

journey to distant parts of Our Empire should end as it began in the principal home of the Navy, by which that Empire is protected.

We have been profoundly touched by the expressions of affection and loyalty which We have received both in India and in other parts of Our Dominions, and We shall greatly rejoice if Our presence in India shall in any way contribute to the welfare of that country and strengthen the bonds which bind it to the Empire.

*Whitehall, February 9, 1912.*

The following Address was presented to The King on Tuesday, the 6th instant, on the arrival of Their Majesties at Trafalgar Square on Their way to St. Paul's Cathedral to attend in the Cathedral a service of Thanksgiving on Their Majesties' return from India:—

To Their Majesties King George V. and Queen Mary.

*May it please Your Majesties,—*

We, the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the City of Westminster, respectfully offer on behalf of the Citizens our loyal and hearty welcome on Your Majesties' return to Westminster.

The enthusiastic demonstrations with which Your Majesties were received during Your Majesties' visit to India show how large a place Your Majesties have in the thoughts and affections of Your Majesties' subjects throughout Your Majesties' Dominions.

We pray that Your Majesties may long be spared to stimulate and enjoy those feelings of loyalty and devotion to Your Majesties' Persons and Throne which must ever be the surest bulwark of the great Empire over which Your Majesties reign.

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

We thank you for your loyal Welcome to Us on Our return from celebrating in Our Indian Dominions the solemnity of Our Coronation.

At the memorable Durbar of Delhi We received the homage of the Princes and Peoples of India, and in the other cities of India and at every place We have visited We have been greeted with tokens of the warm affection of Our loyal subjects. We return to the renowned City which is Our home and yours with Our minds and hearts full of the memories of the splendid pageants and the striking experiences which have crowded upon each other during the long journey which now, with God's blessing, reaches its prosperous close.

We have seen with pride and pleasure abundant evidence of the growing welfare of Our Indian Dominions and other distant parts of Our widespread Realm which We have visited, and on Our return to the heart of Our Empire We look forward with renewed courage and confidence to its continued union and prosperity.

*Whitehall, February 9, 1912.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 18th January, 1912, to appoint the Reverend Charles Lloyd Sanctuary, M.A., Vicar of St. Thomas, Salisbury, to the Prebendal Stall of Alton Borealis in the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, void by the death of the Reverend Charles Rowland Haydock Hill, and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn by virtue of His Prerogative Royal.

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The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 18th January, 1912, to appoint the Reverend John Colville Morton Mansel-Pleydell, M.A., Vicar of Sturminster-Newton, in the county of Dorset, to the Prebendal Stall of Torleton in the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, void by the death of the Reverend William Hector Lyon, and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn by virtue of His Prerogative Royal.

*Whitehall, February 9, 1912.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon the undermentioned gentlemen, and the heirs male of their respective bodies lawfully begotten:—

His Excellency Sir Thomas David Gibson-Carmichael, Baronet, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras in the East Indies, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Carmichael of Skirling in the county of Peebles.

Sir Alfred Thomas, Knight, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Pontypridd of Cardiff in the county of Glamorgan.

Samuel Hope Morley, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Hollenden of Leigh in the county of Kent.

*Whitehall, February 9, 1912.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom upon the undermentioned