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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S PALACE, March 8, 1880.

OTICE is hereby given that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday the 29th of May next.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S PALACE, May 5, 1880.

Notice is hereby given that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday the 31st instant, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

At the Court at Windsor, the 19th day of May 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by 'The Weights and Measures Act,

where the Board of Trade, upon the application of any Local Authority from time to time represent to Her Majesty that it would be expedient to alter the fees taken in respect of the verification and stamping of weights and measures by the Inspectors of such authority under the said Act (whether specified in the Fifth Schedule to the said Act, or in any Order previously made under the 47th section of the said Act), or for the purpose of adapting those fees to the local standards provided by such authority, to add to the said fees, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time to alter or add to the said fees:

And whereas the Board of Trade have, upon the application of the Local Authorities for the counties, boroughs, and burghs named in Schedule A hereto annexed, represented to Her Majesty that it would be expedient to alter and add to the scale of fees taken in respect of such verification and stamping of weights and measures by the Inspectors of such Local Authorities in the manner set forth in Schedule B hereto amexed:

And whereas it has been made to appear that the alterations and additions contained in the lastmentioned Schedule are reasonable and proper:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the power vested in Her by the said Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to alter and add to the fees heretefore taken by the Inspectors of the Local Authorities for the counties, boroughs, and burghs named in Schedule A hereto annexed in the manner set forth in Schedule B hereto annexed; and the fees specified in the 1878,' it is (among other things) enacted, that last-mentioned schedule shall be taken accordingly