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FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 1861.

Foreign Office, August 14, 1861.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Stanhope Freeman, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Janina, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Lagos.

Foreign Office, August 20, 1861.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Patrick J. Devine as Consul at Cork for the United States of America.

Foreign Office, August 22, 1861.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry W. Lord, as Consul at Manchester, and of Mr. John E. Newport, as Consul at Turk's Island, for the United States of America.

Crown Office, August 21, 1861.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present **PARLIAMENT.**

*County Palatine of Lancaster,
Southern Division.*

Charles Turner, Esq., one additional Knight.

Whitehall, August 16, 1861.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Montague Tharp, a Lieutenant in the 62nd Regiment of Foot, third and youngest son of Joseph Sidney Tharp, of Chippenham Park, in the county of Cambridge, Esquire, by his first wife Anna Maria, only daughter of William Gent, of the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, deceased, a Major-General in the service of the East India Company, on the Madras Establishment, by his first wife Anna Maria Fleetwood, and only sister of George William Gent, late of Moyn's Park, in the parish of Steeple Bumstead, in the county of Essex, Esquire, also deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said George William Gent, take and henceforth use the surname of Gent, in addition to and after

that of Tharp, and also bear the arms of Gent quarterly with his own family arms, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office otherwise Her Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War-Office, Pall-Mall.

23rd August, 1861.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Henry Crofton Lloyd, from the Roscommon Militia, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Stephenson, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

3rd Light Dragoons, Quartermaster Charles E. Nettles to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Peter Hubert Daly, deceased. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

Regimental Serjeant-Major Henry Woods to be Quartermaster, vice Nettles, appointed Cornet. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

10th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Lord Ralph Drury Kerr to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Coates, who retires. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

Cornet Henry Price Holford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lord Ralph Drury Kerr. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

Lieutenant Owen R. Slacke to be Adjutant, vice Lord Ralph Drury Kerr, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

16th Light Dragoons, Captain Alan John Colquhoun, from the Stirlingshire Militia, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Perceval Clark, appointed to the 9th Light Dragoons. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

1st Regiment of Foot, Ensign and Adjutant Emanuel Teale to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

Ensign Percy Bingham Schreiber to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lloyd Evans, who retires. Dated 23rd August, 1861.

Frank Rutley, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Schreiber. Dated 23rd August, 1861.