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*NOTE.*—This Order in Council has been substituted for the Order of the same date, published in the Gazette of the 14th instant.

**A**T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 8th day of May 1841,

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by an Act of Parliament, passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to regulate the trade of the British possessions abroad," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, by any Order or Orders in Council, to be issued from time to time, to give such directions and make such regulations, touching the trade and commerce of, to, and from any British possession on or near the Continent of Europe, or within the Mediterranean Sea, or in Africa, or within the limits of the East India Company's charter, except the possessions of the said Company, as to His Majesty in Council should appear most expedient and salutary ;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authority in Her vested by the Act above stated, order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the time

when this Order shall be made known in the colonies hereinafter mentioned, by proclamations of the Governors of the said colonies, respectively, the duties now levied at the Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, New South Wales, Van Dieman's Land, Western Australia, Southern Australia, and New Zealand, upon articles the produce and manufacture of the British possessions in India, shall be reduced or altered to the same rates as are now imposed upon similar articles the produce or manufacture of the United Kingdom, or of other British possessions:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Right Honourable Lord John Russell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

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