

give notice of and publish Our resolution therein; and We do hereby strictly charge and command all Our loving subjects whom it may concern, that all persons of what rank or quality soever they be, who either upon Our letters to them directed, or by reason of their offices and tenures, or otherwise, are to do any service at the time of Our Coronation, do duly give their attendance at the said Solemnity on Thursday the nineteenth day of July next, in all respects furnished and appointed as to so great a Solemnity appertaineth, and answerable to the dignities and places which every one of them respectively holdeth and enjoyeth; and of this they or any of them are not to fail, as they will answer the contrary at their perils, unless upon special reasons, by Ourselves under Our sign manual to be allowed, We shall dispense with any of their services or attendances.

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

GOD save the KING.

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS John Earl of Stair was duly elected and returned to be one of the sixteen Peers of Scotland, to sit in the House of Peers in the present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and is since deceased; in order to the electing another Peer of Scotland to sit in his room, We do, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, issue forth this Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood-House, in Edinburgh, on Thursday the second day of August next, between the hours of twelve and two in the afternoon, to nominate and choose another Peer of Scotland, to sit and vote in the House of Peers of this present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the room of the said John Earl of Stair, deceased; by open election and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall then be present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent (such proxies being Peers, and producing a mandate in writing, duly signed before witnesses, and both constituent and proxy being qualified according to law), and the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made and duly examined, to certify the name of the Peer so elected, and sign and attest the same in the presence of the said Peers the electors, and return such certificate into the High Court of

Chancery of Great Britain. And We strictly charge and command that this Proclamation be duly published at the Market-Cross at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns in Scotland, twenty-five days, at least, before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed on such election.

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

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A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS We have thought fit to order that certain pieces of gold money should be coined, which should be called " sovereigns or twenty shilling pieces," each of which should be of the value of twenty shillings, and that each piece should be of the weight of five penny weights three grains and $\frac{2,740}{10,000}$ troy weight of standard gold, and that certain other pieces of gold money should be coined, which should be called " half sovereigns or ten shilling pieces," each of which should be of the value of ten shillings, and that each piece last mentioned should be of the weight of two penny weights thirteen grains $\frac{6,870}{10,000}$ troy weight of standard gold, according to the weights approved of and confirmed by Us in Council, in pursuance of an Act, made in the fourteenth year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act for regulating and ascertaining the weights to be made use of in weighing the gold and silver coin of this kingdom :" and We have further thought fit to order that every such gold sovereign or twenty shilling piece so ordered to be coined as aforesaid, shall have for the obverse impression Our effigy, with the inscription " Georgius III, D. G. Britanniar: Rex : F. D." and for the reverse the image of Saint George armed, sitting on horseback, attacking the Dragon with a sword, having broken his spear in the encounter, and the date of the year, the edge of the piece to be marked with the new invented graining used on the coins of His late Majesty ; and that every such gold half sovereign or ten shilling piece so ordered to be coined as aforesaid, shall have for the obverse impression Our effigy, with the inscription " Georgius III, D. G. Britanniar : Rex : F. D." and for the reverse the ensigns armorial of the United Kingdom, contained in a shield surrounded by the Rose, Thistle, and Shamrock, and having the word " Anno " with the date of the year, and on the edge of the piece the new invented graining used on the coins of His late Majesty : And whereas pieces of gold money of the above descriptions respectively have been coined