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FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1878.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S
PALACE, March 12, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that Her Majesty's
Birthday will be kept on Saturday the
25th of May next.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S
PALACE, April 2, 1878.

Notice is hereby given, that the Queen will hold
Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tues-
day the 7th, and on Thursday the 9th of May
next, at three o'clock.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S
PALACE, April 2, 1878.

Notice is hereby given that His Royal High-
ness The Prince of Wales will, by com-
mand of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's
Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday
the 17th of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to
His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be con-
sidered as equivalent to Presentations to Her
Majesty.

DUBLIN CASTLE, March 27, 1878.

His Grace the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased
to appoint William Johnston, Esquire, to be an
Inspector of Irish Fisheries.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

Whereas, by the Reserve Force Act, 1867, as
amended by the Army Enlistment Act, 1870, it
is amongst other things enacted that, in case of
imminent national danger, or of great emergency,
the occasion being first communicated to Parlia-
ment, if Parliament be then sitting, or declared
by Proclamation, it shall be lawful for Her
Majesty by Proclamation to direct that the Re-
serve Force, or such part thereof as Her Majesty
may think fit, may be called out on permanent
service, and that upon the issuing of any such
Proclamation the men in Class I. of the Reserve
Force, or those of them to whom such Proclama-
tion applies, shall become subject to general service
with Her Majesty's Army. And the said force,
or such part thereof as may be so called out, shall
serve in pursuance of such Proclamation until it
be signified to them by Her Majesty's command
that their services are no longer required; but so,
nevertheless, that the services of men so called out
shall not be required under such Proclamation
beyond six months after peace has been next
proclaimed:

And whereas the present state of public affairs
in the East, and the necessity in connection there-
with of taking steps for the maintenance of Peace
and for the protection of the interests of the
Empire, have in Our opinion constituted a case
of great emergency within the meaning of the said
Acts, and We have communicated the same to
Parliament: