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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' 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' PALACE, April 20, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that Her Royal Highness The Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein will, by command of The Queen, hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Tuesday the 4th May next, at three o'clock.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' PALACE, April 21, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday the 11th May next, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room are requested to bring with them to the Drawing Room two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

The privilege of making Presentations to The Queen at a Drawing Room is restricted to those Ladies who have themselves been previously presented to Her Majesty, and who are themselves present at the Drawing Room.

Under such circumstances a Lady has the privilege of presenting one Lady only at a Drawing Room in addition to her Daughters or Daughters-in-law.

This restriction does not apply to Ladies who, from official position or other circumstances, are specially privileged to make Presentations to Her Majesty.

The Lady who proposes to present another must send in writing the name of such Lady to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Drawing Room, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the name to Her Majesty, when, if it be approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded.

Printed Forms for this purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.