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SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1818.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 11, 1818.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at the Queen's-Palace, on Thursday the 23d instant, at two o'clock, to celebrate His Royal Highness the Prince Regent's birth-day.

AT the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 6th of April 1818,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, cap. 57, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to suspend training, and to regulate the quotas of the militia," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by any Order or Orders in Council, to suspend the calling out of the militia of the United Kingdom, or any part of the United Kingdom, or of any county, riding, shire, stewartry, city, town, or place, for the purpose of being trained and exercised in any year, and to order and direct that no training or exercising of the militia of the United Kingdom, or of any county or counties, riding or ridings, shire or shires, stewartry or stewartries, city or cities, town or towns, or place or places, specified in any such Order or Orders in Council, shall take place in any year, any thing contained in any Act or Acts of Parliament relating to the militia, to the contrary notwithstanding: And whereas it is deemed expedient that such training and exercising should be dispensed with in the present year; it is ordered by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, that the calling out of the militia of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain, for the purpose of being trained and exercised in the present year, be suspended, and that no training or exercising of the said militia do take place in the present year.

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Carlton-House, April 17, 1818.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the City of London, waited upon His Royal Highness the Prince Regent with the following Address; which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble and loyal Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Royal Highness to offer our sincere congratulations on the auspicious event of the recent nuptials of your Royal Sister the Princess Elizabeth, with His Serene Highness the Hereditary Prince of Hesse Hombourg.

We confidently trust, that this alliance will be productive of permanent happiness to the illustrious individuals themselves, to every branch of, your august Family, and to the Nation.

We indulge ourselves in the pleasing hope, that those amiable qualities, which have uniformly called forth our admiration and adorned the high birth of the royal bride, will secure to her every felicity in this illustrious alliance.

Permit us to repeat our unalterable sentiments of firm and loyal attachment to His Majesty's Crown and Government, and to assure your Royal Highness of our anxious desire to contribute, to the utmost of our power, in whatever may promote the welfare and happiness of the United Kingdom.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer: