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FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 1859.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, March 1, 1859.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at St James's Palace, upon Thursday the 14th of April next, at two o'clock.

THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED WITH REGARD TO THE QUEEN'S DRAWING-ROOM, AT ST JAMES'S PALACE,

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing-Room, 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 Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to the Queen, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twebve o'clock, two clear days before the Drawing-Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing Regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing-Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that a letter from the Lady who is to make the presentation, stating it to be her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to the Queen, for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance 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 to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until halfpast one o'clock.

> DE LA WARR, Lord Chamberlain.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, April 4, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr John Ogilvy Hay as Consul at Akyab for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr Alfred Wise as Consul in the Island of Ceylon for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

WHITEHALL, April 1, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edmund Batten, of Thorn Falcon, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, and of Lincoln's Inn, Barrister-at-Law, and Jemima his wife, the only surviving child and heir of William Chisholm, of Chisholm, in the county of Inverness, Esq., deceased, Her royal licence and authority that they and their issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Chisholm in addition to and before that of Batten:

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

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL, April 5, 1859.

Royal Artillery-Lieutenant John Lardner Clarke to be Second Captain. Dated 1st April 1859.

Royal Engineers-Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Duesbery Robertson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel James, placed upon the Supernumerary List. , Dated 1st April 1859.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Fanshawe to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Yorke, placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 1st April 1859.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel Frederick Edward Chapman, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Bainbrigge, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April 1859.

Second Captain Edward Belfield to be Captain, vice Robertson. Dated 1st April 1829

Second Captain the Honourable George West tesley to be Captain, vice Fanshawe Dated 1st April 1859.