

BOLIVIA.

WHEN TERMINABLE.

Sept. 29, 1840.

*No time fixed.*Commerce and
Navigation.

The two Contracting Parties reserve to themselves the right of treating and of agreeing hereafter, from time to time, upon such other Articles as may appear to them to contribute still further to the improvement of their mutual intercourse, and to the advancement of the general interests of their respective subjects and citizens; and such articles as may be so agreed upon shall, when duly ratified, be regarded as forming a part of the present Treaty, and shall have the same force as those now contained in it. (Article XV.)

MOST-FAVORED-NATION TREATMENT.

Subjects: Commerce. Houses and Warehouses. Protection.

There shall be between all the territories of Her Britannic Majesty in Europe, and the territories of the Republic of Bolivia, a reciprocal freedom of commerce. The subjects and citizens of the two countries, respectively, shall have liberty freely and securely to come, with their ships and cargoes, to all places, ports and rivers in the territories aforesaid, to which other foreigners are or may be permitted to come, to enter into the same, and to remain and reside in any part of the said territories respectively; also to hire and occupy houses and warehouses for the purpose of their commerce; and, generally, the merchants and traders of each nation, respectively, shall enjoy the most complete protection and security for their commerce; subject always to the laws and statutes of the two countries respectively. (Article II.)

Ships of War and Post Office Packets.

In like manner, the respective ships of war and post office packets of the two countries shall have liberty freely and securely to come to all harbors, rivers and places to which other foreign ships of war and packets are or may be permitted to come, to enter into the same, to anchor, and to remain there and refit; subject always to the laws and statutes of the two countries respectively. (Article II.)

Coasting Trade Reserved.

By the right of entering the places, ports and rivers mentioned in this Article, the privilege of carrying on the coasting trade is not understood, in which national vessels only are permitted to engage. (Article II.)

Import Duties. Produce and Manufactures.

No higher or other duties shall be imposed on the importation into the dominions of Her Britannic Majesty of any article of the growth, produce or manufacture of the Republic of Bolivia, and no