

of the alteration hereinbefore recommended and proposed, shall become and be detached or excluded therefrom, shall, to all intents and purposes, again belong to and form part of the said parish of Birstal.

“ And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measure relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, or of any other Act of Parliament.”

And whereas due notice of the said scheme has been given in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts, and no objections have been made thereto:

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same, and every part thereof, shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct, that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Ripon.

C. C. Greville.

*Foreign-Office, December 10, 1846.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lord Howard de Walden and Seaford, G. C. B. now Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Most Faithful Majesty, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Sir George Hamilton Seymour, G. C. H. now Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Belgians, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Most Faithful Majesty.

*Foreign-Office, December 10, 1846.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Rutherford Alcock, Esq. now Her Majesty's Consul at Foo-chow-foo, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Shanghai.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Richard Belgrave Jackson, Esq. now British Vice Consul at Canton, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Foo-chow-foo.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Temple Hilliard Layton, Esq. now acting as Her Majesty's Consul at Amoy, to be Her Majesty's Consul at that port.

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*Foreign-Office, December 14, 1846.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Frederic Cartwright Dickson, as Consul in London, and of Mr. William Jackson, as Consul at Liverpool, for the Republick of Chili.

*Downing-Street, December 15, 1846.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint G. G. Lowenfeld, Esq. to be Financial Accountant for the colony of British Guiana.

*Whitehall, December 15, 1846.*

The Queen, taking into Her royal consideration that, upon the decease of John late Duke of Athol (which happened on or about the 14th day of September last), the title and dignity of Duke of Athol devolved upon George-Augustus-Frederick-John now Duke of Athol, eldest son and heir of James Lord Glenlyon, whilst living the next brother of the said John late Duke of Athol, and that, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the younger brother and sisters of the said George-Augustus-Frederick-John now Duke of Athol cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their late father, the said James Lord Glenlyon, had survived his elder brother, the said John Duke of Athol, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Duke of Athol, Her Majesty hath been graciously pleased to ordain and declare, that James-Charles-Plantagenet Murray, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable James-Charles-Plantagenet Murray), Lieutenant and Captain in the Regiment of Scots Fusilier Guards, Charlotte-Augusta-Leopoldina Murray (commonly called the Honourable Charlotte-Augusta-Leopoldina Murray), spinster, and Frances-Julia, wife of Charles-Henry Maynard, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable Charles-Henry Maynard), younger son and daughters of the said James Lord Glenlyon, and brother and sisters of the said George-Augustus-Frederick-John now Duke of Athol, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same titles, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their late father, the said James Lord Glenlyon, had survived his brother, John late Duke of Athol, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Duke of Athol:

And Her Majesty hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal order and declaration be registered in Her College of Arms.

*Admiralty, 14th December 1846.*

The name of Captain William Isaac Scott is to be included in the list of Captains of the Royal Navy having accepted the retirement of their rank on the terms proposed in the London Gazette of 1st September 1846, on the half-pay of one-pound per diem.