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HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint this day, at two o'clock, for visiting the University of Cambridge, Her Majesty was met, at the entrance of the borough, by the Mayor and Corporation, who there did their homage to Her Majesty. Her Majesty was then attended by the University in a body. The Vice-Chancellor, after laying the bedells' staves at Her Majesty's feet, made a speech to Her Majesty, in the name of the University, expressing their duty and affection to Her Majesty. Her Majesty was pleased to receive the University in the hall of Trinity College, when the Vice-Chancellor read the following Address :

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge, most gratefully avail ourselves of your Majesty's gracious permission to offer within the walls of the University itself, the expression of the devoted loyalty which we at all times feel towards your Majesty, and of the sentiments excited in our hearts by your Majesty's presence among us.

The University of Cambridge, protected and favoured by your Majesty's Royal Predecessors; and intrusted by them with important offices in the great national concerns of religion and education, has ever been profoundly grateful for the dignified duties thus assigned her, and full of reverent affection towards the Sovereigns of the realm. When, in former times, the Members of this Uni-

versity have been so highly honoured as to see among them their Sovereigns in person, such an event has, upon all occasions, called up in their breasts the most earnest and lively sentiments of loyalty, and has made them feel, more strongly than ever, both the dignity and the responsibility of their position.

We trust your Majesty will believe that any expressions which we can use, very inadequately convey the sense which we entertain of your Majesty's great kindness and condescension in thus enabling us to add the name of your Majesty to those of your Royal Predecessors, the Queens and Kings who have in succession visited this their University. We feel it an additional mark of your Majesty's favour and consideration, that your Majesty's visit takes place at so early a period of your Majesty's happy reign, and in the company of your Majesty's August Consort, so as to bring our academic institution under the immediate notice of his cultivated and enlightened mind. We also esteem it a peculiar instance of your Majesty's Royal favourable disposition, that your Majesty has been pleased to make this visit at a time when the occupations and business of the University are proceeding in their ordinary course; and so soon after the announcement of your Majesty's gracious intention that the University necessarily wears its usual aspect. We trust we may consider your Majesty's visit, under such circumstances, a mark of your royal good opinion and good will, of your Majesty's sympathy in the purposes which the University has to fulfil, and of your Majesty's confidence that we are labouring in the discharge of our duties with fidelity and diligence.

We trust that at all periods of the history of this University, the number of the persons who, after receiving their education here, have distinguished themselves as statesmen, divines, and scholars, has abundantly shown that the culture which is here