

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
November 14, 1876.

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Wednesday next, the 15th instant, for Her late Royal Highness the Duchess of Aosta, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Wednesday the 22d instant, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Saturday the 25th November, the Court to go out of Mourning.

FOREIGN OFFICE, October 20, 1876.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Chaloner Alabaster, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Taiwan, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the City and District of Ningpo.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Walter Edward King, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Kiukiang, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the City and District of Taiwan.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William Marsh Cooper, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Kiukiang.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 8, 1876.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Philip Henry Wodehouse Currie, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Special Embassy about to proceed to Constantinople; also, to be attached to the Embassy as Acting Third Secretaries, Henry Stafford Northcote, Esq., Henry Austin Lee, Esq., and James Henry Cecil Hozier, Esq., of the Foreign Office.

MARLBOROUGH HOUSE, November 9, 1876.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Ressaingar, Sirdar Anoop Sing, Bahadoor, 4th Regiment (P.W.O.) Bengal Lancers; and Ressaingar, Sirdar Mahomed Afzul Khan, Khan Bahadoor, 11th Regiment (P.W.O.) Bengal Lancers—to be Native Orderly Officers to His Royal Highness.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
November 7, 1876.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at the forthcoming Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant to the Surveyor of Works for Scotland in the Office of Her Majesty's Works, &c., of which notice was given in the London Gazette of the 20th of October last, two Candidates will be selected, viz. :— One to fill the situation above mentioned, and one to fill that of Assistant to one of the Surveyors of Works in England.

Any person wishing to compete should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- Thomas Backhouse, of Copers Cope Road, New Beckenham, Kent.
- John Joseph William Hutchinson, of Stratford Street, Camp Hill, Birmingham, Warwick, clock case manufacturer.
- David Evans, of the Skewen, near Neath, Glamorgan, builder.
- James Lawrence, of Poole, Dorset, grocer, oilman, and general shopkeeper, and of the Pottery Hotel, Kinson, near Poole aforesaid, victualler and brick manufacturer.
- Charles Wood, of the Railway Hotel, 64 York Street, Leeds, innkeeper.
- John Kaye, of Cross Church Street, Huddersfield, York, rope and twine maker.

S T A T E M E N T showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 11th November 1876.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	48,063	1	48	3
Barley	85,798	7	39	3
Oats	4,406	7	25	10

R. GIFFEN,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
November 11, 1876.