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Foreign Office, October 11, 1861.

HE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Johann Knus as Consul at Penang for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. George Hogg as Consul at Trinidad for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Alexander Stewart as Consul at Kurrachee for the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His 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 Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable William Henry Edgeumbe, commonly called Viscount Valletort, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Plymouth, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to 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 of Plymouth, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this 7th day of October, 1861.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 8, 1861.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, have received disbanded.

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from the Spanish Minister for Foreign Affairs, announcing that in consequence of representations made by Her Majesty's Government as to the hardship of exacting fines from vessels in ballast presenting themselves in the Ports of Cuba, without being provided with certificates from Spanish Consuls, the Spanish Government have seen fit to remit the fines levied on certain British vessels, but it is expressly stated that these remissions are to be considered as Special Acts of Grace and not as precedents for future cases.

It is important therefore that all British vessels proceeding to the Ports of Cuba should be provided with such Certificates.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

11th Hampshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Richard Wigram, Gent., to be Captain, vice Henderson, resigned. Dated 8th October, 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Licutenant of the County of Kent.

Kent Artillery Volunteers.
5th Corps.

Thomas Watson Parker, late Lieutenant in the 21st Corps Kent Rifle Volunteers to be First Lieutenant, vice Read, resigned. Dated 1st October, 1861.

10th Corps.

Steven Henry Bartlett, Gent., to be First Lieutenant, vice Lamerton, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1861.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Lieutenant Thomas Watson Parker and Ensign Stephen John Newman, in the 21st Corps Kent Rifle Volunteers.

The 21st Corps Kent Rifle Volunteers has been disbanded.