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Foreign Office, October 31, 1854.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Walter Cope, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Guayaquil to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul General to the Republic of the Equator.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Lennox Wyke, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul-General to the Republics of Guatemala, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Honduras, and Salvador, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General to those Republics.

Foreign Office, November 13, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas Roberts, as Vice-Consul at Milford, Swansea, and Llanelly; and of Mr. William Wolfe Alexander, as Vice-Consul at Bristol, for the Grand Duke of Mecklenburgh-Schwerin.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made "in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of "His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes."

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Henry Stuart, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Bedford, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 11th day of

November, 1854.

C. S. LEFEVRE, Speaker.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 11, 1854.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State

for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, inclosing the copy of a circular instruction from the United States Treasury to the Collectors of Customs, directing the issue of Receipts to parties paying duties, under the present state of the American Law, on British caught fish. In being in contemplation to make the action of Congress at its next session available retrospectively for the remission of the duty on British caught fish, taken during the present fishing season; this measure is intended to facilitate the arrangement contingent on the expected action of Congress, by enabling the importers on the presentation of these receipts to obtain a repayment of their amounts, so soon as the contemplated Act of Congress shall have been passed.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 11, 1854.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Letter, which had been addressed to Her Majesty's Minister at Naples, by Mr. Goodwin, reporting the imposition of a 7 days' quarantine of observation on vessels arriving at Palermo from the undermentioned ports, not including the term of passage, provided such a voyage shall have been free from death on board; viz.: Stockholm, Hamburgh, Altona, the ports on the Elbe, Lubeck, Travemund, the Scandinavian Kingdom, Spain, Smyrna, Syra, Scalanova, Constantinople, Gallipoli, Paros, Nio, Gothland, St. Petersburgh, Cronstadt, Revel, London, Liverpool, Glasgow, Belfast, the Isle of Cristina (Cambraes), Isle of Arran, Venice, Sardinia, Gibraltar, Marseilles, Toulon, Cette, Algiers.

NOTICE.

In pursuance of the Act 17th Vict., cap. 23, the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice, that the Exchequer Bonds, of the series A and B, dated the 8th May, 1854, having been delivered to the Chief Cashier of the Bank of England, to be exchanged for the Scrip Receipts issued under the authority of the said Act, such Scrip Receipts will cease to be transferable after the expiration of seven days from the date hereof, according to the provisions of the said Act.

Treasury Chambers, 14th November, 1854.