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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the Public on and after Monday, the 3rd August, on every week day, Wednesdays excepted, under the usual Regulations until further orders.

Foreign Office, July 14, 1891.

THE following Despatch has been received from Her Majesty's Minister in Roumania, on the Subject of new Regulations respecting Passports in that Country:—

Sir F. Lascelles to The Marquis of Salisbury.
Sinaia, July 7, 1891.

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to enclose a copy of a Note which I have received from the Roumanian Minister for Foreign Affairs, informing me that, in consequence of the arrival at Roumanian ports of vagrants and persons without occupation who have been expelled from other countries, the Roumanian Government have decided to examine the passports of all passengers on board, and to prevent the landing of those whose papers do not bear the *visa* of the Roumanian Consulates.

Monsieur Esarco requests that this decision may be communicated to British Navigation Companies plying with Roumanian ports, and that they may be requested to refuse a passage to all those who are not provided with passports duly *viséd*.

I have forwarded a copy of this Note to Her Majesty's Consul-General at Galatz.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) FRANK C. LASCELLES.
The Marquis of Salisbury, K.G.,
&c. &c. &c.

*Bucarest, June 22,
Juillet 4, 1891.*

MONSIEUR L'ENVOYÉ,

PLUSIEURS bateaux à vapeur battant pavillon étranger arrivent dans nos ports et y débarquent des vagabonds et des individus sans aveu expulsés des autres pays.

Pour mettre fin à cette invasion dangereuse pour la tranquillité intérieure du pays, le Gouvernement Royal a pris la décision de faire visiter à bord des bâtiments les passeports des voyageurs et d'interdire l'entrée dans le pays à ceux dont les actes de légitimité ne seraient pas visés par nos Consulates.

En portant à la connaissance de Votre Excellence cette mesure j'ai l'honneur de la prier de vouloir bien la communiquer aux Compagnies de navigations anglaises, qui font le service dans les ports roumains avec invitation de ne plus recevoir sur leurs bâtiments des voyageurs non nantis de passeports en règle.

Veuillez agréer, &c.

(Signé) C. ESARCO.

Son Excellence Sir Frank C. Lascelles,
&c., &c., &c.

(Translation.)

*Bucarest, June 22,
July 4, 1891.*

MONSIEUR L'ENVOYÉ,

MANY steamships flying foreign flags arrive in our ports, and land there vagrants and persons without occupation who have been expelled from other countries.

In order to stop this influx, which is dangerous for the internal tranquillity of the country, the Royal Government has decided to inspect travellers' passports on board ship, and to refuse permission of entry into the country to those persons whose papers of identity are not visé by our Consulates.

In bringing this regulation to your notice, I have the honour to beg that you will be so good as to communicate it to the English Navigation Companies who ply to Roumanian Ports, with a request that they will no longer receive on their vessels travellers not provided with passports in due form.

Receive, &c.,

(Signed) C. ESARCO.

His Excellency Sir Frank C. Lascelles,
&c., &c., &c.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
July 10, 1891.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Miss Mary Florentia Hughes to be one of Her Majesty's Maids of Honour in Ordinary, in the room of the Honourable Marie Adeane, resigned.

Whitehall, July 13, 1891.

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, granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom unto Samuel Cunliffe Lister, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Masham, of Swinton, in the county of York.