

MEN OF THE DAY. No. 207.

THE HONOURABLE AND REVEREND FRANCIS EDMUND
CECIL BYNG, M.A.

A LONG time ago Mr. Byng was fond of horse-racing and an admirer of the ladies. But he is now nearly forty-five, the Vicar of St. Peter's, South Kensington, Chaplain in Ordinary to the Queen, and Chaplain to the Speaker of the House of Commons, in which capacity it is his duty to prepare the House by prayers for the business of the State. His opinions are of a lower Church than some think they might be, but he is an amiable man, full of piety and knowledge of the world, and he looks beautiful in his priestly dress.