

WHITEHALL, October 24, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to make the following appointments under the provisions and for the purposes of "The Charitable Trusts Act, 1853;" viz:—

Peter Erle, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, to be Chief Commissioner;
James Hill, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, to be Second Commissioner;
The Reverend Richard Jones, M. A. to be Third Commissioner;
The Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., G.C.B., to be Fourth Commissioner;
Henry Morgan Vane, Esq. to be Secretary; and
Thomas Hare, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, and
Walker Skirrow, the younger, Esq. to be Inspectors.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of two Despatches from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, the first inclosing the annexed translation of an Edict of the Board of Health in that City, relative to vessels arriving from ports suspected of infection; and the second reporting that the Board had declared London and Newcastle infected, and all other English ports suspected of infection with Cholera.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

(Copy.)

(Translation.)

The Council of Public Health of the Kingdom, wishing to prevent all disputes regarding the application of the Regulations contained in the Edicts of the 25th of July and 5th of December 1850, and 3d of July 1851, for the conditional admission to free pratique of ships, &c., proceeding from suspected ports, has deliberated upon, and hereby ordains the observance of the following:—

Art. 1. Ships proceeding from suspected ports, and having been eight days on their voyage, are to be allowed free pratique at all the ports of the Kingdom.

Art. 2. Ships proceeding from suspected ports, and having been less than eight whole days on their voyage, must complete them at the port of their arrival by a quarantine of observation.

Art. 3. The days of the voyage shall be reckoned from the moment of departure as shown by the Log Book.

Art. 4. The Edicts of the 24th and 25th of October 1850 continue in force.

Lisbon, September 29, 1853.

(Signed) MATHEUS CEZARIO.
RODRIGUEZ MOACHO.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Pro Consular Agent at Rome, inclosing the following translation of a Pontifical Edict, admitting free importation of Corn into the Papal States until the end of February 1854.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

(Copy.)

NOTIFICATION OF CARDINAL
ANTONELLI.

To do away with the uncertainty arising from the moveable Tariffs regulating the importation and exportation of corn, in the present state of things, the Holiness of our Lord, having heard the Council of Ministers, has ordered us to publish, as we do in his sovereign name, the free importation of wheat, Indian corn, and flour, large wheat ("farro"), barley, oats, pulse, (excepting lupins), potatoes, chestnuts, and their flours, until the end of February 1854, whatever may be the medium price of the said articles resulting from the corn tables, as well for the section of the Mediterranean as for that of the Adriatic, derogating for this purpose from every law or regulation to the contrary.

The Pro Minister of the Finances is charged with the apposite executiqu.

Secretary of State's Office, 5th October 1853.

(Signed) J. CARD. ANTONELLI.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Florence, the subjoined translation of a Roman Notification, admitting into the Papal States, free of duty, until the end of February next, the principal kinds of Vegetables.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

"Giornale di Roma" (No. 226), Thursday,
6th October 1853.

(Translation.)

NOTIFICATION.

JAMES, of the Holy Roman Church, Cardinal Antonelli, Deacon of St. Agatha, in Suburra, Secretary of State of His Holiness, our Lord, Pope Pius IX.

In order to remove the uncertainty arising from the sliding scale, by which the importation and exportation of corn are regulated, His Holiness, our Lord, having heard the Council of Ministers, has, in the present state of things, ordered us to declare, as we do hereby declare, in his sovereign name, that the importation of wheat, of Indian corn, and the flour thereof, of (*Farro*), *Epeautre*, *Triticum spelta*) spelt, of barley, of oats, of legumes (except *lupini*), of potatoes, of chestnuts, and the flour thereof, shall be free until the end of February 1854, whatever may be the average price of the said articles, according to the Food Returns, as well for the section of the Mediterranean as for that of the Adriatic, every law and enactment to the contrary being for this purpose suspended.

The Pro-Minister of Finance is charged with the execution hereof.

From the Secretary of State's Office,
October 5, 1853,

(Signed) J. CARD. ANTONELLI.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary

