The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. B. Bowser as Consul at Sierra Leone for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Loton S. Hunt as Consul at Guelph, Ontario, for the United States of America.

Whitehall, September 1, 1890.

THE Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the death, without male issue, of Richard Plantagenet Campbell, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos and Earl Temple of Stowe, in the county of Buckingham, which happened on the 26th day of March, 1889, the dignity of Duke of Buckingham and Chandos became extinct, and that of Earl Temple of Stowe aforesaid devolved upon William Stephen, now Earl Temple of Stowe, as eldest son and heir of Anne Eliza Mary Gore-Langton, commonly called Lady Anne Eliza Mary Gore-Langton, widow of William Henry Powell Gore-Langton, of Newton Park, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, both deceased, by virtue of the special remainders contained in the Letters Patent of Creation, dated the fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two, whereby according to the ordinary rules of honour the brothers and sisters of the said William Stephen, now Earl Temple of Stowe, cannot enjoy that title, rank, place, and precedence which would have been due to them had their late mother, the said Lady Anne Eliza Mary Gore-Langton, survived her brother, the said Richard Plantagenet Campbell, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos and Earl Temple of Stowe, and thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Countess Temple of Stowe aforesaid, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Henry Powell Gore-Langton, of Hatch Park, in the county of Somer-set, Esquire, Captain in the 3rd Battalion of the Somersetshire Light Infantry, Edward Grenville Gore-Langton, Esquire, Mary Jane, the wife of Henry Mills Skrine, of Warleigh Manor, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, and Frances Anne, the wife of Henry Gribble Turner, Esquire, of the Madras Civil Service, Retired, the brothers and sisters of the said William Stephen, now Earl Temple of Stowe, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy that title, rank, place, pre-eminence, and precedence which would have been due to them had their mother, the said Lady Anne Eliza Mary Gore-Langton, survived her brother, the said Richard Plantagenet Campbell, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos and Earl Temple of Stowe, and thereby succeeded to the dignity of Countess Temple of Stowe:

And to command that the said Royal order and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, September 11, 1890.

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 Knight of the said United Kingdom unto Steuart Macnaghten, of Bittern Manor House, in the county of Southampton, Esq., and of the Middle Temple, Barrister-at-Law.

(H. 5909.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 11, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice, dated September 1, issued by the Hungarian Maritime Government at Fiume, ordering that all vessels arriving from Japanese ports shall be subject to severe medical examination, after which they are to be admitted to free pratique, provided they have had a normal journey and are found in normal sanitary condition. In every other case notice is to be given to the Maritime Government, who will establish the further treatment for the respective vessels. Should the aforesaid vessels have touched some port of the Red Sea, the same are to be dealt with according to the instructions in the Circular No. 3501, dated 11th August, 1890.

(H. 5914.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 11, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated September 10, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens : -- "My telegram, June 28. Quarantine on ships from Spain. Five days' observation as before if provided with clean health bill, eleven days' quarantine at Delos if not."

(H. 5825.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),. London, September 12, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Vienna, reporting that the Hungarian Maritime Authorities have prohibited, until further notice, the importation from Egypt of rags, worn linen, and wearing apparel, bedding, and rope work designed for purposes of trade.

(H. 5825.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 12, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Notice respecting quarantine issued by the Trieste Maritime Board, viz. :---

In consequence of cholera having broken out at Nagasaki, vessels arriving from Japanese ports, should they have had a healthy passage and have not touched any ports in the Red Sea, will be subjected on their arrival in any Austrian port to a rigorous medical visit, and then, if found in perfectly normal conditions, admitted to free pratique. Should this not be the case the Marine Board will decide on the treatment.

Trieste, August 30, 1890.

For the President,

TOMASSICK.

Admiralty, 10th September, 1890.

THE undermentioned Assistant - Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet :---

Herbert Lauder Warren. Joseph Green.

Dated 26th August, 1890.

War Office, Pall Mall,

12th September, 1890.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel Emilius Clayton, from half-pay, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel H. de S. Isaacson, placed upon half-pay. Dated 17th August, 1890.

Thë undermentioned Captains to be Majors :-Foster Lionel Cunliffe, vice E. F. Wodehouse, retired. Dated 27th August, 1890.