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FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1827.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 30th day of *June* 1827,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fifty-sixth year of His late Majesty's reign, cap. 38, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to suspend the ballot or enrolment for the local militia," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by any Order in Council, to direct that no ballot or enrolment for the local militia shall take place, but that such ballot and enrolment shall remain and continue suspended for the period specified in any such Order in Council, and from time to time by any like Order or Orders in Council, to continue such suspension so long as His Majesty shall deem the same expedient, any thing in any Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary notwithstanding; and whereas by an Order in Council, made the twelfth day of July one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, it was ordered by His Majesty in Council, that no ballot or enrolment for the local militia should take place for the space of one year from the sixteenth of July one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, but that the ballot should remain and continue suspended for the space of one year from the said sixteenth of July; and whereas it is deemed expedient to continue such suspension of the ballot and enrolment for the local militia for the space of one year from and after the sixteenth day of July in this year; it is, therefore, ordered by His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, that no ballot or enrolment for the local militia do take place for the space of one year from and after the sixteenth day of July in this year, but that the ballot or enrolment for the local militia do remain and continue suspended for the space of one year from and after the sixteenth day of July next.

Jas. Buller.

At the Court at *St. James's*, the 30th day of *June* 1827,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from His Royal Highness the Lord High Admiral, dated the fourth of June instant, in the words following, viz.

WHEREAS by various Orders in Council, dated the seventeenth September one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, thirty-first January one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, nineteenth January one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, twenty-third June one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, and second February one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, your Majesty was graciously pleased to declare and direct in what manner and proportions the rewards which, under the several Acts of Parliament at those respective periods in force, were payable to the officers, petty officers, and seamen of your Majesty's Navy, and to the officers, non-commissioned officers, and privates of the Royal Marines, for the apprehension of persons offending against the laws for the prevention of smuggling, and also the rewards of seizures made under the same laws, should be divided and distributed; and whereas the said Acts of Parliament having since been repealed, the Orders in Council before mentioned have become inoperative: and whereas by an Act, passed in the sixth year of your Majesty's reign, cap. 108, intituled "An Act for the prevention of smuggling," certain other rewards are established and directed to be paid and allowed to any officer or other person detaining any person liable to detention, under that or any other Act relating to your Majesty's Revenue of Customs, and in respect of the produce of seizures made under such Acts, which rewards respectively are thereby directed to be paid, divided, and distributed (so far as respects your Majesty's Navy and Royal Marines) to and amongst the officers, petty officers, and seamen of your Majesty's Navy, and the officers, non-commissioned officers, and privates of Royal Marines acting under the orders of the Lord High Admiral, or any Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral, in such proportions, and according to such rules, regulations, and orders as your Majesty shall, by your Order or Orders in Council, or by your Royal Proclamation in that behalf, be pleased to direct and appoint; I beg leave, therefore,