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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,  
March 30, 1870.

NOTICE is Hereby Given that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday the 28th of May next.

At the Court at Windsor, the 31st day of  
March 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by the 410th Section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," it is enacted "that upon the completion of any new lighthouse, buoy, or beacon, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, fix such dues in respect thereof, to be paid by the master or owner of any ship which passes the same or derives benefit therefrom, as Her Majesty may deem reasonable, and may from time to time alter the amount thereof, and that such dues shall be paid and collected in the same manner, and by the same means, and subject to the same conditions, in, by, and subject to which the light dues authorized to be levied by the said Act are paid and collected:"

And whereas the Commissioners of Irish Lights have erected a new lighthouse on Tearaght Island, on the south-west Coast of Ireland, County Kerry:

And whereas the said Commissioners will, on the night of the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy extinguish the light now known as the Skellings Rock Upper Light, and exhibit in lieu thereof a light in the said new lighthouse on Tearaght Island:

Now therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to direct that from and after the first day of May next the tolls heretofore paid in respect of the said Skellings Rock Upper Light shall be discontinued, and that in lieu thereof there shall be paid in respect of the said new lighthouse on Tearaght Island for every vessel, whether British or Foreign, which may pass or derive benefit therefrom, the toll of three-sixteenths of a penny per ton of the burden of every such vessel for each time

of passing or deriving benefit therefrom if on an oversea voyage; and one-sixteenth of a penny per ton for each time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom if on a coasting voyage.

The said tolls, in respect of the said new lighthouse, shall be levied by the Commissioners of Irish Lights, subject to the regulations and exemptions contained in the new consolidated table of light duties sanctioned by an Order in Council dated the first day of November one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and to the gross abatement or discount of fifty per cent. mentioned in an Order in Council dated the twenty-eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

ARTHUR HELPS.

WAR-OFFICE, March 31, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Colonel John Henry Lefroy, of the Royal Artillery, having the temporary rank of Major-General whilst employed as Director-General of Ordnance, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 31, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr J. Lewis Farley as Consul at Bristol for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don José Sanchez Bazan as Consul for Spain for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to reside at Liverpool.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Federico E. Cobb as Consul in the Falkland Islands for the Republic of Chili.

WHITEHALL, March 30, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Andrew Laidlaw to the church and parish of Kirkpatrick Durham, in the presbytery of Dumfries, and stewartry of Kirkcudbright, vacant by the death of the Reverend George Greig.