

LOOKING BACKWARDS - H.R.H. The Duke of
York sees the Lord Mayor's Show of 1916.

-London-

Pictures:- His Royal Highness the Duke of York pays an--
--informal visit to this novel exhibition, which is--
--held to raise funds for the restoration of the Tower
of Saint Magnus the Martyr. Hullo !! There are Gog and
Maggog !

Who wouldn't be a bold knight in armour, if horses
all behaved as gently as these do. The ancient pageantry
is all here in tiny scale model omitting no details.

This remarkable work has been carried out by Mr. John
B. Thorpe, who is a model maker for many--

--famous architects. Thames watermen like these rode kings
and queens to their palace steps.

And then Their Right Worshipfuls the Lord Mayors,
past and present ! This is before the fine old coach we
know was thought of ! Then officials and more officials,
aldermen, sheriffs, and what-nots ! --

--all in wood, plaster, and paint.

I hand it to Mr. Thorpe for patience in making that
lot !