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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
June 27, 1887.*

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 Saturday, the 16th of July, 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 Levees, 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 half-past one o'clock.

LATHOM,

Lord Chamberlain.

Whitehall, June 24, 1887.

THE following Addresses of Congratulation to The Queen were presented to Her Majesty on Her return to Windsor Castle, on the 22nd day of June, 1887, after the performance in Westminster Abbey, on the 21st instant, of the Thanksgiving Service, on the occasion of the completion of the Fiftieth Year of Her Majesty's Reign :—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Madam,

THE Magistrates of the County of Buckingham, in Quarter Sessions assembled, desire to approach Your Majesty, to offer their humble but heartfelt and loyal congratulations on the occasion of the Jubilee of Your Majesty's beneficent Reign.

The half century which has just elapsed has been a period of unexampled development throughout the British Empire, at Home, in the Colonies, and India.

The rapid increase of population, the development of trade, the increased facilities and great rapidity of intercommunication have wrought great changes in the requirements, the habits, and conditions of the people.

Under Your Majesty's gracious Sovereignty these varied circumstances have been met and provided for with foresight and judgment.

Laws providing for proper measures of sanitation have lessened the sufferings, and, by improving the health, added to the comfort of the working classes.

The principle has been established that education is a necessity, while the more general diffusion of knowledge, together with the more cultivated taste and the better training in artistic skill of the workmen, so much due to the Exhibition of 1851, and the fostering care of the Prince Consort, have enabled England to maintain its high place in the friendly rivalry of nations.

At the same time the great development of religious teaching, and the very large increase in the number of churches and places of Christian worship provided by voluntary munificence, have given a gratifying proof of the growth of religious feeling, which will conduce to the good of the people and the strength of the nation.

For these benefits and many others thus accrued during Your Majesty's long Reign we are ever thankful, and we pray that Your Majesty may long be blessed with health and strength to reign over us, to witness the prosperity