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No. 388.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, November 15, 1844.*

*(Received January 25, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatch of the 14th of August, and to inform your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions therein contained I have acquainted the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's brigantine "Spy," on the Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have, &c.

(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*

&c. &c. &c.

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No. 389.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Mandeville.*

*Foreign Office, February 7, 1845.*

SIR,

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," of 16 guns, Commanded by Commander Henry Coryton, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*J H. Mandeville, Esq.*

&c. &c.

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No. 390.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

SIR,

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 26, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Firebrand," of eight guns, commanded by Captain James Hope, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*

&c. &c.

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No. 391.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

SIR,

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop, "Lily," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander C. J. F. Newton, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*

&c. &c.

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## ARGENTINE CONFEDERATION.

No. 392.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Rolla," of 10 guns, commanded by Commander John Simpson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 393.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," of 18 guns, commanded by Commander Thomas S. Thompson, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 394.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon," of 26 guns, commanded by Captain George Mansel, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 395.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain Michael Seymour, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 396.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and

the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain George B. Martin, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 397.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, January 23, 1845.*  
(Received April 9.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatch of October 31st, of last year, and to inform your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions therein contained, I have made known to the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Eclair," of four guns, Commander W. G. B. Estcourt, to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 398.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 1, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Robert Harris, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 399.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, February 18, 1845.*  
(Received May 8.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatches of the 11th and 19th of November, 1844, and to inform your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions therein contained, I have acquainted the Argentine Government, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's schooner "Fair Rosamond," and to Her Majesty's brig "Griffon," authorizing them to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

## ARGENTINE CONFEDERATION.

No. 400.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 12, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Grecian," commanded by Commander Alexander L. Montgomery, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 401.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Vesuvius," of six guns, commanded by Commander George W. D. O'Callaghan, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 402.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Melampus," of 42 guns, commanded by Captain John N. Campbell, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 403.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Buenos Ayres, March 28, 1845.*  
(Received June 18.)

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatch of December 7, 1844, I have informed the Government of this Republic, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's brigantine "Hornet," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 404.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Rio de Janeiro, April 14, 1845.  
(Received June 18.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 25th of February, by the "Crane" packet, which arrived yesterday.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 405.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Viper," Brazil station, "Illustrious," "Rose," "Electra," and "Inconstant," the North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 406.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Styx," of six guns, commanded by Commander William W. Hornby, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 407.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Hecate," of four guns, commanded by Commander Joseph West, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 408.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, July 2, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vernon," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain John C. Fitzgerald, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

I am, &amp;c.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 409.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1845.**(Received July 15.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatch of the 9th of January of this year, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant, under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Mutine," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander R. B. Crawford, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 410.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1845.**(Received July 15.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatches of the 11th and 14th of January of this year, respectively, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that warrants under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Waterwitch," of eight guns, Commander Thomas Francis Birch, and to Her Majesty's sloop "Pantagoon," of eight guns, Commander Edmund Wilson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 411.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1845.**(Received July 15.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatch of the 25th of January last, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and

the Argentine Confederation for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Ranger," of six guns, Commander James Anderson, (B,) and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
 &c. &c. &c.

No. 412.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1845.*  
*(Received July 15.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatch of the 25th of January last, I have informed the Buenos Ayrean Government, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's Sloop "Acorn," of 16 guns, Commander John E. Bingham, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
 &c. &c. &c.

No. 413.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, April 16, 1845.*  
*(Received July 15.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatch of the 25th of January last, I have acquainted the Buenos Ayrean Government, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Isis," on the Cape of Good Hope station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
 &c. &c. &c.

No. 414.

*Mr. Mandeville to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, May 7, 1845.*  
*(Received July 27.)*

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatch of the 7th February last, I have informed the Buenos Ayrean Government, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," of 16 guns, Commander Henry Coryton, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

J. H. MANDEVILLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
 &c. &c. &c.



No. 415.

*Viscount Canning to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, August 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Heroine," "Rapid," and "Ferret," West Coast of Africa station, "Bittern," Cape of Good Hope station, and "Alfred," Brazil station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &amp;c.

(Signed) CANNING,  
*In absence of Earl of Aberdeen.*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.  
&c. &c.

No. 416.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, September 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Spartan," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &amp;c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

W. G. Ouseley, Esq.  
&c. &c.

No. 417.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Buenos Ayres, June 4, 1845.**(Received September 26.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 11th of March of this year.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 418.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Buenos Ayres, June 14, 1845.**(Received September 26.)*

MY LORD,

IN conformity with the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of the 25th of February of this year, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that warrants under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Lily," of 16 guns, Commander — Newton, and to Her Majesty's ship "Firebrand," of 6 guns, Captain James Hope, to be employed, the former on the West Coast of Africa station, and the latter on the Brazil station.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 419.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, June 18, 1845.*

*(Received September 26.)*

MY LORD,

IN conformity with the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of 11th March of this year, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that warrants under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Rolla," of 10 guns, Commander John Simpson, to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," of 18 guns, Commander Thomas S. Thompson, and to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon," of 26 guns, Captain George Mansel; the first and last-mentioned of those vessels to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station, and the second on the Brazil station.

I have, &c.

(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*

&c. &c. &c.

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No. 420.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Buenos Ayres, July 4, 1845.*

*(Received September 29.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 7th April and of the 1st May of this year.

I have, &c.

(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*

&c. &c. &c.

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No. 421.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 15, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Heroine," of 6 guns, commanded by Commander Charles Edmunds, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*

&c. &c.

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No. 422.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 16, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Scylla" and "Growler," on their respective stations, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*

&c. &c.

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No. 423.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, October 27, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's steam-sloop "Ardent," on the West Coast of Africa, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

W. G. Ouseley, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 424.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Buenos Ayres, July 10, 1845.  
(Received October 29.)

MY LORD,

IN conformity with the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of April 7th and May 1st, I have informed the Government of Buenos Ayres, that warrants under the Treaty between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, of May 24, 1839, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," of 50 guns, Captain Michael Seymour, to be employed on the North America and West India station; to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," of 50 guns, Captain George B. Martin, C.B., to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station; and to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," of 12 guns, Commander Robert Harris, to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.  
*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 425.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Monte Video, September 9, 1845.  
(Received November 15.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches to me of the 28th of June last.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.  
*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 426.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "President," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain William P. Stanley, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

W. G. Ouseley, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 427.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that a warrant under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Kingfisher," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Charles F. Brown, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 428.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 18, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Buenos Ayres, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Ringdove," "Eclair," and "Albert," the Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 429.

*Mr. Ouseley to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Monte Video, October 31, 1845.*  
(Received December 21.)

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch dated 2nd July of this year.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) W. G. OUSELEY.

No. 430.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Ouseley.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 26, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Buenos Ayres, that warrants under the Treaty of May 24, 1839, between Great Britain and the Argentine Confederation, for the abolition of Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ships and vessels described below, to be employed on the stations there mentioned.

*W. G. Ouseley, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*Warrants Issued.*

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Alecto," 3 guns, Commander Francis W. Austen, South-East Coast of America station.

CLASS B.

Her Majesty's ship "Alarm," 26 guns, Captain Charles C. Frankland, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's ship "Endymion," 44 guns, Captain George F. Lambert, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Lizard," 1 gun, Lieutenant Henry M. Tylden, South-East Coast of America station.

Her Majesty's ship "Bittern," 16 guns, Commander Thomas Hope, West Coast of Africa station.

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## BOLIVIA.

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No. 431.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 9, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Mutine," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander R. B. Crawford, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 432.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Waterwitch," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Thomas F. Birch, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 433.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 14, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Pantaloan," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Edmund Wilson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 434.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's schooner "Hornet," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 435.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Ranger," of six guns, commanded by Commander James Anderson, (B.) and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 436.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Acorn," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander John E. Bingham, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 437.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Isis," on the Cape of Good Hope station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 438.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and

the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Henry Coryton, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

I am, &c.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No 439.

*Mr. Masterton to Mr. Bidwell.*

*Chuquisaca, September 28, 1844.*

*(Received February 11, 1845.)*

SIR,

AFTER acknowledging, in my Slave Trade of 17th March, of this year, the receipt of the Earl of Aberdeen's Slave Trade, of 30th May, 1843, I had the honour, in my Slave Trade of 2nd June, of this year, to report to you, for the information of Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that finding it impossible accurately to reply from private sources to the 14 queries relative to slaves in Bolivia, contained in his Lordship's Despatch above alluded to, I had been under the necessity of applying, as by copy enclosed in my Slave Trade, 17th March, to the Bolivian Minister of Foreign Affairs, then in La Paz, in order to fulfil the object desired; at the same time, in my said Slave Trade Despatch of the 2nd June, I enclosed to you a copy of the Minister's reply to my application, dated Cochabamba, 17th May, deferring the solution of the queries till the arrival of the Government in this capital.

His Excellency and the Government arrived here on the 8th June, but the Minister Mendez, having obtained leave of absence, did not join the Government till the end of July.

Since the Minister's arrival, I have taken many opportunities to remind his Grace of the queries; and after repeated solicitations, I have at last succeeded in obtaining, in an official form, accurate replies to each of the enquiries, which I now have the honour to enclose.

I hope the above remarks will exculpate me from the charge of dilatoriness in this affair.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

J. Bidwell, Esq.  
&c. &c.

Enclosure in No. 439.

*Senor de la Cruz Mendez to Mr. Masterton.*

(Translation.)

*Sucre, September 19, 1844.*

IN reply to your esteemed note of 17th March last, No. 8, relative to the condition of slaves in this Republic, and the 14 queries which, for the information of the Government of Her Britannic Majesty, were enclosed therein, I will give you the replies which are in the reach of this Ministry,

To the 1st. The population of Bolivia exceeds 1,200,000 inhabitants; but the positive numbers cannot be determined to an accuracy, in default of the last census or register of persons paying taxes. In this population the number of slaves scarcely amounts to a thousand individuals, of both sexes, and of all denominations, mulattoes, zambos, quarterons, &c., so that the proportion of the Ethiopian caste to the rest of the population is as 1 to 1,200

To the 2nd. Instances have occurred in the last 10 years of some slaves having been imported from the province of Salta, in number not exceeding 12. The Government, by Order of 2nd February, 1843, commanded by a judicial investigation to be instituted on this subject, recommending it to the Superior Court; and the result was, that a few individuals had come with their masters in the character of servants, and not as an article of commerce, and



that they were shortly declared to be free. About 40 individuals, emigrants, more or less, have come from the Empire of Brazil, the most part of them men of colour, and a few women also of colour; but these persons were not received as slaves, or as runaway negroes; and the Government has openly refused to deliver them up, as solicited by the Chargé d'Affaires of that nation.

To the 3rd. In the Republic there are no laws which establish deference between the free man and the slave in criminal cases, as regards the guarantee of his rights, or the respective aggravation of penalties; and if in civil cases any difference exists, it is more favourable than prejudicial to the slave; because, when he disputes his liberty, he enjoys the benefit of exemption from judicial fees, and possesses other concessions which are not enjoyed by free men, such as the nomination of guardians or attorneys.

To the 4th. The reply to this question is comprehended in the second part of the former query, inasmuch as slaves can plead through the medium of guardians named by them, and they are even admitted directly to judgment; and, in that case, the law concedes to them many favours, such as changing masters, their sale with deduction of the former price, and even the right of passing to other domination, solely with the security that the new master will make over to the old one the amount of the value of their labour, calculated at the small sum of 30 dollars a year. This is the most effective protection that the Government and the law have been able to grant to those born slaves.

The 5th query is reduced to know whether the testimony of a slave is admitted before a court of justice. In criminal cases it is. As to civil cases our laws have enacted nothing in that respect; nevertheless, slaves are not prohibited to appear in quality of witnesses; and they cannot be rejected, except for the general causes, called by lawyers, fault of witnesses, (*tacha de testigos*), which also apply to the free man.

To the 6th and 7th. The slave in Bolivia is well fed and treated; therefore, he enjoys robust health, and generally lives longer than the natives in warm places and valleys.

To the 8th. The slave population is on the decrease, and in a few years it will completely disappear, because, since the year 1825, the law declares all those born in the Republic to be free.

To the 9th. The manumission of slaves is generally done in the testaments of their owners, who, grateful for their services, declare them to be free; or they themselves procure freedom by their own money. More than that, the slave in Bolivia also works, acquires gain for himself, and is capable of holding property.

To the 10th. The laws and regulations of the Republic, as regards slaves, within the last 10 years, have been favourable to them; because during that time Treaties with Great Britain have been concluded for the abolition of Slave Trade; because the Government has refused the delivery of those come for asylum to the Bolivian territory from the neighbouring Empire; because the few coming from the Argentine Republic have been declared free; and because, lastly, a project of penal law is before the Senate against those who may carry on the Slave Trade, in conformity with Article IX, of the said Treaty.

To the 11th. The Government and all the nation cherish a sentiment of humanity favourable to the abolition of slavery.

As regards the 12th and 13th. No difference exists before the law between a free man, and a negro, zambo, or mulatto, nor between the coloured or white who may have been born free. Therefore, the coloured persons possess the same rights as the others, and they can be admitted to State employments.

To the 14th and last. Since the years 1829 to 1831, when a general census or register of persons paying taxes was undertaken, no other has been concluded; and the one alluded to was not exact, by reason of the obstacles encountered in a nation which had lately emerged from colonial government.

It is pleasing to me to reiterate, &c.

(Signed)

MANUEL DE LA CRUZ MENDEZ.

No. 440.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Firebrand," of eight guns, commanded by Captain James Hope, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 441.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Lily," of 16 guns, commander by Commander Charles J. F. Newton, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 442.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Rolla," of 10 guns, commanded by Commander John Simpson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 443.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," of 18 guns, commanded by Commander Thomas S. Thompson, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 444.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and

the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon," of 26 guns, commanded by Captain George Mansel, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 445.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Chuquisaca, November 13, 1844.*

*(Received March 26, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 15th, 17th, and 26th June of this year, and to report, that under date, of 11th instant the Bolivian Government has been duly informed, by note, of their contents.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 446.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Chuquisaca, November 21, 1844.*

*(Received March 26, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to enclose, in copy and translation, a note from the Minister of Bolivia, in which he informs me, that the Law to make the Slave Trade piracy, in conformity with Article II. of the Treaty of September 25, 1840, has been finally sanctioned by the legislative body of the Republic, and that, on its publication, he will transmit a copy of it to me.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in No. 446.

*Senor de la Cruz Mendez to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, Sucre, November 12, 1844.*

THE Law upon which the traffic of slaves is to be considered in the Republic as the crime of piracy, in conformity with the stipulations in Article II. of the Treaty of September 25, 1840, the project of which was passed by this Ministry to the Legislative Chambers, has already been sanctioned by the Congress. After the publication of that Law, I will have the pleasure of sending a copy of it to you.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) MANOEL DE LA CRUZ MENDEZ.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

No. 447.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the

Republic, of Bolivia for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain Michael Seymour, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

C Masterton, Esq. I am, &c.  
&c. &c. (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 448.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain George B. Martin, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

C. Masterton, Esq. I am, &c.  
&c. &c. (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 449.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 1, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Robert Harris, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq. I am, &c.  
&c. &c. (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 450.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Chuquisaca, November 28, 1844.*

*(Received May 9, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to enclose, in copy and translation, the Law passed by the Congress of Bolivia, on the 9th November of this year, declaring the Slave Trade, however carried on under the flag of the Republic, to be the crime of piracy, in conformity with the stipulation in the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and Bolivia.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*

&c. &c. &c.

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(Translation.)

Enclosure in No. 450.

*Law constituting the Slave Trade under the Bolivian flag Piracy.*

JOZE BALLIVIAN, Captain-General of the Armies of the Republic of Bolivia, and Constitutional President thereof, &c. &c.

We make known to all Bolivians, that the Congress has dictated, and that we publish, the following Law:

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The Senate and Chamber of Representatives of the Bolivian nation decree  
 Sole Article.—The Bolivian or foreigner who, under the national flag, shall trade in slaves, contravening the Treaty concluded between the Republic and Great Britain, on the 25th of September, 1840, for the abolition of the traffic in slaves, and those who shall introduce them by land or sea into Bolivia, or shall withdraw them therefrom to be sold, shall be condemned, as pirates, to 10 years imprisonment, without prejudice to the other penalties imposed by the Treaty and to the indemnifications due to the State.

Let this be communicated to the executive power, for its execution and fulfilment.

Given in the Hall of Sessions of the Senate, in the Illustrious and Heroic City Sucre, November 9, 1844.

(Signed) CRISPIN DIEZ DE MEDINA,  
*President of the Senate.*

BUENAVENTURA GUARDIA,  
*Secretary Senator.*

*Palace of Government, in the Illustrious and Heroic City Sucre,  
 November 11, 1844.*

Let it be executed.

(Signed) JOZE BALLIVIAN,  
 MANOEL DE LA CRUZ MENDEZ,  
*Minister of Foreign Affairs.*

*Palace of Government, in the Illustrious and Heroic City Sucre,  
 November 11, 1844.*

Wherefore we command all the Authorities of the Republic to comply with it, and cause it to be complied with. The Minister of Foreign Affairs shall cause it to be printed published, and circulated to those whom it concerns.

(Signed) JOZE BALLIVIAN,  
 MANOEL DE LA CRUZ MENDEZ,  
*Minister of Foreign Affairs.*

No. 451.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Chuquisaca, December 10, 1844.  
 (Received May 9, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch of the 4th of July, desiring me to acquaint the Bolivian Government, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Daphne," on the Brazil station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and Bolivia, has been cancelled by the Lords of the Admiralty

The communication on the above matter was sent this day to the Bolivian Minister.

I have, &c.  
 (Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.  
 &c. &c. &c.*

No. 452.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 12, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her

Majesty's sloop "Grecian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Alexander L. Montgomery, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 453.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Vesuvius," of six guns, commanded by Commander George W. D. O'Callaghan, and to be employed on the North American and West India station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 454.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Melampus," 42 guns, commanded by Captain John N. Campbell, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 455.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Viper," Brazil station, "Illustrious," "Rose," "Electra," and "Inconstant," North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 456.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her

Majesty's steam-vessel "Styx," of six guns, commanded by Commander William W. Hornby, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 457.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Hecate," of four guns, commanded by Commander Joseph West, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 458.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, July 2, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vernon," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain John C. Fitzgerald, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 459.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Chuquisaca, March 5, 1845.  
(Received July 28.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 14th 15th and 27th of August, of 1844; and I have to report, that the papers alluded to in the Despatches of the 15th and 27th August, as enclosures, have not arrived with the Despatches.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 460.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Chuquisaca, March 5, 1845.  
(Received July 28.)*

I HAVE the honour to report, that in consequence of the instruction in your Lordship's Despatch of August 14, 1844, I have, under this date, informed the

Bolivian Government, by note, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's brigantine "Spy," on the Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been cancelled by the Lords of the Admiralty.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

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No. 461.

*Viscount Canning to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, August 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Rapid" and "Ferret," on the West Coast of Africa station, "Bittern," Cape of Good Hope station, and "Alfred," Brazil station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) CANNING,  
*In absence of the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*C. Masterton, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

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No. 462.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Chuquisaca, April 21, 1845.*  
*(Received September 23.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 31st October, and 11th and 29th November, 1844, the contents of which have been officially communicated to the Bolivian Government.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

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No. 463.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, September 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's sloop "Spartan," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*C. Masterton, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

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## BOLIVIA.

No. 464.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, October 15, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Heroine," of six guns, commanded by Commander Charles Edmunds, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

I am, &amp;c.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 465.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, October 16, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Scylla" Commander R. Sharpe, North America and West India station, and "Growler," Commander Buckle, Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &amp;c.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 466.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Chuquisaca, June 13, 1845.

(Received October 20.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt, this day, of your Lordship's Despatches of the 19th, 29th, and 31st December, of 1843, and also of those up to that of the 20th April, of 1844; the contents of all which Despatches (except that of 31st December, 1843), I have, as instructed, duly notified to the Bolivian Government.

This arrival completes the series of your Lordship's Slave Trade Despatches for 1844.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 467.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Chuquisaca, June 13, 1845.

(Received October 2.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to report, that a copy of your Lordship's circular Slave Trade, of 31st December, 1843, and of the Act of the 5 and 6 Vict., cap. 98, therein enclosed, have been annexed by me, as enclosures 22 B. and 22 C. to the 26th Section of my General Instructions, as directed to be done in the circular alluded to.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 468.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 27, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's steam-sloop "Ardent," on the West Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 469.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Chuquisaca, July 21, 1845.*  
(Received November 15.)

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches, Slave Trade, of this year, up to that of the 7th February; and to report that their contents have been duly notified to the Bolivian Government.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 470.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "President," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain William P. Stanley, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 471.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that a warrant under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Kingfisher," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Charles F. Brown, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

C. Masterton, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 472.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 18, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Bolivia, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Ringdove," "Eclair," and "Albert," Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*C. Masterton, Esq.*  
 &c. &c.

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 473.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Masterton.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 26, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Bolivia, that warrants under the Treaty of September 25, 1840, between Great Britain and the Republic of Bolivia, for the abolition of Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ships and vessels described below, to be employed on the stations there mentioned.

*C. Masterton, Esq.*  
 &c. &c.

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

*Warrants Issued.*

Her Majesty's steam-vessel, "Alecto," three guns, Commander Francis W. Austen, South-East Coast of American station.

Her Majesty's ship "Alarm," 26 guns, Captain Charles C. Frankland, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's ship "Endymion," 44 guns, Captain George F. Lambert, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Lizard," one gun, Lieutenant Henry M. Sylden, South-East Coast of American station.

Her Majesty's ship "Bittern," 16 guns, Commander Thomas Hope, West Coast of Africa station.

No. 474.

*Mr. Masterton to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Chuquisaca, August 21, 1845.*  
 (Received December 30)

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches of the 25th February and 11th March, Slave Trade, of this year, inclusive, and to report that their contents have been communicated to the Bolivian Government.

I have, &c.  
 (Signed) CHARLES MASTERTON,  
*British Vice-Consul in Bolivia.*

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
 &c. &c. &c.

CHILE.

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No. 475.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, August 10, 1844.  
(Received January 6, 1845.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch of the 20th of April last, intimating the cancellation of the warrant issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Prometheus," under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, and the which has been duly made known to the Chilian Government.

I have, &c.

(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.  
&c. &c. &c.*

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No. 476.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 9, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chili, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Mutine," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander R. B. Crawford, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,  
&c. &c.*

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No. 477.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant, under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Waterwich," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Thomas Francis Birch, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,  
&c. &c.*

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## CHILE.

No. 478.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, January 14, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Pantaloön," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Edmund Wilson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

The Hon. Colonel Walpole,  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 479.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

Santiago, October 18, 1844.  
(Received January 25, 1845.)

I HAVE had the honour to receive your Lordship's Despatches of the 15th and 17th of June, and have duly made known their contents to the Chilian Government.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

No. 480.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Ranger," of six guns, commanded by Commander James Anderson, (B.) and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

The Hon. Colonel Walpole,  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 481.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Acorn," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander John E. Bingham, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

The Hon. Colonel Walpole,  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 482.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Isis," on the Cape of Good Hope

station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 483.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR, *Foreign Office, February 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Henry Coryton, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 484.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR, *Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Firebrand," of eight guns, commanded by Captain James Hope, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 485.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR, *Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Lily," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Charles J. F. Newton, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 486.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR, *Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her

Majesty's sloop "Rolla," of 10 guns, commanded by Commander John Simpson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 487.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," of 18 guns, commanded by Commander Thomas S. Thompson, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 488.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon," of 26 guns, commanded by Captain George Mansel, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 489.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, December 16, 1844.*  
(Received March 26, 1845.)

I HAVE had the honour to give effect to the instructions contained in your Lordship's Despatches, marked Slave Trade, of the 4th July, and of the 7th August.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

No. 490.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain Michael Seymour, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 491.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," of 50 guns, commanded by Geo. B. Martins, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 492.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 1, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Robert Harris, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 493.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 12, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Grecian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Alexander L. Montgomery, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 494.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, January 27, 1845.*  
(Received May 13.)

I HAVE had the honour to receive your Lordship's Despatch, marked Slave Trade, of the 14th August last, acquainting me, for the information of the Chilian Government, of the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's brigantine "Spy," authorizing her to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and Chile, on the Coast of Africa station, having been withdrawn, and cancelled by the Admiralty.

This intelligence has been made known as directed.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.



No. 495.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Vesuvius," of six guns, commanded by Commander George W. D. O'Callaghan, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 496.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Melampus," of 42 guns, commanded by Captain John N. Campbell, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 497.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Viper," Brazil station, "Illustrious," "Rose," "Electra," and "Inconstant," North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Mexico, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 498.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Styx," of six guns, commanded by Commander William W. Hornby, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 499.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Hecate," of four guns, commanded by Commander Joseph West, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 500.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, July 2, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vernon," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain John C. Fitzgerald, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 501.

*Viscount Canning to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, August 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Heroine," "Rapid," and "Ferret," West Coast of Africa station, "Bittern," Cape of Good Hope station, and "Alfred," Brazil station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) CANNING,  
*In absence of the Earl of Aberdeen.*

No. 502.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, September 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Spartan," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 503.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, April 4, 1845.  
(Received October 13.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch announcing the warrant issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Eclair," of four guns, commanded by Commander Estcourt and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station, under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade.

I have had the honour to make known the above intelligence to the Supreme Government.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 504.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, April 30, 1845.  
(Received October 13.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge receipt of Despatches of the 11th and 29th November, and of the 7th December, 1844, announcing the cancellation of the warrants supplied to the several vessels employed in the Slave Trade, under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and Chile, namely, "Hornet," "Griffon," and "Fair Rosamond," have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

The above intelligence has been communicated to the Supreme Government of Chile.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 505.

*Colonel Walpole to Mr. Bidwell.*

SIR,

*Santiago, June 7, 1845.  
(Received October 13.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatches, marked Slave Trade, to those of the 25th January inclusive, announcing the issue of warrants to the "Persian," "Waterwich," "Pantaloan," "Ranger" "Acorn," and "Mutine" sloops, to be employed in the abolition of the Slave Trade, under the Treaty of January 19, 1839; also a warrant of the same nature, issued to Her Majesty's ship "Isis," having been cancelled by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

The above intelligence has been communicated to the Chilian Government.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

*John Bidwell, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 506.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 15, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant, under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Heroine," of six guns, commanded by Commander Charles Edmunds, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 507.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 16, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chili that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Scylla" Commander R. Sharpe, North America and West India station, and "Growler," Commander Buckle, Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners for the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 508.

*Colonel Walpole to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Santiago, June 30, 1845.**(Received October 20.)*

I HAVE had the honour to receive your Lordship's Despatches, from that of the 7th February, to that of the 11th March inclusive, the contents of which I have made known to the Chilian Government.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) JOHN WALPOLE.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 509.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 27, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's steam-sloop "Ardent," on the West Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 510.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "President," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain William P. Stanley, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 511.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that a warrant under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Kingfisher," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Charles F. Brown, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 512.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 18, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Chile, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Ringdove," "Eclair," and "Albert," coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Convention of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 513.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Colonel Walpole.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 26, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Chile, that warrants under the Treaty of January 19, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Chile, for the abolition of Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ships and vessels described below, to be employed on the stations there mentioned.

*The Hon. Colonel Walpole,*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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*Warrants Issued.*

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Alecto," three guns, Commander Francis W. Austen, South-East Coast of America station.

Her Majesty's ship "Alarm," 26 guns, Captain Charles C. Frankland, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's ship "Endymion," 44 guns, Captain George F. Lambert, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Lizard," one gun, Lieutenant Henry M. Tylden, South-East Coast of America station.

Her Majesty's ship "Bittern," 16 guns, Commander Thomas Hope, West Coast of Africa station.

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## URUGUAY.

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No. 514.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 9, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Mutine," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander R. B. Crawford, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
    &c.      &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed)      ABERDEEN.

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No. 515.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Waterwitch," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Thomas Francis Birch, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
    &c.      &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed)      ABERDEEN.

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No. 516.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 14, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Pantaloen," of eight guns, commanded by Commander Edmund Wilson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
    &c.      &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed)      ABERDEEN.

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No. 517.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Monte Video, September 26, 1844.**(Received January 16, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch of the 15th June last, directing me to acquaint the Oriental Government, that a warrant under the Treaty of the 13th July, 1839, between Great Britain and this Republic, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Cygnet," on the Coast of Africa station. I have also to acknowledge the receipt of 17th June last, stating, that a warrant, under the same Treaty, has been granted to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Prometheus," on the same station; and of 26th June last, stating, that the warrant granted to Her Majesty's ketch "Arrow," had been cancelled, and returned to the Lord's Commissioners of the Admiralty.

In obedience to the instructions contained in the above-mentioned Despatches, have to report, that I have communicated their contents to the Government of the Oriental Republic.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.*

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No. 518.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Monte Video, October 21, 1844.**(Received January 16, 1845.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch, marked Slave Trade, of the 4th July last, directing me to acquaint the Oriental Government, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's sloop "Daphne," on the Brazil station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and this Republic, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have the honour to state to your Lordship, that I have made the necessary communication to the Government of the Oriental Republic upon this subject.

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.*

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&amp;c.

No. 519.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's schooner "Hornet," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &amp;c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*

&amp;c. &amp;c.

No. 520.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Ranger," six guns, commanded by Commander James Anderson, (B.) and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 521.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Acorn," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander John E. Bingham, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 522.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, January 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Isis," on the Cape of Good Hope station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
*&c. &c.*

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 523.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Monte Video, November 19, 1844.*  
*(Received January 25, 1845.)*

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch, marked Slave Trade, of the 14th of August last, directing me to acquaint the Oriental Government, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's brigantine "Spy," on the Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and this Republic, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have the honour to state to your Lordship, that I have made the necessary communication to the Government of the Oriental Republic.

I have, &c.  
 (Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
*&c. &c. &c.*

No. 524.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander H. E. Coryton, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
 &c. &c

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 525.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Lily," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander J. F. Newton, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
 &c. &c.

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 526.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, February 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Firebrand," of eight guns, commanded by Captain James Hope, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
 &c. &c.

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 527.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Rolla," of 10 guns, commanded by Commander John Simpson, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
 &c. &c.

I am, &c.  
 (Signed) ABERDEEN.

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No. 528.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," of 18 guns, commanded by Commander Thomas S. Thompson, and to be employed on the Brazil station.

I am, &amp;c.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 529.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, March 11, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon," of 26 guns, commanded by Captain George Mansel, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I am, &amp;c.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 530.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain Michael Seymour, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

I am, &amp;c.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 531.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, April 7, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain George B. Martin, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

I am, &amp;c.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 532.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 1, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and

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the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Robert Harris, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 533.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Monte Video, January 16, 1845.  
(Received May 8.)

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the instructions contained in your Lordship's Despatch of the 31st of October last, I have acquainted the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Eclair," to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 534.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

Monte Video, February 24, 1845.  
(Received May 8.)

MY LORD,

IN obedience to the instructions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of the 11th and 29th November last, I have acquainted the Government of Monte Video, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Fair Rosamond" and "Griffon," on the North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 535.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

Foreign Office, May 12, 1845.

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Grecian," of 16 guns, commanded by Commander Alexander L. Montgomery, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

No. 536.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Vesuvius," of six guns, commanded by Commander George W. D. O'Callaghan, and to be employed on the North America and West India station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 537.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, May 20, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Melampus," of 42 guns, commanded by Captain John N. Campbell, C.B., and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 538.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Monte Video, March 29, 1845.*  
(Received June 18.)

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatches dated the 9th, 11th, 14th, 21st, and 25th of January last, relative to the warrants granted to Her Majesty's ships-of-war under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, which have been either issued or cancelled by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

I shall lose no time in executing the instructions contained in those Despatches.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 539.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Viper," Brazil station, "Illustrious," "Rose," "Electra," and "Inconstant," North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 540.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Styx," of six guns, commanded by Commander William W. Hornby, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 541.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, June 28, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Hecate," of four guns, commanded by Commander Joseph West, and to be employed on the Coast of Africa station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 542.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, July 2, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vernon," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain John C. Fitzgerald, and to be employed on the South-East Coast of America station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 543.

*Viscount Canning to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, August 21, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Rapid," and "Ferret," West Coast of Africa station, "Bittern," Cape of Good Hope station, and "Alfred," Brazil station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) CANNING,  
*In absence of Earl of Aberdeen.*

No. 544.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.**Monte Video, May 8, 1845.  
(Received August 21.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to inform your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of the 7th and 25th February last, I have acquainted the Government of Monte Video, that warrants under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Persian," Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Firebrand," and to Her Majesty's sloop "Lily."

I have, &amp;c.

(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K. T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 545.

*Viscount Canning to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, September 9, 1845.*

I HEREWITH transmit to you, for any observations which you may be able to offer thereupon, a copy of a Despatch, and of its enclosure, which I addressed to Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, and a copy of the reply returned thereto, relative to a Tuscan pass, said to have been granted at Monte Video to a slave-vessel met with by Captain Wyvill, of Her Majesty's ship "Cleopatra," on the East Coast of Africa.

I am, &amp;c.

(Signed) CANNING  
*In absence of Earl of Aberdeen.*

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

Enclosures in No. 545.

1. *The Earl of Aberdeen to Lord Holland, July 30, 1845.*
2. *Lord Holland to the Earl of Aberdeen, August 16, 1845.*  
(See Class C., No. 298, p. 147; and No. 300, p. 148.)

No. 546.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, September 25, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Spartan," on the North America and West India station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &amp;c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 547.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

MY LORD,

*Monte Video, June 10, 1845.  
(Received September 25.)*

I HAVE the honour to report to your Lordship, that, in obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of the 11th March last, I



have informed the Oriental Government, that warrants under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Rolla," on the West Coast of Africa station, to Her Majesty's sloop "Comus," on the Brazil station, and to Her Majesty's ship "Actæon" on the West Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

ADOLPHUS TURNER:

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*

&c.

&c.

&c.

No. 548.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 15, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Veido, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's sloop "Heroine," of six guns, commanded by Commander Charles Edmunds, and to be employed on the coast of Africa station.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*

&c.

&c.

No. 549.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 16, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Scylla," Commander Robert Sharpe, North America and West India station, and Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Growler," Commander Buckle, Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*

&c.

&c.

No. 550.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, October 27, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrant supplied to Her Majesty's steam-sloop "Ardent," on the West Coast of Africa station, authorizing her to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, has been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*

&c.

&c.

No. 551.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Monte Video, August 11, 1845.*

*(Received October 29.)*

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to report to your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches, of the 7th of April last, and

of the 1st, 12th, and 20th of May last, I have informed the Oriental Government, that warrants under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of the Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ship "Vindictive," on the North America and West India station; to Her Majesty's ship "Eagle," on the South-East Coast of South America; to Her Majesty's sloop "Flying Fish," on the West Coast of Africa; to Her Majesty's sloop "Grecian," on the South-East Coast of South America; to Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Vesuvius," on the North America and West India station; and to Her Majesty's ship "Melampus," on the South-East Coast of South America.

I have, &c.

(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 552.

*Mr. Turner to the Earl of Aberdeen.*

*Monte Video, September 10, 1845.*  
(Received November 15.)

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to report to your Lordship, that in obedience to the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatches of the 28th of June last, I have acquainted M. Vazquez, for the information of the Oriental Government, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ship "Viper," on the Brazil station, and to Her Majesty's ships "Illustrious," "Rose," "Electra," and "Inconstant," on the North America and West India station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them; and also, that warrants under the same Treaty have been issued to Her Majesty's steam-vessels "Styx" and "Hecate," on the Coast of Africa station.

I have, &c.

(Signed) ADOLPHUS TURNER.

*The Right Hon. the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T.*  
&c. &c. &c.

No. 553.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to Her Majesty's ship "President," of 50 guns, commanded by Captain William P. Stanley, and to be employed on the Cape of Good Hope station.

I am, &c.

(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*A. Turner, Esq.*  
&c. &c.

No. 554.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 17, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that a warrant under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, has been issued to

Her Majesty's sloop "Kingfisher," of 12 guns, commanded by Commander Charles F. Brown, and to be employed on the West Coast of Africa station.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 555.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 18, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will acquaint the Government of Monte Video, that the warrants supplied to Her Majesty's ships "Ringdove," "Eclair," and "Albert," on the Coast of Africa station, authorizing them to act under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the suppression of the Slave Trade, have been returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and cancelled by them.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

No. 556.

*The Earl of Aberdeen to Mr. Turner.*

SIR,

*Foreign Office, December 26, 1845.*

I HAVE to desire that you will inform the Government of Monte Video, that warrants under the Treaty of July 13, 1839, between Great Britain and the Republic of the Uruguay, for the abolition of Slave Trade, have been issued to Her Majesty's ships and vessels described below, to be employed on the stations there mentioned.

A. Turner, Esq.  
&c. &c.

I am, &c.  
(Signed) ABERDEEN.

*Warrants Issued.*

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Alecto," 3 guns, Commander Francis W. Austen, South-East Coast of America station.

Her Majesty's ship "Alarm," 26 guns, Captain Charles C. Frankland, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's ship "Endymion," 44 guns, Captain George F. Lambert, North America and West India station.

Her Majesty's steam-vessel "Lizard," one gun, Lieutenant Henry M. Tylden, South-East Coast of America station.

Her Majesty's ship "Bittern," 16 guns, Commander Thomas Hope, West Coast of Africa station.