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Whitehall, March 5, 1821.

YESTERDAY morning, soon after one o'clock, died, at the age of twelve weeks, Her Highness Elizabeth, only daughter of His Royal Highness the Duke of Clarence, to the great grief of His Majesty and of all the Royal Family.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, February 26, 1821.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at Buckingham-Palace, on Thursday the 22d of March next, at two o'clock.

Whitehall, February 24, 1821.

THE King has been pleased to command that, in the present and in all future years, His Majesty's Birth-day shall be, in all respects, observed and kept on the 23d day of April; excepting when that day shall fall on Sunday, in which case the same is to be observed and kept on the following day.

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His late Majesty King George the Third, was pleased by His Royal Proclamations, bearing date the first day of July and the tenth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, to ordain, declare, and command, that certain pieces of gold coin therein described, called sovereigns and half sovereigns, should pass and be received as current

and lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and that every such sovereign should weigh not less than five penny weights, two grains and three quarters, and that every such half sovereign should weigh not less than two penny weights, thirteen grains and one quarter; and whereas the allowance made for reasonable wear by the said Proclamations has been found by experience to be too small for general practice: We taking the same into consideration are pleased, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation, and We do hereby ordain, declare, and command, that, from and after the date hereof, every gold sovereign not weighing less than five penny weights, two grains and a half, and every gold half sovereign not weighing less than two penny weights, thirteen grains and one eighth, shall pass and be received as current and lawful money of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland; every such sovereign as of the value of twenty shillings; and every such half sovereign as of the value of ten shillings, in all payments whatsoever.

Given at Our Court at Carlton-House, the sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and twenty one, and in the second year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

3d March 1821.

NOTICE, MONEY WEIGHTS.

WHEREAS by an Act of the fourteenth Geo. III. cap. 92, it is directed that all weights made use of for weighing the gold and silver coins of the realm shall be tried and compared with the standard weights lodged in His Majesty's Mint, and that upon the same being found just and true a stamp shall be marked thereon by an officer appointed for that purpose: And whereas by a Proclamation, bearing date sixth of February one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, His Majesty has been pleased to order that the gold coins