

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 409.—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 8th day of January, 1923, 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 sq. feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
			N.	S.	E.	W.			
			feet.	feet.	feet.	feet.			
1	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 419.	North-West of Yen Chou Street between Yee Kuk and Hai Tan Streets, Shamshuipo.	As per sale plan.				About 49,500	\$ 228	\$ 99,000

The Purchaser of the Lot will also have to pay the sum of \$12 for boundary stones required to define the Lot and \$30 for the Crown Lease.

T. L. PERKINS,
Director of Public Works.

22nd December, 1922.

No. S. 410.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

On and from the 1st of November proximo there will be exhibited at and in the place of the present light at Flat Island a Quadruple Flashing Light every 15 seconds as follows:—

Flash $\frac{1}{2}$ "₇, eclipse 2", flash $\frac{1}{2}$ ", eclipse 2", flash $\frac{1}{2}$ ", eclipse 2", flash $\frac{1}{2}$ ", darkness

PORT DEPARTMENT,
MAURITIUS, 23rd October, 1922.

No. 313/X.

GULF OF SIAM—WEST COAST—CHUMPORN
BAY—BUOY DRIFTED.

The red buoy between Goh Samet and the mainland has drifted and is now lying at Lem Tian.

By order of the Ministry of Marine,

Commodore F. THOMSEN, R.N.,
Director General of the Hydrographic Department.

BANGKOK, 30th November, 1922.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 652.

CHINA.

CHINKIANG DISTRICT—YANGTZE RIVER.

Cooper Bank Crossing.

Channel Light-Beacon and Crossing Light-Boat to be moved.

Notice is hereby given that, owing to changes in the Cooper Bank Crossing, Yangtze River, the following aids to navigation will be moved on or about the 16th December, 1922:—

The Channel Light-beacon will be moved about 0.6 miles S. $79\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E. from its present position, its characteristics remaining unchanged.

The Crossing Light-boat will be moved about 8 cables N. 51° W. from its present position, its characteristics remaining unchanged.

All bearings given are magnetic.

SHANGHAI, 11th December, 1922.

NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 764.

CHINA—NORTH COAST.

CHEFOO DISTRICT—PECHILI STRAIT.

Howki Island Light.

New Light to be exhibited ; Provisional Lights to be discontinued.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 757, notice is hereby given that the installation of the new lighting apparatus at Howki Island Lighthouse, Pechili Strait, will be completed, and the new light exhibited, at sunset on the 22nd December, 1922.

The new apparatus will be dioptric of the second order.

The character of the new light will be revolving, showing one flash every 20 seconds, the intensity of which will be equivalent to 440,000 candle power. Other characteristics of this light will remain unchanged.

The provisional lights which are at present being exhibited will be discontinued simultaneously with the exhibition of the new light.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,

T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
SHANGHAI, 12th December, 1922.

TRANSLATION.

Notification No. 251 of Government-General of Chosen.
Notification No. 2195 of Department of Communications.

(No. 251.)

W. COAST OF CHOSEN.

Notice is hereby given that the following lighthouse newly established at Ba-to, in west channel of Oryokko (Yalu River), has been shown since the 13th of November, 1922:—

Ba-to Lighthouse.

Position:—Lat. $39^{\circ} 48' 16''$ N., Long. $124^{\circ} 11' 12''$ E. (According to the Japanese Admiralty Charts Nos. 343, 350, 363, and 392).

Description:—White circular brick tower.

Height of light:—20 shaku above the base; 256 shaku above the mean sea level.

Character:—5th order, acetylene gas, occulting white, light 2 sec., eclipse 2 sec.

Illuminated arc:—From $281^{\circ} 53'$ to $241^{\circ} 13'$. (Bearings are true and taken from seaward).

Power:—1,250 candles.

Visibility:—22.5 nautical miles in clear night.

N.B.—No light operated during every freezing season.

KEIJO, CHOSEN, 22nd November, 1922.

(No. 2195.)

INLAND SEA.

Notice is hereby given that the following newly established lighthouse on Mu-shima, N.E. ward of Bingo-nada, Inland Sea, will be shown on and after the 1st December, 1922:—

Mu-shima Lighthouse.

Position:—Lat. $34^{\circ} 18'$ N., Long. $133^{\circ} 31' 47''$ E. on the Japanese Admiralty Chart No. 153.

Description:—Painted white, circular concrete tower.

Height of light:—25 shaku above the base; 210 shaku above mean sea level.

Character:—5th order, acetylene gas, occulting white, light 3 sec. eclipse 2 sec.

Illuminated arc:— 203° to 104° . (Bearings taken from seaward).

Power:—1,300 candles.

Visibility:—21 nautical miles in clear night.

VISCOUNT TOSHISADA, MAEDA,
Minister of State for Communications.

Issued by the Lighthouse Bureau, Yokohama, Japan.

TOKYO, 29th November, 1922.