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FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1879.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 24, 1879.

OTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 24th of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, May 5, 1879.

OTICE 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 26th of May instant, at two o'clock.

It is 'The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this 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 should be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case

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 opened for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

MOUNT-EDGCUMBE, Lord Chamberlain,

T the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 8th A day of May, 1879.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Lord President. Lord George Hamilton.

HE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as

1. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and shall cease to have effect from and immediately after the third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, except as regards the recovery of any penalty incurred thereunder before that day; and words in this Order have the same meaning as in The Foreign Animals Order.

2. Notwithstanding anything in The Foreign Animals Order or in any other Order of Council, cattle brought from the United States of America to the Port of London may be transhipped in the Millwall Docks from the vessel in which they are brought to another vessel for conveyance to the foreign animals wharf, known as the Foreign Cattle Market at Deptford, subject to the following

First. That the vessel into which the cattle are transhipped be a vessel propelled by steam power (in this Order called the steamer).

Second. That the owner, agent, or charterer of the steamer has received the special permission of the Commissioners of Customs so to employ the steamer under this Order.

3. Those cattle shall be transhipped in the presence and under the supervision and control of the names be very distinctly written upon the lan Officer of Customs, who shall remain in charge