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THE following Address was presented to
His Majesty at Buckingham Palace on
Tuesday, 14th March :—

THE CORPORATION OF EDINBURGH.

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

May it please Your Majesty,—

We, The Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Edinburgh, in our own name and as representing the citizens of the ancient Capital of Scotland, respectfully offer to Your Majesty and Your Royal Consort, Queen Mary, our most sincere and cordial congratulations on the occasion of the Wedding of Her Royal Highness, Princess Mary, with the Viscount Lascelles.

We in common with all our fellow subjects hail this auspicious event with profound feelings of joy and thankfulness. It is a matter of much gratification to us that the future home of Her Royal Highness will be in these Realms, and we feel sure that this union will still further strengthen the very close and intimate ties which bind your Royal House to the people of Scotland, of the British Isles, and of the Empire.

We earnestly pray that Her Royal Highness will have a long and happy wedded life.

We take this opportunity of renewing the expression of our loyalty to Your Majesty's Person, Throne, and Government.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council, and the Seal of the City affixed hereto at Edinburgh the 25th day of January 1922.

THOMAS HUTCHISON,
Lord Provost.

A. GRIERSON,
Town Clerk.

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

"On behalf of myself and the Queen I thank you heartily for your loyal and dutiful Address, and for your cordial congratulations on the Marriage of my beloved daughter to Lord Lascelles.

"It is a source of profound satisfaction to me that the home of their married life will be amongst my own People, and I am glad to find that this sentiment is shared by the citizens of the ancient Capital of Scotland.

"I thank you for the hope you express that many happy years may be in store for my daughter and her husband."