

4th (late 21st) Lancashire Corps, The promotion of Captain Lever R. Rowbottom to the rank of Major, notified in the London Gazette of 19th October, 1880, is post-dated to 2nd November, 1880.

13th Lancashire Corps, Second Lieutenant Samuel Anderton Nodin to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1881.

15th Lancashire Corps, Lieutenant John William Woodley resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

17th (late 56th) Lancashire Corps, Arthur Culverwell Wood, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 19th January, 1881.

20th (late 33rd) Lancashire Corps, Lieutenant Robert Glassford Lawson resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

12th (late 21st) Middlesex Corps, Captain Thomas Herbert Sharp resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

15th (late 26th) Middlesex Corps, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
James Stevens. Dated 19th January, 1881.
John Samuel Holloway. Dated 19th January, 1881.

William James Hornblower. Dated 19th January, 1881.

2nd Midlothian and Peebles-shire Corps, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Lieutenant John Paterson. Dated 19th January, 1881.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Stevenson. Dated 19th January, 1881.

2nd Renfrewshire Corps, Lieutenant Robert Rowand to be Captain. Dated 19th January, 1881.

2nd Staffordshire Corps, Lieutenant Samuel Keeling resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

5th Staffordshire Corps, The undermentioned Captains resign their Commissions; also are permitted to retain their rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on their retirement:—

Charles Chester Mort. Dated 19th January, 1881.

John Anderson. Dated 19th January, 1881.

1st Suffolk Corps, Arthur Edward Bunn, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1881.

4th Surrey Corps, Major John Butler resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

8th (late 19th) Surrey Corps, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
Edward James Newitt. Dated 19th January, 1881.

Frederick Low. Dated 19th January, 1881.

Lieutenant Samuel Hoblyn Peter, from the 3rd Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1881.

2nd Sussex Corps, George Fonnereau Royds, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1881.

Acting Surgeon Augustus H. Collett resigns his appointment. Dated 19th January, 1881.

1st Westmoreland Corps, Lieutenant John P. Bownass resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

1st East Riding of Yorkshire Corps, Frederick John Ingoldby, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1881.

George Greoushields Murray, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th January, 1881.

6th West Riding of Yorkshire Corps, Second Lieutenant John Charles Buckley resigns his Commission. Dated 19th January, 1881.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Samuel Porter Foster, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1881.

Whitehall, January 13, 1881.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that the Leicester School Board Industrial School, at Desford, in the county of Leicester, has been certified by him as fit to be an Industrial School for the reception of Boys, not exceeding 150 in number, under the provisions of "The Industrial Schools Act, 1866."

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

WOODSIDE GREEN FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 8th day of January, 1881, a representation has been duly made to me by the Magistrates acting in and for the Petty Sessional Division of Harlow, in the county of Essex, that a Fair has been annually held on Tuesday in Whitsun week, at Woodside Green, in the parish of Great Hallingbury, within the said Petty Sessional Division, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished;

2. On the 14th day of February, 1881, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

W. V. Harcourt.

Whitehall, January 13, 1881.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(Last Number for the Year 1880, was No. 248.)

(No. 1.)—AFRICA—EAST COAST.

Reported Shoal South-East of Primeira Islands.
INFORMATION has been received from Captain Foot, Her Majesty's ship "Ruby," of the reported existence of shoal ground lying about 8 miles south-eastward of Fogo Island, Primeira Islands.

The British India steam-vessel "Socotra," when proceeding southward, and in lat. 17° 16' S., long. 39° 00' E., passed over shoal ground in 8 fathoms; breakers at the time being observed at a quarter of a mile distant on the starboard bow.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
5th January, 1881.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Africa, East Coast, Sheet IV, No. 651. Also, Africa Pilot, Part III, 1878, page 196.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 2.)—NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN.—AZORES.—
FAYAL ISLAND.

Reported Rock near Guia Head, Fayal Channel.
THE French Government has given notice, that the Commander of the mail steam-vessel "Ville de Bordeaux" reports the existence of a rock, over which there is a depth of 9 feet,