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## FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1864.

WHITEHALL, April 11, 1864.

THE following Addresses of Congratulation to the Queen, on the occasion of Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales having given Birth to a Prince, have been transmitted to the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, for Presentation, and have accordingly been presented by him to Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously :-

To The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, and Governors of the Scottish Hospital of the foundation of King Charles the Second, in general Court assembled, desire to convey to your Majesty our sincere and hearty congratulations on the occasion of the birth of His Royal Highness Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward.

That your Majesty may, by the Grace of God, be spared in health and wealth long to reign over a free, happy, and united people, and to witness in the lives of your Royal descendants all the virtues which have distinguished their royal parents, is our humble and devout prayer.

Given under our Common Seal, at our Hall in Crane Court, Fleet Street, in the City of London, this 2d day of April 1864.

- J. HERON MAXWELL, Baronet, Chairman and Treasurer.
- J. MACRAE MOIR, M.A., Secretary.

And the following on the same subject : from The Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the bordugh of Pembroke.

## COUNCIL CHAMBER,

DUBLIN CASTLE, April 11, 1864.

This day the Privy Council assembled, when His Grace Richard Chenevix, Lord Archbishop of Dublin; The Right Honourable Maziere Brady, Lord High Chancellor of Ireland; and the Right Honourable Sir George Brown, G.C.B., General Commanding Her Majesty's Forces in Ireland, were sworn Lords Justices of Ireland. DUBLIN CASTLE, March 31, 1864.

This day His Excellency the Grand Master, by Her Majesty's Command, held a Chapter of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick.

The following Knights Companions, in their Mantles, Stars, and Collars, assembled in the Robing-Room, viz.:-

> The Earl of Howth, Lord Farnham, Viscount Gough, The Marquess of Downshire, Lord Dufferin and Claneboye;

Attended by the following Officers of the Order, viz.:-

His Grace the Lord Primate, Prelate;

His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, Chancellor;

The Very Reverend the Dean of St Patrick,

Registrar; Lowry V. Townley Balfour, Esquire, Secre-

Sir George L'Estrange, Usher of the Black Rod;

Sir Bernard Burke, Ulster King of Arms, Knight attendant on the Order

Molyneux Betham, Esquire, Cork Herald; Sheffield Betham, Esquire, Dublin Herald.

At Three o'Clock P.M., the Knights Companions were called over, and proceeded to the presence of the Grand Master, who was seated in the Chair of State in the Throne Room, and, with the usual reverences, took their respective seats at the table, according to their Stalls. The Roll of Knights was then called over by Ulster King of Arms.

His Excellency commanded Ulster to read Her Majesty's Letter authorizing the Chapter to be

held; which having been done,
His Excellency directed Ulster and the Usher
of the Black Rod to introduce the Very Reverend the Dean of St Patrick's, to whom the Prelate administered the Declaration; and the Dean, kneeling, was invested by the Grand Master.

The Right Honourable Lord Lurgan was then introduced by the Gentleman Usher and Ulster, and, kneeling, received the honour of Knighthood,

His Excellency the Grand Master communicated to the Chapter that Her Majesty had been pleased to nominate Sir Charles Brownlow, Knight, Baron Lurgan, to be a Knight Companion of the