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Whitehall, July 30, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to grant unto William Prinsep White, of Mere Hall, in the County Palatine of Chester, Gentleman, His Royal licence and authority that he may take and henceforth use the surnames of Langford-Brooke in lieu of and in substitution for his own surname of White, and that he may bear the Arms of Langford and Brooke quarterly, and that the said surnames and Arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by his issue; the said Arms to be first duly exemplified according to the laws of Arms, and recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect.

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in the said College of Arms.

> Foreign Office, September 1, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Charles Louis des Graz, Esq., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republics of Bolivia, Ecuador, and Peru, and also to be His Majesty's Consul-General for those Republics.

Foreign Office, September 2, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Don Vicente Echeverria Larrain as Consul of Chile at London. Foreign Office,

September 4, 1908,

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Mr. Angus W. Hooper as Consul-General of Denmark at Montreal;

Mr. Ernest A. Wakefield as Consul of the United States of America at Rangoon;

Señor Don Francisco de F. Carrara as Consul of Colombia at Gibraltar;

Señor Segundo Antonio Mendoza as Consul of Venezuela at Liverpool; and

Don Emilio Moreno y Rosales as Vice-Consul of Spain at Gibraltar.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, 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 manuer 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 Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

DO hereby give notice, that the death of Thomas Cairns, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the city of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make