

Foreign Office, February 18, 1867.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Randal Callander, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Stockholm, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catarina, to reside at Rio Grande do Sul.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Gerald Raoul Perry, Esq., lately Her Majesty's Consul at Rio Grande do Sul, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Eastern Coast of Sweden.

Foreign Office, February 21, 1867.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Doria, Esq., Secretary to Her Majesty's late Legation at Hanover, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm.

Foreign Office, February 25, 1867.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Jorge B. Kerferd as Consul at Liverpool for the Republic of Guatemala.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall, February 25, 1867.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Vienna, reporting certain reductions in the duties levied in accordance with the Austrian Customs Tariff.

(Translation.)

Division.	Position.	Description of the Articles.	Present Import Duty.		Former Duty.	
			fl.	kr.	fl.	kr.
22	...	Fats :—				
	b.	Stearine, stearine acid, paraffine (per centner gross)	1	50	4	00
	d.	1. Tallow		free	0	45 c.m.
		2. Fats not, &c.,				
23	...	Oils, fatty :—				
	c.	Cocoa-nut and palm oil in casks		free	0	45 c.m.
31	...	Turners' and carvers' wares, which are not enumerated in other divisions :—				
	a.	1. Amber (raw amber), jet (black amber), horns, horn plates, horn points, bones, claws, feet and hoofs, tortoise-shell, meerschaum, whalebone, cane work, neither split or soaked, sticks and canes (with the exception of reeds and canes for chair making), cocoa and coquilla nuts, cocoa-nut shells, arica and thick shelled nuts ...		free		
		2. Ivory and other teeth, mother-of-pearl and other muscle shells, raw or only cut, in plates and blocks		free	0	45
	b.	Corals, raw (also bored), neither cleaned nor polished	0	75	0	45
35	...	Gums (also resins, &c.) :—				
	b.	1. Petroleum, black		free	0	24 c.m.
		2. Turpentine, birdlime, lemon (citron) juice in casks	0	42	0	24 c.m.
	d.	1. Raw gutta-percha (in the original form of bottles and shoes), and gutta-percha, raw and uncleaned		free	0	45 c.m.
		2. Other gums, also resins and resinous gums, and the sap of plants not specially mentioned ...	0	80	0	45 c.m.
62	...	Leather, leather and gum elastic wares :—				
	a.	1. Plates of gum elastic or gutta-percha, cleaned ...	0	75	7	30
		2. Leather, common (that is, not specially enumerated), furthermore, gum elastic threads, not in combination with other materials (per centner net)	5	50	2 fl. 30 c.m. from the Zollverein	12 fl. 30 kr.
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