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

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

Lord Chamberlain.

Foreign Office, October 1, 1891.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Newell Jordan, Esq., to be Chinese Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Peking.

Foreign Office, April 1, 1892.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint—

- Sir John Walsham, Bart., to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Roumania;
- Nicholas Roderick O'Conor, Esq., C.B., C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of China, and also Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Corea ;
- His Majesty the King of Corea; Henry Nevill Dering, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Bulgaria;
- The Honourable Henry George Edwardes to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Rome;
- Martin Le Marchant Hadsley Gosselin, Esq., C.B., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Madrid :
- Charles Fox Frederick Adam, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Brussels ;

George Greville, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Rio de Janeiro; and

Reginald Thomas Tower, Esq., Walter Beaupré Townley, Esq., and John Lowndes Gorst, Esq., to be Second Secretaries in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, April 4, 1892.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur Cuninghame Grant Duff, Esq., Mansfeldt de Cardonnel Findlay, Esq., and Frederic Dundas Harford, Esq., to be Second Secretaries in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, April 20, 1892.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. A. Baillon as Italian Consul at Port Stanley, Falkland Islands; and of Mr. J. Weitbrecht Edghill as Netherland Consul at Barbadoes.

Admiralty, 20th April, 1892.

Navigating Lieutenant Thompson Maclean has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 8th April, 1892.

Admiralty, 21st April, 1892.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Edward Stafford Houseman has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th September, 1890.

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- War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd April, 1892.
- Royal Horse Guards, Second Lieutenant A. J. C. G., Viscount Sudley, to be Lieutenant, vice A. E. Burnaby, resigned. Dated 13th April, 1892.
- Gentleman Cadet Charles Ernest Rose, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice A. J. C. G., Viscount Sudley. Dated 23rd April, 1892.
- 1st Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant William M. Marter, from the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice S. F. Legge, who exchanges. Dated 23rd April, 1892.
- 4th Dragoon Guords, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment. Dated 23rd April, 1892 :--
 - G. F. Mappin. C. R. Gaunt.
- 5th Lancers, Licutenant Wilfrid E. R. Collis is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health, Dated 23rd April, 1892.
- ill-health. Dated 23rd April, 1892. Lieutenant William Thomas Francis Horwood, from half-pay, to be Lieutenant, vice W. E. R. Collis, with precedence next below Lieutenant E. E. West. Dated 23rd April, 1892.
- 8th Hussars, Captain Henry de Teissier, from the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be Captain, vice G. H. L. Buchanan, who exchanges. Dated 23rd April, 1892.
- 16th Lancers, Lieutenant Alister Grant Dallas to be Captain, vice G. P. Wyndham, appointed Adjutant. Dated 7th March, 1892.
- Cavalry Depôt, Colonel John C. Russell, on completion of his period of service in command of the Cavalry Depôt, is placed on half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1892.
- Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Ashton Milnes Brandreth (late Bengal), Indian Supernumerary List, retires on an Indian pension and extra annuity. Dated 30th March, 1892.
- In consequence of the promotion on half-pay of Major J. Matheson, the promotions of the undermentioned Officers are antedated as follows:---
- Major P. T. Buston, to 6th January, 1892.
- Major J. C. Tyler, to 18th January, 1892.
- Captain J. A. Gibbon, to 6th January, 1892.
- Captain P. Ashworth, to 18th January, 1892.
- Dated 16th March, 1892. John Charles Campbell, on augmentation. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :---
- Edward Darley Bullen, vice W. H. Robinson, deceased. Dated 15th March, 1892.
- Thomas Harrison, vice G. H. Sim. Dated 16th March, 1892.
- Grenadier Guards, Supernumerary Captain Henry Goulburn to be Captain, in succession to Major the Honourable F. W. Stopford, appointed to the Staff. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- Lieutenant William Augustus Lane Fox-Pitt to be Captain, vice Brevet Major the Honourable J. T. St. Aubyn, seconded. Dated 16th March, 1892.