

GIBRALTAR.

Lighthouse on Europa Point.

THE Corporation of the Trinity House, London, has given notice, that the light on Europa point, Gibraltar, has recently been much improved, and that with a view to mark the position of the Pearl rock, a strip of red light would, on and after the 24th day of November, 1864, be shown therefrom in the direction of the said rock.

The red light is visible over an arc of 23° when bearing between N.E. by E $\frac{1}{2}$ E. and E. $\frac{1}{4}$ N., and extends half a mile southward of the Pearl rock.

[All Bearings are Magnetic. Variation 19° 35' West in 1864.]

By command of their Lordships,
Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
30th November, 1864.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Island of Cyprus, No. 2074; Mediterranean Sea, Nos. 2718c, and 2158; Strait of Gibraltar, No. 142; and Portugal, Spain, and Morocco, No. 92. Also, Mediterranean Lights List, No. 10.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 68.)—MEDITERRANEAN—SOUTH COAST OF SICILY.

Revolving Light on Cozzo Spadaro Hill.

THE Minister of Marine at Turin has given notice, that on and after the 1st day of December, 1864, a light will be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Cozzo Spadaro Hill, the most prominent part of the slope of Torre Nobile, near Cape Passero, south coast of Sicily.

The light will be a revolving white light, attaining its greatest brilliancy every two minutes. It is placed at an elevation of 269 feet above the mean level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 18 miles.

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

The tower is 115 feet high, of a truncated pyramidal form, with an octagonal base, and stands in lat. 36° 41' 15" N., long. 15° 8' 50", East of Greenwich.

From this date Cape Passero light, which is about a mile eastward of it, will be discontinued.

By command of their Lordships,
Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
1st December, 1864.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sicily, South Coast, No. 184; East Coast, No. 176; Sardinia to Calabria, No. 165; Mediterranean General, Nos. 2158, 2718b; Plan of Sicily, No. 166. Also Mediterranean Lights List, No. 204.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 69.)—WEST INDIES—NORTH COAST OF CUBA.

Fixed Light at Puerto de Nuevitas.

THE Commandant of Marine at Havannah has given notice, that on and after the 15th day of September, 1864, a light would be established at Barloventa or Pilots point, on the east side of the entrance to Puerto de Nuevitas, on the north coast of Cuba.

The light is a fixed white light, at an elevation of 49 feet above the mean level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen at a distance of 9 miles.

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

The keeper's dwelling is quadrangular, painted yellow, and a white mast rises from the middle of it, from which the light is shown. It is said to be in lat. 21° 37' 50" N., long. 77° 13' 16" West of Greenwich, or about one mile north and 7' west of that of the Admiralty charts.

Fixed Light at Lucrecia Point.

Also that a temporary fixed white light is now exhibited from a tower on Lucrecia point, on the north-west coast of Cuba, until the tower in course of construction is completed.

The light is at an elevation of 52 feet above the sea, and should be visible at a distance of 6 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses, and the tower white. It is said to be in lat. 21° 4' 38" N., long. 75° 45' 55" West of Greenwich, or about 8' west of that of the Admiralty charts.

By command of their Lordships,
Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
5th December, 1864.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cuba, Eastern Portion, No. 2580; Plan of Puerto de Nuevitas, No. 416; Outline Chart, with Lights, No. 390; West Indies, General, Nos. 392a, 392d; and West Indies, Sheet, 2, No. 393. Also, West India Pilot, pp. 310, 313; and West India Lights List, No. 50.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, December 6, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty and net proceeds of a brigantine, name unknown, captured on the 8th of February, 1864, by Her Majesty's ship "Griffon."

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.