representative at this General Assembly. His Grace's personal qualities and deep attachment to the Church of Scotland make his presence amongst us exceedingly acceptable.

We have received with gratitude Your Majesty's Royal donation of £2000, which we shall use our best endeavour so to apply as to accomplish the purpose for which Your Majesty has destined it.

That the blessing of Almighty God may rest upon Your Majesty and on Your Majesty's Royal Consort Queen Mary, and that there may be granted to Your Majesties a long succession of years of happy sovereignty over a loyal, devoted, and prosperous people, is, may it please Your Majesty, the earnest prayer of Your Majesty's most faithful, loyal, and obedient subjects, the Ministers and Elders met in this General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

May it please Your Majesty,---

We are.

Your Majesty's most faithful and loyal subjects, The Ministers and Elders of the Church of Scotland, convened in General Assembly.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and at our appointment, by



W. P. PATERSON,

Moderator.

Edinburgh, 23rd May 1919.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, 27th May 1919.

A Loyal and Dutiful Address from the General Assembly of the United Free Church of Scotland, having been forwarded to the Secretary for Scotland for presentation to The King, has been presented accordingly to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, 27th May 1919.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, dated the 22nd instant, to appoint Charles Robertshaw Marshall, Esquire, M.A., M.D., to be Regius Professor of Materia Medica in the University of Aberdeen, in the room of Professor John Theodore Cash, who has resigned.

> Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, S.W., 27th May 1919.

Notice is hereby given, that the King's Birthday will be celebrated in London, and at all stations, both at home and abroad, on Tuesday the 3rd June next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, S.W., 27th May 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Colonel William Tindall Lister, C.M.G., M.B., F.R.C.S., to be Surgeon Oculist to His Majesty's Household.

Foreign Office, May 22, 1919. The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission to Richard Arderne Wilson. Esq., M.B., C.M., to wear the insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of St. Sava conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Serbia in recognition of his services to the Serbian sick and wounded under the auspices of the Serbian Relief Fund.

Buckingham Palace,

May 24, 1919.

This day had Audience of The KING :-

- Phya Sudham Maitri, on the termination of his mission as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Siam;
- Señhor Dr. Augusto de Vasconcellos, on the termination of his Mission as Envoy Extra-ordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Portuguese Republic, and Senhor Manuel Teixeira Gomes, to present his Letters of Credence in the same capacity.

Foreign Office,

October 11, 1918.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :

John Charles Tudor Vaughan, Esq., C.M.G., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Chile.

Foreign Office, January 1, 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :-

- Edward Robert Eckersall Vicars, Esq., C.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Departments of Bouches du Rhône, Pyrenées Orientales, Aude, Hérault, Gard, Var, Vaucluse, Haute Loire, Ardèche, Drome, Hautes Alpes, Basses Alpes, Lozère, Aveyron and Tarn, to reside at Marseilles ;
- Herbert Hall Hall, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Malaga, Alimeria, Granada, Jaen and Murcia, to reside at Malaga;
- Arthur Ernest Eastes, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Consular district of Kiungchow, to reside at Kiungchow, and
- Walter Russell Brown, Esq., to be one of His Majesty's Vice-Consuls in China.