

time to time prescribe, be re-shipped therefrom and conveyed by vessel direct to the Port of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, North Shields, Sunderland, or Middlesborough.

4. Provided that all cattle so re-shipped shall continue to be deemed foreign cattle.

Arthur Helps.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
December 17, 1869.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public, under the usual regulations, on and after Tuesday next, the 21st instant.

Whitehall, December 15, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'élire to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Oxford empowering them to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Samuel Wilberforce, late Bishop thereof, to the See of Winchester; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend John Fielder Mackarness, M.A., to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Oxford.

Foreign Office, December 14, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. J. Stuart Day as Consul at Cowes for the North German Confederation.

St. James's Palace, December 17, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Augustus Constantine, Marquess of Normanby, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the room of Thomas Henry, Lord Foley, deceased.

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 Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess;"

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 Right Honourable John Wilson FitzPatrick, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for Queen's County, 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 county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this sixteenth day of December, 1869.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

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 Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess;"

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 Colonel Fulke Southwell Greville-Nugent, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Longford, 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 county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this sixteenth day of December, 1869.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

(C. 1515.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 10, 1869.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Ancona, a Despatch, notifying that in order to save delay in Italian ports British Shipmasters should be careful to obtain a bill of health from the Italian Consul before leaving England, otherwise their vessels will be subjected, in each case of neglect to do so, to a quarantine of twenty-four hours.

Admiralty, 15th December, 1869.

Lieutenant Charles Goodwin Fegen has been placed on the Retired List with the rank of Commander, from the 1st October, 1869, under Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1860, 1864, and 1866.