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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1874.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
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**N**OTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Thursday, the 26th of February, and on Wednesday, the 25th of March next, at three o'clock.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room on the 25th of March, it being a Collar-Day.

**REGULATIONS**

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command.*

The Ladies, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Rooms, at Buckingham 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, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to the Queen.

**PRESENTATIONS.**

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her 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 the Drawing Room, 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 the Queen.

It is not expected that Gentleman will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force, for Her Majesty's Levees.

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

SYDNEY,  
Lord Chamberlain.

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber;  
Buckingham Gate, February 5, 1874.*

**H**IS Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing John Christopher Baron Lethbridge, Esq., of Tregeare, Sheriff of the County of Cornwall.

**A**T the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 2nd day of *February, 1874.*

**PRESENT.**

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial ground or places of burial should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification; it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require), that after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town,