

and parish of Foveran, in the presbytery of Ellon, and county of Aberdeen, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Strachan Watt.

Downing Street, June 20, 1872.

MEMORANDUM.

In the Gazette of the 11th instant, for Captain William Henry Towry Miles Cooper, R.M., read Captain Henry Towry Miles Cooper, R.M.

Education Department, Whitehall, June 20, 1872.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the under-mentioned Parishes:—

Owslebury ... .. Hants  
Willand ... .. Devon

Education Department, Whitehall, June 20, 1872.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the election of a person to fill a casual vacancy in the School Board of—

Stalybridge ... .. Chester

(S. & C. 396.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, June 20, 1872.

THE Board of Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, inclosing a copy of a Decree of the Portuguese Government, dated the 14th ultimo, making certain alterations in the General Customs' Tariff. The following is a translation of the Articles of the Decree:—

ARTICLE 1.

Instead of the duties of importation, exportation, and re-exportation, laid down in the General Customs' Tariff, on the articles mentioned in the Schedule which forms part of this Law, the following duties shall be levied, as specified in the said Schedule.

ARTICLE 2.

The General Customs' Tariff shall be enforced in the same manner in all the Custom Houses, both in the continental part of the Kingdom and in the adjacent Islands; and in the said Island the duties and taxes shall be recovered in coin having its full value—the provision laid down in the 2nd Article of the Law of December 27th, 1870, thus becoming generally applicable.

ARTICLE 3.

All merchandize deposited in the Custom House, the import duty on which is less than 1 per cent. ad valorem, shall pay when re-exported, one-tenth of the export duty leviable on the same, as per tariff—thus modifying the 39th Article of the preliminary rules of the Tariff of 1861.

ARTICLE 4.

All legislation to the contrary is hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE referred to in the Decree:—

NAME OF MERCHANDIZE.	Unit.	DUTIES.	
		Reis.	Stg.
IMPORTATION.			
Molasses ... ..	kilog.	20	1.06
Petroleum ... ..	do.	40	2.13
Stearine ... ..	do.	70	3.73
Spices, excepting Red Pepper ... ..	do.	100	5.33
EXPORTATION.			
Cattle.			
Oxen and Cows ... ..	per head	1.500	6/8
Hogs ... ..	do.	300	1/4
Sheep and Goats ... ..	do.	50	2.66

Articles upon which no special duties are fixed in the Tariff ... ad valorem, 1 per cent.

NOTE—Nevertheless, Cereals, and the produce of the National Mines, shall continue to be exempt from export duties.

RE-EXPORTATION.

Articles re-exported, on clearance outwards ... .. ad valorem, 1 1/4 per cent.

Admiralty, 20th June, 1872.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—  
Staff Surgeon William Banks Fegen has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant.

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

Captain James Dyson Bourne, 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th June, 1872.

Crown Office, June 21, 1872.

Days and Places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes, 1872.

CIRCUIT of the PRINCIPALITY of WALES and COUNTY PALATINE of CHESTER.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.  
Mr. Baron Channell.

NORTH WALES.

Montgomeryshire, Monday, July 15, at Newtown.  
Merionethshire, Thursday, July 18, at Dolgelly.  
Carnarvonshire, Monday, July 22, at Carnarvon.  
Anglesey, Thursday, July 25, at Beaumaris.  
Denbighshire, Monday, July 29, at Ruthin.  
Flintshire, Thursday, August 1, at Mold.  
Cheshire, Saturday, August 3, at Chester.