

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 14.) AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

*Revolving Light on Cape Moreton.*

The Colonial Government of New South Wales has given notice that on or about the 1st day of March 1857, a light would be exhibited in the light-tower recently erected on Cape Moreton, at the north end of Moreton Island, on the east coast of Australia.

The light will be a white revolving light, visible once a minute all round the horizon. The illuminating apparatus is catoptric, or by reflectors, and of the first order. The bright face will last 15 seconds, and be followed by an eclipse of 45 seconds' duration. The light will be placed at a height of 385 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be seen from the deck of a ship, in ordinary weather, at a distance of 26 miles.

The light-tower is of white stone, 67 feet high, including the lantern; it stands on the summit of the Cape, in lat. 27° 2' 24" S., long. 153° 28' 56" East of Greenwich.

Ships bound to Moreton Bay ought never to mistake Point Lookout, on Stradbroke Island, for Cape Moreton, if they will bear in mind that there is not a building of any description along the coast to seaward from Port Macquarie to Cape Moreton, a distance of nearly 300 miles.

[Variation of the compass, 9° 30' East in 1856; increasing about 2' annually.

By Command of their Lordships,

JOHN WASHINGTON, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
10th March 1857.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Australia, General, No. 1042; East Coast, Sheet 2, No. 1067; Moreton Bay, No. 1670; Indian Ocean, Sheet 3, No. 748; Pacific Ocean, Sheet 10, No. 2468. Also Australian Lighthouse List, No. 83.

## WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,

March 27, 1857.

## 1st Regiment of Life Guards.

To be Cornets and Sub-Lieutenants, by purchase.

John Henry Reginald, Lord Earlsfort, vice the Honourable Cecil Duncombe, promoted. Dated 26th March 1857.

Herbert Hay Langham, gent. vice Viscount Powerscourt, promoted. Dated 27th March 1857.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—Cornet the Honourable Geoffrey R. Clegg Hill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Baillie, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.

2d Dragoon Guards—Paymaster Frederick Windham Lukin, from the 2d Dragoons, to be Paymaster, vice King, who exchanges. Dated 27th March 1857.

2d Dragoons—Paymaster John Henry King, from the 2d Dragoon Guards, to be Paymaster, vice Lukin, who exchanges. Dated 27th March 1857.

3d Light Dragoons—Lieutenant John Norcliffe Preston to be Captain, by purchase, vice Draper, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.

11th Light Dragoons—Cornet Robert Dunmore Napier to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dungate, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.

R. R. Harrison Dungate, gent. to be Riding-Master. Dated 27th March 1857.

Military Train—Paymaster Benjamin Robert James, from the late Land Transport Corps, to be Paymaster. Dated 1st April 1857.

Royal Artillery—Second Captain John Lawrence Bolton to be Captain, vice Flint, deceased. Dated 23d February 1857.

Lieutenant Augustus William Johnson to be Second Captain, vice Bolton. Dated 23d February 1857.

The dates of the promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be altered as follows: viz:—

Captain W. B. Saunders to 13th January 1857.

Second Captain C. B. Le Mesurier to 13th January 1857.

Captain C. H. Smith to 24th January 1857.

Second Captain H. S. Elliott to 24th January 1857.

Captain H. T. Fitzhugh to 21st February 1857.

Captain W. N. Hardy to 21st February 1857.

Second Captain H. P. P. Phelps to 21st February 1857.

Royal Engineers—Second Captain Andrew Clarke, on the Supernumerary List, to be Captain. Dated 19th March 1857.

Brevet-Major Francis Du Cane to be Captain, vice Penrice, resigned. Dated 19th March 1857.

Lieutenant Glastonbury Neville to be Second Captain, vice Du Cane. Dated 19th March 1857.

9th Regiment of Foot—Lieutenant Allen George Douglas to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 14th March 1857.

23d Foot—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Pratt, from half-pay 41st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th March 1857.

Captain Charles Grantley C. Norton, from half-pay 23d Foot, to be Captain, vice F. Sayer, who exchanges. Dated 27th March 1857.

Ensign Frederick Wollaston Hutton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Griffith, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.

George Frederick Russell Colt, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hutton. Dated 27th March 1857.

Ensign Charles Jacquet to be allowed to retire from the Army, Her Majesty having no further occasion for his services. Dated 6th March 1857.

39th Foot—Captain Thomas Adams, from the 78th Foot, to be Captain, vice Foster, who exchanges. Dated 27th March 1857.

40th Foot—Ensign Henry Ross-Lewin Morgan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cook, whose promotion by purchase, on the 25th May 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 27th March 1857.

66th Foot—Thomas Gambell, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Shortt, promoted. Dated 27th March 1857.

72d Foot—Herbert Barron, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burnet, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.

78th Foot—Captain Frederick Wilmot Foster, from the 39th Foot, to be Captain, vice Adams, who exchanges. Dated 27th March 1857.

81st Foot—Lieutenant Walter Musgrave to be Adjutant, vice Wilkinson, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 27th March 1857.

92d Foot—Lieutenant William David Inverarity to be Captain, by purchase, vice D. P. Campbell, who retires. Dated 27th March 1857.