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FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1875.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 4, 1875.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 29th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
May 4, 1875.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 31st of May, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE 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 Levee, 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 regulations 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 the Levee, 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.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Colonial Office, Downing Street,
May 28, 1875.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders:—

Francis Fortescue Turville, Esq., C.M.G.
The Honourable Viscount Kirkwall, C.M.G.
Charles Sladen, Esq., C.M.G.
Julius Vogel, Esq., C.M.G.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order:—

Sir Henry Thurstan Holland, Bart., M.P., formerly Legal Adviser, and subsequently Assistant Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Captain George Cumine Strahan, R.A., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Gold Coast Colony.

Captain James Graham Goodenough, R.N., Commodore Commanding Her Majesty's Naval Forces on the Australian Station, lately employed as Commissioner to enquire into the offer of the cession of the Fiji Islands.

Edgar Leopold Layard, Esq., Consul for Her Majesty at the Fiji Islands, lately employed as Commissioner to enquire into the offer of the cession of those islands, and now acting as Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Fiji.

William Charles Sargeant, Esq., Crown Agent for the Colonies.

Colonel John Dyde, late Colonel-Commandant of Militia in the District of Montreal, in the Dominion of Canada.

Colonel John Sewall, late Colonel-Commandant of the District of Quebec, in the Dominion of Canada.