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THE following further Addresses and Resolutions of Congratulation on the occasion of the Betrothal and Marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke of York, K.G., to Her Serene Highness the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Herbert Henry Asquith, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been laid before Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously:—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Royal Borough of Salford, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, beg to approach Your Majesty with feelings of the most devoted attachment and loyalty to Your Majesty's Person and Throne on the occasion of the Marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke of York with Her Serene Highness the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck, and to tender to Your Majesty our respectful and sincere congratulations on the happy event.

We desire to assure Your Majesty that the Marriage of Your Royal Grandson, the Heir Presumptive to the Throne, with a Princess so worthy in every respect to share the exalted position which in the future His Royal Highness may be called upon to fulfil, affords us, in common with all Your Majesty's loyal subjects throughout the Realm, the most profound and lively satisfaction.

We also rejoice that the long benign Reign of Your Majesty has been extended to enable Your Majesty to witness this auspicious Union, and we earnestly pray that the Marriage of Their Royal Highnesses may be amply blessed with all the happiness and joy of domestic life, and that under Divine Providence Your Majesty may also have vouchsafed health and strength to continue to reign over a devoted and loyal people.

Given under the Common Seal, this 5th day of July, 1893.



*Peter Keerney, Mayor.
Saml. Brown, Town Clerk.*

To The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Loyal and Ancient Borough of New Windsor, humbly approach Your Majesty for the purpose

of offering our most dutiful, sincere, and hearty congratulations upon the happy Marriage of Your Majesty's Grandson, His Royal Highness the Duke of York, with Her Serene Highness the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck.

We esteem most highly the privileges we enjoy from the near connection between the Royal Borough of New Windsor and Your Majesty's Ancestral Home, and we should indeed be ungrateful if we failed upon this joyful and interesting occasion to express our devoted loyalty and attachment to Your Majesty's Illustrious House.

We rejoice to think that this happy Union of the eldest son of the Heir to the Throne with an English Princess will afford an additional guarantee of the Protestant succession to the Sovereignty of the United Kingdom, and that it will tend to ensure the peace, security, and general welfare of the Empire.

We earnestly pray that the burthen of the cares and anxieties, necessarily and inseparably connected with the Sovereignty of so mighty an Empire as is subject to the rule of Your Majesty, may ever be lightened and alleviated by the perfect love and affection of all the Members of Your Majesty's Royal Family, as well as by the devoted loyalty and attachment of a happy, contented, and united people.

Given under the Common Seal at a Common Council held at the Guildhall.

Joseph Gane, Mayor.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Acting Lieutenant-Governor, the Judge, the Jurats of the Court, the Law Officers of the Crown, the Douzeniers and Clergy, constituting the States of Your Majesty's Island of Alderney, beg leave to approach Your Majesty to offer on our own behalf and that of the community of the Island at large, our heartfelt and sincere congratulations on the auspicious Marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke of York with the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck.

And while we pray the Almighty Ruler of Events to pour down upon their Royal Highnesses every earthly blessing, we at the same time beg to express our earnest hope that an alliance so promising in every respect may be an unfailling source of happiness to Your Majesty, and promote the general welfare of the Realm.

*E. H. Mortimer, Major, Royal Fusiliers,
Actg. Lieut. Governor.*