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FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 1853.

AT the Court at *Osborne-House, Isle of Wight*, the 19th day of *August*, 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board, the Draft of a Proclamation, regulating the rates at which certain foreign coins are to pass current within Her Majesty's West India Colonies; Her Majesty having taken the same into consideration, was pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to approve thereof, and to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Proclamation do take effect and come in force in each of Her said colonies, upon and after such day as shall be for that purpose limited by the governor or officer administering the government of each of the said colonies respectively, by any Proclamations to be by them respectively issued for such purpose in each of such colonies.

And the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Most Noble the Duke of Newcastle, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*C. C. Greville.*

## DRAFT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by Our Proclamation given at Our Court at Windsor, on the fourteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, and in the second year of Our reign, rates were fixed at which certain coins of foreign countries shall circulate and be received in payments in Our West India Colonies, and whereas it has been represented to us by the Commissioners of Our Treasury, that it is expedient that, in addition to the coins named in Our said Proclamation, the rates at which the gold coins of the United States of North America shall circulate in Our said colonies, shall be ascertained and fixed.

Now, therefore, We, by the advice of Our Privy Council, have thought fit to declare and ordain, and by the advice aforesaid, We do hereby declare and ordain that throughout Our said colonies the gold coins of the said United States, of the denominations hereinafter mentioned, shall circulate and be received in payment as being of the full value and equivalent to current money of Our United Kingdom at the rates hereinafter specified; that is to say:

The Eagle at the rate of forty-one shillings sterling.

The Half-Eagle at the rate of twenty shillings and six pence sterling.

The Quarter-Eagle at the rate of ten shillings and three pence sterling.

The Gold Dollar at the rate of four shillings and one penny.

And in all payments to be made in Our said colonies, tender and payment in the said coins or either of them, at the respective rates aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be a lawful tender in the same manner as if such tender had been made in the current coin of Our United Kingdom.

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 8th day of *August*, 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England,' have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme relating to the episcopal income of the Bishop of Peterborough.

"Whereas the Right Reverend George, Bishop of Peterborough, hath, with a view to the regulation of his episcopal income, according to the provisions of the said Act, entered into an agreement with us in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"Agreement made this twenty-third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, between the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, of the one part, and the Right Reverend George, Bishop of Peterborough, of the other part.

"Whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the thirteenth and fourteenth