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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

IS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that the following Notices to Mariners be published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, May 20, 1899.

BENGAL.-No. 78.

Bay of Bengal-Burma Coast-Spit Lightvessel temporarily removed.

A telegraphic communication has been received from the Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the Spit lightvessel showing 12-mile light has been temporarily removed for repairs. She has been replaced by another vessel exhibiting masthead lights, back to back, visible 5 miles.

> P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M. Port Officer of Calcutta.

BENGAL .--- No. 79.

Australia-Torres Strait, Inner route-Beacons blown down.

The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 6 of 1899) that in addition to the beacons referred to in notice No. 5 of this year, those on Sea (C) and Aye (I) reefs (Princess Charlotte bay) and Ar (R) reef (Cole islands) are reported as blown down.

That on Eel (L) reef is badly damaged. They will all be restored as soon as practicable. Charts affected, Nos. 2,422 and 2,764; Australia

Directory, vol. 2.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 21, 1899.

BENGAL.-No. 80.

Pacific Ocean-New Caledonia-Noumea-Dubouzet Island—Leading Light established.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 151 of 1899) that on and after April 15, 1899, a red fixed light, Elevated 59 ft. above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of about 8 miles, will be exhibited to the southward of Ducrot summit, Dubouzet or Nu

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island, Noumea, to serve with Ducrot summit light as a leading mark between Ile Maitre and Ile aux Canard.

It is shown from a pyramidal structure of masonry, 6 ft. high, and has been placed on the charts, near the water's edge, 11 cable S.S.E. from Ducrot summit light. Aproximate position : lat. 22° 16' 15" S., long. 160° 25'

55, Ē.″ Variation, 10° easterly in 1899.

This notice affects the following Admiralty charts:-Uen island to St. Vincent bay, No. 2,907; approaches to Port Noumea, No. 2,069; port Noumea, No. 480; also List of lights, Part VI., 1899, page 246, Part VII, page 80; Pacific Islands, vol. I., Part II., 1893, page 43.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., B.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 21, 1899.

BENGAL.-No. 81.

Pacific Ocean-New Caledonia-Port Mueo-Alteration in Buoyage, &c.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 155 of 1899) that the following buoys have been placed in Port Mueo, New Caledonia :-

(a) A black can buoy moored in 3³/₂ fathoms, with south point of Didot Island bearing N. 71° E., distant 2⁴/₁₀ miles, and Observation rock N. 20° W.

Approximate position: lat. 21° 22′ 55″ S., long. 164° 58′ 30″ E.

(b) A black can buoy moored in 4¼ fathoms, with south point of Didot Island bearing N. 57° E., distant 3²/₁₀ miles, Observation rock N. 3° W.
Approximate position : lat. 21° 23′ 45″ S., long. 164° 57′ 50″ E.

Information has also been received through the Board of Trade that the beacon situated 2 miles south of Observation rock has been removed.

Note.-Mariners proceeding to New Caledonia should understand that Noumea being the only port for entry and clearance, as stated in Pacific Islands, vol. I., Part II., page 56, merchant ships must proceed there to obtain leave to visit any other port. There are no pilots elsewhere.

Variation, 10° easterly in 1899.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 21, 1899.

BENGAL.-No. 82.

Indian Ocean-South-Icebergs.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 162 of 1899) that information has been received from the Commander of Shaw, Savile & Co.'s ss. Pakeha that icebergs were continually met with in January of this year between the following positions :-

Lat. 53° 20' S., long 82° 20' E.

Lat. 53° 55' S., long. 102° 10' E.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 25, 1899.

BENGAL.-No. 83.

India, West-Malabar Coast-Alleppi Light-Period altered.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 164 of 1899) that from January 1, 1899, the period of system of the revolving light at Alleppi would be altered from one minute to 40 seconds.

Approximate position : lat. 9° 30' N., long.76° 9' E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty charts :---Cochin to Cape Comorin. No. 2,738; Cundacudvu to Anjengo, No. 750: also List of Lights, Part VI., 1899, No. 871: West Court of Hind Lights, 1992. No. 271 ; West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 126.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 25, 1899.

BENGAL.- No. 84.

Australia-Cairns Harbour, Trinity Bay-Depth of Water in Entrance Channel.

The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1899) that the available depth of water in the dredged entrance channel to Cairns Harbour is 12 ft. 6 in. at low water springs.

The depth available at any time is to be obtained by adding 12 ft 6 in. to the height shone on the dial of the tide-gauge at the Fairway Beacon, instead of 13 ft. 6 in. as hitherto.

Charts affected : Nos 2,924, 2,350 ; Australia Directory, vol. II.

> P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M., Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, April 25, 1899.

SWATOW DISTRICT.-No. 33.

Dove Rock Whistling Buoy replaced in position.

Notice is hereby given that the Whistling Buoy marking the Dove Rock was replaced in its position on February 20, 1899.

Custom House, Swatow, February 21, 1899. C. P. DAWSON, Harbour Master.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.-No. 335.

South Channel Entrance to the Yangtze—Change in position of Lightship "Kiutoan" and Buoys.

Notice is hereby given that the lightvessel Kiutoan has been shifted to mark the channel to the southward of the Middle Ground, and is now in the following position:--House island beacon bearing N. 32° E., distant 3.8 miles.

The Middle Ground Lower buoy has been altered in character, and is now a red and black vertically striped buoy bearing a black spherical cage.

The Blockhouse Shoal buoy has been discontinued.

A red and black vertically striped buoy bearing a black cylindrical cage has been placed in 19 ft. of water to mark the north-western end of the Middle Ground. From it House island beacon bears S 81° E., distant 4 $\frac{1}{10}$ This buoy is named the Middle Ground Upper miles. buoy.

A red buoy bearing a black diamond cage has been placed in 13 ft. of water to mark the bank which forms the northern edge of the newly-formed channel to the northward of the Middle Ground. From it House island beacon bears N. $71\frac{1}{2}$ ° E., distant $2\frac{1}{10}$ miles. This buoy is named the Kiutoan Flats Buoy.

Directions.

Inward-bound vessels crossing the Flats to the southeastward of the Middle Ground should do so with the Kiutoan lightvessel ahead bearing N. 73° W. On this course the the least depth is 15 ft. at low water of spring tides

All bearings and courses given are magnetic.

Caution .- The existence of the wreck of the Fairy renders it unadvisable to take a more northerly course over the Flats than that recommended above.

Owing to the transitional state of this neighbourhood and the rapid changes that are now taking place, the above alterations should be looked upon as temporary only.

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs,

Imperial Maritime Customs, W. FERD. TYLER, Acting Coast Inspector. Coast Inspector's Office, Shanghai, February 24, 1899.

The following lights on the coasts of Panay and Guimaras islands have been re-established :--(1) Manigonigo ; (2) Gigantes ; (3) Calabazas ; (4) Siete Pecados (5) Iloilo ; (6) Luzaran.

> LAY H. EVERHART, U.S.N., Captain of the Port.

Iloilo, P. I., March 1, 1899.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES. - No. 2.

The mud scows and lighter sunk across the mouth of the Iloilo river have been moved to the centre of the channel, forming a compact group and leaving a passsage on either hand. The greatest width of the obstruction is about 16 ft.

2. A nun buoy, painted in red and black rings, marks the spot, and at night a red light is displayed. 3. Vessels can now navigate the river as formerly.

LAYH . EVERHART, U.S.N. Captain of the Port.

Iloilo, P. L., March 6, 1899.

TIENTSIN DISTRICT.-No. 83.

Lightship and Buoys replaced.

Notice is hereby given that the lightship Taku and the buoys marking the bar and entrance of the Pehio are now in position, and that the lightship exhibited her

light for the first time this season at sunset on the 4th instant.

N.B.- The position of the buoys are subject to changes. J. H. J. SUSEMIHL, Custom House. Tientsin, March 6, 1899. Harbour Master.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT .-- No. 336.

North Channel Entrance to the Yangtze.-Liuchico Lighthouse.

Notice is hereby given that the light at Liu-chiao-chiang was exhibited for the first time at sunset on the 3rd instant.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, occulting, of the fourth order, showing a fixed white light varied by an eclipse every 15 seconds, thus :---

\mathbf{Light}		•••	13	seconds
Eclipse	•••		2	,,

The lighthouse stands on the site marked Tied Leacon on the British Admiralty Chart No. 1,602, and the light, which is elevated 521 ft. above the level of the sea, should be visible in clear weather at a distance of 121 nautical miles.

The light is obscured by trees on bearings more westerly than N. 63° W.

This bearing is magnetic and taken from seaward.

The tower is an iron screw pile structure, 40 ft. high, with a total height from the base to the lantern vere of 53 ft.

The tower is painted white.

Approximate position : lat. 31° 29' 54" N., long. 121° 41' 10' E.

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs,

Imperial Maritime Customs, W. FERD. TYLER, Acting Coast Inspector. Coast Inspector's Office, Shanghai, March 17, 1899.

Quantities of the Principal Articles remaining in the Bonded Warehouses on March 31, 1899; also bonded, entered for Home Consumption, and exported from Bond; and the Total Quantities entered for Home Consumption in April, 1899.

Quann	lies enter	Ju 101						1
ARTICLES.	Remain- ing in the Bonded Ware- houses on Mar. 31, 1899.	Bonded in the Month of April, 1899.	Total.	Entered for Home Consump- tion in the Month of April, 1899.		Total.	Remain- ing in the Bonded Ware- houses on April 30, 1899.	Total Imports entered for Home Con- sumption in April, 1899.
Gray Cottons, bales and cases White do. do Printed do. do	L 430 1	160 82 42	$995 \\ 512 \\ 204 \\ 9$	58 58 17	7 	65 58 17	930 454 187 9	332 147 33 12
Dyed do. do Coloured Woven Cottons, b. & c. Sundry do. do Yarns, plain, bales and cases	294 116 36	52 49	346 165 36	48 40		48 40	298 125 36	616 60 —
Yarns, plain, bales and cases — dyed, do — Indian-made, sundry, b. & c. Grain, Rice, bags	99 2 340	2	99 4 340	340			99 4	20 315 294,519
Malt Liquor, in wood, hhds — in glass, cases and casks Spirits, Brandy, puncheons and	635 95	$\begin{array}{c} 225 \\ 155 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 860 \\ 250 \end{array}$	100 15	-	100 15	760 235	100 15
pipes Do. hhds. and casks Do. cases	7 3,565 2	278		$\frac{1}{66}$	_	1 66	3,777 8	1 362
 Gin, puncheons and pipes Do. hhds. and casks Do: cases Whisky, hhds. and casks 	$\begin{array}{c} 2\\ 4\\ 1,228\\ 22 \end{array}$	7 1,333 1	$11 \\ 2,561 \\ 23$	395	-	395	9 2,166 23	3 1,133 —
Do. cases Tea, lb Tobacco, manufactured, lb	1,489 400 $1,769\frac{19}{16}$	399	1,888 400 1,769 1 8	540 880	34 	574 880	1,314 400 889 1 8	
Wines, French, hhds. and casks Do. cases	$\frac{125}{3}$	$ \frac{18\frac{1}{4}}{3} \\ $	$143\frac{1}{4}$ 3 3				$\begin{array}{c}143\frac{1}{4}\\3\\3\end{array}$	2,805 66 282
 Madeira, puncheons & pipes Do. cases Portugal, puncheons & pipes 		·					-	$\frac{-}{26}$
Do. hhds. and casks Do. cases Spanish, butts and pipes Do. hhds. and casks								$ \frac{466}{-3} $
Do. octaves Do. octaves Italian hhds. and casks Kerosine oil, cases	27,333		27,333	1,050	300	1,350	25,983	1,050
Kerosine oil (bulk), gallons		-						53,029

H. M. Customs, Colo mbo, May 23, 1899. W. H. JACKSON, for Principal Collector.

Comparative Statement of the Quantities of the Principal Articles bonded in, entered for Home Consumption, and exported from the Bonded Warehous es in the Months ended April 30, 1898 and 1899.

	Four Mon	aths ended April	30, 1898.	Four Mo	onths ended Apri	1 30, 189 9 .	
ARTICLES	Bonded.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Exported.	Bonded.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Exported.	
Grav Cottons, bales and cases	710	306	_	422	385	7	
White do. do	218	143		560	424		
Printed do. do	37	57		229	196		
Dved do. do	27	12	-			water	
Coloured Woven Cottons, b. & c.	118 ·	88		308	321	7	
Sundry do. do	. 90	48		131	106		
Yarns, plain, bales and cases				-			
dyed, do	16	-	·			—	
Indian-made, sundry, b. & c.		-		4			
Grain, Rice, bags		-		6 80	680		
Malt Liquor, in wood, hhds	300	299		840	695		
in glass, cases and casks	* 6	75		255	175		
Spirits, Brandy, puncheons & pipes	1	1		-	2		
Do. hhds.and casks	-5	3		7	3		
Do. cases	728	362		540	394		
Gin, puncheons and pipes	4	5		10	2		
Do. hhds. and casks	10	10		8	11		
Do. cases	84 9 41	956 12		3,489 11	1,518		
Whisky, hhds. and casks Do. cases	1,460	1,317	43	2,291	14	118	
	1,400	1,017	40	2,291	2,003	.119	
Tobacco, manufactured, lb	1,959	7,619		2,464	1,760	-	
Cigars, lb	224	189	_	181	250		
Wines, French, hhds. and casks	224	5	_	3	200		
Do. cases	$2\overline{3}$	39		_	25		
Madeira, puncheons & pipes		· ·		_			
Do. cases	_	10	_			-	
Portugal, puncheons & pipes		1			-		
Do. hhds. and casks	11	5]	1		
Do. cases		1		- 1			
Spanish, butts and pipes			—				
Do. hhds. and casks	1	_	6110000-	-	3	-	
Do. octaves		5	—				
Do. cases	. —	-				<u> </u>	
Kerosine oil, cases		-	<u> </u>	-	-14,050	400	
Kerosine oil, bulk			`		-		

H. M. Customs, Colombo, May 23, 1899. W. H. JACKSON, for Principal Collector.

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Articles.	United Kingdom	British India.	Straits.	French India.	China.	Hong- kong.	Austria.	Ger- many.	Iťaly.	Holland.	Bel- gium.	Japan.	Spain	Amer- ica.	Switzer- land.	for the Month of April	Total for the Four Months ended April 30, 1899.	the Four Months ended
Gray Cottons, bales and cases White do. do Printed do. do Dyed do. do Coloured, Woven, do Sundry, do. do Yarns, plain Yarns, dyed	$ \begin{array}{c} 149 \\ 52 \\ 2 \\ 549 \\ 3 \\ \\ 10 \end{array} $							57							$\begin{bmatrix} -\\ -\\ 14\\ -\\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$	$ \begin{array}{r} 472 \\ 149 \\ 52 \\ 4 \\ 1,014 \\ 3 \\ \hline 20 \\ \end{array} $	$1,038 \\ 805 \\ 271 \\ 19 \\ 3,644 \\ 10 \\ -69$	2,318 695 207 50 2,575 60 39
Total for the Month of April, 1899	1,112	•296	7	12	6	1		57	2	52	3	17		125	24	1,714	5,856	5,944
Total for the Four Months ended April 30, 1899	2 0 5 1	1,232	21	58	14	1	13	209	15	186	5	47		125	79		5,856	
Total for the Four Months ended April 30, 1898	1 170	1,379	32	52	1		5	114	1	86	2	7		52	43		-	5,944

Comparative Statement showing the various Countries from which Cotton Goods have been received, and Quantities imported from each, during the Month ended April 30, 1899.

Customs, Colombo, May 23, 1899.

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W. H. JACKSON, for Principal Collector.

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PART IV. CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE MAY 26, 1899

Kittool Fibre. Deer Horns

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Total Quantities of the following Articles Exported from the Ports of Colombo during the under-mentioned periods.

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GOVERNMENT

PRINTER, COLOMBO,

CEYLON

Tea.

Plantation Coffee. Trunk Cinchona. Cocoanuts Cocoanut Oil. Cocoanut Poonae. Cinnamon Oil. Coir Yarn. Date of Clearing. Branch Cinchona. Copperah. Citronella Oil. Plumbago Coir Junk, Coir Fibre. Native Coffee. Cinchona Chips. Cinnamon Coir Rope. Cacao. Sapan-wood. Carda-moms, Ebony. Orchilla. -COLOMBO. 1899. ewt. ewt. 1b. ewt. lb. lb. ewt. 1b. No. ewt. cwt. lb. oz. oz. 1b. ewt. cw ----ss. Chyebassa 16/5Bombay, &c. 350...] ------------____ ----------------------------------_ ___ _ ____ ss. Historian ss. Historian ... ss. Derbyshire 18/5 London ____ ____ 373501 ... ____ ____ ------------____ _ --~ _ ____ ___ _ 18/5 London ____ 1138050 _ _ ••• -----____ --------------------------------------ss. Promethaens 19/5London ____ 27213099 8064 ... -----117400____ 5434_ ____ ----41366 7144 _ 422 ss. Maha Vajiramadhi 19/5Bangkok 200----_ ----____ •------------------------------------___ -----____ ss.Ville de la Ciotat 19/5 ----Australia ... ---30616_ ---------_ ___ ___ -----------------------____ ___ ss. Tonkin ... 19/5 China ... ____ . -----8320 ~ -------------___ 4000 _ ____ _ -----____ ---------___ ss. Laos 20/5China ____ · -11327 ____ ___ _ ____ -----.... ... _ --------____ ____ ___ -____ ~ ss. Armand Behic 20/5 Marseilles... -----____ 7350 ___ _ ____ 1000 ~~~~ ____ ---------_ ----____ ____ ___ ss. Oceanien ... 20/5Marseilles... _ 33553707974 ---------_ _ 4639 18 ____ .____ ____ ____ ----ss. Binjaree 20/5Brisbane ... -----____ 23673 -----... _ ----**____** -----____ _ _ ___ ----___ ----ss. Borneo — 20/5 London ... ___ 355752 ____ ----... --------____ ___ ___ _ _ -____ --------ss. Mombassa 20/5London ____ -----239618____ ____ ____ ------------------___ ss. Mombassa ... 20/5 ss. Duke of Norfolk 20/5 _ -----____ ____ ... --------------London 130 -491957 ----6720 _ 38415 800 ____ 1200250291 ---------2993 433 ... ----ss. Orova 20/5 Australia ... _ 211853 -----_ 30 ____ ____ ... _ -----------. — -----_ ss. Kiev 20/51970 ----... Odessa ... 8 550720 ----_ _ ___ -----_ --------___ _ -------ss. Hakata Maru... 20/5_ ___ Yokohama ____ ----24880_--_ ____ ----___ ---------------------___ ---ss. Maria Valerie... -----____ 1970 -----11200 20'/5Trieste ____ ____ 16I2 -----____ ____ ------------------____ ----... . GALLE. ss. Climatis New York ... 3166752 123-----15/5---------____ ___ ------------------------~----____ * And Chips 7,373 lb. † Chips Importation of Rice from Indian and other Ports during the Week. TO COLOMBO :--TO GALLE :--From Calcutta Bags 13,994 From Calcutta Bag • • • • • • Rangoon 7,668 ... ,, Southern India 25,815 ... •• Total ... Bags 47.477 H. L. MOYSEY, H. M. Customs, Principal Collector. Colombo, May 22, 1899.