

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S
DRAWING-ROOMS.

The Ladies who purpose attending Her Majesty's Drawing-Rooms, are requested to bring with them two cards, with their names legibly written thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in attendance in the Presence-Chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord in Waiting, who will announce the name to Her Majesty :

And those Ladies, who are to be presented, are hereby informed it is absolutely necessary that their names, together with the names of the Ladies who are to present them, should be sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, before *twelve o'clock on the day but one* previous to each Drawing-Room, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation ; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall take place, unless the name of the Lady presenting, together with that of the Lady to be presented, shall appear on the card to be delivered, as before directed, corresponding with the names sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office.

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 5th
day of *March* 1840,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled " An Act to regulate the trade of the British " possessions abroad," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that the several ports therein in that behalf mentioned shall be free warehousing ports for all the purposes of the said Act ; and it is thereby further enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time, to appoint any port in His Majesty's possessions in America to be a free warehousing port for all or any of the purposes of the said Act, and that every port so appointed shall be, for all the purposes expressed in such Order, a free warehousing port, under the said Act, as if appointed by the same :

And whereas Her Majesty doth deem it expedient to appoint the port of Falmouth, in the island of Jamaica, a free warehousing port under the said Act, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities in Her Majesty by the said Act in that behalf vested, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said port of Falmouth, in the island of Jamaica, shall be a free warehousing port for all the purposes of the said Act :

Provided always, and it is hereby ordered, that nothing herein contained shall exempt any goods, wares, or merchandize imported from the said port of Falmouth into any of the British possessions in the West Indies, or on the continent of South America, or into the Bahama Islands, from the payment of the duties now chargeable thereon in such places under the said Act :

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

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