

as renewed by engineers of superior rank of the Corps of Roads, &c., and naval officers; and settled partly for the captains of ports are instructed to suggest improvements and report on the and renewed lights.

In Denmark, the service is under the Ministry of Marine, entrusted to one Light Engineer and two Buoy Inspectors.

In Russia, the superintendence is dependent from the Hydrographical Department.

In Holland, the management of Lights, Buoys, and Beacons rests with the Minister for the Marine, under whom are an Inspector-General and seven inspectors.

In Belgium, the construction of Lighthouses is under the Minister of Public Works; but when built they are handed over to the general direction of the Navy, which is under the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

In Austria, the superintendence of all the Lighthouses, Buoys, and Beacons belongs to the Imperial Royal Admiralty. The Deputies of the Exchange, at Trieste, attend to Lighthouses,—their creation, management, collection of dues, &c.

In conclusion, an inspection of these most useful monitors, the sailor is recommended to him. He will then see that the beauty of the apparatus, the discipline, order, cleanliness and perfection of everything connected with them are not exceeded by their utility.

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