

EXTRADITION TREATIES.

AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR, THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH, 1881.

Present :

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord President. Mr. Bright.
Lord Steward. Sir Arthur Hobhouse.
Marquess of Huntly.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts of 1870 and 1873, it was amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions and qualifications as may be deemed expedient :

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, between Her Majesty and the King of the Netherlands, Grand Duke of Luxemburg, for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following :—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, Grand Duke of Luxemburg, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within the territories of Her Britannic Majesty and the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, their said Majesties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to say :—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Honourable William Stuart, a Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, as Grand Duke of Luxemburg ;

And His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, Grand Duke of Luxemburg, Baron Felix de Blochausen, Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Oak, Chevalier of the Second Class of the Order of the Golden Lion of the House of Nassau, etc., etc., his Minister of State, President of the Government of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg ;