

ADDRESSES.

The same regulations apply to the presentation of Addresses or Petitions.

A card containing a statement of the object of the Addresses or Petitions, with the names of the persons who are to present them, must be sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office two clear days before the Levee. Two other cards, containing similar information, are to be taken to the Levee, one to be delivered to The Queen's Page in Attendance in the Corridor, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to the Queen.

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.

DE LA WARR,
Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Council Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 14th day of *March*, 1859,

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

To the Guardians of the Poor of all Unions and Parishes; to the Churchwardens and Overseers, of all Parishes, Townships, and places in which the relief to the poor shall not be administered by Guardians, in England and Wales; and to all Medical Practitioners.

WHEREAS by the Public Health Act, 1858, it is enacted that the Privy Council may, from time to time, issue such regulations as they think fit, for securing the due qualification of persons, to be thereafter contracted with by guardians and overseers of unions and parishes in England, for the Vaccination of persons resident in such unions and parishes.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered by the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council (of whom the Right Honourable Charles Bowyer Adderley, Vice President of the Committee of the said Privy Council on Education, is one), that, from and after the 25th instant, no contract for Vaccination shall be entered into by such guardians or overseers, except with a medical practitioner who shall be legally competent to practise both medicine and surgery, in England and Wales; provided that if in any union or parish it shall not be practicable for the guardians or overseers, as the case may be, to contract with a person residing in or near to the district for which he shall be required to act, fully qualified as aforesaid, the guardians or overseers may report the circumstance to the Poor Law Board, and the said Board may permit a contract to be entered into with a medical practitioner, not fully qualified, for so long a time as the said Board shall deem proper.

C. C. Greville.

Buckingham Palace, March 14, 1859.

His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves, having conferred upon His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and upon His Royal Highness Prince Alfred, the Insignia of a Grand Cross of His Ancient, Most Noble, and Royal Military Order of the Tower and Sword, the Queen has been graciously pleased to grant to their Royal Highnesses Her permission to accept and wear the same.

Whitehall, March 15, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed, under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Edward Geoffrey, Earl of Derby; the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; Thomas Edward Taylor, Esq.; Henry Whitmore, Esq.; and Peter Blackburn, Esq., to be Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

Downing-Street, March 14, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General Robert Henry Wynyard, C. B., to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Cape of Good Hope.

Foreign-Office, March 11, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Johann Philipp Schneider as Consul at Calcutta for the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

Foreign-Office, March 15, 1859.

Notice is hereby given, that the Earl of Malmesbury has appointed John Elliott Hyndman, Esq., to be Agent, at Dublin, for the issue of Foreign Office Passports; and J. Williams, Esq., to be Agent, at Bath, for the same purpose.

Crown-Office.

March 12, 1859.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Northumberland.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Algernon George Percy, commonly called Lord Lovaine, Vice-President of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

March 15, 1859.

County of Stirling.

Peter Blackburn, Esq., one of the Commissioners for executing the office of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.