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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1877.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
November 5, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday next, the 10th instant, until further orders.

Foreign Office, October 31, 1877.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable William Stuart, C.B., now Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Hellenes, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Netherlands.

Whitehall, November 5, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable William Henry Smith; Admiral George Greville Wellesley, C.B.; Rear-Admiral Arthur William Acland Hood, C.B.; Rear-Admiral Richard James Meade (commonly called Lord Gilford), C.B.; and Sir Lopes Massey Lopes, Bart.; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Downing Street, November 3, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Isaac Swinburne Bond, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

Treasury Chambers, October 31, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the Right Honourable George Selater-Booth, M.P., to be the Official Verderer of the Court of Verderers constituted under the New Forest Act, 40 and 41 Vict., cap. 121 (Local).

[Extract from the Dublin Gazette of November 2, 1877.]

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

Crown and Hanaper Office.

IN pursuance of an Act passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty, King George the Third, entitled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that the Right Honourable James Alexander, Earl of Caledon, has been chosen by a majority of votes to be the Peer to sit in the House of Lords of the United Kingdom, in the room of Charles, Baron Headley, deceased.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1877.

*Ralph Smith Cusack,
Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.*

(S. & C. 2316.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,
November 5, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of the proposed Customs' Tariff of the Argentine Confederation for the year 1878. The document can be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department, 1, Whitehall.

(S. & C. 2317.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,
November 5, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, reporting that the exportation of butter from the Vilayet of Adrianople has been prohibited.

Admiralty, 1st November, 1877.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 3rd March, 1873—
Assistant-Paymaster William Edwin Gill has this day been placed on the Retired List.