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Whitehall, December 21, 1897.

THE following Addresses and Resolutions of Condolence to The Queen on the occasion of the Death of Her Royal Highness Princess Mary Adelaide, Duchess of Teck, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been laid before Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously :--

A Common Council holden in the Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Thursday, the 28th day of October, 1897.

Faudel-Phillips, Mayor.

Resolved unanimously-

THAT this Court, with devoted loyalty, desires humbly to assure Her Most Gracious Majesty The Queen of the sincere and heartfelt grief with which it regards the sad and sudden death of Her Majesty's beloved Cousin, Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary Adelaide, Duchess of Teck, a Princess whose amiability of character, and sweetness of disposition, had endeared her not only to her Royal relatives but to the whole people.

And this Court earnestly prays that the Giver of all Good may vouchsafe to Her Majesty consolation and fortitude in this great affliction.

John B. Monchton, Town Clerk.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty. Moy it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Ripon, in Council assembled, sharing in the nation's sorrow, beg to be permitted to express to Your Majesty and Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York our profound sympathy and condolence on the lamented death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary, Duchess of Teck.

Given under the Corporate Common Seal of the City of Ripon at a Meeting held at the Town Hall on the 28th day of October A.D. 1897.

Tom Williamson, Mayor. (L. S.

M. Kirkley, Town Clerk.

And the following on the same subject, from :-Paddington Parliament, a Society styling itself the Royal Institute of Painters. Kingston-upon-Thames Town Council.

London School Board.

Southampton County Council.

Actors' Association, Council of the.

Southampton Guardians of the Poor.

Attercliffe Division of Sheffield Liberal Association.

Leamington Conservative Working Men's Club.

Birmingham, Court Royal Abbey of the Ancient Order of Foresters.

Longton Town Council.

Grimsby, Sailors and Fishermen of.

Lancaster, Mayor on behalf of the Burgesses of. Hornsey Urban District Council.

Southampton Conservative Club.

Windsor and District Liberal Club.

Salisbury, Synod of the Clergy of the Diocese of.

London College of Music, Council of the.

Richmond, Surrey, Royal Hospital.

Leeds, Old Hebrew Congregation.

Hammersmith, Vestry of the Parish of.

Preston, Council of the Borough of.

Wandsworth Board of Works.

Kensington (Southern Division) Conservative Association.

Lewisham Board of Works.

Hastings, Council of the Borough of.

Lymington, Meeting of Ratepayers of the Borough of.

South Kensington No. 219 Habitation of the Primrose League.

South Glamorgan Conservative Association.

Paddington, Vestry of the Parish of.

Leicestershire County Council.

Lincoln, Council for the City of.

New Windsor Corporation.

Warwickshire County Council.

St. George the Martyr, Southwark, Vostry of the Parish of.

Camberwell, Vestry of the Parish of.

Sodor and Man, Churchmen of the Diocese of. Cleveland Unionist Association.

Montgomery Town Council.

St. James and St. John, Clerkenwell, Vestry of the Parish of.

Glastonbury Corporation.

Nuneaton and Chilvers Coton Urban District Council.

Tamworth Rural District Council.

Cardiff Town Council.

London County Council.

Thames, Conservators of the River.