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From C. Hugh Lushington Esq. Secy
to the Govt of India

No. 209

To
The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Fort St George

dated Fort William 17 Jany 1857

Financial Depart.
Sir,

I am directed by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council to forward to you a Notification issued yesterday in a Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary and to request that the same may be republished immediately in the Official Gazette of Madras.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,

C. Hugh Lushington
Secy to the Govt. of India

Fort William,
The 17th January
1857.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1857.

NOTIFICATION,

No. 5.

FORT WILLIAM, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 16TH JANUARY 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Sub-Treasurers at Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay, the several Residents at Native Courts, and the several Collectors and other Officers in charge of Treasuries under the several Presidencies and Governments, and in the Provinces subordinate to the Government of India, have been authorized to receive from the date of this Notification any sums of money in even hundreds of not less than 500 of Company's Rupees, which may be tendered on Loan to the East India Company, at an Interest of Five per Cent. per annum, subject to the provisions hereinafter specified.

All authorized public demands, including audited Bills for arrears of Salary and Bills of Exchange on the Public Treasuries,—these last being subject to a deduction at the rate of Five per Centum per annum for the period they may have to run,—will be received as Cash at par.

The Pay-masters of the Army under the several Presidencies are also authorized to transfer any demands which may be payable by them respectively to this Loan, and to grant drafts for the amounts, in Bengal and Madras on the Accountant General, and in Bombay on the Military Pay-master General, which drafts shall be received by those Officers in payment of Subscriptions to this Loan, on being tendered to them for that purpose.

The several public Officers, authorized to receive Subscriptions into this Loan, will grant acknowledgements, in the following form, for all sums received by them respectively :—

> "I hereby acknowledge that A. B. has this day paid into the East India Company's "Treasury the sum of Company's Rupees   for which he "is entitled to receive a Promissory Note bearing Interest from the (28th Febru-"ary or 31st of August next as the case may be), of the tenor and subject to the "conditions of the Loan specified in the Advertisement published in the *Calcutta* "*Gazette* of the 16th January 1857."

The Accountant General at Fort William will, on the said acknowledgements being delivered, forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the parties entitled thereto, Promissory Notes under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the following form:—

"FORT WILLIAM, THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1857.

"Promissory Note at Five per Centum for Company's Rupees
"The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowlege to
"have received from A. B. the sum of Company's Rupees as a Loan
"to the East India Company, and does hereby promise for and on behalf of the said
"Company to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees
" to the said A. B., his Executors or Administrators, or his or their
"Order, on demand, at the General Treasury of Fort William, after the expiration of three
"months' Notice of payment to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in
"the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest accruing on the said sum of Company's
"Rupees at the rate of Five per Centum per annum, by half-
"yearly payments, at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said A.B., his
"Executors or Administrators, until the expiration of three months after such notice of
"payment as aforesaid, when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Prin-
"cipal, and (such notice being considered equivalent to a tender of payment at the
"period appointed for the discharge of the Note) all further Interest shall cease.
"Signed by the authority of the Governor General of India in Council.

"*Accountant General's Office,* }
"*Registered as No. of* . } "*Secretary to the Government.*"

The several Officers authorized to receive Subscriptions will, on application from the holders of acknowledgments, transmit them (free of every expense whatever) to the Accountant General at Fort William, to be exchanged for Promissory Notes bearing Interest from the 28th of February or 31st of August next ensuing after the date of Subscription. The Interest accruing on the broken period of the half-year that may intervene between the date of Subscription and the 28th of February or 31st August next ensuing, as the case may be, will be paid up at the time of granting the acknowledgment.

Proprietors of Notes or Acknowledgments, who may desire to have the Interest payable at any other public Treasury than at the General Treasury of Calcutta, shall be entitled to receive it accordingly, provided they notify their wish to the Accountant General at Fort William, and transmit the Notes or Acknowledgments to him, to have an Order for the payment of Interest at the said Treasury written on the face of the Notes under the signature of the said Officer or that of his Assistant, and after such order shall, on the application of the proprietor, be inscribed on any Note, the Interest shall be payable only from the said Treasury, unless the proprietor shall present the Note with an application for the purpose of transferring the payment elsewhere to the Accountant General at Fort William.

The Promissory Notes of this Loan shall not be renewed, sub-divided or consolidated, except by the Accountant General of Fort William. The practice and rules heretofore in use in regard to the renewal, sub-division, and consolidation of Promissory Notes will be adhered to.

This Loan is limited to Three Crores of Rupees. No part of this Loan will be paid off before the 16th January 1872, nor without a previous notice of three months, to be issued at any time after the 15th October 1871.

The Four-and-a-half per Cent. Loan, opened under Notification dated 30th August 1856, is closed from this date at the Public Treasuries in Calcutta, and at all other Treasuries under the several Governments, from date of receipt of this Advertisement, after which dates no further Subscriptions to that Loan will be received.

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C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

JOHN GRAY, "CALCUTTA GAZETTE" OFFICE.

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Fort St George
24 Jany 1857.

J. Pycroft
Chief Secy.

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