

RETURN showing the NUMBER of NOTICES to MARINERS relating to Matters within the Colony issued by the Marine Department during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Port or Place.	Subject of Notice.
Auckland Harbour ..	Dredging operations, Hobson Street Wharf.
" ..	Practice, mine-fields.
Daggs Sound ..	Position of rock on which s.s. "Tutanekai" touched.
East Cape Island ..	Preliminary notices as to exhibition of light.
French Pass ..	Position and description of bank (two notices).
Greymouth ..	Barrytown Gold-mining Company's arc lights at Barrytown.
Kaipara Harbour ..	Leading-beacons re-erected and mark-buoys placed off Tory Shoal.
" ..	Further extension of Tory Shoal.
" ..	Extension of bank in Otamatea Channel.
Manawatu River ..	Alteration in colour of leading-lights.
Nelson Harbour ..	Alteration in position of bar-buoy.
New Plymouth Harbour ..	Day and night signals for port.
" ..	" " " new dredged channel.
Otago Harbour ..	Leading lights and beacons.
Pelorus Sound ..	Spar-buoy on Kainoke Rock.
Port Nicholson ..	Fog-signal at Pencarrow Head.
" ..	Mine-fields off Steeples Rock.
Raglan Harbour ..	Discontinuance of beacons.
Thames Harbour ..	Bell on fairway buoy, and more powerful light on Kopu Wharf.
Waimakariri River ..	Temporary flagstaff erected on South Spit.
General ..	Warning signal for use at night: flashing or sound signal.

DESCRIPTIVE RETURN of New Zealand COASTAL LIGHTHOUSES.

Name of Lighthouse.	Order of Apparatus.	Description.	Period of Revolving Light.	Colour of Light.	Tower built of	Dwellings built of	Date first lighted.
Cape Maria van Diemen	1st order dioptric	Revolving	1'	White .. ..	Timber	Timber	24 Mar., 1879
	" ..	Fixed	"	Red, to show over Columbia Reef.	"	"	"
Moko Hinou Tiri-Tiri ..	1st order dioptric	Flashing	10"	White .. ..	Stone	Timber	18 June, 1883
	2nd "	Fixed	"	White, with red arc over Flat Rock	Iron	"	1 Jan., 1865
Ponui Passage	5th "	"	"	White and red ..	Timber	"	29 July, 1871
Cuvier Island	1st "	Revolving	30"	White .. ..	Iron	"	22 Sept., 1880
East Cape ..	2nd "	Flashing	10"	" .. ..	"	"	Building.
	2nd "	Revolving	30"	" .. ..	Timber	"	10 Feb., 1878
Portland Island	" ..	Fixed	"	Red, to show over Bull Rock.	"	"	"
Cape Palliser	2nd order dioptric	Revolving	"	White .. ..	Iron	Timber	27 Oct., 1897
Pencarrow Head	2nd "	Fixed	"	" .. ..	"	"	1 Jan., 1859
Cape Egmont	2nd "	"	"	" .. ..	"	"	1 Aug., 1881
Manukau Head	3rd "	"	"	" .. ..	Timber	"	1 Sept., 1874
Kaipara Head	2nd "	Flashing	10"	" .. ..	"	"	1 Dec., 1884
Brothers ..	2nd "	"	10"	" .. ..	"	"	24 Sept., 1877
	" ..	Fixed	"	Red, to show over Cook Rock.	"	"	"
Cape Campbell	2nd order dioptric	Revolving	1'	White .. ..	Timber	Timber	1 Aug., 1870
Godley Head	2nd "	Fixed	"	" .. ..	Stone	Stone	1 April, 1865
Akaroa Head	2nd "	Flashing	10"	" .. ..	Timber	Timber	1 Jan., 1880
Moeraki ..	3rd "	Fixed	"	" .. ..	"	"	22 April, 1878
Taiaroa Head	3rd "	"	"	Red .. ..	Stone	Stone	2 Jan., 1865
Cape Saunders	2nd "	Revolving	1'	White .. ..	Timber	Timber	1 Jan., 1880
Nugget Point	1st "	Fixed	"	" .. ..	Stone	Stone	4 July, 1870
Waipapapa Point	2nd "	Flashing	10"	" .. ..	Timber	Timber	1 Jan., 1884
Dog Island	1st order catadioptric	Revolving	30"	" .. ..	Stone	Stone	1 Aug., 1865
Centre Island	1st order dioptric	Fixed	"	White, with red arcs overinshore dangers	Timber	Timber	16 Sept., 1878
Puysegur Point	1st "	Flashing	10"	White .. ..	"	"	1 Mar., 1879
Cape Foulwind	2nd "	Revolving	30"	" .. ..	"	"	1 Sept., 1876
Farewell Spit	2nd "	"	1'	White, with red arc over Spit end	Iron	"	17 June, 1870
Nelson ..	4th "	Fixed	"	White, with red arc to mark limit of anchorage	"	"	4 Aug., 1862
French Pass	6th "	"	"	Red and white, with white light on beacon.	"	"	1 Oct., 1884
Stephens Island	1st "	Group flashing	†	White .. ..	"	"	29 Jan., 1894

\* Flashing twice every half-minute, with interval of three seconds between flashes. † Two flashes in quick succession every half-minute.