London, and the Aldermen of Our said city for the time being; Sir John Key, Baronet, Cham-berlain of Our city of London, and the Chamberlain of Our said city for the time being ; Henry Alworth Merewether, Esquire, Doctor of Civil Law, and Serjeant-at-Law, Town Clerk of Our city of London, and the Town Clerk of Our said city for the time being ; Edward Bullock, Esquire, Common Serjeant of Our city of London, and the Common Serjeant of Our said city for the time being ; John Lorkin, Thomas Corney, Richard Hicks, Walter Anderson Peacock, William Stevens, John Southby Bridge, Thomas Pewtress, Joshua Thomas Bedford, Thomas Watkins, John Britten, Daniel Cork, Edward Eagleton, Jeremiah Evans, Edward Harrison, James Lake, Robert Obbard, Samuel Unwin, Warren Stormes Hale, Thomas Lott, Henry Kebbel, Edward Godson, Thomas Jefferson Holt, John Briggs, William Archer, Eugenius Fenning, Benjamin Bower, William Christie, George Meadway, William Tyler, and Francis Bennoch, Esquires, Deputies of Our city of London, and the Deputies of Our said city for the time being; Edward Tickner and John Brown, Esquires, John Gellibrand Hubbard, Thomas Matthias Weguelin, James Morris, Ar-thur Edward Campbell, Edward Henry Chapman, William Cotton, Bonamy Dobree, Charles Pascoe Grenfell, John Oliver Hanson, John Benjamin Heath, Kirkman Daniel Hodgson, Henry Learn, Kirkman Daniel Hougson, Long Lancelot Holland, Thomas Newman Hunt, Charles Frederick Huth, Alfred Latham, James Malcolmson, Sheffield Neave, George Warde Norman, John Horsley Palmer, Henry Hucks Gibbs, Thomas Tooke, junior, Henry Hulse Berens, Robert Wigram Crawford, Benjamin Buck Greene, Thomas Charles Smith, Francis Wilson Thomas Baring, Thomas Masterman. Wilson, Thomas Baring, Thomas Masterman, Alexander Matheson, Henry Wollaston Blake, George Lyall, junior, Henry James Prescott, and Thomson Hankey, junior, Esquires, Russell Ellice, and James Oliphant, Esquires, Sir James Law Lushington, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, William Wigram, Esquire, Sir Robert Campbell, Baronet, John Loch, Charles Mills, John Masterman, John Petty Muspratt, Henry Shank, and John Shepherd, Esquires, Sir Richard Jenkins, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, John Cotton, and William Butterworth Bayley, Esquires, Sir Henry Willock, Knight, Martin Tucker Smith, William Henry Sykes, William Henry Chicheley Plowden, Elliot Macnaghten, John Clarmont Whiteman, Ross Donnelly Mangles, William Joseph Eastwick, Henry Alexander, and William Henry Leslie Melville, Esquires, Sir James Weir Hogg, Baronet, John Arthur Moore, William Dent, John Harvey Astell, Henry Thoby Prinsep, and Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks, Esquires, John Willing Warren, Charles Franks, and Philip Pleydell Bouverie, Esquires, Sir Richard Plumptre Glyn, Baronet, Charles John Manning, William Phillimore, Newman Smith, Charles John Tindal, John Thornton, George Whitmore, Charles John Baker, James Whatman Bosanquet, Frederick Charles Gaussen, Henry Lannoy Hunter, Brice Pearse, George Smith Thornton, Edward Edwards, John Iltid Nicholl, Ebenezer Fuller Maitland, Thomas Henry Allen Poynder, James Whatman, Henry Vigne, and William Pole, Esquires, Baron de Teissier, James Tulloch, Henry Jeffreys Bushby, and John - Neville Warren, Esquires, Baron Lionel de Roths-child, Baron Nathan de Rothschild, Sir Moses Montefiore, Baronet, John Garratt, Abraham Wildey Robarts, George Carr Glyn, George Rickards, Jonathan Muckleston Key, Abraham

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## Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 22, 1853.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a French Imperial Decree, dated the 14th instant (a translation of which is hereunto subjoined), by which Chinese Crape Shawls, of Foreign Manufacture, imported into France for the purpose of being embroidered, and subsequently re-exported, are, under certain conditions, to be temporarily admitted into France free of duty.

## (Translation.)

PLAIN China crape shawls (Unis) of foreign origin, intended to be embroidered in France, may be temporarily admitted, free of duty, on condition of being re-exported within six months, under the bonds and formalities prescribed by the 5th Art. of the Law of 5th July, 1836, and upon the particular conditions hereinafter indicated.

2. The shawls shall be declared to the Customs, under legal penalty, by number, dimensions, and net weight. Every declaration shall comprehend the number of shawls which it is intended to include in each transaction.

3. The Customs will place on each shawl a flying seal in wax, the expenses of which shall be reimbursed by those interested at the rate of 10 centimes per seal.

4. Chinese crapes, admitted temporarily by virtue of the present Decree, can only be imported at the ports of Marseilles, Bordeaux, Nantes, Havre, Rouen, and Dunkirk, and by the Customhouses of Lille, Forbach, Strasbourg, Saint Louis,