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Office of the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, St. James's, November 25, 1830.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Queen has appointed Thursday the 24th of February 1831, for the celebration of Her Majesty's Birth-day, when a Drawing-Room will be held at St. James's-Palace.

The Queen will not require that any Lady who has already been presented, should be presented a second time.

It is expected that all Ladies attending the Drawing-Room will appear in dresses of British manufacture.

T the Court at Brighton, the 27th day of December 1830,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

W HEREAS by an Act, passed in the eleventh year of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to suspend, until the "end of the next session of Parliament, the making "of lists and the ballots and enrolments of the "militia of the United Kingdom," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by any Order in Council, to direct that any proceedings shall be had at any time before the expiration of such period as aforesaid, either for the giving of notices and

making returns and preparing lists, and also for the proceeding to ballot and enrol men for the filling up vacancies in the militia of the United Kingdom, or any part thereof, as His Majesty shall deem expedient; and upon the issuing of any such Order, all such proceedings shall be had for carrying into execution all the provisions of the Acts in force in England, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, relating to the giving notices for, and return of, lists, and for the ballotting and enrolling of men to supply any vacaneies in the militia, and holding general and sub-division meetings for such purpose, at such time respectively as shall be expressed in any such Order in Council, or by any directions given in pursuance thereof to the Lord Lieutenants, or Deputy-Lieutenants acting for Lord Lieutenants, of the several counties, shires, ridings, cities, and places, in Great Britain, or to the Governors and Deputy-Governors of counties and places in Ireland, or to the Warden and Special Deputy-Wardens of the Stannaries, and all the provisions of the several Acts in force in England, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, relating to the militia and corps of miners of Cornwall and Devon, shall, upon any such order and direction given in pursuance thereof, become and be in full force, and be carried into execution at the period specified in such order or direction as aforesaid, with all such penalties and forfeitures for any neglect thereof, as fully as if such periods had been fixed in the Acts relating to such