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FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1885.

A. T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Sir Henry James, Knight, was, by
Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her
Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and
took his place at the Board accordingly.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill,
Esquire, commonly called Lord Randolph
Henry Spencer Churchill; the Honourable
Edward Stanhope: the Right Honourable Edward
Gibson; Sir Henry Selwin-Ibbetson, Baronet;
Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, G.C.M.G., K:C.B.;
Sir Hardinge Stanley Giffard, Knight; Henry
Chaplin, Esquire; and Arthur James Balfour,
Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn
of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council,
and took their places at the Board accordingly.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Right Honourable Gathorne, Viscount Cranbrook, Lord President of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Lordship having taken the oaths of office, took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

ER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to deliver the Great Seal to the Right Honourable Sir Hardinge Stanley Giffard, whereupon the oath of Lord Chancellor of Great Britain was, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day the Right Honourable Sir Stafford
Henry Northcote, Baronet, took the oaths
of First Lord of Her Majesty's Treasury.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THE Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart, Earl of Harrowby, the oaths of the Keeper of the Privy Seal were this day administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

The Rajesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Richard Assheton Cross, G.C.B.; the Most Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot, Marquess of Salisbury, K.G.; the Right Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley; the Right Honourable William Henry Smith; and the Right Honourable Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill, commonly called Lord Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill, five Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of June, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

ER Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Seals of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster to the Right Honourable Henry Chaplin, the oath of allegiance and the oath of office were accordingly this day taken by him.