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Buckingham-Palace, April 3, 1840.

THE following Address from the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, upon the occasion of Her Majesty's Nuptials, was this day presented to Her Majesty; which Address Her Majesty was most graciously pleased to receive on the Throne:

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Members of the Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, met at Edinburgh upon the 4th day of March 1840.

May it please your Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Ministers and Elders met in this Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, gladly avail ourselves of the earliest opportunity of approaching the Throne with our cordial congratulations on the happy occasion of your Majesty's Nuptials with a Prince, in whose favour the nation is strongly prepossessed, not merely on account of his descent from an illustrious family, whose name is associated with the dawn of religious liberty in Europe, but on account of his high and honourable personal character.

We ardently hope that, through the mercy of the most High God, who ruleth in the kingdoms of men, this joyful event will permanently contribute to your Majesty's domestic happiness, to the stability of the Throne, to the loyal attachment of the inhabitants of this land, and to the strengthening of the ties which connect the British empire with other powerful States; and we are well assured that, in the sentiments which we now express, the people among whom we labour universally participate.

That the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ may fulfil, in your Majesty, all the good pleasure of his goodness sustaining your heart amidst the

numerous cares to which your lofty station is exposed, multiplying to your Majesty, and your Royal Consort, all the pure and peaceful satisfaction to be expected on a conjugal relation founded on reciprocal affection, realising the hopes of the nation by raising up a line of Princes to inherit the Crown after it has long flourished on your Majesty's head, and finally exalting you to a kingdom which shall not be moved, is the earnest prayer of, may it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most faithful, obedient, and loyal subjects, the Ministers and Elders met in this Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment,
Henry Duncan, Moderator.

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

"I am deeply sensible of the value of the blessings you so earnestly invoke upon the event which is the subject of your congratulations.

"I thank you and my faithful people amongst whom you exercise the sacred duties of religion, for the feelings of attachment expressed on this occasion; and I trust with you that, by the favour of Divine Providence, a union commenced under such auspices, may not only ensure my own personal happiness, but promote the permanent interests of all my loyal subjects."

[Presented by a Deputation.]

St. James's-Palace, April 6, 1840.

THE following Addresses, upon the occasion of Her Majesty's Nuptials, were presented to Her Majesty, and most graciously received:

From the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the