

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

I am deeply gratified to receive this Address from the Capital of Scotland, which both the Queen and I know well. I thank you for the expressions of loyalty which it conveys.

#### LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

*The Loyal and Dutiful Address of the Council of the Administrative County of London.*

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Chairman, Aldermen and Councillors of the London County Council, representing the People of Your Majesty's Capital, humbly submit this our Loyal and Dutiful Address upon the Accession of Your Majesty to the Throne.

The duties entrusted to the London County Council are manifold, and its labours affect intimately the health and welfare of a vast population. We are grateful for the active interest which Your Majesty has ever taken in this vital work, and we are confident that our efforts will continue to have the great advantage of Your Majesty's sympathy and support.

We assure Your Majesty of the loyalty and devotion of the People of London; we venture to tender to Your Majesty, and to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth, congratulations upon Your Majesty's Accession to the Throne; and we beg leave to express deep appreciation of the signal honour which Your Majesties are to confer upon the Council and London by visiting the County Hall at the time of the Coronation of Your Majesties, and by gracing with Your Presence the ceremonial opening of the new Headquarters of the London Fire Brigade.

We pray that Your Majesties, and the members of the Royal Family, may enjoy the blessing of good health; that the reign may be long, that it may be blessed with peace in our beloved country and overseas, and that it may be glorious as an epoch of general social betterment and of prosperity for all.

(Sgd.) SNELL, Chairman of the Council.

Countersigned,

G. H. GATER, Clerk of the Council.  
25th March, 1937.

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

On behalf of the Queen and Myself I thank you for your loyal and dutiful Address upon My Accession.

For many years past I have been keenly interested in the work of the County Council, and I assure you of My sympathy and support in your labours for the well being of the people of London.

#### ROYAL ACADEMY OF ARTS.

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's dutiful subjects the Members of the Royal Academy of Arts, beg leave to approach Your Majesty with our

humble congratulations on Your Majesty's accession to the Throne, and to express our confident expectation of the manifold benefits which Your rule will bestow on all the peoples of Your Majesty's Empire throughout the world.

The memory of the many occasions on which Your Majesty has shown a lively interest in the activities and prosperity of the Royal Academy emboldens us to hope that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to continue to it, as the principal and representative Institution of the Fine Arts in Great Britain, the special favour and privileges bestowed on it from the first by its Founder, Your Majesty's illustrious ancestor, King George the Third, who graciously declared himself its Patron, Protector and Supporter.

We would assure Your Majesty that the Royal Academy will, as always, do everything in its power to deserve this great honour, which it has been proud to enjoy under each of Your Majesty's predecessors.

That Your Majesty's reign may be long, prosperous and that every blessing may rest upon Your Majesty and Your Royal Consort, our gracious Queen Elizabeth, is the fervent prayer of Your Majesty's devoted subjects and servants.

(Sgd.) WILLIAM LLEWELLYN, President.

(Sgd.) WALTER W. RUSSELL, Keeper.

(Sgd.) SYDNEY LEE, Treasurer  
(and by 9 other Academicians).

(Sgd.) W. R. M. LAMB, Secretary.

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

I thank you on behalf of the Queen and Myself for your loyal Address and for your warm wishes. You may be assured that it will give me great pleasure to continue to you the special favour and privileges first bestowed upon the Royal Academy of Arts by King George III.

#### DEPUTATION FROM THE JEWISH BOARD OF DEPUTIES AND THE ANGLO-JEWISH ASSOCIATION (THE JEWS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE).

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the London Committee of Deputies of the British Jews as the elected and representative body of the Jews of the British Empire, and We, the Anglo-Jewish Association, on our own behalf and on behalf of our Branches throughout the British Empire, humbly approach Your Majesty to offer our sincere and respectful greetings on Your Majesty's accession to the Throne.

We desire respectfully to assure Your Majesty that in the expressions of devotion and loyalty to Your Throne and Person that have come to Your Majesty from your loyal subjects of every creed and race in all parts of the world, Your Majesty's subjects of the Jewish Faith yield to none in the sincerity and depth of their feelings.

It is our fervent prayer and hope that Your Majesty together with your beloved Queen