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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1866.

Windsor Castle, December 8, 1866.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—
The Baron de Blome, Envoy Extraordinary
and Minister from the King of Hanover, to deliver
his Letter of Recall;

To which audience he was introduced by Lord Stanley, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office, December 7, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. August Barsdorf as Consul at Port Elizabeth, Cape of Good Hope, for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Eduard Rosenbusch as Consul at Malta for the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen,

Downing Street, December 8, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain James George Mackenzie, R.N. (now Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Christopher), to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Christopher and of the Island of Nevis.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Edward Herbert, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary for the Island of Saint Christopher.

Whitehall, November 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Frederick John Skoulding, of Gilston Cottage, in the parish of Gilston, in the county of Hertford, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal Grandfather Samuel Cann, late of Wymondham, in the county of Norfolk, Gentleman, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Cann in addition to and after that of Skoulding, and bear the arms of Cann quarterly with those of Skoulding; such arms being first

duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise Her Majesty's Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

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

> War Office, Pall Mall, 11th December, 1866.

20th Regiment of Hussars, Gentleman Cadet William Chetwode Lloyd, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice George Manners Onslow, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Godfrey James Wigram to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Michael Walker Heneage, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

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Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable Heneage
Legge to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Wigram. Dated 11th December,

Amelius Richard Mark Wood, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable Heneage Legge. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Leopold James Yorke Campbell Scarlett, Gent, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Neil Douglas Cecil Frederick Douglas, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

1st Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Drury Shaw, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Augustus William Munsey, transferred to the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 11th December, 1866.

7th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Josiah Philip Crampton Neville, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Alfred James Medley Reade, who resigns. Dated 11th December, 1866.

14th Foot, Captain Anthony Robert Keogh, from the 10th Foot, to be Captain, vice John G. Maycock, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.