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SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL, July 15, 1914.

THE following Addresses were presented to The King on the occasion of the visit of Their Majesties The King and Queen to Scotland, and His Majesty was graciously pleased to reply to the Deputations presenting the Address in the terms set forth below in each case:—

CORPORATION OF GLASGOW.

To Their Most Excellent Majesties King George V. and Queen Mary.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTIES,-

We, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, on the occasion of the first visit with which Your Majesties have honoured the City since your Coronation, desire, for ourselves and for the general body of the citizens whom we represent, to offer to Your Majesties a hearty welcome, and to express our grateful appreciation of Your visit and our loyalty and devotion to Your Majesties' Persons, Throne, and Family.

Glasgow has been privileged to receive many marks of Royal favour. Queen Victoria and the Prince Consort came here in 1849. Ten years later they inaugurated the City's Loch Katrine Water Supply, and in 1888 Queen Victoria graciously performed the ceremony of opening these Buildings. The visit of the late King Edward and of Queen Alexandra in 1903, when His Majesty laid the Foundation Stone of the Royal Technical College, the oldest Institution of its kind in the Kingdom, is still fresh in our remembrance, and we recall with no less satisfaction Your Majesties' own visits in 1897, as Duke and Duchess of York, and in 1907, as Prince and Princess of Wales, on which occasions high distinction was conferred on various public enterprises by Your Majesties' felicitous performance of, and participation in, ceremonial functions connected with the University, the Art Galleries, the Royal Infirmary, and the Harbour. Your Majesties' gracious acceptance of the Freedom of the City further enhanced the interest and significance of the visit of 1907.

Since then the boundaries of the City have been widened; the population now numbers considerably over a million; and the enlarged community most cordially avails itself of this opportunity of expressing its profound gratification at Your Majesties' continued interest in our Municipal progress, and in our industries, corporate bodies, and benevolent institutions. As a sequel to the City's enlargement it has become necessary to extend the buildings in