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FOREIGN OFFICE, July 31, 1888.

NOTICE.

'HE Portuguese Minister at this Court has notified to Her Majesty's Government that the Blockade of Quissembo (Kisembo), announced in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 3rd instant, has been raised.

DOWNING STREET, July 31, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Frederick Evans, Esq., C.M.G. (Colonial Secretary of the Gold Coast Colony), to be Colonial Secretary of the Leeward Islands and Island Secretary of Antigua; and for the appointment of Frederic Mitchell Hodgson, Esq. (Postmaster-General of British Guiana), to be Colonial Secretary of the Gold Coast Colony.

WHITEHALL, July 30, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland granting the dignity of a Knight of the said United Kingdom unto Daniel Wilson, Esq., LL.D., President of the University of Toronto, in the Dominion of Canada.

WHITEHALL, July 30, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for presenting the Reverend Blomfield Jackson, M.A., to the Vicarage of St. Bartholomew, Little Moorfields, in the City and Diocese of Loudon, void by the death of the Reverend William Denton, the last Incumbent.

WHITEHALL, July 30, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland constituting and appointing the Right Honourable George Francis Hamilton (commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton); Admiral Sir Arthur William Acland Hood, K.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir Anthony Hiley Hoskins, K.C.B.; Rear-Admiral John Ommanney Hopkins; Rear-Admiral Charles Frederick Hotham, C.B.; and Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High-Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.