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TUESDAY, MAY 30, 1854.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 18, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's Palace, on Friday the 9th June next, at two o'clock.

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

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's 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 Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented at the Levee on the 9th of June next, 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 Wednesday, the 7th of June next, by twelve o'clock, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's 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 to The Queen.

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

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having petitions or addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come), to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twelve o'clock, on Wednesday the 7th of June next, and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee; one to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to The Queen; and, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

Foreign-Office, May 29, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Ewing Pye Colquhoun as Consul at Sydney, for His Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Oldenburgh.

Downing-Street, May 27, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Henry Wright, Esq., to be Chief Commissioner of the Gold Fields, and Frederick Armand Powlett, Esq., to be Chief Commissioner of Crown Lands for the colony of Victoria.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Alan Ker, Esq., to be Chief Justice for the Island of Nevis.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Thomas T. Watt, Esq., to be Landing Surveyor at the port of Hobart Town, Van Diemen's Land.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Lieutenant William P. Jamison, R.N., to be Port Captain of Table Bay, Cape of Good Hope.

Whitehall, May 27, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to place the under-mentioned Officers of the Artillery Company of London, on the Retired List, viz.:

Captain Edward Ellis,
 Captain Thomas Hall,
 Captain Joseph Moreland, and
 Captain John Richard Lambert Walmisley.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
 May 29, 1854.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing the duties to be levied on the importation of every kind of grease (that of fish excepted), at the same rates as those chargeable upon raw tallow by the Imperial Decree of 5th March, 1852.

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