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TUESDAY, MAY 23, 1893.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, April 24, 1893.

OTICE is hereby given, that The Queen's Birthday will be Celebrated, in London alone, on Saturday the 3rd of June next, and at all other Stations, Naval and Military, on Wednesday the 24th of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, April 25, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 29th of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at these Levees shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

N.B.—The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars on the 29th May, it being a Collar Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command,

Gentlemen who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in attendance in the Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Gentlemen who propose to present others must send in writing the name of such Gentlemen to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than two days previous to the Levee, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the names to Her Majesty, when, if they are approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded. Forms for the purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

Gentlemen who wish to be presented officially should communicate with the heads of their Department, who will provide them with the necessary cards and instructions.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Gentlemen to be presented be very distinctly written on the Presentation Cards delivered to

the Lord Chamberlain at the Levee, 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-past one o'clock. CARRINGTON,

Lord Chamberlain.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 16th day of May, 1893.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Marquess of Ripon.

Mr. Secretary Asquith.

WHEREAS by the first section of "The Colonial Probates Act, 1892," it is enacted as follows:—

"Her Majesty the Queen may, on being satisfied that the legislature of any British possession has made adequate provision for the recognition in that possession of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom, direct by Order in Council that this Act shall, subject to any exceptions and modifications specified in the Order, apply to that possession, and thereupon, while the Order is in force, this Act shall apply accordingly."

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Legislatures of the British Possessions hereinafter mentioned have made adequate provision for the recognition in those Possessions of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

"The Colonial Probates Act, 1892," shall apply to the British Possessions hereunder mentioned:—

British Guiana. Gold Coast Colony. South Australia. Straits Settlements.

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Ripon Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.