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TUESDAY, 18 JULY, 1911.

*Whitehall, July 15, 1911.*

The following letter from the KING was received by the Secretary of State for the Home Department on the 29th June, 1911:—

*Buckingham Palace,  
29th June, 1911.*

To My People,

Now that the Coronation and its attendant ceremonies are over, I desire to assure the people of the British Empire of my grateful sense that their hearts have been with me through it all. I felt this in the beautiful and impressive Service in the Abbey—the most solemn experience of my life—and scarcely less in the stirring scenes of the succeeding days, when my people have signified their recognition and their heartfelt welcome of me as their Sovereign. For this has been apparent, not only in the loyal enthusiasm shown in our passage to and from Westminster and in the Progresses which we have made in different districts of London, but also in the thousands of messages of goodwill which have come to me across the seas from every part of the Empire. Such affectionate demonstrations have profoundly touched me, and have filled me afresh with faith and confidence. Believing that this generous and outspoken sympathy with the Queen and myself is, under God, our surest

source of strength, I am encouraged to go forward with renewed hope. Whatever perplexities or difficulties may lie before me and my people, we shall all unite in facing them resolutely, calmly, and with public spirit, confident that, under Divine guidance, the ultimate outcome will be to the common good.

GEORGE R.I.

*Whitehall, July 15, 1911.*

The following Address was presented to Their Majesties on Their arrival at Carnarvon on Thursday, the 13th instant, on the occasion of the Investiture of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales:—

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

*May it please Your Majesty,*

We, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Carnarvon, desire to offer a loyal and hearty welcome to Your Majesty on this your fourth visit to our ancient Borough. The presence of Your Majesty and of Your gracious Consort amongst us upon this historic occasion arouses