

*Lord Chamberlain's-Office, January 12, 1846.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room, at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday the 26th of February next, at two o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING-ROOM.

The Ladies, who purpose attending Her Majesty's Drawing-Room, are requested to bring with them two cards, with their names legibly 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 in Waiting, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

And those Ladies, who are to be presented, are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, together with the names of the Ladies who are to present them, should be sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, *before twelve o'clock on Tuesday the 24th of February next*, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall take place unless the name of the Lady presenting, together with that of the Lady to be presented, shall appear on the card to be delivered, corresponding with the names sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office.

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 20th day of *January 1846*,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that the Most Noble the Duke of Buccleuch and Queensberry, Lord President of the Council; the Right Honourable the Earl of Haddington, Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal; the Right Honourable the Earl of St. Germans; the Right Honourable the Earl of Ripon; the Right Honourable Lord Granville Somerset; the Right Honourable Sir Robert Peel, Bart.; the Right Honourable Henry Goulburn; the Right Honourable Sir James Graham, Bart., and the Right Honourable William Ewart Gladstone, be, and they are hereby appointed, a Committee to superintend the application of any sums voted by Parliament for the purpose of promoting public education.

AT the Court, at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 21st day of *January 1846*,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues;" and of another Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for enabling ecclesiastical corporations, aggregate and sole, to grant leases for long terms of years," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of November one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, in the words following, that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical Duties and Revenues;" and of another Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for enabling ecclesiastical corporations, aggregate and sole, to grant leases for long terms of years," have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for determining the portion of the improved value to be made payable to us in a certain mining lease about to be granted by the Reverend Francis Cole, Clerk, Vicar of the parish of Saint Issey, in the county of Cornwall, and diocese of Exeter.

"Whereas by the said last recited Act it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for any ecclesiastical corporation, aggregate or sole (excepting as therein is excepted, which exception does not include the case of a vicar), from time to time, with the consents in that behalf thereby required, and subject to the provisions in the same Acts contained, to grant or demise by lease, for any