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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1834.

AT the Court at St. James's, the 3d day of September 1834,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Archibald Earl of Gosford was, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

St. James's-Palace, September 3, 1834.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Officers of the City of London, waited upon His Majesty, when the Honourable Charles Ewan Law, the Recorder, made their compliments of congratulation in the following Address; which His Majesty was graciously pleased to receive on the Throne:

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful subjects, the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of the city of London, approach your Royal Person with the liveliest sentiments of loyalty and devotion, to tender to your Majesty, the homage of our heartfelt congratulations upon the occasion of the safe and happy return to this country of Her Majesty Queen Adelaide.

In quitting, for a season, the splendours of a court and exchanging the dominions of Great Britain for Her Majesty's native land, the Queen hastened to fulfil the grateful offices of filial affection to her revered and Royal Mother, and exhibiting an equal ardour in all the delicate and refined relations of domestic life, your Royal Consort, seated on the throne of your Majesty, has resumed, without delay, the

splendid sphere of private virtues and of public usefulness.

In testifying how deeply we appreciate the bright pattern Her Majesty affords to that sex, on whose good conduct the best interests of society so mainly depend, we trace the model and revive the sacred memory of Queen Charlotte, in the perfect imitation of her transcendent merits, and in the eminently successful influence of their example.

Sire, we hailed, with feelings of deep emotion, the opportunity presented to the Lord Mayor, by Her Majesty's visit to the Continent, of conducting Her Majesty, with every attendant circumstance of dutiful respect, to the limits of his Lordship's jurisdiction as Conservator of the Thames, but our happiness was only then complete when, deigning to accept our proffered escort and ascending the shore of the river, peopled with countless multitudes rending the air with shouts of loyalty, Her Majesty planted her foot again upon British ground.

Signed by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

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

" I receive, with the utmost satisfaction, the dutiful and loyal Address which you have presented to Me, in congratulation on the safe return of Her Majesty the Queen from the Continent of Europe; the expressions of respectful attachment to the Queen which are contained in that Address, are peculiarly gratifying to My feelings, and give you a new claim on My regard and attention.

" I thank you for the readiness with which you have marked your duty to Her Majesty the Queen, by attending on the occasion of her embarkation and her return.

" The City of London may at all times rely on My favour and protection, and I humbly trust to the