

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 in the Presence-chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, on *Monday* the 15th of May, *before twelve o'clock*, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall be made at the Levees, but in conformity 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 to the Queen.

The State Apartments will not be open for the reception of company coming to Court, until half past one o'clock.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons, having Petitions or Addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee, are to write on two cards, with their names, a statement of the objects of such Petitions or Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come; one card to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-room, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents, at the time of presentation, to Her Majesty; and, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 14, 1848.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, in consequence of excavations now in progress in Windsor-Castle, the floors in some of the passages are necessarily removed, and it is impossible to admit Visitors to the State or Private Apartments. The issue of orders is, on that account, unavoidably discontinued for a short time.

AT the Court at *Osborne-House, Isle of Wight*, the 15th day of *April* 1848,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make better provision for the spiritual care of populous parishes," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the ninth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, in the words following, that is to say :

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make better provision for the spiritual care of populous parishes," have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the deanery of the cathedral church of Lincoln, and now vested in us.

"Whereas it is by the said Act (amongst other things) enacted, that, notwithstanding the charge by that Act created (being a charge created in favour of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne), all the same and the like rights and powers of ownership as are possessed and enjoyed respecting and over any lands, tenements or other hereditaments whatsoever, by any absolute owner thereof, shall be enjoyed by us with respect to and over all or any lands, tithes, rent charges, tenements or other hereditaments vested in us under certain Acts therein mentioned (being the Acts under which the property hereinafter described is vested in us), and may, subject to the provisions of the same Acts and of the now reciting Act, be exercised by us by proper instruments in writing duly executed according to law, with a certain proviso respecting the application of every sum of money received as the consideration or purchase money for the sale, transfer and conveyance by us of any of such lands, tithes, tenements or other hereditaments, or of any estate or interest therein; and with a further proviso, that none of such lands,