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 Levees, 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 Queen.

#### Addresses.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having Petitions or Addresses to present to The Queen at Her Majesty's Levee, 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 two clear days previous to the Levee: 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 of the two cards to be delivered to the Page in the Corridor, 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.

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

HERTFORD. Lord Chamberlain.

### Windsor Castle, March 3, 1875.

This day had audience of Her Majesty:

Wooyeno Kagenori, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Emperor of

To which audience he was introduced by the Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

#### Colonial Office, Downing Street, March 5, 1875.

. The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Order :-

Charles Du Cane, Esq., late Governor of the Colony of Tasmania.

George Macleay, Esq., C.M.G., formerly a Member of the Legislature of the Colony of New South Wales.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order :-

Walter Lawry Buller, Esq., of the Colony of New Zealand, Author of the Work entitled "The Birds of New Zealand."

Augustus Charles Gregory, Esq., Surveyor-General of the Colony of Queensland. Major Peter Egerton Warburton, of the Colony

of South Australia.

Foreign Office, February 27, 1875.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Arthur White, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Dantzig, to be Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Servia.

### India Office, March 2, 1875.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to command that Richard Garth, Esq., Q.C., shall be appointed Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Calcutta, vice Sir Richard Couch, who has resigned.

### Education Department, Whitehall, March 4, 1875.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes :-

Ford ... Durham Lepton ... York ••• St. Stephens by Launceston Cornwall and in the following United Districts:-Exmouth (comprising the parishes of Littleham and Withycombe Rawleigh) ... Spaldington (comprising the pa-... Devon rishes of Gribthorpe, Spaldington, and Willitoft) ... York

## Education Department, Whitchall, March 4, 1875.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the compulsory formation of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes:-

... Devon Devon Abbots Kerswell ... Bampton ... Bearley ... ... Warwick ••• Harston ... ... Cambridge ••• Hett ... Durham ... Keighley ... ... York Llangattock-nigh-Usk ... Monmouth Loughborough ... Leicester ... York Mexborough ••• ... Hertford Pirton St. Thomas in Pensford ... Somerset Sampford Arundell ... Somerset. Somerby ... ... Leicester South Milford ... York ••• Stoke Prior ... Hereford •••

and in the following United Districts:-Denbury (comprising the parishes of Denbury and Torbrian) ... Devon

Great Leighs (comprising the parishes of Great Leighs and

Little Leighs) ... ... Essex \*\*\* ' St. Giles on the Heath (comprising the parishes of St. Giles on the

Heath and Virginstow) ... Devon

The School District of Spelsbury (Oxford) has been made Contributory to the School Board District of Enstone.

# Admiralty, 3rd March, 1875.

Acting Lieutenant Percy Hockin to be Lieutenant, with seniority from the 23rd September, 1873, having passed the necessary examinations at the Royal Naval College.