

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 Princess.

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

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

SYDNEY,
Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 7th day of June, 1866.

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

PRESENT,

The Lord President.
Lord Stanley of Alderley.
Sir George Grey, Bart.
Mr. Monsell.
Mr. Chichester Fortescue.
Mr. Bruce.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty's reign, chapter one hundred and seven, intituled "An Act to prevent until the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and to the end of the then session of Parliament, the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals," and from time to time continued by divers subsequent Acts, and lastly by an Act passed in the session of the twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and nineteen, it is (amongst other things) enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Privy Council, or any two or more of them, from time to time, to make such Orders and Regulations as to them may seem necessary for the purpose of prohibiting or regulating the removal to or from such parts or places as they may designate in such Order or Orders, of sheep, cattle, horses, swine, or other animals, or of meat, skins, hides, horns, hoofs, or other parts of any animals, or of hay, straw, fodder, or other articles likely to propagate infection, and to make any other Orders or Regulations for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of the said Act, and again to revoke, alter, or vary any such Orders or Regulations; and that all provisions for any of the purposes aforesaid in any such Order or Orders contained shall have the like force and effect as if the same had been inserted in the said Act:

And whereas the said Act has been amended and explained by an Act passed in the twenty-ninth year of Her present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and seven, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals:"

And whereas a contagious or infectious disorder, generally designated as the "Cattle Plague," has lately appeared, and now prevails, amongst cattle in England and Wales:

And whereas divers Orders have been made by the Lords of the said Council in relation to the cattle plague, which were consolidated and amended by an Order bearing date the 24th day of March last:

And whereas provisions are contained in the said Order of the Privy Council to regulate the movement of cattle on any highway, and such movement without a licence as therein described is prohibited, except for a distance not exceeding five hundred yards, from one part of the same farm to the other:

And whereas the holding of markets for the sale of cattle is prohibited by the said Order until the 1st day of June, 1866, except in the case of a market held with the licence of the Privy Council for the sale of cattle intended for immediate slaughter, which term hath, by an Order of the said Council, been extended from the said 1st day of June until the said Lords of the Council shall otherwise direct:

And whereas there is a market held in the Borough of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, for the sale of cattle, and the holding thereof has been licensed by the Lords of the said Council, by instrument bearing date the 31st day of May last, for the sale of cattle intended for immediate slaughter, so long as the said above-mentioned Orders shall remain in force, or until the revocation thereof as therein provided, subject to all the conditions, provisions, and regulations in the said first-mentioned Order contained applicable to such market:

And whereas it is provided by the said Order of the 24th of March last, that in the case of cattle brought to any market other than the Metropolitan Cattle Market, they shall in no case be taken beyond such limits as may be described in the licence of the Privy Council allowing such market, and under such conditions with respect to their movement within such limits as may be imposed by such licence:

And whereas in the said licence for the holding of the above-mentioned market, it is provided that no cattle brought into the said market shall be taken alive beyond the limits of the municipal boundaries of the borough of Wolverhampton, and it is expedient that certain other regulations should be made in this behalf:

Now, therefore, the Lords of the Council do hereby order, that notwithstanding such provision in the said licence, cattle sold in the said market may, until the thirtieth of September next, if the said licence shall so long continue in force, be moved to any slaughter-house within a distance bounded by the main high road leading from Wolverhampton to Dudley, by the railway from Dudley to Walsall, which crosses the Stour Valley Railway to the south-east of Tipton, and by the main high road leading from Walsall to Wolverhampton, to be there immediately slaughtered, under such regulations as the Local Authority of the several counties in which these places shall be situated respectively shall from