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FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1886.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 5, 1886.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 23rd of March instant, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS
TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Rooms, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

KENMARE,

Lord Chamberlain.

Whitehall, March 18, 1886.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Richard de Aquila Grosvenor, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Stalbridge, of Stalbridge, in the county of Dorset.

Whitehall, March 18, 1886.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable William, Baron Kensington, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Kensington, of Kensington, in the county of Middlesex.

Admiralty, 16th March, 1886.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 30th April, 1877—Engineer John Glaysher has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 13th March, 1886.

Admiralty, 17th March, 1886.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

THE undermentioned Officers have been seconded for service with the Commissariat and Transport Staff:—

Lieutenant Charles Gisborne Brittan. Dated 1st March, 1886.

Lieutenant William Sidney Smith Harvest. Dated 2nd March, 1886.

Admiralty, 18th March, 1886.

Engineer Joseph Organ has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th March, 1886.

War Office, 19th March, 1886.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

2nd Brigade, Lancashire Division, Captain Henry Littledale Fergusson resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.