

He desires me to say that he is fully satisfied with the zeal and indefatigable energy of this detachment of Her Majesty's fleet under the able direction of Lieutenant Glyn, whom he considers a very promising officer, and entirely worthy of the confidence of your Lordship.

His Highness desires me to add, that it would be very gratifying to him if Her Majesty could in some way reward these officers for the able services they have rendered to the Ottoman army and the common cause.

I am, &c.,  
(Signed) J. L. A. SIMMONS,  
Lieutenant-Colonel.

Field-Marshal Lord Raglan, G.C.B.,  
&c. &c. &c.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA R.

WHEREAS Information has been received that certain acts of a highly treasonable nature have been, or are about to be, done or attempted by certain British Subjects adhering to the Queen's Enemies, either within Her Majesty's Dominions, or in parts beyond the Seas; such as building, or aiding and assisting in building, or equipping, Ships of War, providing Stores, or Tackling, Arms, and Ammunition, for such Ships, or manufacturing, or fitting, or aiding, or assisting in manufacturing or fitting, Steam Machinery, either for such Ships or for other warlike purposes; or by entering into contracts, engagements, or agreements for some of the aforesaid purposes, or otherwise adhering to, aiding, assisting, or abetting, the Queen's Enemies in parts beyond Seas, in levying or carrying on War against Her Majesty: Now Her Majesty, by this Her Royal Proclamation, doth warn all such persons engaging in any such treasonable designs or attempts as aforesaid, or otherwise adhering to, assisting, aiding, or abetting, the Queen's Enemies, that they will be liable to be apprehended and dealt with as Traitors, and will be proceeded against with the utmost rigour of the Law.

Given at our Court, at Windsor, this eighth day of February, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and in the eighteenth year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 8th day of February, 1855,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Right Honourable Granville George, Earl Granville, Lord President of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

This day the Right Honourable Henry FitzRoy was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Fox, Lord Panmure, and the Right Honourable Sidney Herbert, to be two of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn two of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 8th day of February, 1855,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council for the year 1855.

<i>Bedfordshire,</i>	John Shaw Leigh, of Luton Hoo, Esq.
<i>Berkshire,</i>	Henry Elwes, of Marcham Park, near Abingdon, Esq.
<i>Buckinghamshire,</i>	Philip Duncombe Pauncefort Duncombe, of Great Brickhill, Esq.
<i>Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshires,</i>	Sir Williamson Booth, of Gamlingay, Bart.
<i>Cumberland,</i>	Thomas Story Spedding, of Mirehouse, Esq.
<i>Cheshire,</i>	John Chapman, of Hill-End, Mottram, in Longdendale, Esq.
<i>Derbyshire,</i>	Peter Arkwright, of Willersley Castle, Esq.
<i>Devonshire,</i>	Thomas Daniel, of Stoodleigh, Esq.
<i>Dorsetshire,</i>	Robert Williams, of Bridehead, Esq.
<i>Durham,</i>	Robert Surtees, of Redworth-House, Esq.
<i>Essex,</i>	John Watlington Perry Watlington, of Moor-Hall, Esq.
<i>Gloucestershire,</i>	Corbett Holland Corbett, of Admington-Hall, near Stratford-upon-Avon, Esq.
<i>Herefordshire,</i>	Richard Francis Wegg Prosser, of Belmont, near Hereford, Esq.
<i>Hertfordshire,</i>	Nathaniel Hibbert, of Munden, Watford, Esq.
<i>Kent,</i>	Sir Walter Charles James, of Betschanger, near Sandwich, Bart.
<i>Leicestershire,</i>	William Ward Tailby, of Humberstone, Esq.
<i>Lincolnshire,</i>	George Skipworth, of Moor-town-House, Esq.
<i>Monmouthshire,</i>	John Russell, of the Wye-lands, Chepstow, Esq.
<i>Norfolk,</i>	Brampton Gurdon, of Letton, Esq.
<i>Northamptonshire,</i>	Frederick Urban Sartoris, of Rusden-Hall, Esq.
<i>Northumberland,</i>	Rowland Errington, of Sandhoe, Esq.
<i>Nottinghamshire,</i>	Henry Bridgeman Simpson, of Babworth, Esq.
<i>Oxfordshire,</i>	Benjamin John Whippy, of Lee-Place, Charlbury, Esq.
<i>Rutlandshire,</i>	Arthur Heathcote, of Pilton, Esq.
<i>Shropshire,</i>	Willoughby Hurt Sitwell, of Bucknell, Esq.
<i>Somersetshire,</i>	George Barons Northcote, of Somerset-Court, Esq.
<i>Staffordshire,</i>	Samuel Pole Shawe, of Maple Hayes, Esq.