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TUESDAY, JULY 5, 1870.

*Whitehall, July 2, 1870.*

**T**HE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom appointing Sir William Milbourne James, Knt., a Vice Chancellor, to be a Judge of the Court of Appeal in Chancery, in the room of Sir Charles Jasper Selwyn, deceased.

*Whitehall, July 4, 1870.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom appointing James Bacon, Esq., Chief Judge in the London Bankruptcy Court, to be a Vice Chancellor, in the room of Sir William Milbourne James, Knt., resigned.

(C. 837.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
July 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that the Spanish Government have issued a Decree declaring free the Ports of Santa Cruz de Teneriffe, Orotava, Cuidad Real de las Palmas, Santa Cruz de la Palma, Arecife de Lanzarote, Puerto de Cabras, and San Sebastian de la Gomera, as well as the Port of Valverde, in the Island of Hierro.

(C. 845.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
July 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul-General in Egypt, a copy of a Letter from the President of the Board of Health at Alexandria, announcing that all vessels arriving at Suez will be admitted to free pratique upon producing a clean bill of health obtained at the port from which they first sailed; vessels which can only produce a bill of health from an intermediate port will be detained so long as the health officer may think proper, unless the bill obtained from the last port at which the

vessel has touched states clearly and explicitly that the vessel at the time of departure was admitted to free pratique.

(C. 857.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
July 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at San José, reporting the following reductions in the duty levied upon goods imported into Honduras:—

	cents.
Petroleum ... ..	5 per lb.
Fuses, of every description ... ..	10 "
Playing cards ... ..	50 "
Perfumery ... ..	10 "
Florida water ... ..	6½ "
Tricofero (a hair wash) ... ..	5 "
Epsom salts ... ..	2 "

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
5th July, 1870.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Douglas Mackinnon* Baillie Hamilton, Lord Cochrane, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Percy transferred to the Grenadier Guards. Dated 6th July, 1870.

*Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable* Oliver George Powlett Montagu to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Herbert Wombwell, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Cornet Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable O. G. P. Montagu. Dated 6th July, 1870.

*2nd Dragoon Guards, Cornet Joseph Henry* Newill has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th July, 1870.

*6th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel James* Francis Hickie, from half-pay late 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice William Thomas Betty, who retires upon temporary half-pay, receiving a portion of the former difference between Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 6th July, 1870.