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FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1900.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
June 5, 1900.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of York will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levée at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 6th July next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levée shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVÉES 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 Levées 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 Levée, 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 Levée, 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.

**HOPETOUN,
Lord Chamberlain.**

Windsor Castle, May 21, 1900.

THIS day had Audience of Her Majesty :—
His Excellency Count de Rascon, to present his Letters of Recall as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from Her Majesty the Queen Regent of Spain.

Whitehall, June 12, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Arthur Henry Cooke, M.A., to the Vicarage of Par, in the county of Cornwall and diocese of Truro, void by the cession of the Reverend Daniel Rechab Vaughan, M.A.

Whitehall, June 12, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Herbert Slade, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Siamese Order of the White Elephant of the Third Class, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam, in recognition of his services as Conservator of Forests in Siam.

Whitehall, June 14, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Henry Percy Napier-Clavering, M.A., to the Living of Saint Cuthbert, Stella, in the county and diocese of Durham, void by the cession of the Reverend Matthew Greene, M.A.

Whitehall, June 15, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom unto Michael, Lord Morris, late a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Killanin, of Galway, in the county of Galway.

Whitehall, June 15, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom unto the Right Honourable Sir Peter O'Brien, Bart., Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron O'Brien of Kilfenora, in the county of Clare.