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Whitehall, July 17, 1862.

THE following Address of Congratulation to the Queen, on the occasion of the Marriage of Her Royal Highness The Princess Alice with His Royal Highness Prince Louis of Hesse, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Baronet, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, for Presentation, has accordingly been presented by him to Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously.

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City and County of the City of Norwich, in Council Assembled.

May it please your Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the city and county of the city of Norwich, beg to approach your Majesty with the expression of our fervent congratulations on the auspicious Marriage of Her Royal Highness The Princess Alice with His Grand Ducal Highness Prince Louis of Hesse, an alliance which, having received the express sanction of your Majesty and of His late Royal Highness The Prince Consort, cannot fail to be a continual source of comfort to your Majesty; and by drawing still closer the bonds of union between the illustrious Protestant Houses of the Continent and our Royal Family, affords to your Majesty's subjects an additional security for the maintenance of their Protestant Faith and most cherished institutions.

The unremitting attention, the deep sympathy, the thoughtful consideration and noble devotion which Her Royal Highness displayed in the hour of your Majesty's most overwhelming affliction, have secured for Her Royal Highness not only the cordial approbation but also the sincere attachment of all your Majesty's subjects.

We derive much pleasure from the hope that Her Royal Highness will reside a considerable portion of every year in this country, and thus by her presence conduce to your Majesty's happiness and be a source of gratification to the country at large.

The prayers of your Majesty's faithful subjects are daily offered to the Throne of Grace that Almighty God may sustain your Majesty in those important and arduous duties which now more

especially devolve on your Majesty as a Constitutional Monarch, and we earnestly pray that your Majesty may long reign over an attached, grateful, and Christian people.

And we shall ever pray.

Given under our Common Corporate Seal, at the Guildhall of the city of Norwich, this first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

John Oddin Taylor, Mayor.

And the following Addresses and Resolution on the same subject: from

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Leeds.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Sheffield.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Portsmouth.

The Congregation of Bath Lane Church, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

The Vestry of the parish of Paddington.

War Office, July 18, 1862.

DESPATCHES, of which the following are copies, have been received at the War Office from Brigadier-General Staveley, C.B., commanding Her Majesty's Troops in China:—

No. 22. *Head Quarters, Shanghai,*
 Sir, *April 19, 1862.*

IN my letter of the 6th instant (extract annexed) I reported to the Military Secretary, for the information of His Royal Highness the General Commanding-in-Chief, that, in compliance with the instructions received from Her Majesty's Minister at Peking, to drive the rebels from the vicinity of Shanghai, the Naval and Military force at my disposal made a successful attack, on the 14th instant, on the intrenched rebel camp of On-katz, 2 miles from Shanghai.

2. I have now to report the capture of Tserpoo, another of the strongholds of the rebels, by a combined English and French Naval and Military force.

Tserpoo is situated seven miles up a creek running into the Woosung river, 12 miles above and on the opposite bank to Shanghai, and is one of the principal places on that side of the Woosung