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TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1853.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, February 17, 1853.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that His Royal Highness Prince Albert will, by the desire of Her Majesty, hold a Levee at St James's-Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, 9th March next, at Two o'clock.

It is Her Majesty's pleasure that presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered equivalent to presentations to the Queen.

Addresses to the Queen may either be forwarded to Her Majesty through the Secretary of State for the Home Department, or may be reserved until Her Majesty shall hold a Levee.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE LEVEE AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen who purpose to attend the Levee at St. James's-Palace 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 Presence-chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office before twelve o'clock on the Monday previous to the Levee, in order that they may be submitted for approbation; it being Her Majesty's command that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above Regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them.

The State Apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until Half-past One o'Clock.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, February 19, 1853.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Benjamin Campbell, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Lagos.

WHITEHALL, March 2, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Baillie, Esq. Advocate, to be Sheriff of the shire or sheriffdom of Stirling, in the room of Robert Handyside, Esq. resigned.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, March 2, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Louis Power as Consul at Gibraltar for His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias,

DOWNING-STREET, March 2, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Vesey Fitzgerald Foster, Esq. commonly called John Fitzgerald Leslie Foster, Esq. to be Colonial Secretary for the Colony of Victoria.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Francis Tortell, Esq. to be Comptroller of Contracts and Purveyor of Charities for the Island of Malta.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Richard A. M'Heffey, Esq. to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Province of Nova Scotia.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Francis Blake Du Bois, Esq. to be a Member of the Council of the Virgin Islands,

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, March 3, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Robert Edward Boyle to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Captain the Honourable William Stuart Knox, M.P., resigned.

DUBLIN CASTLE, March 4, 1853.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of William Dargan, Esq. being appointed a Deputy Lieutenant for the City of Dublin.

WAR-OFFICE, March 4, 1853.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—Cornet Thomas Leslie to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lord Otho Augustus FitzGerald, who retires. Dated 4th March 1853.