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Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order, St. James's Palace, June 6, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to confer on His Majesty The King of Spain "The Royal Victorian Chain."

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty The King of Spain's visit to England, to make the following promotion in and appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Honorary Knights Grand Cross:

His Excellency Wenceslao Ramirez de Villa-Urrutia, Minister for Foreign Affairs.

His Excellency Don Luis Polo de Bernabé, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of His Majesty The King of Spain at the Court of Saint James's.

His Excellency Mariano de Henestrosa y Mioño, Duke of Santo Mauro, Count of Estrada and Ofalia, Lord in Waiting to His Majesty The King of Spain.

His Excellency General José de Bascaran y Federico, Chief of the Military Household.

To be Honorary Knight Commander:

Colonel Milans del Bosch y Carrio Joaquin Mario Leon, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty The King of Spain.

To be Honorary Commanders:

M.I. Señor Don Rodrigo de Saavedra y Vinent Cueto y O'Neill, Marquis of Villalobar, Chamberlain to His Majesty The King of Spain, Councillor to the Spanish Embassy, London,

Lieutenant-Colonel Juan Loriga y Herrera-Dávila, Count del Grove, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty The King of Spain.

Lieutenant-Colonel Don Mauricio Elorriaga Tejada, Orderly Officer to His Majesty The King of Spain.

Lieutenant-Colonel Miguel de Castejon y Elio, Count of Aybar, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty The King of Spain.

Captain Manuel Diaz Iglesias, Naval Attaché to the Spanish Embassy, London.

Lieutenant-Colonel Xavier de Manzanos, Military Attaché to the Spanish Embassy, London.

To be Honorary Members of the Fourth Class:

Señor Don Ricardo Spottorno, Third Secretary to the Spanish Embassy, London.

Doctor José Alabern y Raspall, Physician to His Majesty The King of Spain.

To be Knight Grand Cross:

The Right Honourable Sir Arthur Nicolson, Bart., K.C.B., K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., C.M.G., His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Madrid.

To be Member of the Fourth Class:

Captain Henry William Edmond, Earl of Kerry, D S.O., Irish Guards, attached to His Majesty The King of Spain.