

Major The Hon. Derek Keppel was in attendance on His Royal Highness The Duke of York, K.G.

Luncheon was served in the Durbar Room.

Levée Dress was worn.

The Band and Pipers of the 2nd Battalion Scottish Rifles, under the direction of Mr. Laverock, Bandmaster, played a selection during luncheon.

SATURDAY, 14th AUGUST.

A deputation, consisting of Rear-Admiral John R. T. Fullerton, C.B., C.V.O., A.D.C., Staff Captain Archibald G. Douglas, Lieutenant Rosslyn E. Wemyss, and Fleet-Paymaster William H. Bowen, arrived at Osborne, and offered to Her Majesty, on behalf of the Officers of the Royal Yacht "Victoria and Albert," an oil painting, which The Queen was graciously pleased to accept.

Her Royal Highness Princess Henry of Battenberg was present with Her Majesty.

Colonel Lord Edward Pelham Clinton, K.C.B., Master of the Household, was in attendance.

The subject of the picture is Her Majesty's Yacht "Royal George" entering Leith Harbour with The Queen on board in the year 1842, painted by Fleet-Paymaster Algernon Yockney, Her Majesty's Ship "Majestic," and late of the Royal Yacht.

WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST.

Her Majesty this afternoon conferred the honour of Knighthood upon the following Gentlemen, who were severally introduced to The Queen's presence:—

Charles T. Skelton, Esq., Deputy-Mayor of Sheffield.

Squire B. Bancroft, Esq.

Felix Semon, Esq., M.D.

Wyke Bayliss, Esq., President of the Royal Society of British Artists.

John Dunne, Esq., Chief Constable of Cumberland and Westmoreland.

Felix Calvert Mackenzie, Esq., of Forres.

George C. Martin, Esq., Mus.Doc., of St. Paul's.

Colonel Henry Hugh Oldham, Lieutenant of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms.

His Honour Judge Lucius Selfe.

George J. Smith, Esq., of Treliske.

James Thompson, Esq., General Manager of the Caledonian Railway.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Page Vance, Lieutenant of Her Majesty's Royal Body Guard of the Yeomen of the Guard.