

RIVOLI BAY.

(2.) *Revolving Light on Penguin Island.*

The Government of South Australia has given notice, that on and after 1st October, 1878, a light will be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Penguin Island, at the north end of Rivoli Bay.

The light will be a flashing white light showing a flash every ten seconds, elevated 80 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 12 miles.

The light tower and keeper's dwelling are painted white.

Position approximate, lat. 37° 30' 35" S., long. 140° 1' 15" E.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
6th August, 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Australia, southern portion, No. 2759b; Gulfs of St. Vincent and Spencer, southern sheet, No. 2889a: Also Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, Australia, &c., 1878, No. 231a; and Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1876, page 114.

(2.) Australia, southern portion, No. 2759b; Guichen Bay to Glenelg River, No. 1015; and plan of Rivoli Bay, No. 1007: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, Australia, &c., 1878, No. 240b; and Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1876, page 226.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of North Witchford, in the county of Cambridgeshire, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the George Inn, at Chatteris, on Thursday, the 22nd day of August, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of North Witchford aforesaid.

Chas. Keith-Falconer.
W. S. Northcote.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, August 12, 1878.

India Office, August 12, 1878.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice that the Government of India have informed him that it is their intention to issue the following Notification in India on this date:—

Simla, the 12th August, 1878.

NOTIFICATION.

By the Government of India, Financial
Department.

WHEREAS, by the terms of the Notification No. 28, dated the 20th April, 1859, and by the

conditions of the Promissory Notes, dated the 31st May, 1859, bearing interest at five and a half per centum per annum, issued in accordance with that Notification, the said Promissory Notes may be paid off and discharged on or after the 1st day of May, 1879; on the expiration of a previous notice of three months, which notice may be first given on the 1st day of February, 1879; and whereas it is the present intention of the Governor-General in Council to give the said notice, and to pay off the said Notes on or about the dates aforesaid, His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General in Council has resolved to raise a loan of ten crores of rupees for this purpose in the following manner:—

First.—This loan shall be entitled "The Transfer Loan, 1879."

Second.—Promissory Notes will be issued for the said sum of ten crores of rupees in the two alternative forms annexed to this Notification.

Third.—The notes in the first form will bear interest at the rate of four and a half per centum per annum, and the principal repayable will be the amount stated in each note. The portion of the loan for which these notes are issued will be entitled "The Transfer Loan, 1879, Four and a Half per Cent. Portion."

Fourth.—The notes in the second form will be issued only in exchange for notes of the said five and a half per cent. loan surrendered under the sixth and seventh clauses of this Notification. The portion of the loan for which these notes are issued will be entitled "The Transfer Loan, 1879, Seven Shillings per Cent. Portion."

These notes in the second form will be discharged in Calcutta, when repayable, by the payment of the equivalent in rupees of eight pounds fifteen shillings sterling for each hundred rupees of their amount; the said equivalent being calculated at the rate of exchange fixed by the Secretary of State for India in Council, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Imperial Treasury, for the adjustment of transactions between the Indian and Imperial Governments at the date of the expiry of the notice of the discharge of the notes.

Interest will be paid on these notes at the rate of the equivalent in rupees of three pounds ten shillings sterling per annum for each thousand rupees, the said equivalent being calculated at the rate of exchange fixed by the Secretary of State for India in Council, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Imperial Treasury for the adjustment of transactions between the Indian and Imperial Governments, at the time when each successive instalment of interest becomes due.

Fifth.—The Promissory Notes issued under this Notification, whether in the first or second form,

Will be subject to the usual conditions and privileges as to renewal, consolidation, division, enforcement for the payment of interest at the Bank of England by drafts upon India, or at any Government Treasury in India, and the like;

And will not be discharged before the 15th day of September, 1893, or until after the expiry of a notice of not less than three months, which notice will not be issued before the 15th day of June, 1893.

Interest upon them will accrue from the 15th day of March, 1879, and will be paid in Calcutta half-yearly, on and after the 15th day of September and the 15th day of March.

No note will be issued for less than one hundred rupees, or for any amount not being a multiple of one hundred rupees.