Whitehall, June 4, 1867.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Matthew Webb, of Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 39.) - UNITED STATES - COAST OF TEXAS.

Fixed Light at Aransas Pass.

THE United States Government has given notice, that on and after the 15th day of June 1867, a light would be exhibited from the lighthouse on Low island, inside of Aransas Pass, coast of Texas.

The light is a *fixed* white light, at an elevation of 64 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be seen in clear weather at a distance of 12 miles.

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

The tower is brick. The light when bearing N.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. will be seen between the two points of the Pass; but as the bar frequently shifts, no directions can be given for crossing without a Pilot.

NEW JERSEY.

Light near the Entrance to Little Egg Harbour.

Also, that on and after the 20th day of June 1867, the light at Tuckers beach, near the entrance to Little Egg harbour, coast of New Jersey, will be re-established.

The light is a *fixed* light varied by a *flash* every *minute*, and should be seen in clear weather at a distance of 12 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is of the fourth order.

The tower is white, and stands in lat. 39°30' 18" N. and long. 74° 16' 48" West of Greenwich.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation at Aransas Pass 8° 45' East in 1867.]

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer. Hydrographic Office, Admiralty London,

1st July, 1867.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts : -- America, East Coast, with Plan of Little Egg Harbour, No. 2480. Also, United States Lights List, No. 366.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 40.)-GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE-PRINCE Edward Island.

Fixed Light on East Point.

THE Government of Prince Edward Island has given notice, that on and after the 10th day of July, 1867, a light will be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on East Point, Prince Edward Island.

The light will be a *fixed* white light, at an elevation of 130 feet above the level of high water, and in clear weather should be seen at the distance of 18 miles.

The tower is octagonal, white, 60 feet high from and three pence, which have been permanently base to vane, and stands 200 yards in shore from secured to the district of Biscot, in the county of

the south side of the point and in lat. 46° 27' 9" N., long. 61° 58' 15" West of Greenwich.

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer. Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

4th July, 1867.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:-Gulf of St. Lawrence, No. 2516; Gulf of St. Lawrence, Sheet 9, No. 2034; and St. John's, Newfoundland, to Halifax, No. 2666.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction consisting of two parcels of land, comprising together three thousand four hundred and seventy-six square yards, which have been permanently secured to the perpetual curacy of Saint John, Barnsley, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, and of a further benefaction of six hundred and thirty pounds sterling, which we have received in favour of the same benefice, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant to the Incumbent of the said perpetual curacy of Saint John, Barnsley, to meet such benefactions, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same benefice, one yearly sum or stipend of seven pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable half-yearly on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year : And we do also hereby grant and appropriate out of our said common fund to the said benefice of Saint John, Barnsley, one capital sum of seven hundred and seventy pounds sterling, such capital sum to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said benefice, according to plans and a specification to be approved by us, and such capital sum of seven hundred and seventy pounds, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands, at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent, for the time being, of the said benefice of Saint John, Barnsley: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient to produce the said yearly sum or stipend of seven pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, hereinbefore mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said benefice in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

> In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of a plot of land, and of certain tithe commutation rent-charges, amounting to one hundred and forty-eight pounds fourteen shillings and three pence, which have been permanently secured to the district of Biscot. in the county of