

**Bowring, John**

**Sir.**

**(1792-1872)**



**Biographical and Other Notes** English political economist, traveller, miscellaneous writer and polyglot, and the 4th Governor of Hong Kong. Instrumental in the introduction of the florin in 1849 (patterns and proofs in 1848).

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