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Area Lighthouses Increase Candlepower

Race Point Light at the Cape End will be increased from 80.000 to 700,000 candle-power about February 11, the Coast Guard has announced.

Other lighthouses to get brighter candlepower to improve their capacity to aid ravigation wil linclude Gurnet Light in Plymouth Bay and Cleveland Ledge in Buzzards Bay.

Gurnet Light will be increased from 300,000 candle-power white to 1,200,000; and 70,000 candle-power red to 250,000 this week. Changes in light characteristics will facilitate indentification, the Coast Guard said.

The Cleveland Ledge Light will be increased from 80,000 to 400,000 candlepower about February 4.

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Fog Signal At Race Point Light Changed To Horn

It has been announced by the Coast Guard that the fog signal at Race Point Light Station has been changed from a whistle to a diaphragm horn. The same characteristic will be sounded, a group of two blasts every 60 seconds, (two-second blast, four seconds silent, two-second blast, 52 seconds silent).



Air view of Race Point Lighthouse, showing beach buggles at shore, Provincetown, tip of Cape Cod, Mass. — 1962 —