

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 73.)—WEST INDIES.—PUERTO RICO.

*Buoys in Mayaguez Bay.*

THE Spanish Government has given notice, that the following buoys have been placed on the Les Manches and Allart banks, Mayaguez Bay, west end of Puerto Rico Island, to mark the channel:

1. On the south end of Les Manches inner shoal in  $3\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms.
2. On the north end of the Allart Bank in  $2\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms S.S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E. from the Les Manches buoy.

## HONDURAS—TRUXILLO.

*Fixed Light on Cape Honduras.*

The Honduras Government has given notice, that a light is now exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Cape Honduras, or Point Castilla, Truxillo Bay.

The light is a *fixed* white light, elevated 39 feet above the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 11 miles.

The tower is 70 yards from the shore, position, lat.  $16^{\circ} 1'$ , long.  $86^{\circ} 3\frac{1}{4}'$  West from Greenwich.

[All bearings are Magnetic. Variation  $2\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  Easterly in 1870.]

By command of their Lordships,  
Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
21st July, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mayaguez Bay, No. 479; West Indies General, Nos. 390 and 392c.; Coiba Island to Dulce River, No. 587; and Cape Gracias to Belize, No. 1219: also West India Pilot, Vol. II, page 196, and Vol. I, page 307.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 74.)—RED SEA.

*Shoal off Mocha.*

INFORMATION has been received of the existence of a shoal patch, hitherto unknown, lying a league to the westward of the shoal ground off the town of Mocha, and near the fairway track of shipping bound up or down the Red Sea.

The shoal, which was sounded over by the Master of the steam-ship *Priam*, on her recent voyage from Suez to Singapore, is a bank of white sand, about half a cable long and 30 feet broad; it has  $18\frac{1}{2}$  feet on its central part, with 11 fathoms at either end.

From the shoal, the north end of Mocha bore E.N.E., and Zee hill S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S.

These bearings place it about 7 miles from the land.

[All Bearings are Magnetic. Variation  $3\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1870.]

By command of their Lordships,  
Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
18th July, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Red Sea General, Nos. 8a and 2523.

## NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General  
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy  
Pay, Admiralty, S.W., July 27,  
1870.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being

made for the intended distribution of the bounty awarded for services against pirates on the 18th July, 1867, by Her Majesty's gunboat "Janus."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said proceeds are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and at the same time the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint Clement, Sandwich, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all that annual sum or pension of seven pounds six shillings and eight pence, heretofore payable in respect of the said vicarage, and formerly receivable by the Archdeacon of Canterbury, and recently by us the said Commissioners, to have and to hold the said annual sum or pension to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the said annual sum or pension, as from the second day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Stalisfield, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, one capital sum of fifty-one pounds sixteen shillings and ten pence, such capital sum to be applied by us in discharging the amount payable to the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the augmentation and maintenance of the Poor Clergy, under a subsisting mortgage of the said vicarage of Stalisfield, which was effected by a deed bearing date the twenty-fifth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, for the purpose of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage of Stalisfield.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and appropriate out of our com-