Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

John Ashby, Esq., to be a Deputy Lieutenant of the county of Middlesex.

James Bigwood, Esq., to be a Deputy Lieutenant of the county of Middlesex.

Dated the 17th January, 1906.

Civil Service Commission, January 26, 1906.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships will be held in London, commencing on the 1st August, 1906, under the Regulations dated 1st September, 1905.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 2nd July, an application, in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, January 26, 1906.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships (Class I) in the Civil Service will be held in London, commencing on the 1st August, 1906, under the Regulations dated the 8th November, 1904, and published in the London Gazette of the same date. No person will be admitted to Examination

from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 2nd July, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

INCOME TAX.

Whereas by the Taxes Management Act, 1880 (43 and 44 Vict., c. 19), power is given for increasing in certain cases the number of persons appointed, under the provisions made by the Income Tax Act of 1842, Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax, and persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners in each district, or division, in Great Britain; and it appearing to the Board of Inland Revenue that the number of persons so appointed for the division of Stratton, in the county of Coruwall, is insufficient for the proper discharge of the business therein arising under the Tax Acts, the said Board hereby authorize the increase in the number of the Commissioners for the said division to any number not exceeding fourteen, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners to any number not exceeding fourteen; and we, the undersigned, two members of the said Board. do hereby convene a meeting of the persons appointed for putting in execution within the said county an Act passed in the 38th year of the reign of King George the Third, intituled "An Act for granting an aid to His Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in Great Britain for the service of the year 1798," being respectively qualified to act as Commissioners in the execution of the last-mentioned Act, to be holden at the Tree Hotel, in Stratton, on Tuesday, the 27th day of March, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of choosing and appointing, according to the regu-lations of the said Income Tax Act of 1842, such number of fit and proper persons to be Com-

missioners for General Purposes for the said division of Stratton, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners, as may be sufficient to increase the number of such Commissioners to any number not exceeding fourteen, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners to any number not exceeding fourteen.

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

Inland Revenue, London, 25th January, 1906.

EDMONTON ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

The Edmonton Urban District Council being the Undertakers for the purposes of the Edmonton Electric Lighting Order, 1902, hereby give notice, that, with the approval of the Board of Trade, and in execution of the powers conferred upon them by section 18 of the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Act, 1905, and any other powers enabling them in that behalf, they propose by deed, to be approved by the Board of Trade, to transfer to the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company the undertaking authorized by the above Order. and the powers, rights, and privileges of the Undertakers thereunder.

Consideration money payable in respect of the transfer is £2,800, and a further sum not exceeding £105 in or towards payment of such further sams as may be reasonably incurred by the Council in connection with the approval and supervision of the works to be carried out by the Company under the Deed of Transfer.

Copies of the draft Deed of Transfer may be obtained from the Clerk to the Council at the Town Hall, Edmonton, at the price of sixpence per copy.

Any person desirous of making any objection to the proposed transfer may do so by letter, addressed to the Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, at any time within one month from the date of this advertisement.

WM. FRANCIS PAYNE, Clerk to the Council, Town Hall, Edmonton.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 74 to 80 of the year 1906.) [The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward. No. 74.—SOUTH AUSTRALIA—ST. VINCENT GULF.

Port Wakefield—Shoal in Approach, Buoy.

The Government of the State of South Australia has given notice, dated 20th November, 1905, of the existence of a shoal, with a depth of 4 feet over it at low water, in the eastern approach to Port Wakefield, situated at a distance of $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles N. 58° W. from Great Sandy Point. A red can buoy marks its position.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 26' 0" S., long. 138° 11' 20" E.

[Variation 5° Easterly in 1906.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:-St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs, No. 2389b. Also, Australia Directory, Vol. 1, 1897, page 338.

No. 75.-BAY OF BENGAL-BURMA

Krishna Light-Vessel—Temporarily Altered. The Government of India has given notice that, on or about 27th December, 1905, the Krishna Light-Vessel, exhibiting a group flashing white light every thirty seconds, would be temporarily replaced by a light-vessel, exhibiting

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