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SATURDAY, MAY 15, 1824.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 15, 1824.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the King will hold a Drawing-Room at St. James's-Palace, on Thursday next the 20th instant, at two o'clock, to celebrate His Majesty's Birth-day.

N. B. The Knights of the several Orders will wear their Collars.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 8, 1824.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE COURT OF ST. JAMES'S.

THE Ladies who propose to attend the Drawing-Room, to be held on Thursday the 20th instant, are requested to bring with them two cards with their names thereon written, one to be left with the King's Page in Attendance in the Presence Chamber, and the other to be delivered to the Lord in Waiting, who will announce the name to His Majesty; and those Ladies who are to be presented, are hereby informed it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Lady who is to present them, should be sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, on Wednesday the 19th of May, before twelve o'clock, in order that they may be submitted for the King's approbation, it being His Majesty's command, that no presentations at the Drawing-Room shall hereafter be made by the Lord in Waiting, but by the Lady whose name, with that of the Lady to be presented, shall appear on the card, to be delivered as before directed, corresponding with the names sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's-Office.

No Lady can be received by His Majesty at the Drawing-Room, but in conformity to the above regulations.

The State Apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until one o'clock.

AT the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 10th of March 1824.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fourth year of His present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to authorise His Majesty, under certain circumstances, to regulate the duties and drawbacks on goods imported or exported in foreign vessels, and to exempt certain foreign vessels from pilotage," His Majesty is authorised, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, or by any Order or Orders in Council, in all cases in which British vessels, of less burthen than sixty tons, are not required by law to take pilots, to exempt foreign vessels, being of less burthen than sixty tons, from taking on board a pilot to conduct them into or from any of the ports of the United Kingdom, any law, custom, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding; His Majesty, by virtue of the power vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the date of this Order, all vessels belonging to the subjects of His Majesty the King of Denmark, and being of less burthen than sixty tons, which shall enter in or clear out from any of the ports of the United Kingdom, shall be, and they are hereby exempted from taking on board a pilot to conduct them into or from any such port, in all cases where British vessels, being of less burthen than sixty tons, are not required by law to take pilots, any law, custom, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Jas. Buller,