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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1860.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22d day of February 1860,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the 17th & 18th years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act for Amending the Laws relating to the Militia, and raising a Volunteer Militia Force in Scotland,' it was provided that the period of training and exercise of all or any part of the Militia in Scotland should not exceed twenty-one days in any year, save as was thereafter provided: And whereas it was by the said Act enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, when, with the advice of Her Privy Council, she may see fit so to do, to extend or reduce the period of training and exercise of all or any part of the Militia, so that the whole period of training and exercise in any year should not exceed fifty-six days, nor be less than three days:

And whereas it has seemed fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to extend the period of training and exercise of the Militia in Scotland in the present year, 1860:

Now therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to Order, and it is hereby Ordered, that the period of training and exercise of all the Regiments and Corps of the Militia in Scotland be extended for and during the present year 1860, so that the whole period of training and exercise of the said Regiments and Corps in the said year 1860 shall not in any case exceed fifty-six days, nor be less than three days; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and be transmitted to the respective Lieutenants of the Counties and Places in Scotland, in order that they should proceed upon the same, in pursuance of the directions of the said Act of Parliament.

And the Right Honourable Sidney Herbert, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

WM. L. BATHURST.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22d day of February 1860,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day the Right Honourable William Hutt was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Hutt to be President of the Committee of Council appointed for the consideration of all matters relating to Trade and Foreign Plantations, in the absence of the President of the said Committee for the time being.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22d day of February 1860,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint Charles Seely, of Brook House, near Yarmouth, Isle of Wight, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Southampton, in the room of William George Craven, of Brambridge House, Winchester, Esq.; and also to appoint Charles Frederick Thruston, of Talgarth Hall, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Merioneth, in the room of David Williams, of Deudraeth Castle, Esq.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, February 22, 1860.

This day had audience of Her Majesty:—

His Excellency Monsieur Musurus, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign;

To which audience he was introduced by the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir Edward Cust, K.C.H., Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies.

ST JAMES'S PALACE, February 23, 1860.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Atherston Esq., M.P., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

