

in trust for Her Majesty. And further, that such lands and premises had been used and appropriated for the practice of artillery, and that it was expedient that the said premises should be kept free from all the anchorage or grounding of vessels, barges, and other craft, it was amongst other things enacted, that so long as the lands and premises mentioned in the schedule to the said Act should remain vested in, or be possessed by, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the War Department, in trust for Her Majesty, he should from time to time, as occasion might require, cause to be marked out and distinguished by buoys or other sufficient marks to be erected or fixed upon the said lands and premises, such spaces or distances thereon as he might judge necessary to be kept free from all anchorage or grounding of vessels of any kind; and order and direct that the several spaces or distances so marked out and distinguished should be, and remain as, ranges for artillery practice, freed from all rights of anchorage or grounding thereon. And it was further enacted that whenever the said Principal Secretary should have marked out and appropriated any spaces or distances for ranges as aforesaid, all rights (if any) of anchorage and grounding over and upon the same should cease and determine, and a notification thereof should be made to the Lords of the Admiralty, and be published as therein mentioned; and further, that if any vessel, barge, or other craft, unless forced to remain thereon by stress of weather or other unavoidable accident should anchor or ground upon any range marked out in pursuance of the said Act, then the owner or master of such vessel, barge, or other craft as the case might be, should, on conviction thereof before any Justice or Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay a sum not less than forty shillings and not exceeding five pounds for every offence.

Now notice is hereby given, that the said Principal Secretary has caused to be marked out and distinguished by buoys, as authorized by the said Act, certain spaces or distances to be kept free from all anchorage or grounding of vessels of any kind, and that he hereby orders and directs that the said several spaces or distances so marked out and distinguished shall be, and remain as, ranges for artillery practice, freed from all rights of anchorage or grounding thereon; and further, that he hereby warns all persons from anchoring or mooring any vessel, barge, or other craft upon the said ranges marked out as aforesaid, under the penalty prescribed by the said Act of Parliament.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1862.

By Order of the said Principal Secretary.

Chas. M. Clode, Solicitor to the War Department.

#### NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, 9th December, 1862.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty of the slave schooner, Jacinta, captured on the 27th May, 1861, by Her Majesty's ship Prometheus.

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.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any captor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy Admiralty, Somerset-House."

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.

#### NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, 9th December, 1862.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the proceeds and tonnage bounty of a slave brigantine, name unknown, captured on the 11th July, 1861, by Her Majesty's ship Allecto.

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.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any captor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

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.

#### NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF LUCKNOW PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, December 10, 1862.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the Lucknow Prize Money falling to the share of the Officers, Seamen, Marines, &c., forming the Naval Brigade of Her Majesty's ship Shannon, between 29th June, 1857, and 21st March, 1858, will commence on Thursday, the 1st proximo, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House," according to the scale set forth in the Royal Warrant, dated 20th December, 1860, published in the London Gazette of 8th February, 1861.

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any person belonging to the Brigade for the period above stated, are requested to present the same at this office,