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Whitehall, August 22, 1908.

The KING taking into His Royal consideration, that upon the decease of John, Baron Hotham, without issue on the thirteenth day of December last past, the title and dignity of Baron Hotham devolved upon Frederick William, now Baron Hotham, as the only son and heir of the late William Francis Hotham, Clerk in Holy Orders, fifth but only son to leave issue male of Frederick Hotham, Clerk in Holy Orders, commonly called the Honourable Frederick Hotham, second son of Beaumont, Baron Hotham, whereby, according to the ordinary rules of honour the sister of the said Frederick William, now Baron Hotham, cannot enjoy the title, rank, place and precedence which would have been due to her had her father survived the said John, Baron Hotham and succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Hotham, His Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Francis Emma, wife of Edward Reid Currie, Doctor in Divinity, Clerk in Holy Orders and Dean of Battle, shall have, hold and enjoy the same title, rank, place, pre-eminence and pre-cedence as if her late father, the said William Francis Hotham, had survived the said John, Baron Hotham, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Hotham.

And to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Foreign Office, August 15, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Wellesley Moore, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at San Francisco.

Foreign Office, August 19, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Robert Teesdale Simons, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Island of New Caledonia and its dependencies, to reside at Noumea.

> Foreign Office, August 22, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Don Francisco Alegría as Consul of Mexico at Belize, British Honduras.

> Foreign Office, August 26, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to approve of— Mr. Mathieu Hedenström as Consul-General of Russia for the Commonwealth of Australia and the Dominion of New Zealand;

Mr. Thomas J. Carbray as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Quebec for the Counties of Saguenay, Chicoutimi, Lake St. John, Charlevoix, Montmorency, Quebec, Rimouski, Témiscouta, Gaspé Peninsula, Matane, Bonaventure, Kamouraska, l'Islet, Montmagny, Bellechasse, Levis, Dorchester, Beauce, Lotbinière, Arthabaska and Nicolet;

Mr. Leon Famelart as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Montreal (East) for the Counties of Portneuf, Champlain, St. Maurice, Maskinongé, Berthier, Joliette, Montcalm, L'Assomption, Richelieu, Yamaska, Drummond, Richmond, Sherbrooke, Wolfe, Compton, Stanstead, Shefford, Brome, Missisquoi, Rouville, Iberville, St. Hyacinthe, Bagot, Chambly and Verchères;