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TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1897.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
March 25, 1897.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen's Birthday will be celebrated in London alone on Wednesday, the 26th of May next, and at all other Stations, Naval and Military, on Monday, the 24th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
May 17, 1897.*

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 31st instant, 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 AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY.

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

Gentlemen who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee 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.**

Gentlemen who propose to present others must send in writing the name of such Gentlemen to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Levee, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the names to Her Majesty, when, if they are approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded. Forms for the purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

Gentlemen who wish to be presented officially should communicate with the heads of their Department, who will provide them with the necessary cards and instructions.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Gentlemen to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the Presentation Cards delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Levee, 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, May 7, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to grant unto James Maclaren Smith, of the Bóltons, in the parish of St. Mary Abbotts, Kensington, in the county of London, Esquire, and Eveleen, his wife, Baroness Gray, in the Peerage of Scotland, Her Royal licence and authority that they may take and assume the surname of Gray in addition to and after that of Smith, that he may bear and use the arms of Gray quarterly with his paternal arms of Smith, and that the issue of their marriage may take, assume, and use the surname of Gray in lieu of that of Smith, and bear the arms of Gray only; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Education Department, Whitehall,  
May 13, 1897.*

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,  
1870-1893.**

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the election of one person by the Contributory District of Llanfair-juxta-Harlech, to sit on the School Board of Llanbedr. County of Merioneth.

*Education Department, Whitehall,  
May 17, 1897.*

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,  
1870-1893.**

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish:—

Haswell ... .. Durham