

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.  
(BRITISH SECTION.)

**No. S. 295.**—It is hereby notified that Sealed Tenders which should be clearly marked "Tender for the supply of Clothing for Railway Department" will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until noon of Friday 26th instant for the supply and making of clothing for the use of the Railway Department for 1913-1914.

Tenderers must produce a receipt that they have deposited in the Colonial Treasury the sum of \$25.00 as a pledge of the *bonâ fides* of their tender, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown if any tenderer fails or refuses to carry out his tender should such tender be accepted.

For further particulars and form of tender apply to the Manager, Railway Offices, Kowloon.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

H. P. WINSLOW,  
*Manager.*

19th September, 1913.

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**No. S. 296.**                      NOTICES TO MARINERS.  
PETER THE GREAT BAY.

THE following is a precis of a Notice to Mariners issued by the Russian Government.

On August 18th (31) 1913, Larionoff Point Light was discontinued, and a White and Red Fixed and Flashing light was exhibited on the South extreme of Tokarevski Spit, in Latitude  $43^{\circ} 4' N.$  Longitude  $131^{\circ} 51' E.$  The new light shows White from N.  $48^{\circ} E.$  through South, to N.  $53^{\circ} W.$  Red from N.  $53^{\circ} W.$  through North, to N.  $48^{\circ} E.$  It is Fixed, with one flash of one second duration every 5 seconds, and is exhibited from a White Otagonal tower 33 feet in height, at a height of 42 feet above mean sea level; visible 8.5 miles.

A fog bell has also been installed.

The Light on Skripleff Island has been strengthened, and is now of greater power than any other light on the Coast.

BASIL TAYLOR, Commander, R.N.,  
*Harbour Master, &c.*

HONGKONG, 17th September, 1913.

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA.  
No. 13 of 1913.  
GULF ST. VINCENT.  
OUTER HARBOR.

MASTERS of Vessels, Pilots, and others are hereby informed that the Warping Buoy at the Outer Harbor Swinging Berth has been removed and that it is not to be replaced.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
*President of the Marine Board  
and Controller of Harbors.*

Marine Board Offices, Port Adelaide, May 31st, 1913.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

No. 14 of 1913.

GULF ST. VINCENT.

PORT ADELAIDE RIVER.

MASTERS of Vessels, Pilots, and others are hereby informed that on and after the night of the 21st June, a New Lead will be established and lighted in the Port Adelaide River near No. 8 Beacon, and will be known as No. 10A Lead. This Lead, which consists of two red lights, shown from wooden structures, painted red, is a continuation outwards of No. 10 Lead and the course should be changed when passing No. 9 Light Beacon, so as to pass a safe distance from No. 8 Green Light Beacon.

ARTHUR SEARCY,

*President of the Marine Board  
and Controller of Harbors.*

Marine Board Offices, Port Adelaide, *June 19th, 1913.*

TRANSLATION.

*Notification Nos. 656 and 661 of Department of Communications.*

No. 656, Tokyo, September 1st, 1913.

IMPROVEMENT OF ILLUMINATING APPARATUS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, The Candle Power and the visible distance of the Light of Ye-saki Lighthouse, Awaji province, Hyogo prefecture, have been changed as follows.

YE-SAKI LIGHTHOUSE.

Candle power :—9000.

Distance visible :—19 nautical miles in clear night.

No. 661, Tokyo, September 3rd, 1913.

RESTORATION OF INTENSITY OF LIGHT AT HIME-SHIMA.

NOTICE is hereby given that, The Candle Power of the Light of Hime-shima Lighthouse, E. extreme of Hime-shima. Bungo province, which was reduced during the repair of its illuminating apparatus, (See Notification No. 366 of Department of Communications, April 1913.) Has been shown as Formerly.

MOTODA HAJIME,

*Minister of State for Communications.*

HARBOUR NOTIFICATION.

No. 7 of 1913.

REFERRING to Harbour Notification No. 5 of 1913 Notice is hereby given that, the Superintendent of Customs and the Treaty Power Consuls having withdrawn the declaration of plague-infection against AMOY, the medical inspection and fumigation of vessels arriving from that port are discontinued.

The importation from the above port of the following articles is, except as provided for in Article 10 of the Sanitary Regulations for the port of Shanghai, still prohibited—

Rags, old paper, old gunny-bags, coffins containing corpses, and earth and mould.

WM. CARLSON,

*Harbour Master.*

Approved :

F. S. UNWIN,

*Commissioner of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE,

SHANGHAI, *10th September, 1913.*

SPECIAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 403.

CHINA SEA.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

TSUNGMING CROSSING.

*Intended alteration in Buoyage.*

REFERRING to Special Notice to Mariners No. 402, notice is hereby given that a recent examination made of the Crossing shows that the western end of the channel has changed considerably and the channel generally has shoaled to 16 feet, and that on or about the 14th instant the following change will be made in the positions of the West Spit and First Crossing Buoys :—

The West Spit Gas-lighted Buoy will be shifted 13.5 cables S. 47° E. from its present position, be placed in 40 feet of water, and retain its former characteristics.

The First Crossing Buoy will be shifted 5 cables S. 29¼° W. from its present position, be placed in 16 feet of water, and retain its former characteristics.

All bearings given are magnetic, and depths are reduced to low water of spring tides.

T. J. ELDRIDGE,  
*Deputy Coast Inspector*  
(For Coast Inspector).

COAST INSPECTOR'S OFFICE,  
SHANGHAI, 11th September, 1913.

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SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

**No. S. 273.**—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders, which should be clearly marked "Tender for the supply of Sanitary Department Stores", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 23rd September, 1913, for the supply of Stores to this Department, for the period of one year, from the 1st January next.

No tender will be considered unless the person tendering produces a receipt to the effect that he has deposited in the Treasury the sum of \$125 as a pledge of the *bonâ fides* of his offer, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown, if such person fails or refuses to carry out his tender, should the tender be accepted.

For form of tender, with detailed list of articles, apply at the Colonial Secretary's Office and this form only must be used.

For further particulars apply at this Office.

The successful tenderer will be required to sign a formal contract containing conditions to be prescribed by the Board and also to give security by depositing a sum of \$300 in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in the name of the Colonial Treasurer: failing compliance with these requirements the sum deposited with the tender will be forfeited.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. W. TRATMAN,  
*Head of the Sanitary Department.*

5th September, 1913.

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SANITARY DEPARTMENT.

**No. S. 274.**—It is hereby notified that sealed tenders, which should be clearly marked "Tender for the Blood and Hair Contract, Kennedy Town", will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of Tuesday, the 23rd September, 1913, for the daily collection and removal of blood and hair from the Slaughter House situated at Kennedy Town in the City of Victoria, for the period of one year, from the 1st January next.