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By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

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*Government of Japan.*

NOTIFICATION No. 128 OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

*Mooring Buoy off Naga-ura.*

Notice is hereby given that a MOORING BUOY has been laid by Kanagawa Kencho off Naga-ura for Mooring the Quarantine Vessel.

The Buoy is Cylindrical in shape and painted WHITE. It lies in 31 Fathoms of water, and West of a line drawn from Kanonsaki Lighthouse to Honmoku Lightship.

Its distance from Futsu Buoy (Saratoga Spit Buoy), is about 1½ Miles and its Magnetic Cross Bearings are as follows :—

Kanonsaki Lighthouse bears, .....S. 23° E.

East end of Sarushima bears, .....S. 45° W.

North end of Natsushima bears, .....N. 62° W.

Mariners should navigate this part of the Gulf with caution not to run foul of the Mooring Buoy, as the Quarantine Vessel may not be there sometimes.

VISCOUNT ENOMOTO TAKEAKI,  
*Minister of State for Communications.*

Tokio, 13th August, 1888.

*Government of India.*

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

CEYLON, SOUTH COAST.

Notice is hereby given that the Buoy marking Whale Rock off Galle has been re-moored in position, viz., in 16 fathoms S.S.W. of the rock, distant 3 cables.

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*Acting Master Attendant.*

Master Attendant's Office, Galle, July 25, 1888.