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NOTIFICATION OF BLOCKADE.

IT is hereby notified, that Earl Russell, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received despatches from Her Majesty's Minister at Copenhagen, and Her Majesty's Consul at Stettin, enclosing the following official notification of the Blockade of the German Ports of the Baltic:—

“The Ministry of Marine notifies herewith that the Blockade of the Prussian Ports of Colberg, Cammin, Swinemünde, Wolgast, Greifswalde, Stralsund, and Barth, is effectuated the 27th instant, and that the Blockade of the Ports of Holstein and Slesvig, mentioned in the notification of the 25th instant, is likewise effectuated the 26th instant.

“Ministry of Marine, Copenhagen, the
“28th June, 1864.

“O. LÜTKEN.”

With respect to neutral vessels in the above-mentioned ports, it is officially notified that they may complete the lading of their cargoes and leave these ports without being interrupted up to the 16th of July, but that on the 17th of July and afterwards, all neutral vessels leaving these ports will be liable to seizure by the Danish blockading force.

With respect to the harbour of Pillau, Earl Russell has received a despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Königsberg, containing the following notification from the Captain of His Danish Majesty's frigate “Jylland,” certified by the Danish Consul at Pillau:—

Le soussigné a l'honneur de faire part à MM. les consuls résidant à Pillau que le blocus du dit port a été rétabli par les forces sous mes ordres. Les bâtiments neutres, se trouvant aujourd'hui dans le port, pourront compléter leur chargement et quitter Pillau sans obstacle jusqu'au 16 Juillet. Après cette époque, c'est-à-dire à partir du 17 du mois prochain, tout bâtiment neutre, sortant du port de Pillau, sera saisi par les bâtiments sous mes ordres.

A bord de la frégate de S. M. “Jylland,”
devant Pillau, le 27 Juin, 1864.

(Signé) HOHN.

A MM. les Consuls
des Puissances Neutres
résidant à Pillau.

(Translation.)

THE Undersigned has the honour to inform the Consuls residing at Pillau, that the Blockade of the said port has been re-established by the forces under his orders. The neutral ships which are now in the port will be allowed until the 16th of July, to complete their freight and to leave Pillau. After that period, that is to say from the 17th of next month, every neutral vessel leaving the port of Pillau will be seized by the ships under my orders.

On board His Majesty's frigate “Jylland,”
off Pillau, June 27, 1864.

(Signed) HOHN.

*The Consuls of the Neutral Powers,
Pillau.*

Whitehall, July 4, 1864.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing the Most Noble Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond; the Right Honourable Edward Henry Smith Stanley (commonly called Lord Stanley); the Right Honourable Stephen Lushington, D.C.L., Judge of Her Majesty's High Court of Admiralty; the Right Honourable Sir John Taylor Coleridge, Knt.; the Right Honourable Thomas O'Hagan, Her Majesty's Attorney-General for Ireland; James Moncreiff, Esq., Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland; Horatio Waddington, Esq.; John Bright, Esq.; William Ewart, Esq.; Gathorne Hardy, Esq.; George Ward Hunt, Esq.; and Charles Neate, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to enquire into the provisions and operation of the Laws now in force in the United Kingdom under and by virtue of which the Punishment of Death may be inflicted upon persons convicted of certain crimes, and also into the manner in which Capital Sentences are carried into execution.

Whitehall, July 4, 1864.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend James Amiraux Jeremie, D.D., the Deanery of Her Majesty's Cathedral Church of Lincoln, void by the promotion of Doctor Francis Jeune, late Dean thereof, to the Bishoprick of Peterborough.