

members of our body who are best fitted to promote the interests of the said college as a place of education religion learning and research.

And whereas it is provided under Statute XII of our said Statutes that if for any special reason it shall be deemed expedient so to do it shall be lawful for the Visitor of the said College on application from the Master and Fellows under their corporate seal to authorize the said Master and Fellows to suspend the election to a vacant Fellowship for such time not exceeding three years as may appear to him expedient.

And whereas under Statute XXI of our said Statutes it commonly happens that the period of tenure of a Fellowship terminates on the twenty-ninth day of October.

And whereas under our said Statutes the Master and Fellows of the said College must proceed on the same twenty-ninth day of October to the election of a new Fellow into the Fellowship so vacated.

And whereas doubts have arisen whether under Statute XII of our said Statutes it is lawful for the Visitor to authorize the suspension of a Fellowship which is not actually vacant but which is under the said Statutes about to be vacated.

And whereas doubts have further arisen whether under Statute XII of our said Statutes it is lawful for the Visitor to authorize the suspension of more than one vacant Fellowship at the same time.

And whereas doubts have further arisen whether under Statute XII of our said Statutes it is lawful for the Visitor to authorize the suspension of a vacant Fellowship for more than one single period of three years.

And whereas it appears to us the Master and Fellows of the said College (being the Governing Body thereof) that the aforesaid provision of Statute XII of our said Statutes is altogether insufficient we the Master and Fellows of the said College do hereby in exercise of the powers given unto us by the aforesaid fifty-fourth section of the said Act alter and amend the Statutes of the said College by adding the words following that is to say:

STATUTE LI. SUSPENSION OF FELLOWSHIPS.

" If it shall at any time appear to the Master and Fellows that the revenues of the College do not produce the amount required to afford to every Fellow an income of two hundred pounds a year (exclusive of rooms and commons but inclusive of other allowances) they may by a resolution passed at a general meeting of the College specially summoned for the purpose such resolution being passed by the votes of not less than two thirds of the number of persons present and voting declare that the election of a new Fellow to a Fellowship then vacant or about to be vacated on the twenty-ninth day of October next ensuing is suspended. And the dividend of any Fellowship the election to which is so suspended shall in each year be wholly assigned to the payment or part payment to the University of the sum authorized and directed by the Statutes of the University to be charged upon the College.

" The Master and Fellows may at any time by a resolution passed at a general meeting of the College specially summoned for the purpose such resolution being passed by the votes of a majority of the number of persons present and voting declare that a suspended Fellowship is no longer suspended and it shall thereupon be dealt with in the manner provided by the Statutes of the College."

Given under our Common Seal this twenty-third day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

L. S.

Foreign Office, September 28, 1891.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. E. J. Scott as Netherland Consul at Trinidad; of M. Adolphe Trobriand as French Consul at Cardiff; and of M. Auguste Livio as French Consul at Gibraltar.

Whitehall, September 28, 1891.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable George Francis Hamilton (commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton); Admiral Sir Anthony Hiley Hoskins, K.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Henry Fairfax, C.B.; Vice-Admiral John Ommanney Hopkins; Rear-Admiral Frederick George Denham Bedford, C.B.; and Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Whitehall, September 28, 1891.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Peter O'Brien, of Merrion-square, in the county of the city of Dublin, Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, September 28, 1891.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing William Robert Maurice Wynne, Esq., to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Merioneth, in the room of Robert Davies Pryce, Esq., deceased.

Whitehall, September 28, 1891.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Retired Commander Mountjoy Squire, R.N., and Archibald Francis Macnab, Esq., Her Royal licence and permission that they may respectively accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Rising Sun of the Fourth Class, which His Majesty the Emperor of Japan has been pleased to confer upon them in recognition of their services whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions in the service of His Imperial Majesty.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and