

the auspicious occasion of the completion of the Fiftieth Year of Your Reign with respectful and sincere assurances of our loyalty to the Crown, and with profound expressions of our esteem and regard for Your Majesty's Person.

We fully recognise the prosperity which, during that period, has so materially tended, not only to advance the welfare and civilisation of the large and mighty Empire under Your sway, but also to so widely extend the blessings enjoyed by those under Your rule.

We humbly pray that the present devoted attachment of the people under Your Majesty's rule will be continued and strengthened.

Given under our Corporate Seal, this 20th day of June, 1887.

George Hurst, Mayor.

Theod. Wm. Pearse,
Town Clerk.

L. S.

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of Your ancient Borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in Council assembled, beg leave to approach Your Majesty with our heartfelt congratulations on the forthcoming completion of the Fiftieth Year of Your Majesty's beneficent and glorious Reign, and in taking a retrospective view of the important events which have occurred during the past half-century in the interests and welfare of our beloved country, we are justified in looking forward with full confidence and renewed hope to the still further development of all the benefits and advantages which Your Majesty so well represents. We humbly pray that the blessing of Almighty God may continue to rest on Your Majesty and Royal Family and that you may be long spared to reign over a peaceful and united people; and we beg respectfully to offer to Your Majesty the assurance of our undeviating loyalty and devotion.

Given under our Common Seal this 15th day of June, 1887.

Wm. Alder, Deputy Mayor.

L. S.

To Her Most Excellent Majesty VICTORIA,
The QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors, representing all the inhabitants of the ancient and loyal borough of Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, beg to approach Your Majesty with our heartfelt and most sincere congratulations on Your attaining the Fiftieth Year of Your Reign over the highly favoured British Nation and Your prosperous people and the Colonies. It is a source of inexpressible thankfulness to the Author of all good; and to Him our national, as well as our individual thanksgivings, are due, and will be earnestly and sincerely paid, and we look with extreme satisfaction to the extension of Your precious life, and as well as to the period (which we hope is far distant), when Your highly-esteemed Son will succeed to the duties of Your very exalted position, animated by the example which Your Majesty will have set before him.

The blessings and congratulations of Your people on this occasion will have gratified Your Majesty most deeply, and we beg to be allowed to join earnestly with them in expressing our wishes

and prayers for the extension of Your Majesty's most happy Reign.

Passed under the Common Seal of the Corporation of Denbigh, the 21st day of June, in the year of our Lord 1887, and in the Fiftieth Year of Your Reign.

R. Humphreys Roberts, Mayor.

L. S.

To Her Most Excellent and Gracious Majesty the QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland Defender of the Faith.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects the Commissioners of Supply of the County of Banff, in special meeting assembled, beg leave to respectfully approach the Throne to express to Your Majesty our warmest congratulations on the approaching Jubilee of Your Reign and to assure Your Majesty that we most gratefully realize and sincerely appreciate the beneficence of Your rule over the Nation.

It is our earnest prayer to Almighty God that peace, prosperity, and progress may continue to distinguish Your Majesty's Reign and the richest of blessings attend your Person.

Signed at the request and on behalf of the Meeting at Banff this 4th day of June, 1887.

W. G. Scott-Moncrieff, Chairman.

To Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen

VICTORIA.

WE, the Guardians of the Poor of the Monaghan Union, Ireland, respectfully approach Your Majesty to congratulate you on the completion of the Fiftieth year of Your Majesty's Reign over the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to express our loyalty to Your Throne and Person, and our admiration of the many virtues it has pleased Almighty God to endow you with, and we hope it may be His good pleasure that You shall long be spared to reign over a United Kingdom and Empire upon which the sun never sets.

Signed on behalf of the Guardians,

Jesse Lloyd, Lt.-Col., Chairman.

James Mitchell, Clerk of Union

Monaghan, June 18, 1887.

And on the same subject: from—

Liverpool and Birkenhead Ladies' Peace Association.

Religious Society of Friends in Ireland.

British Subjects employed in a Manufactory at Brussels.

Liverpool Royal Institution.

Lewes, Mayor and Corporation (with Gold Medal).

The Mayor and Corporation of Harwich.

The Inhabitants of the county of Stafford.

The Mayor and Corporation of Cambridge.

The Municipal Representatives of the Ancient Cathedral and University City of Old Aberdeen.

The Town Commissioners of the borough of Enniskillen.

The Parishioners of Staines.

The Presbytery of Aberdeen.

The Mayor and Corporation of Godmanchester.

The Inhabitants of Hawick.

The National Society for Women's Suffrage.

The Parishioners of Stoke Climsland, Cornwall.