## 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 the town and county of the town of Haverfordwest, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to His 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 town and county of the town of Haverfordwest aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Shire Hall, Haverfordwest, on Saturday, the 20th day of September, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 for the division of the town and county of the town of Haverfordwest aforesaid.

L. N. Guillemard. E. E. Nott Bower

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, London, 3rd September, 1902.

# NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 578 to 590 of the year 1902.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.] No. 578.—AFRICA, WEST COAST—PRINCES ISLAND.

San Antonio Bay—Character of Light Altered. Information, dated 18th July, 1902, has been received from H.B.M. Consul, St. Paul de Loanda, that the character of the light exhibited at Fort Ponta da Mina, San Antonio Bay, has been altered from white fixed, visible 10 miles, to a red fixed light, visible from a distance of 5 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 39\frac{3}{4}' N., long. 7° 26\frac{1}{2}' E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty harts:—River Gambia to Cape Lopez, No. 594; Plan of Princes Island on Sheet of Plan No. 386; San Antonio Bay, No. 1595. Also, List of Lights, Part IV, 1902, No. 766; and Africa Pilot, Part II, 1901, page 102.

### No. 579.—WEST AUSTRALIA—COCKBURN SOUND.

Woodman Point-Light Exhibited. Arthur Head—Light Discontinued.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 105

Telegraphic information has been received from the Government of the State of Western Australia, that on 23rd August, 1902, an occulting light showing red, green, and white sectors, and elevated 123 feet above high water, was exhibited from the grey stone lighthouse recently constructed on Woodman Point, Cockburn Sound. The light is dioptric of the 1st order.

Further notice will be given when the period of occultation and limits of the sectors are known.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 8′ S., long.  $115^{\circ} 47'$  E.

Also, that on the same date the white fixed light exhibited on Arthur Head, Fremantle, was discontinued.

Approximate position, lat.  $32^{\circ}$  3' S., long.  $115^{\circ}$   $45\frac{1}{2}$ ' E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :- Champion Bay to Cape Naturaliste, No. 1033; Rottnest Island to Warnbro' Sound, | America, &c., 1896, page 356.

No. 1058; Fremantle Harbour, No. 1700. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1902, Nos. 1041c, 1040; and Australia Directory, Vol. III, 1895, pages 370, 362.

#### No. 580.—MEDITERRANEAN, SARDINIA— NORTH COAST.

Port Torres—Alteration in Lights.

The Italian Government has given notice, that, on 16th August, 1902, the white fixed light exhibited on the head of the eastern mole of the inner harbour, Port Torres, would be transferred to the octagonal tower situated about 220 yards S. 46° E. from the mole head, and re-exhibited there at an elevation of 56 feet above the sea; it will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 40° 50' N., long. 8° 24′ E.

In place of the above light a red fixed light would be exhibited from a pole at the head of the eastern mole to mark the entrance to the inner harbour, as the former lighthouse will be removed.

Variation 12° Westerly in 1902.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Torres on Chart No. 1128. Also, List of Lights, Part V, 1902, No. 308, page 56; Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 507; and Supplement, 1898, page 20.

## No. 581.—WEST INDIES—BAHAMA ISLAND. South-West Point—Light Established.

Information has been received through the Colonial Office that, on 14th August, 1902, a red fixed light, elevated 30 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, was exhibited from a skeleton steel tower, 25 feet high, erected on South-west Point, Bahama Island.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 29' N., long.

78° 40¾′ W.
This light is exhibited only for the convenience of local shipping, and being unwatched is not

always to be depended upon.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Florida Strait, No. 659; Bahama and Abaco Islands, No. 399. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1902, page 222; and West India Pilot, Vol. II, 1899, page 605.

#### No. 582.—UNITED STATES—CALIFORNIA. San Francisco Harbour-Wreck Buoys Withdrawn.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 743

The United States Government has given further notice, dated 12th August, 1902, that as there is now a depth of 53 fathoms over the wreck which sank about 6 cables northward of the Mission Rock, San Francisco Harbour, the two undermentioned buoys, painted in red and black horizontal bands, marked "wreck,"

indicating the position, have been withdrawn:—

a. North-west buoy situated half a cable north-westward from the wreck, with Mission Rock centre bearing S. 5° E., distant 7 cables.

b. South-east buoy about one cable S. 40° E. from the above buoy.

Approximate position, lat. 37° 47' N., long.  $122^{\circ}$   $22\frac{1}{2}$ ' W.

[Variation 16° Easterly in 1902.]
This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart: - San Francisco Harbour, No. 591. Also, Sailing Directions for West Coasts of Central