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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
March 6, 1885.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Wednesday, the 18th instant, at three o'clock.

#### REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, 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.

#### PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady 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 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 regulations, 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.

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

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented, 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.

**KENMARE,**  
Lord Chamberlain.

*Whitehall, March 17, 1885.*

**T**HE following further Addresses and Resolutions of Congratulation to the Queen on the Coming of Age of His Royal Highness Prince Albert Victor of Wales, K.G., have been presented to the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, for presentation to the Queen, and have accordingly been presented by him to Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously:—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.  
*May it please Your Majesty,*

WE, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the city of Edinburgh, and as representing the community thereof, most humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept our heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of Your Grandson, His Royal Highness Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward, K.G., attaining his majority.

In common with Your whole people, we desire to express our earnest wish and heartfelt prayer that every blessing and happiness may attend His Royal Highness through life, and that he may prove another strong stay to Your Majesty's Throne, and a joy to Your Majesty personally.

We pray that Your Majesty may long live in the enjoyment of health, and of all blessings that Providence can bestow, and that God may grant to this great nation guidance so to walk in the way of truth and righteousness, that Throne and people may alike be blessed.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council, and the Seal of the City affixed hereto, at Edinburgh, the 20th day of January, 1885 years.

*George Harrison, Lord Provost.  
Wm. Skinner, Town Clerk.*

And the following on the same subject from:—

Brighton, Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses.  
Croydon, Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses.  
Lewisham District Board of Works.  
Newbury, Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses.  
Radnorshire County Magistrates.