

Graduates and Students of the Sheffield University, Your faithful subjects, desire to approach Your Majesty with a dutiful and loyal Address.

We lay before Your Majesty, together with our humble duty, the expression of our heartfelt and respectful sympathy on the occasion of the grievous affliction which has fallen on Your Majesty, the Royal Family, and on all Your Majesty's subjects in Great Britain and beyond the Seas, by the lamented death of His Most Gracious Majesty King Edward the Seventh, of blessed and glorious memory. We are especially filled with gratitude to His late Majesty for granting our Charter, opening these University Buildings in person, becoming our Visitor, and graciously directing that His Heirs and Successors shall be connected with the University in the same way.

We now beg leave to lay before Your Majesty on your accession to the Throne our loyal homage, and to express the gratification which we feel that this University will be under the august patronage of Your Majesty as Visitor. The attention with which Your Majesty has followed all the movements for the spread of knowledge and the progress of science, inspires us with confidence for the future of education in the coming years of Your Majesty's reign, and the fact that Your Majesty, accompanied by Your Royal Consort, deigned to open the Edgar Allen Library last year, and to accept a Degree of Doctor of Letters from our Chancellor, emboldens us to hope that Your Majesty may be pleased to watch with interest the growth of this University.

We also offer the expression of our loyalty and devotion to Her Gracious Majesty Queen Mary, who, by Her presence in this and other Universities, has shown that She shares the same desire to promote higher learning.

In conclusion, we beg on behalf of the whole University to express our loyalty to Your Majesty's Throne and Person, and we earnestly pray that Your Majesty and Your Royal Consort may long be spared in health and happiness to rule this Empire in peace and prosperity.

Given under the Common Seal of the University, this thirteenth day of May, 1910.

(L. S.)

NORFOLK, Chancellor.  
GEORGE FRANKLIN, Pro-Chancellor.  
C. ELIOT, Vice-Chancellor.  
H. K. STEPHENSON, Treasurer.

#### CITY OF LIVERPOOL.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

*May it please Your Majesty,*

We, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Liverpool in Council assembled, humbly approach Your Majesty with the expression of our profound loyalty and attachment to Your Majesty's person on the occasion of Your Majesty's Accession to the Throne of these Realms.

We rejoice at the prospect which the opening of Your Majesty's reign affords of close and abiding union between the United Kingdom and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, and we hail it as an auspicious omen for the future prosperity of Your Majesty's Empire that the Throne should be occupied by a Prince who in the past has shown an example of earnest

devotion to duty, and who has taken an active interest in promoting the happiness and welfare of the people.

We earnestly pray that the Almighty may endow Your Majesty with grace and strength to fulfil the duties of the exalted position to which in His Providence Your Majesty has been called, and that Your Majesty may reign long and gloriously over a united, happy and prosperous Empire.

We also desire to express our gratification at the elevation to the Throne of these Realms of Your Majesty's illustrious Consort, a Princess whose conspicuous virtues and endowments will confer lustre on Her exalted station.

Given under the Corporate Common Seal of the City of Liverpool, this eleventh day of May, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

(L. S.)

W. H. WILLIAMS, Lord Mayor.  
EDWARD R. PICKMERE, Town Clerk.

#### CITY OF SHEFFIELD.

To His Most Gracious Majesty, George V, King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India.

*May it please Your Majesty,*

We, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the city of Sheffield in Council assembled desire to approach Your Majesty with an assurance of our loyalty and respect and to offer our heartfelt congratulations on Your Majesty's accession to the Throne of these realms.

We are conscious of the deep concern Your Majesty has had in the past for the wellbeing of the country, and of the support Your Majesty has invariably given to those objects which have had for their aim the true advancement of its people. We sincerely pray that the blessings of the Almighty may be showered upon You and that Your Majesty may have health and strength to enable You to discharge the duties of Your exalted position, and that Your reign will be a long and happy one.

We also pray that God's richest blessings may rest upon our Most Gracious Queen Mary and the rest of the Royal Family and that they may long be spared to Your Majesty and Your loyal subjects.

Given under the Corporate Common Seal of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Sheffield this 8th day of June, 1910.

(L. S.)

FITZWILLIAM, Lord Mayor.  
R. M. PRESCOTT, Town Clerk.

#### CITY OF CARDIFF.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Cardiff, offer to Your Majesty our loyal homage on Your Majesty's accession to the Throne.

As the Metropolis of Wales we are deeply gratified to recall the interest that Your Majesty has at all times shown in matters relating to the Principality.