

No. S. 112.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 527.

CHINA SEA.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

YANGTZE RIVER—CONFUCIUS CHANNEL AND LANGSHAN CROSSING.

Alterations in Buoyage, and Establishment of Plover Point Buoy.

REFERRING to Special Notice to Mariners No. 366, notice is hereby given that the changes in aids to navigation notified therein have been carried out.

The Dove's Nest Upper Buoy is now moored in 50 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Leo Point Beacon bears S. $5\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ W., distant 2.27 miles.

The Actæon Buoy is now moored in 37 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Leo Point Beacon bears S. 22° E., distant 4.7 miles.

A 6-foot conical Buoy, painted *red* and surmounted by a cylindrical shape, and known as the Plover Point Buoy, has been moored in 38 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Langshan Pagoda bears N. $29\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ W., distant 11.29 miles. This Buoy marks the starboard side of the channel for vessels bound up river.

The Middle Bank Buoy has been changed in colour to *red*, and is now moored in 54 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Langshan Pagoda bears N. $14\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ W., distant 10.2 miles. This Buoy now marks the starboard side of the channel for vessels bound up river.

The North Bank Buoy is now moored in 34 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Langshan Pagoda bears N. $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E., distant 10.19 miles.

The Langshan Buoy is now moored in 44 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Langshan Pagoda bears N. 16° E., distant 9.36 miles.

The Upper Crossing Buoy is now moored in 45 feet of water at low water of spring tides. From the Buoy, Langshan Pagoda bears N. $53\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ E., distant 5.88 miles.

Unless otherwise stated, the characteristics of these Buoys remain unchanged.
All bearings given are magnetic.

By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,

W. FERD. TYLER,
Coast Inspector.

IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS,
COAST INSPECTOR'S OFFICE,
SHANGHAI, 29th March, 1912.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. S. 88.—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 Tuesday, the 9th day of April, 1912, 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 Rent. | Upset Price. |
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| | | | N.W. | S.E. | N.E. | S.W. | | | |
| | | | feet. | feet. | feet. | feet. | | \$ | \$ |
| 1 | Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1269. | Near Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1157. | 45 | 45 | 120 | 120 | 5,400 | 50 | 2,160 |

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

W. CHATHAM,
Director of Public Works.

22nd March, 1912.