

KING AND QUEEN IN YORKSHIRE.

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~~There~~ Though there is unrest in ~~Spain~~ Europe --- war in Spain and war in the Far East, we in Britain have much to be thankful for, as we watch the peaceful progress of our royal family pursuing the duties of their high position. On a visit to Yorkshire, their Majesties had a great reception in Hull, <sup>where they visited old people's homes & chatted with the residents.</sup> ~~which they visited first.~~ Crowds pressed forward eagerly to greet their King and Queen, but the police with their inevitable good humour, kept them within bounds. Then on to York. This is the first visit of a reigning monarch to York since the year 1642. Here <sup>again</sup> King George and Queen Elizabeth displayed much interest in housing conditions. During a visit to one of the factories, Her Majesty was presented with a box of the chocolates for which the city is so justly famed. ~~Many~~ ~~key~~ ~~cities~~ in Yorkshire were visited during their Majesties' tour, and each one vied with the others in the warmth of its welcome.

*here* The Duke and Duchess of Kent are in Swansea. Here His Royal Highness was installed as Chancellor of the University of Wales. After his installation, the Duke conferred upon the Duchess the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Music.

And now to Devonport --- where the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester were equally busy. Our charming Duchess was ~~to~~ <sup>to</sup> launch the cruiser Gloucester. Her Royal Highness has always shown the keenest interest in the job on hand, and here she sought information on the business of launching.

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