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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1874.

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of  
February 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond, K.G., Lord President of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Grace having taken the oaths of office, took his place at the Board accordingly.

This day, Richard Assheton Cross, Esq., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to deliver the Great Seal to the Right Honourable Hugh MacCalmont, Lord Cairns, whereupon the oath of Lord Chancellor of Great Britain was, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

This day, the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli took the oath of First Lord of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Her Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable James Howard, Earl of Malmesbury, G.C.B., the oath of the Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint

the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, the Right Honourable Edward Henry, Earl of Derby, the Right Honourable Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon, the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, and the Most Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot, Marquess of Salisbury, five Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, February 21, 1874.

This day, the oath of office of Postmaster-General was taken by the Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John Manners); the oath of office of Chancellor of the Exchequer by the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; and the oath of office of First Lord of the Admiralty by the Right Honourable George Ward Hunt.

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This day, the Right Honourable Henry Edward, Earl of Ilchester, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.