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THE DUCHESS AT YORK - - H.R.H. The
Duchess of York receives an enthusiastic welcome
when she visits her namesake city.

-Yorkshire-

Picture.:)

The cloister-like quiet of York Minster is to-day disturbed by the eager thousands gathered to welcome Her Royal Highness The Duchess of York. The Duchess has come to unveil two windows in the King's--

--Own Yorkshire Light Infantry Memorial Chapel. This ceremony she performs by virtue of being--

--Colonel-in-Chief of the Regiment. Her Royal Highness also--

--visits Pontefract, the Regiment's Headquarters. After taking lunch--

--in the Mess, the Duchess inspects a parade--

--of past and present members of the Regiment. She takes more --

--than a passing interest in the duty and frequently stops to chat--

--with members of the parade and for some of the men--

--makes the occasion historic by a warm handshake. (PAUSE.) Twenty-five branches--

--of the Association are represented at the march-past,--

--during which Her Royal Highness as Colonel-in-Chief--

--takes the salute. Indeed a Royal day for the Regiment !