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Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 17, 1876.

OTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 27th of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, April 6, 1876.

OTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 28th instant, 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 DUKE OF EDINBURGH, 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 Maiesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations

shall be made at the Lovee, 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.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 11, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on Monday and Tuesday, the 17th and 18th instant.

St. James's Palace, April 1, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Earl of Shrewsbury and Talbot, to appoint Captain Reynold Alleyne Clement, late 68th Regiment, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Gustavus Hume, promoted.

Westminster, April 7, 1876.

THIS day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to amend the law relating to certain appointments to the Council of India.

An Act to amend the law relating to the stamping of policies of sea insurance.

An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the Army and their quarters.