



PRACTICAL INSTRUCTION OF VOLUNTEER OFFICERS.

During the past week Captain Lascelles, Chief Instructor of the Staff, has been holding classes in Auckland for the instruction of Volunteer officers. About forty men availed themselves of the opportunity, and splendid work has been the result of this innovation. The classes were of an eminently practical nature. Our pictures were taken in the Albert Park, while the officers were being instructed in semaphore signalling by a petty officer and five seamen from H.M.S. Encounter.