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*Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 21, 1836.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Majesty's next Levee will be held on Thursday the 28th instant, instead of Wednesday the 27th, and the future Levees on every succeeding Wednesday until further orders.

*Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 22, 1836.*

BY HIS MAJESTY'S COMMAND.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons attending the Drawing-Rooms and State Balls at St. James's-Palace, who wear any civil uniform, must appear in shoes with buckles, and breeches with knee buckles.

The Master of the Horse, the Master of the Buck Hounds, the Equerries and the Pages of Honour, all Officers of the Navy and Army, Militia and Yeomanry, the Lord Lieutenants of Counties and Deputy Lieutenants, are to appear at the Drawing-Rooms and State Balls in uniform trowsers and boots, agréably to regulation.

*Office of the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, Queen's-House, St. James's, April 26, 1836.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Queen will hold a Drawing-Room on Thursday, May 5th.

It is absolutely necessary that all Ladies intending to be presented, should send their names, with that of the Lady presenting them, to the Office of the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, on or before Tuesday, May 3d, in order that they may be submitted to Her Majesty.

All Ladies and Gentlemen attending the Drawing-Room are requested to bring three cards; one to be left in the Anti-room, another to be given to the Lord in Waiting to the King, and the third to the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

No Lady can present another, unless she herself attends the Drawing-Room.

**A**T the Court at *St. James's*, the 13th day of *April* 1836,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the third and fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the abolition of slavery throughout the British colonies; for promoting the industry of the manumitted slaves; and for compensating the persons hitherto entitled to the services of such slaves;" it is enacted, "that, from and after the first day of