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Windsor Castle, June 28, 1865.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor of London, several Members of the Court of Aldermen, the Sheriffs, some Members of the Court of Common Council, the Recorder, the Common Serjeant, the Town Clerk, the City Solicitor, the Remembrancer, and the Keeper of the Guildhall, waited upon Her Majesty with the following Address, which was handed to Her Majesty:—

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the city of London, in Common Council assembled, desire humbly to approach your Majesty with our earnest and sincere congratulations on the safe delivery of Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales, and the birth of a second Prince.

We earnestly hope that every addition to your Royal House may give increased stability to the Throne, and augment the domestic happiness of your Majesty.

We fervently pray that the Almighty will vouchsafe to bless the infant Prince and his Royal Parents, and that your Majesty may have the gratification of witnessing a development of those virtues for which your Majesty's family is so eminently distinguished.

That your Majesty may long be spared to reign over a loyal and affectionate people is the sincere prayer of the citizens of London.

Signed by order of the Court.

Frederick Woodthorpe, Town Clerk.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:—

“I thank you very sincerely for your congratulations on the birth of the Prince, my grandson, and I receive with much gratification your assurances of loyal and affectionate attachment to myself and my family.”

They were all very graciously received, and the Lord Mayor and the Mover and Seconder of the Address had the honour of kissing Her Majesty's hand.

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THIS day a Deputation from the Court of Lieutenancy of the City of London waited upon Her Majesty with the following Address, which was handed to Her Majesty:—

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, and other your Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, and other your Majesty's Lieutenants for the city of London, humbly approach the Throne with the strongest feelings of loyalty and attachment to your Majesty, to offer our hearty congratulations on the birth of a second Son to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Attached as we are to your Majesty's person and Government, by every tie of loyalty and gratitude, we cannot but rejoice in an event which affords an additional guarantee for the continuance, in a direct line, of your Majesty's illustrious house, and for the stability of those free institutions under which we have the happiness to live.

It is our fervent prayer that your Majesty's personal and domestic happiness may be largely increased, and that God in His infinite mercy may deign to bless the infant Prince and his illustrious Parents.

By order,

Henley Smith, Clerk and Treasurer.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:—

“I have received with much satisfaction your loyal and dutiful Address of Congratulation on an event affecting alike the happiness of my family and the interests of my people, and I thank you very sincerely for your renewed assurances of devoted attachment to my person and Government.”

They were all very graciously received, and the Mover and Seconder of the Address had the honour of kissing Her Majesty's hand.