We then made the best of our way across towards the Spanish coast, and, thanks to Providence, we were picked up by the brig Dawn, at midnight, otherwise the boat must have been swamped before morning, owing to her being so deep with all the ship's company and sundries.

I beg you will transmit this information to the authorities, and probably they'll look after the

vessel. (Signed)

I remain, &c.

JAMES H. FORSTER,

Master:

Downing-Street, November 21, 1848.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major General Sir Robert William Gardiner, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, to be Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the city and garrison of Gibraltar.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Philip D. Souper, Esq. to be Registrar of the Court of First Instance for the island of Mauritius.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint James Stewart, Esq. to be Deputy Queen's Advocate for the island of Ceylon.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Edward Palmer, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Solicitor General for Prince Edward Island.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to place the Turks and Caicos Islands under the supervision of the Governor of Jamaica, and to appoint Frederick Henry Alexander Forth, Esq. to be President of the Council of Government of the said islands.

Downing-Street, November 21, 1848.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Paul Edmund de Strzelecki, Esq. 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, November 18, 1848.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Taggart, as Consul at Demerara for Her Majesty the Queen of Portugal and the Algarves.

Office of Ordnance, 20th November 1848.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

First Lieutenant Adolphus Frederick Connell to be Second Captain, vice Thorndike, resigned. Dated 16th November 1848.

Staff Serjeant George Clarke to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st November 1848.

Staff Serjeant William M'Kown to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st November 1848.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bute.

Captain James Frederick Dudley Crichton Stuart to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th October 1848.

Thomas Dunlop Douglas, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th October 1848.

Major George Douglas to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th October 1848.

David Robertson Souter, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th October 1848.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Lancashire Hussars.

Frederick Sewallis Gerard, Gent. to be Lieutenant Dated 16th November 1848.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of 7th July 1848.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

The Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Francis Taylor (and not William Taylor), Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Woodroffe, deceased. Dated 1st July 1848.

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.

Michaelmas Term.—Twelfth Victoria.

Saturday the 18th day of November, A.D. 1848.

This Court will hold Sittings on Friday the 1st day of December next, and on every succeeding day until and including Friday the 8th day of the same month (Sunday the 3d day of December next excepted), and will proceed in disposing of the business then pending in the New Trial Paper, the Demurrer Paper, and the Paper of Special Cases, and also of the Motions appointed to come on with Causes in the New Trial and Demurrer Papers.

By the Court.

Read in open Court, E. Bennett.

Whitehall, November 13, 1848.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Browett, of Coventry, in the county of Warwick, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, November 16, 1848.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Wildman Thomas Lea, of Bewdley, in the county of Worcester, Gent. to be a Master Extra ordinary in the High Court of Chancery.