

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.

BRADFORD,  
Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
June 3, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 19th instant, at two o'clock.

It is the Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

#### REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

*By Her Majesty's Command.*

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose 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 Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

#### PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that a letter from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, stating it to be his 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 a Levee, 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 His Royal Highness.

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BRADFORD,  
Lord Chamberlain.

Foreign Office, June 6, 1867.

(General, No. 12.)

THE Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received, from Her Majesty's Consul at Königsberg, a Despatch, of which the following is a copy:—

British Consulate, Königsberg,  
June 1, 1867.

I HAVE the honour to report that, according to an official publication in the daily newspaper, the harbour dues for all vessels visiting the Port of Pillau are reduced to 4 silbergroschen per last for all ships entering, and 4 silbergroschen per last for all ships departing from Pillau with cargoes, and to 2 silbergroschen per last, in and out, for all ships in ballast, from 15th of May last; and one-half of these rates for regular traders.

Likewise the Königsberg town dues, such as stream and bulwark money, River Pregel-mouth money, and bridge money, are reduced to one-half of the former rates, from 15th of May of this year.

I have the honour to forward translations of the Decrees in question.

(Translation.)

UPON your Report of this year, of 3rd of May, I determine that the harbour dues payable at the Port of Pillau, according to the Tariff of the 18th October, 1838 (Collection of Laws, page 524), and my Decree of 10th April, 1865 (Collection of Laws, page 276), shall be, from the 15th May of this year, levied on all ships arriving or departing by sea:—

- For ships in cargo, on arrival, 4 silbergroschen;
- For ships in cargo, on departure, 4 silbergroschen;
- If in ballast or empty, on arrival, 2 silbergroschen;
- If in ballast or empty, on departure, 2 silbergroschen;

For each last burden.

In those cases wherein, according to my Decree of 13th April, 1863 (Collection of Laws, page 168), under 1 *a* and *b*, the reduction of the harbour dues to one-third of the usual Tariff amount is to take place, for the future a reduction of only one-half of the present harbour dues is to be permitted. In other matters, the now-existing regulations remain unchanged.

This Decree is to be brought to the public knowledge by means of the Collection of Laws.

(Signed) WILHELM.

FREIHERR VON DER HEYDT, GRAF V. ITZENPLTZ.

Berlin, 13th May, 1867.

To the Minister of Finance and the  
Minister of Commerce, Trade,  
and Public Works.

(Translation.)

UPON your Report of 13th of May of this year, I determine what follows:—

1. The Pregel-mouth money payable to the town of Königsberg according to the Tariff of 10th April, 1865 (Collection of Laws, page 267), is no longer to be levied after the 15th May of this year.
2. The stream and bulwark money, which was payable according to the same Tariff, under No. 2, and the bridge-money, payable under No. 3 of the same Tariff, are to be reduced from the 15th of May of this year to one-half of the present legal rate. In other matters the Regulations of the