

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, 1903.

Port or Place.	Subject of Notice.
Astrolabe Roads	Buoy disappeared and replaced (two notices).
Awanui	Sunken rock off Wharariki Point, near East Cape.
Doubtless Bay	Beacons to mark line of approach of Pacific cable.
East Cape	Time of high water, F. and C.
Foveaux Strait	Position of uncharted rocks.
Gisborne	Alteration in position of red buoy marking rocks in Poverty Bay.
"	Alteration in colour of buoys, Poverty Bay.
Greymouth	Signal-station, South Breakwater, shifted seaward.
"	Dredging operations.
Kahurangi Point	Configuration of coast-line, West Coast, South Island.
Kaipara	Shoal water off North Sandspit.
Manukau	Leading-marks for main channel.
Moeraki	Position of McKenzie Cairn, south of Moeraki Lighthouse.
Moko Hinou	Repairs to light on Burgess Island.
New Plymouth	Alteration in day and night signals.
Oamaru	Dredging operations.
Okarito	Exhibition of light on flagstaff.
Pelorus Sound	Beacon on Dart Rock, Tawhitinui Beach, disappeared.
Portland Island	Breakers reported off island.
Queen Charlotte Sound	Light on Jackson's Head beacon.
Thames	Buoy outside Opani Point, mouth of Thames River.
Waikato River	Leading-beacon blown down.
Wellington	Position of two shoal patches.
"	Red buoy laid down S.S.E. of Hope Shoal buoy (two notices).

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
Moko Hinou	1st order dioptric	Fixed	..	Red, to show over Columbia Reef.	"	"	"
Tiriitiri	2nd "	Flashing	10"	White	Stone	Timber	18 June, 1883
Ponui Passage	2nd "	Fixed	..	White, with red arc over Flat Rock	Iron	"	1 Jan., 1865
Cuvier Island	5th "	"	..	White and red ..	Timber	"	29 July, 1871
East Cape	1st "	Revolving	30"	White	Iron	"	22 Sept., 1889
"	2nd "	Flashing	10"	"	"	"	9 Aug., 1900
Portland Island	2nd "	Revolving	30"	"	Timber	"	10 Feb., 1878
"	..	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
"	2nd "	"	10"	"	"	"	24 Sept., 1877
Brothers	..	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 over inshore 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. every half-minute.

† Two flashes in quick succession.