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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST JAMES'S PALACE, April 5, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Day fixed for the Celebration of The Queen's Birthday has, by Her Majesty's Command, been changed from Saturday the 29th of May to Wednesday the 2d of June next.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST JAMES'S PALACE, March 2, 1869.

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

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, at Buckingham 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, 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, St James's Palace, *before twelve 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.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who, under these circumstances, should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

SYDNEY, Lord Chamberlain.

FOREIGN OFFICE, April 9, 1869.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Mr Hugh Guion MacDonell, now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service and employed in Her Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Buenos Ayres.

FOREIGN OFFICE, April 24, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Ferdinand Krapf as Consul at Liverpool for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Y. Kattengell as Consul-General in England, to reside in London, for the Republic of Honduras.

WHITEHALL, April 24, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Stuart Ross to the church and parish of Edzell, in the presbytery of Brechin, and counties of Forfar and Kincardine, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Charles Smith Adie to the church and parish of Tibbermore, in the presbytery of Perth.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend A. E. Murray McConnochie to the church of Croick, in the parish of Kincardine, in the presbytery of Tain, and shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend John Walker Macintyre to the church of Kinloch Ranoch.