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FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1890.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Wednesday, the 21st of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
May 9, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Friday, the 16th of May instant, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS
TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Rooms are requested to bring with them to the Drawing Room two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

The privilege of making presentations to The Queen at a Drawing Room is restricted to those Ladies who have themselves been previously presented to Her Majesty, and who are themselves present at the Drawing Room.

Under such circumstances a Lady has the privilege of presenting one Lady only at a Drawing Room in addition to her Daughters or Daughters-in-law.

This restriction does not apply to Ladies who, from official position or other circumstances, are specially privileged to make presentations to Her Majesty.

The Lady who proposes to present another must send in writing the name of such Lady to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Drawing Room, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the name to Her Majesty, when, if it be approved, presentation cards will be forwarded.

Printed Forms for this purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Lady to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the presentation cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Drawing Room, in

order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at a Drawing Room, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

LATHOM,

Lord Chamberlain.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 1st day of *May*, 1890.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS in pursuance of "The Bishops Resignation Act 1869" a representation has been made to Her Majesty by the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Edward White by Divine Providence Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Primate of All England and Metropolitan at the instance of the Right Reverend James Colquhoun by Divine Permission Lord Bishop of Bangor, and as such a Bishop of a diocese within and of the Province of Canterbury, that the said Bishop is desirous of resigning his Bishopric by reason that he is incapacitated by age from the due performance of his duties as Bishop.

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied of such incapacity and that the said Bishop has canonically resigned.

Now therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to declare as it is hereby declared that the said Bishopric of Bangor is vacant, and Her Majesty by and with the like advice is pleased to direct as it is hereby directed that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Bangor.

C. L. Peel,

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 1st day of *May*, 1890.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by Orders in Council made by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty on the twelfth February one thousand eight hundred