

sidered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEES TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levees, at St. James's 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 Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman 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 Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his 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 these Levees, 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 to His Royal Highness.

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

SYDNEY,

Lord Chamberlain.

Westminster, March 31, 1871.

THIS day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them; that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said

Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply the sum of five million four hundred and eleven thousand nine hundred pounds out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

An Act for extending the jurisdiction of the Courts of the West African Settlements to certain offences committed out of Her Majesty's dominions.

Whitehall, March 29, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Hannah Georgina Elizabeth D'Audebert, wife of Alfred D'Audebert, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, Gentleman, and late the widow of Augustus De Butts, sometime a Colonel in the Madras Engineers, deceased, the guardian during the minority of her only son Augustus Edward De Butts, a Cornet in the 17th Lancers, of the age of nineteen years and upwards, Her Royal licence and authority that he the said Augustus Edward De Butts may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of William Wharton Burdon, late of Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Burdon, instead of that of De Butts, and bear the arms of Burdon quarterly with those of De Butts; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
April 1, 1871.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the under-mentioned Parishes:—

Beddgelert	...	...	Carnarvon
Bodedern	...	...	Anglesey
Britonferry	...	...	Glamorgan
Carno	...	...	Montgomery
Castleford	...	...	York
Chigwell	...	...	Essex
Clydey	...	...	Pembroke
Glyntraian	...	...	Denbigh
Keyworth	...	...	Notts
Llanrhyddlad	...	...	Anglesey
Llansantffraid-glyn-ceriog	...	...	Denbigh
Llangollen	...	...	Denbigh
Llanonda	...	...	Pembroke
Llechylched	...	...	Anglesey
Shirland and Higham	...	...	Derby.