

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 373.

Tenders will be received at this Office until Noon of Wednesday, the 5th proximo :—

1. For reforming, channelling, and concreting the upper portion of Po-Yan Street, on a length of 225 feet.
2. For removing the sand and rubbish, and constructing a parapet wall on the upper side of Glenealy Bridge.
3. For enlarging and repairing the timber landing pier at Tsimshatsui.

For forms of tender apply at this Office.

For specifications and further particulars apply at the Surveyor General's Office.

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

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th August, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 374.

The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th August, 1888.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

LYEMUN PASS.

A buoy will be moored in the Lyemun Pass for about 10 days from the 20th instant. Its position will be about 280 yards inside the Western Boundary of the Pass and about 320 yards from its Northern shore.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY, Ret. Comd., R.N.,
Harbour Master, &c.

Harbour Department, Hongkong, 18th August, 1888.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 375.

The following Hydrographic Notices are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 18th August, 1888.

Government of China.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 223.

CHINA SEA.

YANGTZE RIVER—CHINKIANG DISTRICT.

Cooper Bank Beacon Light.

Notice is hereby given that the Cooper Bank Beacon Light has been shifted 1,500 yards about N. 66° E. from its last position, in consequence of the washing away of the river bank.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,

E. V. BRENNAN,
Acting Coast Inspector.

IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS,
COAST INSPECTOR'S OFFICE,
SHANGHAI, 1st August 1888.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 224.

CHINA SEA.

YANGTZE RIVER—KIUKIANG DISTRICT.

Point Haines Beacon Light.

Notice is hereby given that the Point Haines Beacon Light has been shifted 50 yards S. 13° E. from its last position, in consequence of the washing away of the river bank.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs.

E. V. BRENNAN,
Acting Coast Inspector.

IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS,
COAST INSPECTOR'S OFFICE,
SHANGHAI, 1st August 1888.

Government of Japan.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

ÔYAMA LIGHTHOUSE.

Notice is hereby given that a Lighthouse has been erected by ISHIZAKA SHUZO and others at the village of OTTOMURA, at the foot of the hill known as ÔYAMA, on the coast of the Province of MIKAWA, the Light of which will be exhibited on the night of the 20th August, 1888, and every night thereafter from Sunset to Sunrise.

According to the Japanese Admiralty Chart No. 170, the position of the Lighthouse is in Latitude 34° 35' 36" North, and in Longitude 137° 8' 39" East of Greenwich.

The Lighthouse is a hexagonal, wooden tower, painted White, and 17½ feet high from the base to the centre of the Lantern.

The Light will be a 6th Order, Fixed, Red Light, and will illuminate 178 degrees of the horizon from N. 73° 45' E. to S. 71° 45' W. The bearings are true and as observed from the Lighthouse.

The elevation of the Light above the sea, will be 81½ feet, and in clear weather the Light will be visible at a distance of 8 nautical miles.

VISCOUNT ENOMOTO TAKEAKI,
Minister of State for Communications.

Tokio, July 26th, 1888.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HONMOKU BUOY.

Notice is hereby given that it having been discovered from soundings recently taken that the Shoal off Honmoku extends further to the Southward than was formerly supposed, the HONMOKU BUOY has been SHIFTED 5 CABLES to the SOUTHWARD of its FORMER POSITION.

The Buoy is now moored in 10 Fathoms of water at Low Water Springs.

The Cross Bearings from the new position of the Buoy are as follows:—

Jiuniten Yama (Mandarin Bluff),N. 20° W.
Hachioji Hana (Southern Extreme of Treaty Point),N. 45° W.
Koshiba Hana (Fillmore Point),S. 30° W.

Bearings true.

VISCOUNT ENOMOTO TAKEAKI,
Minister of State for Communications.

Tokio, 1st August, 1888.