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WHITEHALL, November 5, 1877.

**T**HE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable William Henry Smith; Admiral George Greville Wellesley, C.B.; Rear-Admiral Arthur William Acland Hood, C.B.; Rear-Admiral Richard James Meade (commonly called Lord Gilford), C.B.; and Sir Lopes Massey Lopes, Bart.,—to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

FOREIGN OFFICE, October 31, 1877.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable William Stuart, C.B., now Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Hellenes, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Netherlands.

DOWNING STREET, November 3, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Isaac Swinburne Bond, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, October 31, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth, M.P., to be the Official Verderer of the Court of Verderers constituted under the New Forest Act, 40 and 41 Vict., cap. 121 (Local).

DUBLIN CASTLE, October 1, 1877.

His Grace the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Wicklow to be State Steward of the Viceregal Household in place of the Earl of Bandon, resigned.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,  
November 3, 1877.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for two situations as Junior Clerk in the Office of Woods, &c., will be held in London, on Tuesday the 18th of December 1877, under the Regulations, dated the 27th April 1877, and published in the London Gazette on the 1st May 1877.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Com-