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By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

EDWARD, R.

**W**E, considering that it is desirable that Saturday, the second day of February next, should be observed as mentioned in the fourth section of the Statute passed in the thirty-fourth year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter seventeen, and as a day of General Mourning throughout the United Kingdom, Do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, and in pursuance of the provisions of the Act aforesaid, appoint Saturday, the second day of February next, as a special day to be observed in manner provided by the said section, and as a day on which business shall be suspended in terms of the said section. And We do hereby appoint and direct that the said Saturday, the second day of February next, shall be observed as a day of General Mourning throughout the United Kingdom, and every part thereof. And We do by this Our Royal Proclamation command the said day to be so observed, and all Our loving subjects to order themselves accordingly.

Given at Our Court at Saint James', this thirtieth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

EARL MARSHAL'S OFFICE, January 28, 1901.

In pursuance of the Order for a General Mourning for Her late Majesty Queen Victoria,

of Blessed Memory, which was announced in a Supplement of the [London] Gazette of the 24th instant,

These are to give notice that, after the 6th day of March next, it will not be desired or expected that the Public should appear in deep Mourning, but that Half Mourning should be worn until the 17th day of April next.

NORFOLK, Earl Marshal.

## ARMY ORDER.

SPECIAL.

WAR OFFICE, January 25, 1901.

The following Order is promulgated to the Army, with the approval of the Secretary of State for War:—

**ORDERS for Mourning for the Army of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, to be worn until 24th July 1901.**

His Majesty the King commands that Officers of the Army shall wear Mourning with their uniforms on the present melancholy occasion, as follows:—

Officers are to wear black crape on the left arm of the uniform and of the greatcoat.

The drums are to be covered with black, and black crape is to be hung from the top of the Colour Staff of Infantry, and from the Standard Staff and Trumpets of Cavalry, until after the funeral of Her late Majesty.

ROBERTS, F.-M., Commander-in-Chief.