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Lord Chamberlain's Office, August 26, 1873.

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Thursday, the 28th instant, for His late Royal Highness The Duke Charles of Brunswick, second cousin of Her Majesty The Queen; viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Thursday, the 4th of September next, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Thursday, the 11th of September next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

Downing Street, August 25, 1873.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Andrew Clarke, R.E., K.C.M.G., C.B., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Straits Settlements and their Dependencies.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Cornelius Hendericksen Kortright, Esq., to be Administrator of the Government of Her Majesty's Settlement on the Gambia.

Foreign Office, August 18, 1873.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Hartley, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Loanda, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Fernando Po, and for the Territories on the Western Coast of Africa comprised within the Bights of Benin and Biafra and lying between Cape St. Paul's to the west and Cape St. John to the east.

Foreign Office, August 22, 1873.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Ray Myers as Consul at Hamilton for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. P. Leith as Consul at Bombay for His Majesty the King of Siam.

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 Henry Austin Bruce, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Renfrew, 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 said county of Renfrew, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-fifth day of August, 1873.

HENRY BRAND, Speaker.

(M. 11785.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,
Whitehall Gardens, August 22, 1873.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of the following Telegram from Her Majesty's Consul at Genoa, dated 19th August—"Cholera exists in a very mild form, foul bills of health from to-day."

(M. 11929.)

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Whitehall Gardens, August 23, 1873.*

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