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TO

THE LATE VISIT

OF THE

RUSSIAN FLEET TO THE UNITED STATES,

UNDER COMMAND OF

REAR-ADMIRAL LESSOFFSKY.

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ST. PETERSBURG.

AUGUST 25th 1882.

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Дозволено цензурою, 15 сентября 1864 года.

ON the 11th of August, Prince Galitzin, Aide de camp to the Minister of Marine, and on his behalf, presented himself at the Legation of the United States in St. Petersburg, Russia; and announced to General Clay, Representative of that country, that it was the desire of Rear-Admiral Lessoffsky, and the officers under his command, to call on him and return thanks for the friendly reception which they had everywhere received in America.

His Excellency, the Minister of the United States, in reply, assured Prince Galitzin that he highly appreciated the honor, and begged leave to appoint the following Thursday, the 18th instant, at noon.

Accordingly, on that day, Rear-Admiral Lessoffsky accompanied by a numerous suite; and preceded by Rear-Admiral Greig, Aide de camp, and principal Secretary to His Imperial Highness the Grand Duke Constantine, entered the Legation, and were received by General Clay, and Mr. Bergh, Secretary.

Rear-Admiral Greig then formally communicated, in English, the object of the visit, prefacing the presentation of Admiral Lessoffsky and his officers, by a speech, in the following words.