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TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1879.

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

NOTICE 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.*

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

MOUNT EDGCUMBE,
Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of *May*, 1879.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, the Right Honourable William Henry, Earl of Mount Edgcumbe and Sir Robert Lush, Knight, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 17th day of *May*, 1879.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Charles William Lloyd Bulpett, Esquire, B.A., Trinity College, Oxford; James Henry Davies, Esquire, M.A., Corpus Christi College, Oxford; Claude Hume Campbell Guinness, Esquire, M.A., New College, Oxford; Rashleigh Holt-White, Esquire, B.A., Oriol College, Oxford; Frederick Barnes Lott, Esquire, B.A., Christ Church, Oxford; Joseph Wilson, Esquire, M.A., Fellow of Christ's College, Cambridge, to be six of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

Privy Council Office, May 19, 1879.

THIS day, the oath of office of Lord Chamberlain was taken by the Right Honourable William Henry, Earl of Mount Edgcumbe.

Windsor Castle, May 17, 1879.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—
Señor Doctor José Maria Rojas, Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of Venezuela, to deliver his Credentials; and
Señor Doctor Don Manuel R. Garcia, Envoy