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TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1874.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 26, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 30th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
May 15, 1874.*

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 Monday, the 1st of June next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the 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 regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of 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 the 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.

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

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

War Office, May 16, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel James Macnaghten Hogg, Chairman of the Metropolitan Board of Works, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, May 4, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry John Loftus, Esq., now Attaché to Her Majesty's Embassy at St. Petersburg, to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Whitehall, May 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Adam, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Perth, in the room of John Tait, Esq., resigned.

Crown Office, May 18, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Stroud.

John Edward Dorington the younger, of Lypiatt Park, Stroud, Esq., and Alfred John Stanton, of The Thrupp, Stroud, Esq., the former election for the said Borough having been determined to be void.