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FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1844.

WHITEHALL, May 13, 1844.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Haddington; the Right Honourable Sir George Cockburn, G.C.B. Admiral of the Red Squadron of Her Majesty's Fleet; Sir William Hall Gage, Knt. Vice-Admiral of the Red Squadron of Her Majesty's Fleet; William Bowles, Esq. C.B. Rear Admiral of the Blue Squadron of Her Majesty's Fleet; the Honourable William Gordon, Captain in Her Majesty's Navy; and the Right Honourable Henry Thomas Lowry Corry, to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the dominions, islands, and territories thereunto belonging.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, May 11, 1844.

This day had audience of Her Majesty, the Marquess de Viluma, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Spain, to deliver letters from his Sovereign:

To which he was introduced by the Earl of Aberdeen, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

WESTMINSTER, May 10, 1844.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that the Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords there-

in named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for raising the sum of eighteen millions four hundred and seven thousand three hundred pounds, by Exchequer Bills, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

An Act to amend the law relating to international copyright.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the third year of the reign of Her present Majesty, for abolishing certain petty and market customs, in the city of Edinburgh, and granting other duties in lieu thereof.

An Act for providing for the liquidation of the debt owing by the Charity Workhouse of the city of Edinburgh, for regulating the assessment for relief of the poor of the said city, and for other purposes relating thereto.

And several English, and seven private Acts.

CROWN-OFFICE, May 13, 1844.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Abingdon.

Frederic Thesiger, of Bryanston Square, in the parish of St. Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, in the room of Thomas Duffield, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, May 11, 1844.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Anthony Benn to be Second Captain, vice Geary, deceased. Second Lieutenant Stapylton Robinson to be First Lieutenant, vice Benn. Both dated 28th April 1844.

MEMORANDUM.

The dates of promotion of the under-mentioned Officers have been altered as follows,—

Second Captain H. A. Turner, 14th January 1844.  
Second Captain T. B. F. Marriott, 30th March 1844.  
Second Captain W. H. Elliot, 1st April 1844.  
Second Captain T. Ramsay, 15th April 1844.

First Lieutenant D. M. Fraser, 14th January 1844.  
First Lieutenant J. D. Telfer, 7th March 1844.  
First Lieutenant C. J. Strange, 30th March 1844.  
First Lieutenant C. Frye, 1st April 1844.  
First Lieutenant F. C. Standish, 15th April 1844.

BANKRUPTS  
FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Thomas Courtney Lancefield, of Augustus Square, Regent's Park, Middlesex, builder.  
John Pledge, of Vauxhall Street, Saint Mary, Lambeth, Surrey, bricklayer, carpenter, and builder.  
William Burton, of No. 28, King Street, Soho, Middlesex, upholsterer.  
Elizabeth Hayward, of Castle Hedingham, Essex, inn-keeper.  
James Michel Polack, of No. 4, Coleman Street Buildings, London, merchant.  
John Baker, late of Romsey, Hants, grocer.  
Elah Brenand, of Highgate, Middlesex, ironmonger and tinman.  
John Todd the elder and John Todd, of No. 7, Bury Street, Bloomsbury, Middlesex, ironmongers.  
Edwin Foster, of Snargate Street, Dover, Kent, tailor and trader.  
John Sunman Austin, of Well Street, Bedford, surveyor and builder.  
Edwin Reeve, of Liverpool, Lancaster, fruiterer.  
Joseph Howden, of Wakefield, York, iron founder and engine manufacturer.  
Richard Richardson, of Manchester, Lancaster, gambroon manufacturer.  
Henry Drake, of Barnstaple, Devon, attorney at law and money scrivener.  
Thomas Hewett Wetmore, of Broad Street, Worcester, grocer and tea dealer.  
Edward Brown, of Birmingham, Warwick, merchant.  
John Window Harris, of Wolverhampton, Stafford, wine and spirit merchant.