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WHITEHALL, September 15, 1869.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Archibald Hamilton Charteris, D.D., to be one of Her Majesty's Chaplains in Ordinary in Scotland, in the room of Doctor William Muir, deceased.

WHITEHALL, September 15, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James Nacnair, M.A., to the church and parish of Canongate, in the presbytery of Edinburgh, and county of Mid-Lothian, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend Daniel MacFie.

DOWNING STREET, September 13, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Witter Jackson, Esq., to be Magistrate for Her Majesty's Settlement on the Gambia, on the Western Coast of Africa.

DUBLIN CASTLE, September 11, 1869.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Major John Harvey to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of Wexford, in the room of J. T. Rusborough Colclough, Esq., deceased.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice that the death of Edward Christopher Egerton, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Eastern Division of the county of Chester, hath been certi-

fied to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Eastern Division of the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this fourteenth day of September 1869.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

(C. 1149.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 15, 1869.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Madrid, inclosing a copy and translation of a Decree issued by the Spanish Government on the 4th instant, which permits the importation into Spain of books printed in Spanish in foreign countries, on payment of the corresponding Tariff Dues.

The following are the Articles of this Decree:—

ART. 1. According to the bases for the Tariff, and to the Tariff now in force, paragraph 2 of Article 15 of the Law of Literary Copyright is hereby abrogated.

ART. 2. All works already printed, or hereafter to be printed in Spanish in foreign countries, may be imported into Spain, on payment of the proper duties according to the Customs Laws.

ART. 3. The authors or publishers of works printed in Spanish in foreign countries shall send to this Ministry (*The Ministry of Public Works*) a list of the works which they wish to import into Spain. This list shall be published in the "Gazette," and the importation shall not take place until fifteen days afterwards.

ART. 4. The dispositions of this Decree do not prejudice any of the questions now pending concerning literary copyright, and set on foot according to the previous laws.