

*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.

*Foreign Office, March 27, 1877.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Elijah Blunt, Esq., Her Majesty's Consul at Salonica, to be also Her Majesty's Consul at Adrianople.

*Foreign Office, March 29, 1877.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Commander William Berjew Pauli, now Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Porto Rico, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Cadiz and the Ports and Places in the Province of Andalusia.

*Foreign Office, April 6, 1877.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Toll Bidwell, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul in the Canary Islands, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Porto Rico.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Charles Saunders Dundas, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Santos, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Canary Islands, to reside at Teneriffe.

*Foreign Office, April 19, 1877.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Francis Brown as Consul-General at Calcutta for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Maurice Erdmann as Consul in London, and Mr. Aladin Legendre as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for the Republic of Haiti.

*St. James's Palace, April 19, 1877.*

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Earl of Shrewsbury and Talbot, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Cooch, Unattached, late 62nd Regiment, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen at-Arms, vice Major C. J. Lindam, resigned. Dated 14th March, 1877.

*Admiralty, 17th April, 1877.*

Navigating Lieutenant Jesse Dixon has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 30th March last.

*Admiralty, 18th April, 1877.*

The following promotions have been made this day :—

Commanders :

Edmund Hope Verney,  
Henry Hand,  
to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Walton Drake has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Admiralty, 19th April, 1877.*

Engineer John Charles Weeks has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 6th April, 1877.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 21st July, 1876, the undermentioned Officers have been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain from the 16th instant :—

Retired Commanders :

Charles Gibbons.  
James Wood Armstrong.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Ralph William Jones has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

The undermentioned Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th instant :—

Donald MacIver, M.D.  
Alfred William Whitley.  
John Thomson Comerford, M.D.  
Robert Hay, M.D.  
Matthew Trevan.  
Alexander McDonald, M.D.  
Alexander Goodall, M.D.  
Thomas D'Arcy Bromlow, M.D.  
James Dear Smith, M.D.  
Peter Burgess, M.B.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
20th April, 1877.*

*3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Sub-Lieutenant Lindesay Cole Parker to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1876.

*1st Dragoons*, Lieutenant Horace Hilton Perkin, from the 20th Hussars, to be Captain, vice R. M. S. Maunsell, retired. Dated 21st April, 1877.

*3rd Hussars*, Lieutenant James Selby Robson Scott, from the Northumberland Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. F. Berkeley, promoted. Dated 21st April, 1877.

*10th Hussars*, Captain William Chaine, from half-pay, late 10th Hussars, to be Captain, vice A. Hunt, retired on half-pay. Dated 21st April, 1877.

*17th Lancers*, Lieutenant the Honourable John Pleydell-Bouverie to be Captain, vice F. W. Blumberg, retired. Dated 28th March, 1877.

*20th Hussars*, Major A. W. J. Montgomerie remains Supernumerary whilst serving as a Professor at the Royal Military College. Dated 1st April, 1877.