent., to be Honorary Assistant-Quartermaster. Dated 28th April, 1868.

## MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Captain Samuel Bourne Bevington bearing the title of Captain-Commandant of the 10th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

# MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain William Hall Eccles in the 1st Royal Cheshire Militia. Dated 16th April, 1868.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Robert William Acheson Shortis in the Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia. Dated 27th April, 1868.

# COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Easter Term, 31st Victoria, May 1, 1868.

THIS Court will on Saturday, the 9th, and Monday, the 11th days of May instant, hold Sittings, and will proceed in disposing of the cases in the New Trial, Special, and Crown Papers, and any other matters then pending; and will give judgment in cases then standing for Judgment.

By the Court.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 40.)—BLACK SEA.

Alteration in Lights at entrance of Kherson Bay.

THE Russian Government has given notice, that the following alterations have been, and will be made in the lights at the entrance of Kherson

# Removal of Kinburn Light Vessel.

The light vessel at Kinburn has been removed, and has been placed near the bank of Ajighiol, exhibiting the same fixed white light as before.

The former position of the light vessel at the extremity of Kinburn Spit has been marked bay large black buoy.

#### Alteration in the Berezan Lights.

The upper wooden beacon lighthouse at Berezan has been replaced by a stone pyramidal lighthouse, exhibiting the same light as before.

The lower beacon lighthouse has been removed 100 yards nearer the sea, in the same line of direction from the upper beacon as before.

The upper light is now elevated 79 feet above the level of the sea, and the lower light 23 feet; they bear from each other N.W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. and S.E. ½ E., distant 682 yards.

## Fixed Light at Souvoroski.

A light will be exhibited from a lighthouse erected on the mound of Souvoroski (Potemkin Hill), as a guide to the entrance of Kherson Bay.

The light will be a fixed white light, visible from between the bearings N. by E.  $\frac{1}{3}$  E. and N.E <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> E., or between the banks of Kinburn and Berezan Island. It will be elevated 148 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 18 miles.

The illuminating apparatus will be catoptric or by reflectors.

The tower will be conical, and its position is in lat 46° 37′ 30″ N., long. 31° 30′ East of Green-

Directions .- To enter Kherson Bay, steer for the Souvoroski Light until the two beacon lights of Berezan are in a line, when the course must be altered to keep them so.

Note.—Until the lighthouse at Souvoroski is completed, the leading lights at Ochakov will be maintained as a guide to enter and leave the bay.

#### MEDITERRANEAN.

### Alteration in the Lights at Algiers.

The Harbour Master at Algiers has given notice, that to remedy the insufficiency of the Harbour lights at Algiers the following arrangements have been made :-

1. The red light on the North mole will be replaced by a fixed red catoptric or reflecting light, of the fourth order.

The light will be placed on a platform elevated 36 feet above the level of the sea, until it can be transported to the extremity of the projected mole.

2. The green light on the South mole will be replaced by a fixed green catoptric or reflec-ting light, of the fourth order. The light will be elevated 36 feet above the level of the

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer. Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 27th April, 1868.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Black Sea, No. 2214; Odessa to Sevas-