

feet, and steep-to around; it lies with the following bearings:—

Tibakkan Islet, S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S.

Marantabuan Islet, W. by N. $\frac{1}{4}$ N.

These bearings place Mosquito Rock in lat. $6^{\circ} 56' 50''$ N., long. $117^{\circ} 30' 50''$ E.

NOTE.—Mosquito Rock is only discernible from the mast head at a short distance.

(3.) *Sunken Rock Northward of Billebillean Rock.*

The following information has been received from Commander Evans, Her Majesty's ship "Lily," relative to a sunken rock lying about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles N.N.E. of Billebillean Rock, eastern approach to Mallawallé Channel.

This danger (Lily Rock) which the "Lily," drawing $13\frac{1}{2}$ feet, grazed over, is apparently steep-to on the south-east side, with 7 to 8 fathoms ckse-to on the north-west side; it lies with the following bearings:—

Lankayan Island (very indistinct), S. 41° E.

Billebillean Rock, S. 22° W.

These bearings place Lily Rock in approximately, lat. $6^{\circ} 36' 50''$ N., long. $117^{\circ} 49' 40''$ E.

NOTE.—It is estimated that the depth over Lily Rock is about 9 feet.

[The bearings and course are magnetic. Variation 2° Easterly in 1882.]

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
13th June, 1882.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, Southern portion, No. 2660*b*; Palawan Island, No. 967; Malludu Bay, No. 946 (1 only); Sulu Archipelago, No. 2576 (3 only). Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1879, page 141; and Hydrographic Notices, No. 9, of 25th April, 1881, page 3; No. 21, of 25th June, 1881, page 2; No. 22, of 25th June, 1881, page 1; No. 11, of 20th April, 1882, page 1.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 113.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

THAMES RIVER ENTRANCE.

(1.) *Bullock Channel—Intended Buoyage.*

THE Trinity House, London, has given notice, dated 30th May, 1882, that for the greater convenience of navigation, especially of large vessels entering or leaving the River Thames, it has been decided to buoy the channel hitherto known as Bullock Channel, and thenceforth to distinguish it by the name of his Royal Highness the Master of that Corporation, as the Duke of Edinburgh Channel.

(2.) *Shingles Sand—Intended Beacon on North-East part.*

Also, that a beacon, surmounted by a St. Andrew's Cross, will be erected on the north-east part of Shingles Sand, southern side of Bullock Channel.

Further notice will be given as soon as the buoys have been placed.

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
13th June, 1882.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, No. 2182*a*; English Channel, Nos. 1598, 2675*a*; Dover and Calais to Orfordness, No. 1406; North Foreland to Orfordness, No. 1610; North Foreland to the Nore, No. 1607. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1874, pages 241, 243, 245.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 114.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

HUMBER RIVER.

(1.) *Winteringham Haven—Additional Leading Lights.*

THE Trinity House, Hull, has given notice, that on 11th May, 1882, in consequence of an alteration in the channel round Whitton Ness, two additional leading lights would be exhibited on the south-east side of Winteringham Haven, south shore of Humber River.

NOTE.—The two lights on the shore at Winteringham will be continued as at present.

SCOTLAND—WEST COAST.

HEBRIDES OR WESTERN ISLES.—MONACH ISLES
—SHILLAY ISLAND.

(2.) *Intended Discontinuance of Monach Low Light.*

The Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses have given notice, that on 1st July, 1882, the fixed red light exhibited from the window below the principal light at Monach Lighthouse, Shillay Island, will be discontinued.

The principal light (flashing every ten seconds) will be exhibited as at present.

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
13th June, 1882.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1882, page 22.

(2.) North Atlantic Ocean, Eastern Part, No. 2060*a*; Scotland, West Coast, No. 2635; Barra Head to Scarpa Island, No. 2474; Monach and Haskier Islands, with plan of Sound of Shillay, No. 2805. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1882, No. 312; and Sailing Directions for the West Coast of Scotland, Part I, 1874, page 80.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 115.)—ENGLAND.—SOUTH COAST.

NEEDLES CHANNEL.

Needles Light—Intended Alteration in Character.

THE Trinity House, London, has given notice, that early in September, 1882, it is intended to make the following alteration in the character of the Needles Light.

The light will be an occulting light, with an eclipse of three seconds' duration every half-minute.

Further notice will be given when this alteration is effected.

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
14th June, 1882.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Atlantic Ocean, eastern part, No. 2060*a*; British Islands to Mediterranean Sea, No. 1; English Channel, Nos. 1598, 2675*a*; Portland to Owers, No. 2450; Owers to Christchurch, No. 2045; Needles Channel, No. 2219. Also Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1882, No. 47; and Channel Pilot, Part I, 1878, page 148.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the lists of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Bassetlaw, in the county of Nottingham, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the