

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 138.)—ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.

*Beacon on Dungeness Point.*

THE Trinity House, London, has given notice that in consequence of the rapid accumulation of the beach to seaward at Dungeness Point, it has been decided to erect a beacon on it, in order the better to define the extremity.

The beacon will consist of a mast 50 feet high, with two large globes placed vertically thereon; it will be placed a few yards above high water mark, about 400 yards S.E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. from the light-house.

Also, that further notice will be given when the beacon is completed.

*Limit of Dungeness Red Light.*

Also, that the limit of the sector of red light of Dungeness denoting the anchorage in East Bay is now from S.W. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. to S.W. by S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S. From the latter bearing the light is obscured to the land.

## EAST COAST.

*Souter Point, Tynemouth, and Coquet Lights.*

Also, with reference to Notice to Mariners No. 132, dated 21st December, 1870, respecting the exhibition of a new light on Souter point, and the alterations in the Tynemouth and Coquet Lights, on the 22nd December.

Further notice is given, that the proposed exhibition and alterations will not take place until the 11th day of January, 1871.

## WEST COAST.

*Entrance to the River Dee.*

Also, that in consequence of considerable changes having taken place in the Hoyle Sand and Chester Bar (approaches to and entrance of Dee Diver), the following alterations in the buoyage have been made.

*Chester Bar* Buoy has been moved 9 cables N.E.

*N.E. Middle Patch* Buoy has been moved 5 cables N.E.

*South Hoyle* Buoy has been moved one cable W. by S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S.

The recent Admiralty Survey of this locality, including the changes, will shortly be published.

Also, that in March, 1871, a new red can buoy named *East Salisbury* will be placed on the east side of the Salisbury Sand in the channel leading into Dalpool Deep.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation at Dungeness  $19^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1970; River Dee  $22\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1870.]

By Command of their Lordships,

*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
30th December, 1870.

This notice effects the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, Nos. 1598 and 2675 *a*; Beachy Head to Dungeness, No. 2452; Dover Strait, No. 1895; and Liverpool Bay, No. 1169.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 139.)—RED SEA—BAB-EL-MANDEB STRAIT.

*Perim Island Light.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 112, dated 21st October, 1870, respecting a temporary

suspension of the revolving light and the substitution of a fixed one.

Information has been received by telegram, that the new revolving light is now exhibited, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 23 miles.

By command of their Lordships,

*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
30th December, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Red Sea, Nos. 2523 and 8 *a*; Arabian Sea, No. 10 *a*; Indian Ocean, No. 748 *b*; Aden Gulf, No. 6 *b*; Perim Island, No. 2592; and Juba Islands to Muscat, No. 598.

## NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, S.W., December 31, 1870.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the slave and tonnage bounties awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 26th May, 1869, by Her Majesty's ship "Star."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said bounties 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.

## INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the 28th year of Her Majesty, cap. 30, for granting to Her Majesty certain duties of Customs and Inland Revenue, power is given for increasing in certain cases the number of persons appointed under the provisions made by the Act passed in the 5th and 6th years of Her Majesty, cap. 35, Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts, and persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners in each district or division in Great Britain; and it appearing to the Board of Inland Revenue that the number of persons so appointed for the division of Burnham, in the county of Bucks, is insufficient for the proper discharge of the business therein arising under the Income Tax Act, the said Board hereby authorise the increase in the number of the Commissioners for the said division to any number not exceeding fourteen, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners to any number not exceeding fourteen; and we, the undersigned, two members of the said Board, do hereby convene a meeting of the persons appointed for putting in execution within the said county an Act passed in the 38th year of the reign of King George the Third, intituled "An Act for granting an aid to His Majesty by a