

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the city of Winchester.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Wolverhampton.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Warwick.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Wakefield.

The Board of Guardians of the Poor Law Union, Waterford.

The Committee of the Wesleyan Methodists.

The Mayor and Corporation of the borough of Woodstock.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Wallingford.

The Commissioners of the Local Board of Health and Inhabitants of the town of Weston-super-Mare.

The High Sheriff, Nobility, Clergy, Grand Jurors, and Freeholders of the county of Westmeath.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Warrington.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Welchpool.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Yeovil.

The Mayor and Chief Burgesses of the borough of Yarmouth.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 26th day of *April*, 1864.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on the representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint P. Le Page Renouf, Esquire, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

*Arthur Helps.*

*Foreign Office, May 19, 1864.*

NOTIFICATION of the Raising of the Blockade of the Prussian Ports in the Baltic, and the Ports of Sleswig and Holstein.

IT is hereby notified, that Earl Russell, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Copenhagen an Official Notification, issued by the Ministry of Marine of the King of Denmark, and dated the 10th May, 1864, announcing that the Blockade, by the Danish Naval Forces, of the Prussian Ports in the Baltic, and of the Ports of Sleswig and Holstein (which ports and places are particularly named in the official notice hereunder set forth), will, from the 12th of this present month (May, 1864) be raised, and cease to be in force.

The following is the Official Notification received by Earl Russell:

THE Ministry of Marine notifies herewith, that according to the suspension of hostilities, concluded yesterday in London, the blockade of the

ports Cammin, Swinemünde, Wolgast, Greifswalde, Stralsund, Barth, Danzig, and Pillau will be raised the 12th of this month.

Further, the blockade of ports and inlets in the Duchies of Slesvig and Holstein, notified under the 18th and 27th of February and 22nd of March this year, will be raised from the same time.

Ministry of Marine, Copenhagen;  
the 10th May, 1864.

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*War Office, May 18, 1864.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Major Patrick Stewart, of the Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

*Foreign Office, May 18, 1864.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Gadban as Consul-General in London for the Sublime Ottoman Porte.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Manuel José Quintana as Vice-Consul at Newcastle for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

WHEREAS it appears to me, the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that the use of Locomotives, unless restricted as hereinafter mentioned, on or along the Highways in the hundred of Hoxne, in the county of Suffolk, is dangerous and inconvenient to the public:

I do hereby, by virtue of the provisions of "The Locomotive Act, 1861," by this Order, under my hand, prohibit the use of any kind of Locomotive whatever, propelled by steam, or any other than animal power, on the above roads, except between the hours of twelve o'clock at night and six o'clock in the morning.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 17th day of May, 1864.

(Signed) G. GREY.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
20th May, 1864.*

5th Lancers, Captain Cornwallis H. Chichester, from 13th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. F. Weaver, who exchanges. Dated 22nd February, 1864.

7th Hussars, Lieutenant Francis Arthur Hutchins, from the 8th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice E. H. Kennard, who exchanges. Dated 20th May, 1864.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Edmond Hegan Kennard, from 7th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice F. A. Hutchins, who exchanges. Dated 20th May, 1864.