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FOREIGN OFFICE, March 29, 1867.

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THE Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Consul at Wiborg, a Despatch, of which the following is a copy:—

British Consulate,
Wiborg, March 20, 1867.

I do myself the honour to inform your Lordship that an Imperial Decree, dated Helsingfors, the 27th February last, and published in the Finland Official Gazette, ordains as follows; viz:—

“That all merchandize which, according to the regulations in vigour, is liable to duty when exported from Finland, may, during a period of five years, or from 1867 to 1871, both inclusive, be exported from this Grand Duchy free of duty, with the exception, however, of rags and bones.”

“That all goods, the exportation of which from this country is at present prohibited, may, during the above-mentioned five years, also be exported free of duty, excepting, however, Russian small coin of the 72 standard, for which the non-exportation continues to remain in force.”

I may mention that the ordinary export duty on sawn wood goods, the staple article in this country, and more particularly in this Consular District, was hitherto 1 penni per cubic foot, or 1 mark 65 penni = 1s. 4d. sterling for the St. Petersburg standard.

A sawing tax of 2 penni per cubic foot, or 3 marks 30 penni = 2s. 8d. sterling, for the St. Petersburg standard, and another tax of 12 penni = 1d., for every dozen of deals and boards, called a tax in favour of the Imperial Alexander University Fund at Helsingfors, both of which have hitherto been levied along with the ordinary export duty now repealed, remain still in force.

WAR OFFICE, March 30, 1867.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the following Officers of the Royal Engineers, viz:—Lieutenant-Colonel Wilbraham Oates Lennox, V.C., Lieutenant-Colonel Gerald Graham, V.C., and Lieutenant-Colonel Anthony Charles Cooke, to be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

WHITEHALL, March 30, 1867.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Percy Womyss Phillips Nott, M.A., to the United Vicarage of Kew with Petersham, in the county of Surrey, and diocese of Winchester, void by the death of the Reverend Richard Burgh Bryan.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 28, 1867.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Ferdinand Schott as Consul at Gibraltar for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

DUBLIN CASTLE, March 29, 1867.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland appointing the Right Honorable Abraham Brewster to be Her Majesty's Chancellor of Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, March 30, 1867.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland appointing the Honorable Mr Justice Christian to be Her Majesty's Lord Justice of Appeal in Chancery in Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, April 1, 1867.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland appointing the Right Honorable Michael Morris to be a Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas in Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, March 29, 1867.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland appointing Hedges Eyre Chatterton, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Attorney General in Ireland.

CROWN OFFICE, April 1, 1867.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

College of the Holy Trinity, Dublin.
The Right Honourable Hedges Eyre Chatterton
Her Majesty's Attorney-General for Ireland.

