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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1869.

WAR OFFICE, November 6, 1869.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Joseph Dalton Hooker, Esq., M.D., Director of the Royal Botanical Gardens at Kew, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

WHITEHALL, November 6, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto General Sir William John Codrington, G.C.B., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Order of the Legion of Honour, the Emperor of the French having promoted him thereto from the Third Class of that Order.

The Queen has also been pleased to give and grant unto Colonel Edward Stopford Claremont, C.B., Military Attaché to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris, Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the said Order of the Legion of Honour, the Emperor of the French having promoted him thereto from the Fourth Class of that Order.

WHITEHALL, November 8, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Ewen Campbell to the church and parish of Lochs, in the presbytery of Lewis, and county of Ross, vacant by the death of the Reverend Roderick Reid.

DOWNING STREET, November 8, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Anthony Musgrave, Esq., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of British Columbia and its Dependencies.

CROWN OFFICE, November 8, 1869.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of the Tower Hamlets.

Acton Smee Ayrton, Esq., First Commissioner of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings.

(C. 1361.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 8, 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 Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul General at Tunis, enclosing a translation of a Circular which has been issued by the Bey, informing the foreign agents that, owing to the scarcity of cattle, he has found it necessary to prohibit the exportation of oxen for the present.

(C. 1357.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 8, 1869.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government on the 22d October ultimo, which declares the Port of Rio de Janeiro infected with yellow fever.

(C. 1362.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 8, 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 Minister at Buenos Ayres, reporting that the export duty of 6 per cent., levied by the Argentine Confederation upon wool has been abolished by a recent decision of the National Congress; a duty of 2 per cent. being however reserved for the purpose of constructing wool-washing factories throughout the Republic; and that Congress has also decided that materials exclusively destined for the construction of railways are to be henceforth introduced into the Republic free of duty.