

It is not expected that Gentlemen 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.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 15, 1875.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Wednesday next, the 21st instant, until further orders.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 5, 1875.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Ralph Allen Gosset, Esq., to be Serjeant-at-Arms in Ordinary to Her Majesty, to attend upon Her Majesty when there is no Parliament, and for the time of every Parliament to attend upon the Speaker of the House of Commons, in the room of Lord Charles James Fox Russell, resigned.

Foreign Office, April 14, 1875.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas Adamson as Consul-General at Melbourne, and of Mr. Theodore Canisius as Consul at Bristol, for the United States of America; of Mr. Roderick Kamecke as Consul of the German Empire at Belfast; of Mr. S. Solomon as Consul at St. Helena for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands; of Mr. Jean Gerard Wich as Consul in London for His Majesty the King of the Belgians; and of Mr. Sigismund Cohen as Vice-Consul at Manchester for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
April 14, 1875.*

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

Huntspill ...	...	...	Somerset
Thurleigh ...	...	...	Bedford

*Education Department, Whitehall,
April 14, 1875.*

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

Church Stanton ...	...	...	Devon
Dawley Magna ...	...	...	Salop
Framwellgate St. Oswald (extra municipal) ...	...	...	Durham
Heathfield ...	...	...	Sussex
Rettendon ...	...	...	Essex
Wilmington ...	...	...	Sussex

and in the United District of—

Trelleck (comprising the School Districts of Trelleck Parish and Trelleck Township)	Monmouth
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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, April 15, 1875.*

THE Board of Trade have received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, stating that in consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever at Rio de Janeiro, all arrivals from that port would be subject to six days' quarantine.

Admiralty, 14th April, 1875.

James John Louis Donnet, Esq., M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets.

Admiralty, 15th April, 1875.

The following promotions have been this day made:—

Sub-Lieutenants:

Gerald Murray Richardson,
Walter Byrom Almack,
Frederick Bushby Warren,
Lionel Harvey Morris,
Douglas Edward Boyle Henderson,
Harry Dampier Law,
John Frederic Russell Bateman,
Gerard Marmaduke Brooke,
Honourable Conyngham Albert Denison,
William MacCarthy Maturin,
William Pierre Lunell Heyland,
Walker Stuart King,
Robert Edward Clarke,
Alexander William Chisholm Batten,
William Cecil Howard Snell,
William Crawford Reid,
Edward Knipe,
Lennard Edward Dick,
James St. Clair Bower,
Archibald James Farquharson,
Casper Joseph Baker,
Henry Horace Hayes,
Edward Richard Boyle Stephens,
to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

War Office, April 16, 1875.

The Secretary of State for War has appointed Walter W. Young, Esq., M.D., to be Assistant Visiting Surgeon for Aldershot under the Contagious Diseases Acts, 1866 to 1869.

War Office, April 16, 1875.

The Secretary of State for War has appointed Robert Thomas Thomas, Esq., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. London, and L.S.A., to be Assistant Visiting Surgeon for Shorncliffe under the Contagious Diseases Acts, 1866 to 1869, in the place of A. C. Collinson, Esq., deceased.

ORDER issued by the Local Government Board under "The Public Health Act, 1872," investing Guardians with Urban Powers:—

Gainsborough Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Gainsborough Union, in the counties of Lincoln and Nottingham, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union:

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 23 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted that the Local