NOTICES TO MARINERS.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 148.

FOOCHOW DISTRICT.

Salvage operations in Pagoda Anchorage.

Referring to Local Notice to Mariners No. 146, notice is hereby given that, on or about the 15th instant, operations for the removal of the wreck *Banei Maru* by explosives will be commenced in the vicinity of Pagoda Rock Beacon.

As divers will be down, vessels are cautioned to give the craft employed on this work as wide a berth as possible and to proceed dead slow when passing.

The craft carrying out the salvage will exhibit a red flag by day, and the wreck will be marked at night by a native boat exhibiting a red light.

These signals, however, must be considered as unreliable owing to the exposed position of the wreck.

Foochow, 14th July, 1922.

HARBOUR NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Superintendent of Customs and the Treaty Power Consuls having declared Amoy plague-infected, all vessels arriving from that port on and after 21st July will be governed by the Sanitary Regulations for the port of Foochow.

J. POWER, Harbour Master.

Approved:

87.

PERCY R. WALSHAM,

Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House, Foochow, 21st July, 1922.

Singapore Strait—Pulo Bintang.

Tanjong Brakit—Light Established.

Position.—Latitude 1° 13′ 01″ N., Longitude 104° 34′ 06″ E., as given by the Dutch Authorities.

Characteristics:—

Character.—A group flashing light shewing 2 flashes every 10 seconds, thus: 1 second light, eclipse 1 second, 1 second light, eclipse 7 seconds.

Visibility.—21 miles.

Other details.—Not stated.

Charts affected.—Nos. 2403, 2757, 3543, 1355, 941A, 2660A, 1263, 748B.

Light List.—Part VI, 1922.

Authority.—Straits Settlements Government Gazette Notices Nos. 901, 969.

Note.—On certain copies of Charts Nos. 3543 and 1355 the visibility of the Horsburgh light on Pedra Branca is incorrectly shewn as 20 miles.

88.

Borneo-North Coast-Sandakan Harbour.

Borneo Rock—Beacon Established, Buoy Withdrawn.

Position.—On Borneo Rock, Latitude 5° 44′ 57″ N., Longitude 118° 07′ 20″ E.

Remarks.—An iron tripod beacon surmounted by a barrel painted white has been established on Borneo Rock, and the red can buoy formerly marking the rock withdrawn.

Charts affected.—Nos. 1649, 287.

Authority.—British North Borneo Government Gazette dated June 1st, 1922.

89.

Borneo-North-west Coast-Sarawak.

Miri-Lobang Point Light...Alteration in Character.

Position (approx.).—Latitude 4° 22′ N., Longitude 113° 58′ E.

Remarks.—A new lighthouse has been erected on the site of the former lighthouse on Tanjong Lobang and the character of the light changed as follows:—

Characteristics:--

Character.—An occulting light every 30 seconds, thus: light 20 seconds, eclipse 10 seconds.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Other details. - Not stated.

Charts affected.—Nos. 2108, 2660B, 1263.

Light List.—Part VI, 1922. No. 1103.

Authority.—Sarawak Government Gazette Notification No. 47 of 1922.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 225.—It is hereby notified that the following Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction will be held at the Offices of the Public Works Department on Monday, the 31st day of July, 1922, at 3 p.m.

Full Particulars and Conditions may be obtained at this Office.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.				Contents in	Annual	Upset
			N.	s.	Е.	w.	sq. ft.	Rental.	Price.
			feet.	feet.	feet.	feet.			\$
	Rural Building Lot No. 213.	Opposite Rural Build- ing Lot No. 169, Lugard Road.	As per sale plan.			About 10,000	58	1,400	

The Purchaser of the Lot will also have to pay the sum of \$25 for boundary stones required to define the Lot and \$30 for the Crown Lease.

T. L. PERKINS, Director of Public Works.

14th July, 1922.