Rio de Janeiro
26 May 1830.

Sir

I beg leave to acquaint Your Excellency that I have appointed my Son Wm Richard Cooke, Purnell to be my Vice-Consul, in pursuance of the Powers vested in me, and already communicated to the Brazilian Government, and I have the honor to solicit, thro' Your Excellency that His Excellency Miguel Calmon du Pin e Almeida Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs &c &c &c Rio de Janeiro

that His Imperial Majesty
will be graciously pleased
to confirm this appointment
I avail myself of this
opportunity of requesting
Your Excellency to accept
the assurance of my high
consideration and of my
particular Esteem.

I have the honor
to be,
Your Excellency's
most

Most Obedient
Humble Servant

W. Temple
Consul General