Total Fall.

New Zealand Rainfall for November, 1916-continued.

Station.		Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Sta	
SOUTH ISLANI	)—coi	ntinued.		sot	
(G.) East Aspect-Kaikoura to	(H.) SOUTH ASPEC				
Livingstone		305	15		
Arnmore, Windsor	::	303		Roxburgh	
Totara Station, near Oamaru				"Fruitvale," Ettr	
Duntroon		$\frac{152}{152}$	ii	Sunnyvale Orchar	
Pukeuri, Oamaru		114	. 11	Balclutha	
Oamaru		186	10	Owaka	
Steward Settlement, Oamaru		93	10	Tapanui Nurserv	
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove		226	14	Waikawa Valley	
Kauroo Hill, Maheno		234	12	Wharuarimu	
Balruddery, Kauroo Hill, Mahen		254	14	Uplands, Waimah	
Bushey Park, Palmerston South		224	12	Roslin Estate, Wo	
Opoho, Dunedin (383ft.)		••		Wyndham South	
Burnside, Dunedin		242	11	Dipton	
Fish-hatchery, Portobello		198	13	Bluff	
Whare Flat		353	14	Nightcaps	
Mosgiel		193	10	Rannock, Orawia	
•				Otautau Riverton	
(H.) South Aspect-Cape Saus	NDERS	то Ричекец	JR POINT.	Manapouri	
Paerau		418	13	mwnwboutt	
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearos	в	333	15		
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly		208	16	(1)	
Waipiata		145	15	Centre Island	
Naseby		278	14	Stewart Island	
Kokonga		210	9	Horse-shoe Bay, S Niue Island	
Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch	1	381	14	Avarua, Rarotong	
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell	!	174	10	Aitutaki Island, C	
Maungawera, Otago	!	300	10		
Luggate, Cromwell		186	13	Mangaia, Cook Isla Chatham Island	
Manorburn Dam		391	9	Chatham Island	
Queenstown		285	11		
"Craigroy," Arrowtown					
Poolburn, Central Otago		137	10	Dannevirke, Octob	
Moa Creek		252	9	Maryburn Station	
Little Valley		251	8	,,	
St. Bathan's		240	14	Roxburgh, Septem	
Blackstone Hill		387	. 13	" October	
Clyde		371	9	Little Valley, Octo	

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ERRATA.—NEW ZEALAND NAUTICAL ALMANAC, 1917.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd January, 1917.

N page 291 of New Zealand Nautical Almanac for 1917,
fourteenth line from the bottom, should read "The
flag H," in lieu of "The flag 4."

On page 403, ninth line from the bottom, Auckland Harbour, Magnetic Declination, should read  $15^{\circ}$  13' E., in lieu of  $14^{\circ}$  13' E.

GEORGE ALLPORT,

Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 2 of 1917.

WANGANUI HARBOUR LIGHT .-- CHANGE IN CHARACTER.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 3rd January, 1917.

THE Wanganui Harbour Board have notified that on and after Thursday, 25th January, the fixed white light which is exhibited from the flagstaff on North Head will be changed to a white flashing Aga acetone acetylene light of 300 c.p., flash 0.6 second, followed by an eclipse of 5.4 seconds. Height of light, 65 ft., and it should be visible in clear

weather for a distance of about ten miles.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 1212 and 2054; New Zealand Pilot, eighth edition, 1908, Chapter v. page 156; New Zealand Nautical Almanac, 1917, pages 241 and 292, and plan facing page 242.

GEORGE ALLPORT.

Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 3 of 1917.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 9th January, 1917.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne; the Department of Trade and Customs, MelNew Zealand Rainfall for November, 1916-continued.

Station.		Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLA	ND-co	ntinued.	
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE S.	AUNDERS inued.	To Puysegu	r Point-
Roxburgh		401	. 7
"Fruitvale," Ettrick		528	11
Sunnyvale Orchard, Island H	Block	388	14
Balclutha		204	10
Owaka		280	10
Tapanui Nurserv		318	17
Waikawa Valley		313	12
Wharuarimu		290	. 17
Uplands, Waimahaka		324	11
Roslin Estate, Woodlands		358	17
Wyndham South		340	14
Dipton		450	15
Bluff			
Nightcaps		506	15
Rannock, Orawia			
Otautau		484	17
Riverton		• •	
Manapouri	••	471	10
(I.) IS	LANDS		
Centre Island		488	16
Stewart Island		563	17
Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Isla	ւսd	574	17
Niue Island		• •	
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Isl	<b>ни</b> дь		
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands	š	1011	15
Mangaia, Cook Islands		1180	17
Chatham Island			
LATE I	RETURN	īs.	
Dannevirke, October, 1916		353	16
Maryburn Station, September	r. 1916	138	4
" October,		31	5
Roxburgh, September, 1916		125	8
" October, 1916	• •	155	4
Little Valley, October, 1916	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	47	7

bourne; and the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,

Secretary.

## AUSTRALIA.

VICTORIA .-- ALTERATION TO LIGHT, BREAKWATER PIER, WARRNAMBOOL.

Referring to General Notice to Mariners dated 1st August, 1907, page 52, mariners and others are hereby notified that on or about 15th December, 1916, the present fixed red light on the end of the Breakwater will be replaced by a single-flashing light exhibited from a post. This light will show green to seaward and red in line with the Breakwater when the light will bear W.S.W. as at present.

East Coast.—Inner Barrier Route.—And A., Reefs.—Beacons re-established. -INNER BARRIER ROUTE.--AR (R) AND PEA (P)

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the beacons on Ar (r) and Pea (p) Reefs, which were recently destroyed, are now re-established.

(a.) Position.—On the northern side of Ar (r) Recf. Lat. 14 32½ south, long. 144° 55′ east. Description.—A red triangular beacon.

triangular beacon.

(b.) Position.—On the eastern end of Pea (p) Reef. Lat. 13° 324' south, long. 143° 394' east. Description.—As in (a). Charts affected.—(a.) Admiralty Chart No. 3088, Howick Island anchorages; Admiralty Chart No. 2922, Turtle Group to Claremont Point; Admiralty Chart No. 2764, Coral Sea and Great Barrier Reefs (sheet 2). (b.) Admiralty Chart No. 3762, Hay Island to Bow Reef; Admiralty Chart No. 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction; Admiralty Chart No. 2764, Coral Sea and Great Barrier Reefs (sheet 2). Publications affected.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pp. 366 and 410; Sailing Directions and other Information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland.

## JAPAN.

## SHIMABARA GULF, KYUSHU.

Notice is hereby given that the newly established Yushima Lighthouse on Yushima, Yushima Seto, Shimabara Gulf, Kyushu, will be exhibited as follows since the 1st of December, 1916 :--