PRESENTATION.—The Kingston Field Battery of Volunteer Artillery, while in camp last week, sent up to town for their late Sergt. Major Wm. Stewart, and his family. All were made welcome for the day; but on the afternoon parade the Sergt.-Major was called upon, and in front of his old corps was presented with a massive gold ring, bearing a suitable inscription. A few remarks made by the officer commanding, and replied to by Sergt.-Major Stewart in a soldier like manner, terminated a very pleasing incident of how a worthy man can be appreciated, even after he has left the corps. —*Whig.*

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA,

Tuesday, 31st May, 1870.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honourable the Minister of Customs, and in pursuance of the provisions of the 11th Section of the Act 31 Vic., Cap. 6, intituled: "An Act respecting the Customs;" His Excellency in Council has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following regulations respecting the coasting trade of the Dominion, in amendment of the Regulation adopted by Order in Council of 28th July, 1868, shall be and the same are hereby adopted and established:

1st. It having been enacted by Chap. 9, Sec. 22, 32nd Victoria, that the Governor may grant yearly Coasting Licenses to British vessels navigating the inland waters of Canada above Montreal, although such vessels may sometimes make voyages to Foreign Ports, it is hereby ordered that the Bonds to be given by the Master or Owner of such vessel, on taking out such License shall not contain the condition provided for in Section 3 of said Regulations, "that such Vessels or Boats shall not be employed in the Foreign Trade," but that it shall be a condition of such bond, that whenever any such Vessel or Boat is employed in a voyage to or from a Foreign Port, the master or other proper officer thereof, shall report inwards and outwards, in all respects, as though he had not received such Coasting License.

2nd. Representations having been made of serious inconvenience to the Master and Owners of Steam Vessels employed as regular passenger and freight packets, between the port of St. John in the Province of New Brunswick, and the Ports of Digby, Annapolis, and Windsor, in the Province of Nova Scotia, and also to the Mercantile Community of the said ports, in consequence of such Steam Vessels being obliged to report their cargoes each trip in detail, it is hereby further ordered that the Collector of Customs at the Port of St. John may grant any such Steam Vessel, a yearly coosting license, subject to the same conditions as are provided in the case of Vessels trading between ports in the same Province, with the additional condition that the Master or other proper Officer of such Steam Vessel, shall be furnished with two cargo books to be used during alternate months, and that at the end of each month, he shall surrender the book used during that month to the Collector of the Port of St. John, and the said Collector shall return to him the other book with which he had been furnished, so that the record of the trade of each month shall be in the Custom House, to be used for statistical purposes during the whole of the succeeding month.

WM. H. LEE,
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27-31.

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22. If any householder, he, of a family, clergyman, physician or other person or persons required by this Act to report births, marriages and deaths, refuses or wilfully neglects to do so within the time named, such person shall, for each and every offence, forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar, nor more than twenty dollars and costs, in the discretion of the presiding Justice before whom the case shall be heard; and it shall be the duty of the Division Registrar to prosecute all such persons so neglecting or refusing to make the required reports.

WM. P. LETT,
Division Registrar
In the City of Ottawa

City Hall, Ottawa, March, 21, 1870. 13-6i