LAND OFFICE.

No. S. 233.—It is hereby notified that the following Sales of Crown Land by Public Auction will be held at the Police Station, Au Tau, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 14th day of August, 1913.

The Lots are sold for the term of Seventy-five years from the 1st day of July, 1898, with the right of renewal for a further term of 24 years less 3 days at a re-assessed Crown Rent, Lot 1671 as a Grave Lot, Lot 470 as a Building Lot, Lots 1672, 2475 and 1456 as Agricultural Lots, subject to the General Conditions of Sale published in Government Notification No. 365 of 1906. Lot 1671 is subject to Special Condition No. 1 published in Government Notification No. 697 of 1909; Lots 470, 1672, 2475, and 1456 are subject to Special Condition No. 5 published in Government Notification No. 278 of 1911; and Lots 1672, 2475 and 1456 are further subject to Special Conditions Nos. 1, 2 and 3 published in Government Notification No. 697 of 1909.

The amount to be spent on Lot 470 in rateable improvements under the General Condition No. 5 is \$20.00.

#### PARTICULARS OF THE LOTS.

Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.				Contents in sq. feet	Upset Price.	Annual Crown
		N.E.	s.w.	N.W.	s.E.	or Acres.	I Hee.	Rent.
		feet.	feet.	feet.	feet.	sq. ft.	\$	\$
Survey District 131. Lot No. 470.	Yeung Siu Hang.	12	12	16	16	192	2	.50
Demarcation District 132.		N.	s. ,	E.	w.			
Lot No. 1671.	Siu Hang.	35	35	35	· 35	1,225	13	1.50
Lot No. 1672.	Po Tong Ha.	As per plan deposited in the District Office, Tai Po.				·17 Acre.	19	.20
Demarcation District 130. Lot No. 2475.	San Tsün Wai.	Do.				•40. "	44	.40
Lot No. 1456.	Tin Tsz Wai.	Do. "1				.14 "	16	.20

P. JACKS, Land Officer.

1st August, 1913...

No. S. 234.

#### NOTICES TO MARINERS.

### PETER THE GREAT BAY.

THE following is a précis of a Russian Notice to Mariners:

The Western Entrance to Strelok Bay has been marked as follows:-

1. On the port hand, by two red and white beacons, carrying two cones, points together.

No. 1 beacon, in 53 fathoms, with

Cape Rodionoff 64° 17′, Cape Maydell 65° 21′, Cape Obrutcheff.

No. 2 beacon, in  $5\frac{1}{4}$  fathoms, with

Cape Rodionoff 58° 13′, Cape Maydell 52° 37′, Cape Obrutcheff.

On the starboard hand, by two black and white beacons, carrying diamonds.

These beacons are on West side of the bank off Cape Foelkersam.

No. 1 beacon, in 61 fathoms, with

Cape Rodionoff 70° 50′, Cape Maydell 65° 30′, Cape Obrutcheff.

No. 2 beacon, in 5\frac{3}{4} fathoms, with

Cape Rodionoff 55° 54′, Cape Maydell 46° 56′, Cape Obrutcheff:

This channel is available for vessels drawing not more than 20 feet of water.

- 2. The West extreme of the bank off Cape Ossipoff has been marked by a red and white beacon carrying two cones, points together, in  $6\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms, with Cape Rodionoff 50° 20′, Cape Obrutcheff 91°, Waldt Rock.
- 3. The West extreme of the bank off Putiatin Island (opposite Cape Ossipoff) has been marked by a black and white beacon, carrying a diamond in 9½ fathoms with Cape Prigluby 83° 44′, Waldt Rock 56° 14′, Cape Obrutcheff.
- 4. The South extreme of the bank off Cape Greding has been marked by a red beacon carrying a cone, point upwards, in  $8\frac{1}{4}$  fathoms, with

Cape Startreff 98° 40′, Cape Filissoff 56° 36′, Waldt Rock.

Basil Taylor, Commander, R.N., Harbour Master, &c.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1913.

No. 555.

#### CHINA SEA.

## TIENTSIN DISTRICT.

## GULF OF PECHILI-TAKU BAR.

Alteration in the positions of the Taku Bar inner leading marks.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks have been shifted.

The front mark, which is a pole painted white and surmounted by a black triangular shape, on which a Dioptric, Seventh Order, fixed white light is exhibited from sunset to sunrise, is situated 1.26 miles S.  $10\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W. of the Cavalier at North Fort. The rear mark, which is a pole painted white and surmounted by a black triangular shape, on which a Dioptric, Sixth Order, fixed red light is exhibited from sunset to sunrise, is situated 2,162 feet N.  $72^{\circ}$  15' W. from the front mark.

These Marks in line lead through the channel between the Bar Light-boat and the Spit Light-boat.

All bearings given are magnetic.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,

T. J. ELDRIDGE,

Deputy Coast Inspector

(For Coast Inspector).

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS, COAST INSPECTOR'S OFFICE, SHANGHAI, 24th July, 1913.

(Translation.)

#### FORMOSA.

#### PESCADORES CHANNEL.

Sabo Sho Lighthouse.

Notification No. 130.

In accordance with Notification No. 21 of September, 1912, a Flashing Light is now exhibited from the Lighthouse which has been erected on Sabo Sho (Three I.), as follows:—

## Name.—Sabo Sho Lighthouse.

Position.—Latitude 23° 32′ 8″ N.; Longitude 119° 43′ 11″ E. (according to the Japanese Admiralty Chart No. 235).

Construction and painting.—Octagonal brick tower, painted with black and red horizontal bands.

Height of light from the base.—36 feet.

Height of light above the water.—79 feet.

Order and character of light.—4th Order White Group Flashing Light by aceton gas, showing 2 flashes during 1 second, followed by an eclipse of 5 seconds.

Illuminated arc.—The whole horizon; but a red ray illuminates 6 degrees of horizon from N. 32° W. to N. 26° W., to cover Rokushaku Sho (Six Feet R<sup>F</sup>.), and another red ray is shown for an arc of 170 degrees of horizon from N. 29° E., through E. & S., to S. 19° W., covering Nan Sho, Kentei Gan and other dangers lying to the Westward of the Lighthouse. The bearings are magnetic and from seaward.

Candle power.—About 1,000.

Distance visible.—15 nautical miles in clear weather.

Note.—The Light is unwatched. Should the light go out by accident, there may be some delay before relighting it. Mariners are cautioned accordingly.

COUNT SAMATA SAKUMA, Governor-General of Formosa.

TAIPEH, July 9th, 1913.

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Hongkong, 1st August, 1913.

J. M. BECK, Superintendent,

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J. C. Gough, Actg. Superintendent.

Hongkong Station, 1st August, 1913.