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Whitehall, August 21, 1876.

THE following Addresses of Congratulation to the Queen, on the return of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales from India, have been transmitted to the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, for presentation, which have accordingly been presented by him to Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously:—
From

- The Town Council of Stockport.
- The Town Council of Chester.
- The Town Council of Bolton.
- The Town Council of Glastonbury.
- The Town Council of Andover.
- The Commissioners of Supply of the county of Orkney.
- The Town Council of Stafford.
- The Town Council of Greenock.
- The General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.
- The Town Council of Chipping Norton.
- The Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors of the Royal Burgh of Rutherglen.
- The Town Council of Bradwich.
- The Commissioners of Supply of the county of Kinross.
- The Town Council of Plymouth.
- The Town Council of Bath.
- The Town Council of Manchester.
- The Vestry of St. Pancras, London.
- The Town Council of Salford.
- The Metropolitan Board of Works.
- The Provost, &c., of the College of Eton.
- The Justices of the county of Middlesex.
- The Town Council of Inverary.
- The Society of Merchant Venturers of Bristol.
- The Metropolitan Asylums' Board.
- The Town Council of Dover.
- The Town Council of Bristol.
- The Town Council of Rochester.
- The Town Council of Boston.
- The Corporation of Trinity House.
- The Town Council of Ryde.
- The Town Council of Kidderminster.
- The Very Reverend the Dean and Court of Burghesses of the City of Westminster.
- The Town Council of Cambridge.
- The Town Council of Liverpool.
- The Town Council of Glasgow.

Foreign Office, August 18, 1876.

HER Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Representative in the Republic of Santo Domingo, copy of a Law published in the Santo Domingo Gazette of the 2nd of June last, prohibiting the importation into that Republic of Articles contraband of War.

A translation of Article I of the Law in question is subjoined:—

ARTICLE I.

Traders and private persons are absolutely prohibited from introducing into the Republic, cannon, rifles, guns and carbines of whatever system, revolvers, capsular and percussion caps which are not for sporting guns.

Foreign Office, August 21, 1876.

HER Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Minister Resident at Carácas, a Despatch, of which an Extract is appended, reporting that the importation of Foreign Silver Money into Venezuela has been prohibited:—

EXTRACT from Mr. Middleton's Despatch, dated Carácas, July 15, 1876, to the Earl of Derby.

By a resolution of the Minister of Finance, which I have the honour to inclose in copy and translation, the Venezuelan Government is empowered to continue to have national silver money coined in Europe (as has been lately done to a small extent), until the amount of such national silver money shall be sufficient to meet the exigencies of the country, and thus to admit of foreign silver money being declared to be no longer of legal tender, but as it is judged to be inexpedient that beforehand large importations of the latter should be made, the President of the Republic has ordered that from the date of the resolution referred to, all importations whatever of it are prohibited, and are to be considered fraudulent if attempted to be made subsequently to the periods of time accorded to foreign countries by the following table:—

	Days
For money coming from Europe ...	60
For money coming from United States of North America ...	40
For that from the American Republics expecting Colombia ...	60
For that from the Republic of Colombia ...	30
And for that coming from the Antilles ...	15