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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

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

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, February 11, 1898.

CEYLON.

Notice is hereby given that on and after May 1 next, the Semaphore Time Signal at the Master Attendant's Office, Colombo, will be dropped daily, Sundays and public holidays excepted, at 4h. 15m. P.M. Madras mean time = 10h. 54m. 01s. A.M. Greenwich time.

J. DONNAN,
Master Attendant's Office, Master Attendant.
Colombo, February 9, 1898.

BENGAL.—No. 15.

Pacific Ocean—Diana Shoal—An unsuccessful Search.

Notice No. 790 of 1897 issued by the British Admiralty is republished.

Information has been received from Captain A. Mostyn-Field, H. M. Surveying Vessel *Penguin*, that in August, 1897, he sounded over an area embracing 80 miles in longitude and nearly 40 miles in latitude in the vicinity of Diana shoal, originally reported in 1852 as having a depth of 6 ft. on it, and as being situated in lat. 8° 40' N., long. 157° 20' W.

The *Penguin* spent five days in the search, obtaining soundings of from 2,560 to 2,946 fathoms at distances of 7 to 10 miles apart, and observing no indication of a shoal in any part of the locality.

In view of the above, and the fact that schooners have plied for many years between Honolulu and Fanning island over the position of the shoal, and that it has not been seen since the first vague report, Diana shoal has been expunged from the Admiralty Charts.

H. LINDBQUIST,
for Port Officer of Calcutta.
Calcutta, January 18, 1898.

BENGAL.—No. 16.

Eastern Archipelago—Linga Island—Light on South-East Point.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 797 of 1897) that about the end of November, 1897, a fourth order group-flashing light, showing two flashes in quick succession in each group, was exhibited from Eung or Diang point, Linga island.

Approximate position on Chart No. 1,789 : lat. 0° 14½' S., long. 104° 57½' E.

Further notice will be given when more particulars are known.

Note.—The correct name for the point on which the lighthouse stands is Jang, and not Eung or Diang. The Admiralty Charts have now been amended.

H. LINDBQUIST,
for Port Officer of Calcutta.
Calcutta, January 18, 1898.

BENGAL.—No. 17.

Africa, East Coast—Mozambique—Lloyd's Signal Station at Fort St. Sebastian.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 801 of 1897) that information has been received from Lloyd's, dated December 16, 1897, that a signal station has been established at Fort St. Sebastian, north-east end of Mozambique island.

Approximate position : lat. 15° 0' 45" S., long. 40° 44' 45" E.

H. LINDQUIST,
for Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, January, 18, 1898.

BENGAL.—No. 18.

Bay of Bengal—Chittagong Coast—River Marks and Buoys replaced.

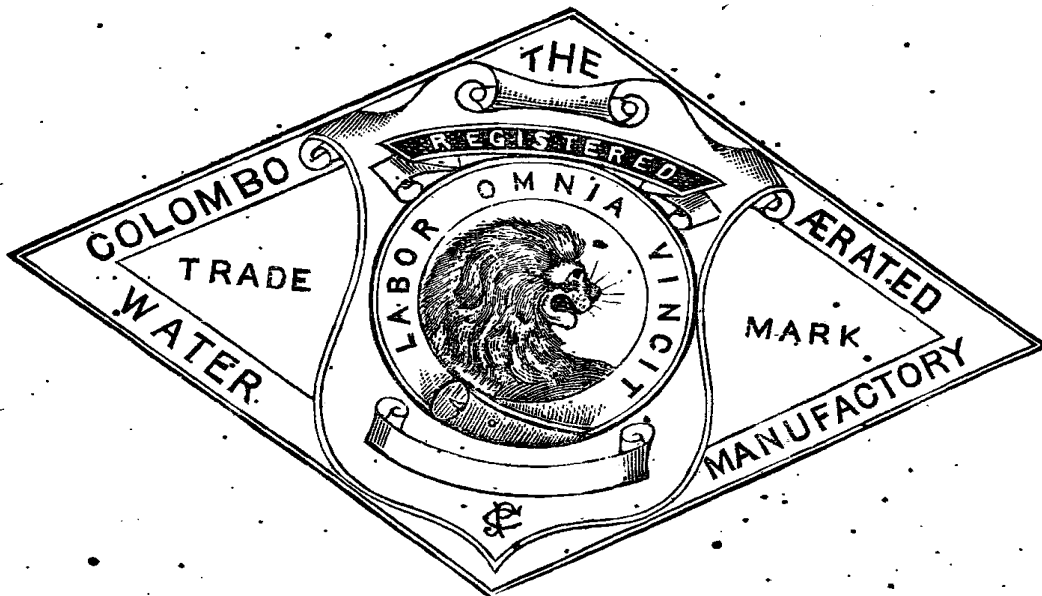
With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 210, dated November 1, 1897, the Port Officer, Chittagong, has given further notice that all the river marks and buoys that were either destroyed or were out of position by the late cyclone have been replaced in position.

B. P. CREAGH, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, January 24, 1898.

TRADE MARKS NOTIFICATIONS.

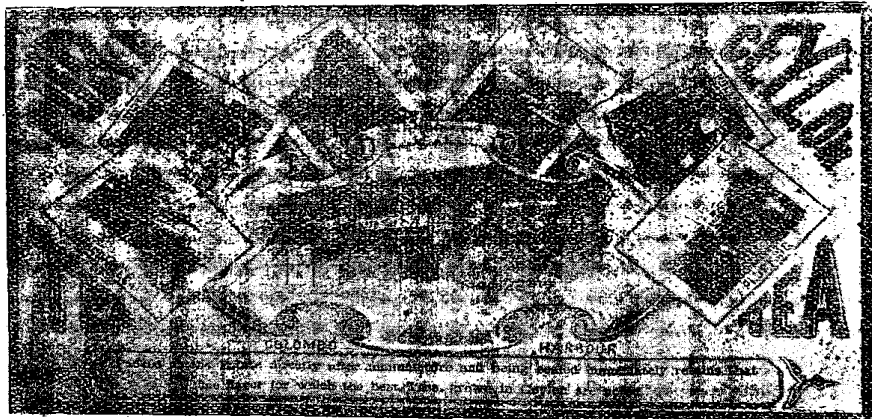
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Joseph Clement Pimanda, of No. 31, Main street, Colombo, Merchant, has applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Aerated Waters in his name in Class 44 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 3, 1898.

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

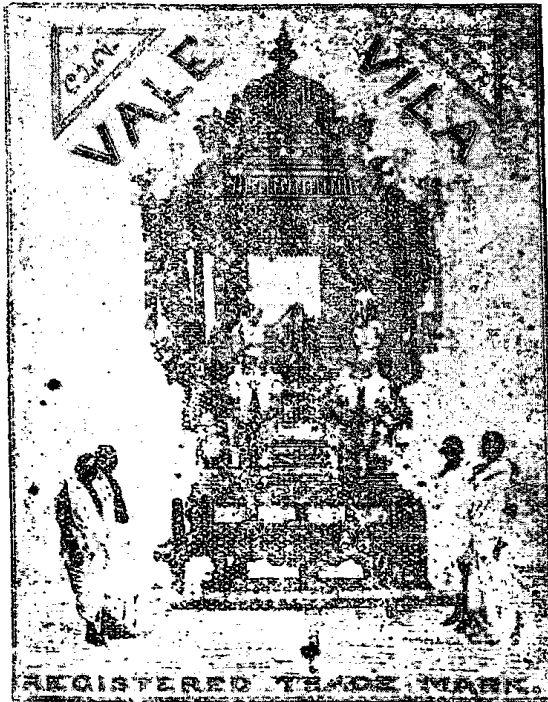
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. H. W. Cave & Co., Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Tea in the name of Messrs. Peek Brothers & Winch, Limited, Colombo, in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 12, 1898.

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. H. W. Cave & Co., Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark for (1) Piece Goods of all kinds; and (2) Tea, in the name of Messrs. Bosanquet and Co., Colombo, in Classes 24 and 42, respectively, in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 12, 1898.

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 and 1890," and the Regulations made on March 28, 1889, notice is hereby given that Messrs. Arthur J. Fernando & Co., General Merchants, Norris road, Colombo, have applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark for Tea in their name in Class 42 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations:—



Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 17, 1898.

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

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

Vessels.	Date of Clearing.	For what Port.	Plantation Coffee.	Native Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinchona.	Branch Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Cocoanuts.	Copperah.	Cocoanut Oil.	Cocoanut Pomac.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Pumbugo.	Coir Rope.	Coir Junk.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Sapan-wood.	Orechilla.	Katool Fibre.	Deer Horns.	
COLOMBO.																												
ss. Sirsa	9/2	Bombay			815																							
ss. Australien	9/2	Marseilles			150																							
ss. Polynesien	9/2	Australia			85057																							
ss. Trieste	10/2	Kobe			7166							4664																
ss. Wakasa Maru	10/2	London Antwerp, &c.	81		91676	1469				51350	6519	3537	2219	13800*			14196		2852			3121248						
ss. Kanagawa Maru	12/2	London, &c.	150		830546	1546				75040	2750	3536		28528†			12242		5203			2741703						
ss. Victoria	12/2	London			142355																							
ss. Oceana	12/2	Australia			219930																							
GALLE.																												
ss. Clan Forbes	7/2	London			6602																							
ss. Henzada	8/2	Coconada										1911																
												1600																

* And Chips 11,200 lb. † And Chips 22,400 lb.

Importation of Rice from Indian and other Ports during the Week.

TO COLOMBO:—	TO GALLE:—
From Bombay ...	Bags 95
China ...	2,050
Calcutta ...	23,161
False Point ...	8,081
Rangoon ...	16,000
Southern India ...	5,999
Total ...	Bags 55,386

From Calcutta ... Bags 5,427

W. H. JACKSON,
for Principal Collector.

Customs, Colombo, February 16, 1898.