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WHITEHALL, July 9, 1868.

THE following Addresses of Congratulation to the Queen, in reference to the atrocious attempt upon the life of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, for presentation, have accordingly been presented by him to Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously :—

An humble and dutiful Address of Sympathy and Congratulation from the Presbytery of Stirling to Her Majesty The QUEEN.

WE, your Majesty's loving and faithful subjects, Ministers of the Church of Scotland and Members of the Presbytery of Stirling, beg to have the privilege of expressing our deep feelings of loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's Person, Throne, and Government.

We have heard with indignation and pain of the late attempt made upon the life of your beloved Son, His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh, and desire with all your Majesty's attached subjects to express our heartfelt sympathy with your Majesty in the distress and anxiety which that cruel outrage must have occasioned you.

We join together in thanksgiving to our merciful Father in Heaven who so graciously shielded and delivered the precious life that was threatened, and in prayers that His Royal Highness may be long spared to his family and to the nation.

Our earnest prayer to God is that it would please Him to make your Majesty's reign, which has conferred so many blessings upon the country, long and prosperous.

In name of the Presbytery of Stirling,  
GEO. ALEXANDER, Moderator.

This Address unanimously adopted by the Presbytery of Stirling, June 24, 1868.

And the following on the same subject ; from The Presbytery of Garioch.

WINDSOR CASTLE, July 7, 1868.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Thomas Tilson, Esq., of Clapham Park.

FOREIGN OFFICE, July 8, 1868.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Señor Jesus Temistocles Tejada as Consul at Liverpool for the United States of Colombia.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,  
July 8, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Monday next, the 13th instant.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
July 9, 1868.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at St Petersburg, inclosing an extract from the "Journal de St Pétersbourg," of the 4th ultimo, relative to the alterations in the Customs' laws respecting the production of bills of lading at Cronstadt and St Petersburg, of which the following is a translation :—

1. The production of bills of lading has been suppressed at the Custom-house of St Petersburg, together with the formalities attending it.
2. Instead of the bills of lading at present demanded from masters of vessels on arriving in harbour, they will only be required to produce their manifests, made out in their own country and their own language, and these shall serve as the basis for drawing up the detailed account of their freight.
3. Under exceptional circumstances, however, when the vessel shall not be provided with a manifest, the regulations at present in force with regard to the production of bills of lading shall be applicable.