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DEPARTMENT OF STATE WASHINGTON

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I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note no. 462 of November 1, 1939 informing the Department of the decision to re-open the British Vice Consulate at Tampa, Florida, and to appoint Mr. Herbert George Goodfellow Fray, hitherto Vice Consul at Jacksonville, as British Vice Consul at Tampa. Acknowledgment is made also of the receipt of the certified copy of Mr. Goodfellow Fray's letter of appointment and a certified specimen of his official signature and seal.

In compliance with the request contained in your note there is transmitted herewith the certificate recognizing the above-named appointee as British Vice Consul

His Excellency

The Right Honorable

The Marquess of Lothian, C.H., British Ambassador.

Consul at Tampa and the certified copy of his letter of appointment is returned.

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It is requested that the Department be supplied with Mr. Goodfellow Fray's business and residence addresses when available.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

For the Secretary of State:

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Enclosures:

- 1. Copy of letter of appointment.
- 2. Certificate of recognition.

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By me, Charles Alam Gerald de Jussieu Meade, His Britannic Majesty's Consul for the states of South Carolina, Georgie, and that part of Florida east of the Apalachicola River, residing at Jacksonville, Florida:

Be it known to all to whom these presents shall come that, by virtue of the powers vested in me by His Majesty's Commission, I do hereby constitute and appoint Herbert George Goodfellow Fray to be British Vice-Consul at Tampa, Florida, with full power and authority, by all lawful means, to aid and protect His Majesty's subjects visiting or residing at Tampa. Witness my hand and seal of office at Jacksonville, Florida, this first day of Movember, 1939.



(Signed) Gerald Meade His Britannic Majesty's Consul.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the latter of appointment issued by me to Mr. Herbert George Goodfellow Fray constituting and appointing him Vice-Gonsul at Tampa.



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His Britannic Majesty's Consul ..