

The outer extremity of these mines will be marked by a guard boat, which during the day would be distinguished by a red pendant, and at night by a fixed white light, on the flag staff.

A flashing light will also be exhibited from the guard boat when vessels are entering or leaving Port Pola at night.

CAUTION.—Vessels when entering or leaving Port Pola must pass southward of this guard boat.

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
2nd September, 1879.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Adriatic Sea, No. 1440; Fossaceca to Rimino, No. 200; Ports in the Adriatic, No. 1678: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, 1879, No. 344; and Adriatic Pilot, 1861, page 73.

(2.) Temporarity, Gulf of Venice; Rimino to Cape Promontore, No. 201; Port Pola and Brioni Islands, No. 202: Also, Adriatic Pilot, 1861, page 112.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 126.)—AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

(1.) *Reported Sunken Danger in Trinity Bay.*

THE Government of Queensland has given notice of the existence of a coral reef, with about 6 feet on it at low water spring tides, situated in Trinity Bay.

From the position of this reported danger (on which the steamship "Egmont" recently struck), Low Island Lighthouse bears N. $\frac{1}{2}$ W., and Island Point, N.W. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.

A depth of 7 fathoms was found close to this danger.

TORRES STRAIT.

(2.) *Reported Rock in Prince of Wales Channel.*

Information has been received of the existence of a dangerous sunken rock, said to lie in the western entrance to Prince of Wales Channel, Torres Strait, and nearly in the track recommended.

This rock, on which the ship "Canon Harrison" is reported to have grounded on 8th June, 1879 (when proceeding from Newcastle, N.S.W. to Bombay), has on it a depth of about 16 feet at low water, and is about 35 yards in circumference, with depth of $6\frac{1}{2}$ and 8 fathoms close to.

From the rock, as stated by Mr. J. R. Haws, Master of the "Canon Harrison":—Hammond Rock bears N.E. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E.; Ipihi Reef, E. $\frac{1}{2}$ N.; Goode Island, south-west extreme, S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ S.; and White Rocks, N.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ W.

These bearings place the rock in lat. $10^{\circ} 32' 35''$ S., long. $142^{\circ} 8' 10''$ E.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation: Trinity Bay, $6\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$; Torres Straits, $4\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$. Easterly in 1879.]

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
3rd September, 1879.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Coral Sea and Great Barrier Reefs, No. 2764; and Australia, North-East Coast, sheet 16, Double Point to Cape Tribulation, No. 2350: Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1864, page 158.

(2.) Australia, North-East Coast, sheet 20, Cape Grenville to Booby Island, No. 2354; Torres Strait, Western Channels, No. 2375; Normandy Sound and Prince of Wales Channel, No. 691: Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1864, page 243.

India Office, September 3, 1879.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Examination of Candidates for twenty-four appointments as Surgeon in Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service, will be held in London in February, 1880.

Copies of the regulations for the Examination, together with information regarding pay and retiring allowances, &c., of Indian Medical Officers, may be obtained on application at the Military Department, India Office, London, S.W.

A further notice will be issued when the exact date of examination has been fixed.

Allen Johnson, Colonel,

Military Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Dinas Noddfa Baptist Chapel, situate at Landore, in the parish of Llan-gafelach, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Swansea, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 3rd day of July, 1879, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 5th day of August, 1879.

G. Baker Haynes, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named St. Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel, situate at Liverpool-road, Eccles, in the parish of Barton-upon-Irwell, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of Barton-upon-Irwell, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 28th day of August, 1879, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 1st day of September, 1879.

Henry Whitworth, Superintendent Registrar.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Preston District.

In the Matter of the Daisyfield Cotton Spinning and Manufacturing Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Acts, 1850 and 1854.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before Thursday, the 25th day of September, 1879, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Messrs. Alexander Wesley Bragg and William Ditchfield, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Accountants, the Official Liquidators of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidators, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the office of the District Registrar, No. 13, Winckley-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1879, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 4th day of September, 1879.