

*Foreign Office, March 3, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Frederic Bankhage as Consul at Montreal, Canada, for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Theodor Knaus as Consul in London for His Majesty the King of Wurtemberg.

*India Office, March 3, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard Couch, Esq., now a Judge of the High Court at Bombay, to be Chief Justice of the said Court.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Charles Sargent, Knt., to be a Judge of the High Court at Bombay.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Markby, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be a Judge of the High Court at Calcutta.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Collett, Esq., of the Madras Civil Service, to be a Judge of the High Court at Madras.

*India Office, March 3, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Walter Morgan, Esq., now a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, to be Chief Justice of the High Court for the North Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William, and Alexander Ross, Esq., William Edwards, Esq., William Roberts, Esq., and Francis Boyle Pearson, Esq., all of the Bengal Civil Service, and Charles Arthur Turner, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Judges of the said High Court for the North Western Provinces.

*Crown Office, March 2, 1866.*

**MEMBERS** returned to serve in this present **PARLIAMENT.**

*Borough of Tiverton.*

The Honourable George Denman, in the room of Henry John, Viscount Palmerston, deceased.

*March 3.**County of Limerick.*

Colonel the Right Honourable William Monsell, Vice-President of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

*Westminster, March 6, 1866.*

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to two Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named,

to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to amend "The Telegraph Act, 1863."

An Act to amend the law relating to Contagious Diseases amongst Cattle and other Animals in Ireland.

*Whitehall, March 5, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Sir John Ralph Milbanke, of Eartham House, in the county of Sussex, Baronet, Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of the Hague, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of Eliza Emily Huskisson, late of Eartham aforesaid, Widow of the Right Honourable William Huskisson, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Huskisson, in addition to and after his present surname of Milbanke, and bear the arms of Huskisson quarterly with his own family arms; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal declaration and concession be registered in the said College of Arms.

*Admiralty, 2nd March, 1866.*

The undermentioned Officers have been this day promoted to the rank of Master in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Erasmus Corydon Roberts, Esq.  
Charles Frederick Gulliver, Esq.  
Joseph Shellabear Vivian, Esq.  
Heaver Sugden, Esq.  
Alfred Smith Bradley, Esq.  
William Horn, Esq.  
Francis John Gray, Esq.  
Thurston Stringer, Esq.  
George Edward Gresley Jackson, Esq.  
Frederick Kibbey Taylor, Esq.  
Andrew William Miller, Esq.  
John Bell Johnson, Esq.

*Admiralty, 5th March, 1866.*

Commander Robert Boyle Miller has been promoted to the rank of Retired Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 14th ultimo.

Commander William Mould has been promoted to the rank of Retired Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenant Edward Hobart Seymour to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Levinoe Stocking has this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 6th February, 1866.

*Queen's Commission.**2nd Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Herbert Bruce Sandford, Lieutenant-Colonel retired full-pay Royal (late Bombay) Artillery, with the honorary rank of Colonel, to be Adjutant, from the 15th January, 1866.