

under the provisions of the Act 37 Vict., ch. 3, and to bear Interest at the rate of Four Pounds per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly at the Bank of England, on the 5th April and the 5th October in each year.

The Stock not to be redeemable until the 10th October, 1888, but to be redeemable at par on or after that day, upon one year's previous notice having been given in the London Gazette by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

The Books of the Stock will be kept at the Bank of England, where all Assignments and Transfers will be made. No Stamp Duties whatsoever will be charged on the Transfers.

The Tenders to be for the whole or any part of such Loan, but not for sums of less than £500 Stock, and to state what amount of money will be given for every £100 of the said Stock. Tenders at a price including fractions of a shilling other than sixpence will not be accepted. Tenders by the same person at various prices must be made out and delivered separately. Each separate Tender is to be delivered in, sealed, at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, and the amount of Stock subscribed for to be written on the outside of the Tender.

A deposit of £5 per cent. upon the amount of Stock tendered for must, at the same time, be paid at the same Office, to be returned in the event of the Tenders not being accepted, and parties tendering must be careful not to enclose the Deposit in the sealed Tender.

So much of the amount tendered and accepted, to be paid at the Bank of England on account of the Secretary of State for India in Council, on Friday, the 5th May, 1876, as, when added to the deposit paid on the Tenders being delivered, will leave eighty pounds for every one hundred pounds of Stock, to be paid as under, viz. :—

£30 per cent. on Tuesday, the 30th May, 1876 ;

£30 per cent. on Tuesday, the 27th June, 1876 ;

£20 per cent. on Tuesday, the 1st August, 1876 ;

but parties who so desire may pay up in full, and will be allowed a discount at the rate of four pounds per cent. per annum upon the anticipated payments.

The Dividend payable on the 5th October, 1876, to be a six months' Dividend upon the Capital amount of Stock contracted for on the said 28th April.

In the event of the receipt of Tenders (at or above the minimum price to be fixed by the Secretary of State for India in Council on the 28th April) for a larger amount than that proposed to be raised, the Tenders, at the lowest price accepted, will be subject to a *pro rata* diminution. No allotment will be made of a less amount than £50.

Due notice will be given when the Scrip Certificates are ready, and these will be delivered only to the parties entitled or to their order, at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England.

For each instalment after the payment of the first, which is due on the 5th of May, 1876, a proportional amount of Stock will be created for the contributors. The Stock for the first instalment, including the deposit, to be created at the same time with that which will be due on the last.

No tender will be received after twelve o'clock on the said 28th day of April, nor unless upon a printed form, which must not be enclosed in an envelope.

Forms of tender may be obtained at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, or of Mr. Hubert Scott, the Broker to the Secretary of State for India in Council, 16, Throgmorton-street, London, E. C.

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Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

ERNEST ALGERNON SPARKS, of Suffolk House, Putney Hill, hereby give notice, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under Section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Aida," of Portsmouth, official number 68,586, of register tonnage 13.78 tons, heretofore owned by George Barclay Ward, Esq., of New York, for permission to change her name to "Mildred," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Portsmouth, as owned by me.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Suffolk House, Putney Hill, this 7th day of April, 1876.

Ernest A. Sparks.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Chapel, situate at Ivybridge, in the parish of Ermington, in the county of Devon, in the district of Plympton St. Mary, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on 23rd March, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for another building of the same name, now disused.

Witness my hand this 25th March, 1876.

Thomas Kelly, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Zoar Chapel, situate in Windsor-road, in the parish of St. Mary, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Cardiff, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th day of March, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 25th day of March, 1876.

W. B. Watkins, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Westfield Congregational Chapel, situate at Westfield, in the township of Horbury, in the county of York, in the district of Wakefield, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on 24th March, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as Mount Zion Chapel, now disused.

Witness my hand this 30th day March, 1875.

John Roberts, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Primitive Methodist Church, situate at New-road, in the parish of Grays Thurrock, in the county of Essex, in the district of Ossett, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th day of March, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 31st day of March, 1876.

Geo. Biddell, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Aylestone-road Chapel, situate on the Aylestone-road, in the parish of Saint Mary, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, in the district of Leicester, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 27th day of March, 1876,