

Westminster, February 24, 1837.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to suspend, for a limited time, the operation of two Acts, passed in the last session of Parliament, for registering births, deaths, and marriages in England, and for marriages in England.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the seventh year of His present Majesty, for consolidating and amending the laws relating to the presentment of public money by grand juries in Ireland.

Downing-Street, February 24, 1837.

The King has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Admiral Sir Lawrence William Halsted, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the said Order, in the room of Lord De Saunarez, deceased.

Downing-Street, February 28, 1837.

The King has been pleased to appoint Vice-Admiral Ross, Donnelly, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, in the room of Admiral Sir Lawrence William Halsted.

His Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Rear-Admiral Francis William Austen, and Rear-Admiral George Mundy, Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be Knights Commanders of the said Order.

Crown-Office, February 28, 1837.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Anglesey.

William Owen Stanley, of Penrhos, in the said county of Anglesey, Esq. in the room of Sir Richard Bulkeley Williams Bulkeley, Bart. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, February 21, 1837.

The King has been pleased to grant unto Lieutenant Charles Shaw, His Royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Spanish Order of Saint Ferdinand, of the third class, and the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Portuguese Order of the Tower and Sword, which

their Majesties the Queen Regent of Spain and the Queen of Portugal have been respectively pleased to confer upon that Officer, in approbation of his conduct in the action of Ayeta, on the 5th of May 1836, while in Her Catholic Majesty's actual service; and also for his conduct in many actions, and especially that of the 25th of July 1833, while in Her Most Faithful Majesty's actual service, and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided, nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto as Knight Bachelor of these realms.

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration, together with the relative documents, be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms.

*Office of Commissioners of Compensation,
No. 25, Great George-Street, West-
minster, February 24, 1837.*

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the under-mentioned claims having been received from the colony of the Cape of Good Hope, the Commissioners will proceed to take the same into consideration on Friday the 3d of March next, at twelve o'clock; and that certificates of the awards which shall be made upon that day will be deliverable, at this Office, on Saturday the 18th of March:

131	870	1609	2671	3689	4346	5123
132	877	1625	2686	3704	4347	5133
183	879	1631	2760	3706	4359	5138
187	882	1646	2770	3732	4361	5203
211	8-6	1651	2781	3733	4372	5227
227	898	1692	2784	3734	4374	5261
253	899	1718	2813	3747	4379	5286
339	901	1726	2814	3752	4381	5312
344	916	1744	2984	3781	4383	5321
456	917	1747	3029	3823	4399	5384
457	1011	1752	3062	3824	4-07	5491
491	1053	1758	3068	3825	4409	5514
499	1070	1778	3078	3873	4438	5559
544	1086	1785	3098	3887	4511	5588
557	1145	1800	3175	3898	45-9	5625
560	1149	1890	3199	3927	4544	5669
561	1220	1919	3245	3963	4545	5742
581	1221	1956	3253	3967	4546	5778
584	1284	2147	3261	3968	4586	5826
6-7	1301	22-5	3277	4013	4645	5843
6-8	1335	2401	3306	4014	4657	5958
682	1427	2413	3309	4023	4662	5971
684	1521	2456	3310	4030	4718	6092
706	1521	2460	3327	4031	4791	6143
716	1526	2478	3342	4033	4798	6150
846	1540	2487	3346	4056	4809	6232
847	1573	2643	3442	4059	4813	6378
858	1589	2641	3461	4072	4814	6398
859	1600	2663	3645	4082	5080	6463
869	1608	2664	3666	4084	5105	6472

By order of the Board,

Henry Hill, Secretary.