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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that the following Notices to Mariners be published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 23, 1899.

BENGAL.—No. 156.

China Sea—Taiwan or Formosa—Foki Kaku Lighthouse—Fog Signal established.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 395 of 1899) that a fog siren worked by compressed air would be established at Foki Kaku lighthouse, which gives, during thick and foggy weather, one blast of five seconds' duration every minute.

Approximate position: lat. 25° 18' N., long. 121° 31' E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Amoy to Nagasaki, No. 2,412; Formosa Island and Strait, No. 1,968; Ockseu island to Tung yung, No. 1,761; also List of Lights, part VI., 1899, No. 816; China Sea Directory, vol. III., 1894, page 267; and Supplement, 1898, relating to that work, page 22.

P. J. FALLE, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

Calcutta, August 1, 1899.

BENGAL.—No. 157.

China Sea—Philippines, Luzon Island—Port Sorsogon—Rock—Shoal Water.

The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 396 of 1899) of the following dangers in port Sorsogon, Luzon Island:—

(a) There is shoal water extending southward from Malumahuan island. The island should not be approached from the southward and westward nearer than three-quarters of a mile.

(b) A pinnacle rock, with a depth of about 6 ft. on it named Magellen, is situated 1½ cable north of Makugil point.

Approximate position: lat. 12° 52' 30" N. long. 123° 51' 35" E.

Variation, nil in 1899.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Plan of Port Sorsogon on sheet No. 2,395; also Eastern Archipelago, part I., 1890, page 311, and Supplement, 1898, relating to that work, page 64.

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Calcutta, August 1, 1899.

Total Quantities of the following Articles Exported from the Ports of Colombo and Galle during the under-mentioned periods.

Vessels.	Date of Clearing.	For what Port.	Plantation Coffee.	Native Coffee.	Tea.	Cacao.	Trunk Cinchona.	Branch Cinchona.	Cinchona Chips.	Coccanuts.	Copperah.	Cocanut Oil.	Cocanut Poona.	Cinnamon.	Cinnamon Oil.	Citronella Oil.	Cardamoms.	Ebony.	Plumbago.	Coir Rope.	Coir Junk.	Coir Yarn.	Coir Fibre.	Sapan-wood.	Orchilla.	Kitool Fibre.	Deer Horns.
	1899		cwt.	cwt.	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.	No.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	lb.	oz.	oz.	lb.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	lb.	cwt.	cwt.	
COLOMBO.																											
ss. Kerbella	28-8	Calcutta	—	—	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Duke of Argyll	30-8	London	—	—	10720	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Clan Manroe	30-8	London	—	—	18262	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Clan Menzies	30-8	London	6	—	218494	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24431*	—	—	—	—	204	—	—	163	—	—	12	5	
ss. Moskva	31-8	Odessa	—	—	300635	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Hindu	31-8	Calcutta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Kamakuru																											
Maru	31-8	London	295	—	455047	86	3610	—	—	136810	7509	4573	226 ³	53641†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Clan Cambridge	31-8	London	—	—	162960	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Hohenfels	31-8	Calcutta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Sirdhana	31-8	Bombay	—	—	1022	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Khandalla	2-9	Calcutta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ss. Arcadia	2-9	Australia	—	—	318791	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
GALLE.																											
ss. Clan Maclaren	30-8	London	—	—	45282½	—	—	—	—	25102	—	3437	—	—	—	455264	—	—	—	—	—	1644	—	—	—	—	—

* And Chips 16,295 lb.

† And Chips 6,236 lb.

Importation of Rice from Indian and other Ports during the Week.

TO COLOMBO:—			
From	Calcutta	...	Bags 26,900
	Madras	...	" 360
	Pondicherry	...	" 337
	Penang	...	" 3,000
	Rangoon	...	" 16,152
	Bombay	...	" 635
	Southern India	...	" 12,901
	Total	...	Bags 60,285

TO GALLE:—			
From	Calcutta	...	Bags 3,157
	Southern India	...	" 247
	Total	...	Bags 3,404

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 5, 1899.

H. L. MOYSEY,
Principal Collector.

Comparative Statement showing the various Countries from which Cotton Goods have been received, and Quantities imported from each, during the Month ended July 31, 1899.

Articles.	United Kingdom	British India.	Straits.	French India.	China.	Hong-kong.	Austria.	Germany.	France	Belgium.	Holland.	Batavia.	Italy.	Japan.	America.	Switzerland.	Total for the Month of July, 1899.	Total for the Seven Months ended July 31, 1899.	Total for the Seven Months ended July 31, 1898.
Gray Cottons, bales and cases ...	175	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	175	1,585	3,525
White do. do. ...	150	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	155	1,249	1,456
Printed do. do. ...	131	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	131	597	470
Dyed do. do. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75	73
Coloured, Woven, do. ...	348	355	6	12	—	—	1	50	3	—	49	—	4	2	—	9	839	5,998	4,623
Sundry, do. do. ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	10	43	64
Yarns, plain ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Yarns, dyed ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	15	141	112
Total for the Month of July, 1899	806	355	6	12	—	—	4	50	3	—	59	—	4	2	—	24	1,325	9,689	10,323
Total for the Seven Months ended July 31, 1899 ...	6,221	2,167	41	98	15	2	28	337	16	5	321	—	49	99	140	150	—	9,689	—
Total for the Seven Months ended July 31, 1898 ...	7,129	2,482	32	72	4	—	7	183	—	2	139	1	16	25	97	134	—	—	10,323

Customs, Colombo, August, 30 1899.

W. H. JACKSON,
for Principal Collector.