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WINDSOR CASTLE, April 8, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel Henry Ponsonby, one of Her Majesty's Equerries in Ordinary, to be Private Secretary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lieutenant-General the Honourable Charles Grey, deceased.

FOREIGN OFFICE, April 5, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Mahlon Chance as Consul at Nassau, New Providence, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Frederico Conrad Tobler as Consul at Manchester for the Republic of Nicaragua.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr Charles Edouard Pichard as Vice-Consul at Llanely for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Howard Fox as Vice-Consul at Falmouth for the Republic of the Equator.

WHITEHALL, April 6, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Henry Parry Liddon, M.A., the place and dignity of a Canon Residentiary of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London, void by the promotion of Doctor Thomas Dale to the Deanery of Rochester.

WHITEHALL, April 6, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Josiah Irons, D.D., to the Rectory and Parish Church of Wadingham, in the county and diocese of Lincoln, void by the cession of the Reverend Lewis Welsh Owen.

DUBLIN CASTLE, April 8, 1870.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Sir Arthur Edward Guinness, Baronet, to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of the city of Dublin.

DUBLIN CASTLE, April 8, 1870.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Mathew P. D'Arcy, Esquire, M.P., to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of the city of Dublin.

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith :

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir George Grey, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Cousin and Councillor William Reginald, Earl of Devon ;

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Lieutenant-General Jonathan Peel ;

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor George Ward Hunt, Esquire ;

To Our trusty and well-beloved Sir William Milbourne James, Knight, Vice-Chancellor ;

To Our trusty and well-beloved Sir James Yorke Scarlett, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-General of Our Forces ;

To Our trusty and well-beloved Thomas M. Steele, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Major General in Our Army ;

To Our trusty and well-beloved Samuel Whitbread, Esquire ;

To Our trusty and well-beloved Philip Henry Muntz, Esquire ;

Whereas it is alleged that, in those Corps in Our Army in which Regimental Promotions are made by Purchase, a practice exists of paying in respect of promotions, and of receiving in respect of retirements, sums in excess of those sanctioned by Our Royal Warrant dated the 3d February 1866.

And whereas we have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to inquire into and report upon the said alleged practice,