

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Halifax to Delaware, No. 2670 ; Fundy Bay to Long Island, No. 2492 ; Narraganset Bay, No. 2892 ; Nantucket Shoals to Block Island, No. 2890 ; Great Egg Island to Albermarle Sound, No. 266 ; Chesapeake River, No. 355*b*. and 2843*f* ; Doboy Bar, No. 2876 ; West Indies General, No. 390 ; Also, United States Lights List, Nos. 113, 115, and 301.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 103.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST—THAMES ENTRANCE.

Wreck Light near the Nore.

The Trinity House, London, has given Notice that the wreck of the ship "Leichardt," being dangerous to navigation, a vessel showing a *fixed* white light has been in consequence moored about 90 fathoms to the eastward of the wreck, and will be kept there until further notice.

The vessel with the warning light lies in 5 fathoms at low water springs, with the following marks and bearings :—

Miletown Mill midway between Miletown Church and a tall chimney, W.S.W.

South Church in a line with a small house on the beach, and Thorpe Hall open right of the church, N.N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W.

Nore light vessel, W. $\frac{3}{4}$ N. $\frac{8}{10}$ ths of a mile.

South Shoebury buoy, N.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Cant buoy, S.E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles.

A *green* buoy, marked with the word *Wreck*, has been placed 20 fathoms to the southward of the wreck, the Nore light vessel bearing W. by N. about three-quarters of a mile.

SOUTH COAST—SOUTHAMPTON WATER.

Wreck near Calshot Light Vessel.

Also that the wreck of the barge "Enterprise," near Calshot light vessel, is found to be dangerous to navigation, and that a spar has been fixed to the mast of the wreck, from which a white anchor light will be exhibited, so long as the condition of the wreck and the state of the weather will admit of it.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 20° Westerly, in 1868.]

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

9th November 1868.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 104.)—SOUTH AMERICA—MARANHAM COAST.

Destruction of Itacolomi Point Lighthouse.

Information has been received that the lighthouse on Itacolomi Point, entrance of river Maranham, has been destroyed by fire.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

9th November 1868.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Cabo do Norte to Maranhao, No. 1803 ; Maranhao to Pernambuco, No. 528 ; and San Marcos to Maranham Bay, No. 535 ; also South America Lights List, No. 13.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 105.)—AUSTRALIA.—EAST COAST.—QUEENSLAND.

Fixed and Flashing Light on Bustard Head.

The Colonial Government of Queensland has given notice that a light is now exhibited from the lighthouse recently erected on Bustard Head, north-west point of Bustard Bay.

The light is white, *fixed* and *flashing*. The fixed light has a duration of one minute, followed by an eclipse, a flash and a second eclipse, occupying also one minute. It is elevated 330 feet above high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 24 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses of the second order.

The lighthouse is 58 feet high and white ; its position is in latitude 24° 1' 20" S., longitude 151° 42' East of Greenwich.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

10th November 1868.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts ;—Australia General, No. 2759 *a* ; Coral Sea, &c., No. 2763 ; and Sandy Cape to Keppel Islands, No. 345. Also Australian Lights List, No. 267 ; and Australian Directory, Vol. II., 2d Edition, page 83.

WHITEHALL, August 14, 1868.

The Right Honourable Sir William Bovill, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Charles Few, of Henrietta Street, Covent Garden, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the city of London, also in and for the counties of Middlesex and Surrey, and the city and liberties of Westminster.

WHITEHALL, August 14, 1868.

The Right Honourable Sir William Bovill, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Benjamin Thacker, of Cheadle, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Stafford.