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INVESTITURE OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SAXONY WITH THE ENSIGNS AND HABIT OF THE MOST NOBLE ORDER OF THE GARTER.

Dresden, February 10, 1882.

THE QUEEN, Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Gaster, having been pleased by a Commission under Her Majesty's Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, to constitute and appoint The Right Honourable Alexander William George, Earl of Fife, Viscount Macduff, Baron Braco and Skene, Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, one of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Elgin, and Sir Albert William Woods, Knight, Garter Principal King of Arms, to be Her Majesty's Plenipotentiaries for investing His Majesty Albert, King of Saxony, with the Ensigns and Habit of that Most Noble Order, they proceeded to this City, and arrived with their respective Suites on the 4th instant at midnight.

On Monday, the 6th instant, the Earl of Fife was honoured with an audience of His Majesty at the Royal Palace, at which Garter and the members of the respective Suites were severally presented. Subsequently the Earl of Fife was honoured with an audience of Her Majesty the Queen. The King afterwards gave a dinner, at which the Plenipotentiaries and their respective Suites were present:

The requisite arrangements for the Investiture having been made, His Majesty was pleased to appoint Tuesday, the 7th instant, for the ceremony.

At one o'clock in the afternoon of that day the several persons appointed to take part in the Investiture assembled at the residence of the Earl of Fife, and, on the arrival of Herr von Miltitz, Master of the Ceremonies to the King of Saxony, they proceeded to the Royal Palace in the following order:—

- A Royal Carriage conveying two of the Gentlemen appointed to carry the Insignia.
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Two Grooms of the Royal Household, in State Liveries, on horse-back.

A Royal State Carriage conveying Her Majesty's Plenipotentiaries accompanied by Herr von Militiz.