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The following Addresses were presented to His Majesty on the occasion of Their Majesties' Progress in State through London, on Saturday, the 25th instant :—

To Their Most Excellent Majesties the King and Queen.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Chairman, Aldermen, and Councillors of the Council of the Administrative County of London :—

May it please Your Majesties,

We, the Chairman, Aldermen, and Councillors of the London County Council, entrusted with the central municipal government of the capital of the Empire, desire respectfully to express our thanks for the opportunity which has been graciously afforded us of approaching Your Majesties on this occasion.

We dutifully call to mind that Your Majesty succeeds to a Throne which rests on the free institutions of our country, and is strengthened by the affection of a loyal and contented people; and that the first act of Your Majesty was the expression of determination to reign as a constitutional Sovereign and to work for the good and amelioration of Your people.

"The ceremony by which Your Majesty has in due form confirmed the promise thus freely and graciously given has always connected London in a special manner with the Throne of this Kingdom, and the London which we administer is sensible of this and the many privileges which it enjoys, among which we venture to include the frequent residence of Your Majesties therein, and the personal interest which Your Majesties have taken in its most pressing needs. We are assured by the marks of Royal favour which have been bestowed upon reforms and improvements which we have carried out, especially upon those which have for their object the welfare of the poorer inhabitants under our charge, that Your Majesties will continue to regard with approbation our efforts to make and keep London worthy of the important position it holds in the Government, the commerce, and the intellectual activity of this great Empire.

The occasion on which we address Your Majesties will be memorable to London in a special degree by reason of the illness which prostrated Your Majesty in its midst on the eve of the Coronation. At that critical moment the grief and anxiety of London were universally manifest, and now we express in its name the joy with which it receives its crowned King and Queen.

We pray that Your Majesties may live long and happily to reign over a people who have extended and confirmed the authority of their Sovereign in all parts of the world, and we trust that the cares of Government will be lightened by the affection and loyalty of the Empire and by the prosperity and peaceful progress of our beloved country.

John M'Dougall, Chairman of the Council.

Countersigned,

G. L. Gomme, Clerk of the Council.

25th October, 1902.

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

"It gives much pleasure both to Myself and to the Queen to receive in person the loyal and dutiful congratulations of the central municipal authority on the occasion of Our Progress through the Capital of Our Empire to receive the greetings of Our people on Our Coronation.

"Your confidence that My favour will be extended to every measure calculated to ameliorate the condition of My subjects is well founded; and of the numerous and important questions which come under your consideration none appeal more strongly to My interest and sympathy than those which regard directly the welfare of the poorer classes, especially in this and other great cities.

"I thank you for your good wishes for Myself and My House. I cordially share your aspiration that it may be granted to Me by the Divine Providence which has preserved My life from imminent danger to reign over a firmly-established and peaceful Empire and in the loyal hearts of a contented and prosperous people."

Sergeant-Major J. H. Zeeder, 1st Kitcheners' Fighting Scouts.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant T. H. Bassett, Duke of Edinburgh's Own Volunteer Rifles.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant W. Clark, Capetown Highlanders.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant D. R. Stuart, Railway Pioneer Regiment.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant J. Welch, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Squadron-Sergeant-Major R. Holroyd, South African Light Horse.
 Battery Sergeant-Major M. Mullins, Prince Alfred's Own Cape Artillery.
 Squadron-Quartermaster-Sergeant E. A. Legge, 1st Scottish Horse.
 Sergeant T. Barclay, British South Africa Police.
 Sergeant W. Carruthers, Cape Garrison Artillery.
 Sergeant J. R. Gray, Pietersburg Light Horse.
 Sergeant W. Marsburg, 1st Kitcheners' Fighting Scouts.
 Sergeant C. Muller, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Sergeant A. W. Shipman, Bechuanaland Rifles.
 Sergeant J. Stevens, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Sergeant W. Vye, Cape Garrison Artillery.
 Corporal C. Darries, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Corporal G. Davidson, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Corporal E. D. Patterson, Roberts' Horse.
 Lance-Corporal W. S. Hains, Steinacker's Horse.
 Private C. Olsson, 2nd Kitcheners' Fighting Scouts.
 Private Jan Scheepers, South African Mounted Irregular Forces.
 Private G. Smith, Johannesburg Mounted Rifles.
 Trooper F. Stringer, South African Light Horse.
 Private Van de Merwe, Scott's Railway Guards.
 Private Whyte, Cape Mounted Rifles.

OVERSEA COLONIALS.

To be a Companion of the Order of the Bath.
 Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Lassetter, New South Wales.
 To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.
 Lieutenant-Colonel E. Fiset, Canadian Military Service.
 Major Frederick William Abbott, New Zealand.
 Major Edwin Bartlett, New Zealand.
 Major the Honourable Rupert Clement George Carington, New South Wales.
 Surgeon-Major J. A. Devine, 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles.
 Major M. O'Farrell, Victorian Contingents.
 Captain T. H. Dodds, Queensland Contingents.
 Captain R. C. Holman, New South Wales.
 Surgeon-Captain H. J. Hutchens, Queensland Contingents.
 Captain T. McDonald, New South Wales.
 Captain A. McMillan, Canadian Scouts.
 Captain Robert Stevenson, New Zealand.
 Captain John Alexander Watt, South Australians.
 Lieutenant G. T. Bell, Victorian Contingents.
 Lieutenant S. B. Boland, Queensland Contingents.
 Lieutenant A. J. Brown, Western Australians.
 Lieutenant P. J. Daly, Western Australians.
 Lieutenant Daniel Aloysius Hickie, New Zealand.
 Lieutenant J. McCormick, Tasmanians.
 Lieutenant S. P. McFarlane, South Australians.
 Lieutenant Piers Lloyd Tudor, New Zealand.
 Lieutenant W. V. Townley, New Zealand.

To have the Distinguished Conduct Medal.
 Sergeant-Major G. C. Black, New Zealand.
 Sergeant-Major R. S. Goode, Victorian Contingents.

Sergeant-Major W. Maxwell, New South Wales.
 Sergeant-Major M. Pickett, New Zealand.
 Sergeant-Major J. W. Porter, New South Wales.
 Sergeant-Major R. J. Stallwood, Canadian Scouts.
 Sergeant-Major F. H. Trask, Queensland Contingents.
 Sergeant-Major White, New Zealand.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Travers, New Zealand.
 Company Sergeant-Major J. W. Keeble, Victorian Contingents.
 Company Sergeant-Major F. Knybett, Queensland.
 Sergeant D. F. Bliss, Canadian Rifles.
 Sergeant J. G. Dale, Canadian Rifles.
 Sergeant G. Kemsley, Tasmanians.
 Corporal R. Gully, South Australians.
 Lance-Corporal J. Berry, South Australians.
 Private G. P. Abbott, West Australians.
 Private J. Hobson, New South Wales.

To have the Distinguished Conduct Medal.
 Engine-Driver J. Crighton.
 Fireman C. Sheehan.

The following will be placed on the list of Officers considered qualified for Staff employment, in consequence of service on the Staff in the Field:—

Captain and Brevet Major A. R. Hoskins, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).
 Major H. Wells-Cole, D.S.O., the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry).
 Captain and Brevet Major H. R. Gale, Royal Engineers.
 Captain and Brevet Major L. F. Green-Wilkinson, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own).
 Captain and Brevet Major E. W. Margesson, the Norfolk Regiment.
 Captain and Brevet Major A. F. Sillem, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment).
 Captain and Brevet Major L. W. Atcherly, the Army Service Corps.
 Captain and Brevet Major G. F. MacMunn, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
 Captain and Brevet Major C. Stirling, Royal Artillery.
 Captain and Brevet Major W. R. N. Madocks, Royal Artillery.
 Captain and Brevet Major G. K. Ansell, 6th Dragoons.
 Major A. D. Miller, D.S.O., 2nd Dragoons.
 Captain and Brevet Major E. R. Bradford, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's).
 Captain and Brevet Major R. J. Marker, D.S.O., Coldstream Guards.
 Captain and Brevet Major E. F. O. Gascoigne, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.
 Captain and Brevet Major R. A. Bright, Royal Artillery.
 Captain H. C. Warre, D.S.O., the King's Royal Rifle Corps.
 Captain C. P. Higginson, D.S.O., the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry).
 Captain H. McMicking, D.S.O., the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).
 Captain F. H. Weldon, D.S.O., the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).
 Captain F. J. M. Macandrew, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain H. A. Lempriere, D.S.O., 7th Dragoon Guards.
 Captain H. F. Lea, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment).
 Captain J. S. M. Shea, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.
 Captain H. C. Lowther, D.S.O., Scots Guards.
 Captain E. H. E. Daniell, D.S.O., the Royal Irish Regiment.