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 half-LATHOM,

past one o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. Jumes's Palace, April 16, 1889.

OTICE is hereby given, that the State
Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the Public on Easter Monday only.

#### Whitehall, April 15, 1889.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Thomas Henry James, Esq., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Rising Sun of the Fourth Class, which His Majesty the Emperor of Japan has been pleased to confer upon him, in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's dominions in the Japanese Naval Service.

### Whitehall, April 15, 1889.

· THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Frederick William Hammond, Esq., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Rising Sun of the Sixth Class, which His Majesty the Emperor of Japan has been pleased to confer upon him, in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's dominions in the Japanese Naval Service.

#### Duchy of Lancaster, April 6, 1889.

THE Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Clement Molyneux Royds, Esq., of Greenhill, Rochdale, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

> ·(H. 3189.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 15, 1889.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the tollowing copy of a Telegram, dated 13th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon :-"Ports of Porto Rico declared to be infected with yellow fever from March 1st."

# Admiralty, 15th April, 1889.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881— Fleet Surgeon Astley Cooper has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets. Dated 12th April, 1889.

## : War Office, Pall Mall, 16th April, 1889.

2nd Life Guards, Second Lieutenant Edward James M. Lumb, Lieutenant in the Army, to be Lieutenant, vice H. Short, retired. Dated 3rd April, 1889.

1st Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Francis E. Younghusband to be Captain, vice R. H. Hardy, seconded. Dated 18th February, 1889. Lieutenant Alfred H. M. Edwards, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 18th February, 1889.

4th Dragoon Guards, Supernumerary Captain John Orr-Ewing to be Captain, vice C. S. D. O. Oldham, retired. Dated 3rd April, 1889.

Lieutenant William Ernest Parkinson resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1889.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Alexander Price Haig resigns his Commission. Dated 17th April, 1889.

7th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Walter Dickens Daunt has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th January, 1889.

10th Hussars, Second Lieutenant Charles Henry, Lord Southampton, to be Lieutenant, vice C. T. McM. Kavanagh, seconded. Dated 7th March,

16th Lancers, Riding-Master and Honorary Lieutenant T. A. Tooth, from the 20th Hussars, to be Riding-Master, vice Honorary Captain R. H. Boyle, retired. Dated 17th April, 1889.

Royal Engineers, The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels :-

Alured de Vere Brooke, vice Colonel N. G. Sturt, retired. Dated 19th March, 1889. Jeremy Taylor Marsh, vice G. Harris, deceased.

Dated 1st April, 1889.

Robert John Henry Parker, vice Colonel Sir C. Warren, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., appointed a Colonel on the Staff. Dated 4th April, 1889.

Major William Brunel Hurst retires upon retired pay. Dated 17th April, 1889.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:--Brevet Major Charles Boyd Wilkieson, vice A. de V. Brooke. Dated 19th March, 1889.

Gother Fyers Mann, vice J. T. Marsh. Dated 1st April, 1889.

To complete establishment. Dated 1st April, 1889 :-

James Tayler Johnston. Edward Dickinson.

William Frederick Noel Noel.

Brevet Major Charles Augustus Rochfort-Boyd.

Henry Lethbridge Jessep. Francis Burton Grant D'Aguilar.

Captain Philip Cardew to be Major, vice R. J. H. Parker. Dated 4th April, 1889.

Captain William Charles Godsal retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 17th April, 1889.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Cap-

Charles Douglas Learoyd, vice Brevet Major C. B. Wilkieson. Dated 19th March, 1889.

Stephen Leslie Norris, vice G. F. Mann. Dated 1st April, 1889.

Herbert Mullaly, vice J. T. Johnston. Dated 1st April, 1889.

William Henry Hinde, vice E. Dickinson. Dated 1st April, 1889.

Dudley Acland Mills, vice W. F. N. Noel. Dated 1st April, 1889.

Arthur George Drummond, vice Brevet Major C. A. Rochfort-Boyd. Dated 1st April, 1889. John Winn, vice H. L. Jessep. Dated 1st April,

Sidney Gerald Burrard, vice F. B. D'Aguilar. Dated 1st April, 1889.