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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1863.

At the Court at Windsor, the 8th day of December 1863.

PRESENT;

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council. "HIS day His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales was, by Her Majesty's command, introduced into the Privy Council, where his Royal Highness took his place at the upper end of the Board.

At the Court at Windsor, the 8th day of December 1863.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council. This day the Right Honourable Sir William Gibson-Craig, Baronet, the Lord Clerk Register and Keeper of the Signet in Scotland, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

WAR-OFFICE, December 11, 1863.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of George Frederick Edmonstone, Esq., late Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces of Bengal, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; and of Lieutenant Colonel Charles Robert West Hervey, of the Bombay Staff Corps, sometime General Superintendent for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoity, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

FOREIGN OFFICE, December 9, 1863.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Philip Wodehouse Currie, Esq., of the Foreign Odice, to be an Acting Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Henry Sauderson, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad. FOREIGN OFFICE, December 9, 1863.

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The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Francis S. Dutton as Consul in Australia for His Majesty the King of Wurtemberg.

DOWNING STREET, December 10, 1863.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas William Kinder, Esq. to be Master of the Mint for the Colony of Hong Kong.

THE PRINCE OF WALES' COUNCIL CHAMBER, BUCKINGHAM GATE, December 10, 1863.

The names of those who have been nominated by the Council of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to serve the office of Sheriff of the County of Cornwall :---

John Michael Williams, of Caerhayes Castle, Esq.

Thomas Simon Bolitho, of Penalvern, Esq. Day Perry Le Grice, of Trereiffe, Esq.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twentyfourth 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 men-" tioned, 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, inituled "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 Honourable William George Cavendish, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Buckingham, is become a Peer of the