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WHITEHALL, August 17, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint George Hunter Thoms, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shires of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland, as constituted by an Act of the 33d and 34th years of Her Majesty's reign.

WINDSOR CASTLE, August 17, 1870.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Edward Smirke, Esq., Vice-Warden of the Stannaries.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 3, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Patrick James Craigie Robertson, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Bussorah.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Joaquin M. de Satrustegui as Consul-General for Spain for the British Possessions in North America, to reside at Montreal.

WHITEHALL, August 9, 1870.

The Queen taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of Harriet, Baroness Windsor, the title and dignity of Baron Windsor devolved upon her grandson and heir Robert George, now Baron Windsor (a minor), as the only son and heir of Robert Windsor-Clive, commonly called the Honourable Robert Windsor-Clive, who was whilst living the eldest son and heir-apparent of the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and that according to the ordinary rules of honor the sisters of the said Robert George, now Baron Windsor, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them had their said late father survived his mother the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Windsor, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased

to ordain and declare that Georgina Harriet Charlotte Windsor-Clive, Henrietta Lucy Windsor-Clive, and Mary Agnes Windsor-Clive, Spinsters, the sisters of the said Robert George, now Baron Windsor, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence, as if their said late father had survived his mother, the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Baron Windsor.

The Queen has also been pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
August 15, 1870.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a French Customs Circular relating to the new duties imposed on Tea, Coffee, and Cocoa, by the Imperial Decree of the 28th July last. From this document it appears that the Articles referred to may be entered for home consumption at the old and lower duties at any time before the 1st September next, if in the warehouse before the 30th July, and at any time as regards goods on the way to France before that date, if so entered on arrival. No distinction is made between French colonial and other extra-European products, and nothing in the new duties is to affect the stipulations of Treaties with Foreign Powers, British and others.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,  
August 19, 1870.

Control Department—F. C. Bennett, gent. to be Assistant Commissary in the African Branch. Dated 1st August 1870.

Chaplains' Department—Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend E. L. Walsh, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 5th August 1870.