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THE following Addresses and Resolutions of Congratulation to the Queen on the occasion of Her Majesty attaining the Sixtieth Year of Her Reign, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, have been laid before Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously:—

Unto the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the County Council and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Perth.

Most Gracious Sovereign,-

We, the County Council and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Perth, representing all classes in the county, beg leave to approach Your Majesty to offer our tribute of sincere congratulations on the approaching completion of the sixtieth year of Your Majesty's illustrious and beneficent reign. We rejoice not only because Your Majesty's Reign has been so prolonged, but also because it has been commensurate with the real progress and well-being of the people in a degree, and to an extent, unequalled in history. We, therefore, earnestly pray that Your Majesty may still be spared many years to fill the Throne of this great Empire, and remain a gracious

influence to many millions of loyal and loving subjects spread over the whole world.

Signed in name and by authority of said County Council and Commissioners of Supply by

H. S. HOME-DRUMMOND,

Convener of County Council. Jas. Small,

Convener of Commissioners of Supply.

Perth, 4th June 1897.

Unto Her Most Excellent Majesty the QUEEN.

The humble Address of the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of Dundee.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY,-

The Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of Dundee, in name and on behalf of the citizens of Dundee, heartily congratulate Your Majesty on having attained a longer reign than was ever enjoyed by any other British sovereign, and to assure Your Majesty of the continued loyalty and devotion of the citizens of Dundee to Your Majesty's Person and Government.

The Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council rejoice that, during Your Majesty's Reign, the British Empire has been greatly enlarged, the boundaries of civilisation widened, the friendly