Firth; No. 2180b, Orkney Islands, southern portion; No. 2397b, Scotland, north and east coasts; No. 2181, Dunbeath Harbour to Thurso Bay; No. 2182b, North Sea, northern sheet. Publications.—List of Lights, Part I, 1910, page 109; North Sea Pilot, Part I, 1903, page 210; North Sea Pilot, Part II, 1905, page 71. Authority.—Commissioners of Northern Lights

Authority .--- Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses Notice, No. 12 of 1910.

No. 1253 .- NEW EDITION OF A CHART.

Chart No. 2397a.

A new edition of Chart No. 2397a, Scotland, north and east coasts, dated August, 1910, has been published. The following temporary Notices to Mariners, which affect this chart, are still in force:

No. 813 of 1910, North Carr light-vessel temporarily replaced by reserve light-vessel; No. 1209 of 1910, River Tay fairway buoy temporarily replaced by unlighted buoy.

No. 1254.-FRANCE, NORTH COAST.

Plateau des Minquiers-Whistle-buoy Temporarily Replaced by Bell-buoy.

Position.—On south-western side of Plateau; lat. $48^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}$ N., long. $2^{\circ} 26\frac{1}{2}$ W. Description of bell-buoy.—A black conical

buoy with cylindrical topmark.

Remarks .- Further notice will be given when the whistle-buoy has been replaced.

Charts temporarily affected. — No. 2100, Plateau des Minquiers; No. 2669, Channel Islands and adjacent Coast of France; No. 2675b, English Channel, middle sheet; No. 1598, English Channel.

Publication.-Channel Pilot, Part II, 1906, page 160.

Authority.-Paris Notice, No. 2203 of 1910.

No. 1255.—CANADA, NOVA SCOTIA— BAY OF FUNDY.

Lurcher Shoal Light-Vessel—To be temporarily replaced by Light-and-Whistle-Buoy.

Position.—Lat. $43^{\circ} 49\frac{1}{2}$ ' N., long. $66^{\circ} 32$ ' W. Date of replacement.—On or about the 20th September, 1910.

Description of light-and-whistle-buoy.—A red buoy, exhibiting an occulting white light. Remarks.—Further notice will be given when

the light-vessel has been replaced on her station.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 352, Bay of Fundy, Sheet I; No. 1651, Nova Scotia, &c.; No. 2670, Halifax to the Delaware. Publications.—List of Lights, Part VIII, 1910,

No. 692; S.E. Coast of Nova Scotia, &c., 1903, page 225; Revised Supplement, 1908. Authority.—Ottawa Notice, No. 210 of 1910.

No. 1256.-FRANCE, WEST COAST-ROCHEBONNE PLATEAU.

La Congrée Lighthouse Works-Vessels Withdrawn.

Position.-La Congrée Rock, lat. 46° 12' N.,

long. 2° 25³/₄ W. Details.—The construction of the lighthouse on La Congrée, Rochebonne Plateau, having been suspended for the winter season, the vessels described below have been withdrawn.

(a) The hulk (used as a store ship) with three masts, painted red, with "Rochebonne" on each side, which at night exhibits only the lights of a vessel at anchor, moored about 1⁴/₂ miles, N. 37° E., from La Congrée.

(b) The small steam vessel and two lighters, carrying anchor lights, moored during the night about 14 miles N. 60° E., from La Congrée. Remarks.—The eight white prismatic mooring

buoys will be removed later.

Variation.—15° W.

Charts affected .- No. 2648, Pte. de la Coubre to Les Sables d'Olonne; No. 1104, Bay of Biscay. Publications .-- West Coasts of France, &c.,

1910, page 295; Notice to Mariners, No. 735 of 1910.

Authority.—Paris Notice, No. 2204 of 1910.

No. 1257.-KOREA, SOUTH COAST.

Stanley Island-Light Established.

Position.—On north-western extreme of island; lat. 34° 13' 40" N., long. 126° 46' 15" E., on Chart No. 3365.

Character.—A flashing white light every three seconds, showing thus :—Flash, $\frac{3}{10}$ second; eclipse, $2\frac{7}{10}$ seconds.

Elevation.—200 feet. Visibility.—10 miles, from the bearing N. 35° E., through east, &c., to N. 80° W.

Order.-6th.

Structure.-White circular tower, 15 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks .--- The light is unwatched.

Variation.-4° W.

Charts affected .--- No. 3365, Port Hamilton to Mackau Group; No. 104 Korean Archipelago, Southern Portion; No. 1262, Hongkong to the Gulf of Liau Tung; No. 2347, Nipon, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, &c.; No. 3480, Shantung Promontory to Nagasaki.

Publications.-List of Lights, Part VI, 1910,

page 171; Japan, Korea, &c., 1904, page 92. Authority.—Seoul Notice, No. 115, 5th July, 1910.

No. 1258.-CHINA, EAST COAST-YANG TSE KIANG.

(1) South Channel—Alteration in Position of Kiutoan Light-Vessel.

New position.—At a distance of 3 miles, S. 52° E., from former position; lat. 31° 12' 3" N., long. 121° 51' 0" E., on Chart No. 1602.

Remarks.—On the 30th July, 1910, the lightvessel was to be withdrawn for repair, and her position, as given above, was to be temporarily marked by a light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting