

This buoy should not be relied on.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Charts:—I. de Groix to Raz de Sein, No. 2645; Raz de Sein to Goulven, No. 2643. Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1891, page 51.

No. 712.—UNITED STATES—MAINE.

West Penobscot Bay—Light and Fog Signal on Two-Bush Island.

THE United States Government has given notice that on 10th November, 1897, a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on the south-western point of Two-Bush Island, western side of entrance to West Penobscot Bay:—

Two-Bush Island Light is a fifth order flashing light every five seconds, showing the following sectors:—Red from S.S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., to W. $\frac{3}{8}$ S. (over Two-Bush reef); white from W. $\frac{5}{8}$ S., through west and north, to E. by N. $\frac{1}{4}$ N. (over Two-Bush channel, the last bearing passing southward of Crow Island ledges; and obscured from other directions.

It is elevated 65 feet above high water, 36 feet above the ground, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

The lighthouse is a square, pyramidal, red brick structure, lantern black, with a red brick workroom and fog signal room attached to its base. A white wooden dwelling stands north-eastward and a red brick house and white boat-house north-westward of the lighthouse.

Approximate position, lat. 43° 57' 50" N., long. 69° 4' 30" W.

Also that during thick or foggy weather a bell at this lighthouse will be struck by machinery twice in succession every twenty seconds.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Fundy to Block Island, No. 2492; Little Spoon Island to Pemaquid Point, &c., No. 612. Also List of Lights, Part VIII, 1897, 532a; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 22.

No. 713.—ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.

Tamar River—Prohibited Anchorage near Albert Bridge.

INFORMATION has been received that a water pipe has been laid across the Tamar River, on a line parallel to, and about 10 yards southward of, the Albert Bridge, Saltash.

Mariners are warned not to anchor near this position, or drop through the bridge with an anchor underfoot if it can possibly be avoided.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Plymouth Sound and Hamoaze, No. 30; Tamar River, Nos. 852, 871; Hamoaze, No. 240; and Channel Pilot, Part I, 1893, page 137.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
18th to 19th November, 1897.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of the city of Bath, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a

meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the city aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Guildhall, Bath, on Saturday, the 27th day of November, 1897, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of the city of Bath aforesaid.

G. H. Murray.

F. L. Robinson.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, November 18, 1897.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Bath Forum, in the county of Somerset, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Guildhall, Bath, on Saturday, the 27th day of November, 1897, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of Bath Forum aforesaid.

G. H. Murray.

F. L. Robinson.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, November 18, 1897.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intitled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of December next, in consequence of changes in the Hastings and Battle Poor Law Unions made by the "Hastings (Extension) Order, 1897," which was confirmed by "The Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 17) Act, 1897," the following changes shall be made in the Sub-Districts within Hastings and Battle Registration Districts:—(1) the part of All Saints Civil Parish which was previously part of Fairlight Civil Parish shall be transferred from Ore Sub-District of Hastings Registration District, to All Saints Sub-District of the same Registration District; (2) those parts of the newly constituted Civil Parishes of Hollington St. John and Hollington Rural, which were previously parts of St. Matthew Civil Parish shall be transferred from St. Mary Magdalen Sub-District of Hastings Registration District, to Bexhill Sub-District of Battle Registration District; and (3) the part of Ore Civil Parish which was previously part of St. Matthew Civil Parish shall be transferred from St. Mary Magdalen Sub-District of Hastings Registration District, to Ore Sub-District of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 19th day of November 1897.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.

General Register Office,

Somerset House, London.