

Germany (*Hanover*)

COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION

Treaty signed at Berlin May 20, 1840

Senate advice and consent to ratification July 15, 1840

Ratified by the President of the United States July 28, 1840

Ratified by Hanover November 4, 1840

Ratifications exchanged at Berlin November 14, 1840

Entered into force November 14, 1840

Proclaimed by the President of the United States January 2, 1841

*Terminated March 5, 1847, by treaty of June 10, 1846*¹

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The United States of America and His Majesty the King of Hanover, equally animated by the desire of extending as far as possible the commercial relations between, and the exchange of the productions of their respective States, have agreed, with this view, to conclude a Treaty of Commerce and Navigation.

For this purpose, the President of the United States of America has furnished with full-powers, Henry Wheaton, Their Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary near His Majesty the King of Prussia; and His Majesty the King of Hanover has furnished with the like full powers, le Sieur Auguste de Berger, His Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary near His Majesty the King of Prussia, Lieutenant-General, Knight Grand-Cross of the order of Guelph, the red eagle of Prussia, the order of merit of Oldenburg &c, who after exchanging their said full-powers, found in good and due form, have concluded and signed, subject to ratification, the following articles:

¹ TS 154, *post*, p. 27.

² For a detailed study of this treaty, see 4 Miller 257.