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The following Addresses having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Robert Peel, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by the several persons whose names are respectively subscribed to each Address, were presented by him to his Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's faithful, loyal, and devoted subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Ancient and Royal Burgh of Annan, join in the general voice of congratulation which all ranks of your Majesty's subjects in Scotland hasten to convey to your Majesty on your Majesty's first visit to the ancient metropolis of their country, and to assure your Majesty of our firm and lasting attachment to the illustrious House of Brunswick, which we pray may long reign over a free, loyal, happy, and united people.

Signed by appointment of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Annan.

ROB. DICKSON, Provost.
Annan, 8th August, 1822.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty,

The Loyal Address of the Astronomical Institution of Edinburgh.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Astronomical Institution of Edinburgh, beg leave to approach your Majesty, and to join in the universal acclamation of gratitude and joy which resounds throughout your ancient kingdom of Scotland, on the happy occasion of your Majesty's arrival.

Associated for the advancement of that science which directs the strength and the glory of your Majesty's arms to the most remote corners of the

earth, and which enables your enterprising subjects to render your empire the richest and the mightiest in the world, we feel it our duty thus to offer to our Monarch the expression of our ardent desire that your Majesty may long live to fill that throne from which your august patronage to every thing connected with the extension of useful knowledge is so graciously and so bountifully dispensed.

Signed in the name of the Astronomical Institution, and by their authority, at Edinburgh, the 16th day of August 1822.

G. S. MACKENZIE, Baronet, President.

[Transmitted by Sir G. S. Mackenzie, Baronet.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

SIRE,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Bailiffs, Burgesses, Inhabitants, and Visitants of and in the town of Scarborough, humbly beg leave to tender our unfeigned allegiance and unalterable attachment to your Majesty's person and government.

On this, your Majesty's natal day, ever dear to Britain, we hail with sincerest joy and welcome your Majesty's auspicious approach to the shores of your ancient and loyal borough. Happy, indeed, should we have been, if the fatigues of a sea voyage could have been alleviated by your Majesty's condescending to visit this scene of former royal munificence, where your illustrious predecessors have reposed in security, and where the standard of loyalty and attachment to the monarch has waved uniformly and proudly pre-eminent.

May your Majesty's reign be long, prosperous, and happy.

Signed at Scarborough, this 12th day of August 1822, in the third year of your Majesty's reign.

HENRY COOKE, } Bailiffs.
ROBT. MARFLITT, }

Signed on behalf of the Meeting.

[Transmitted by H. Cooke and Robert Marflitt, Esquires.]

Unto the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's affectionate and loyal subjects, the Commissioners of Police of Gorbals, beg leave to tender to your Majesty our sincere and dutiful congratulations on your arrival in the capital of your Majesty's ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We hail your Majesty's gracious visit as an additional proof of your Majesty's anxious desire to promote the welfare and happiness of your subjects; and as Scotchmen we recognize, with peculiar pleasure, in your Majesty's illustrious person, the lineal descendant of an extended line of Scottish princes.

While we solicit permission to assure your Majesty of our unshaken attachment to your Majesty's person and government, we beg leave to express our ardent wishes that your Majesty's valuable life may be long spared, as a blessing to your faithful subjects.

Signed in our name and presence, by our appointment, and with our seal, at Gorbals, the 12th day of August 1822.

ROBERT CHAPMAN, Senior Commissioner.

[Transmitted by the Clerk of Police.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's ever faithful, dutiful, and loyal subjects, the Provost, Bailies, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Burgh of Barony of Helensburgh, beg leave respectfully to approach your Majesty's sacred person and throne with the most sincere and unfeigned expression of our fidelity and attachment, and to express our cordial participation in the universal joy which your Majesty's gracious visit to this your ancient Kingdom of Scotland is calculated to inspire.

That your Majesty may be long preserved to adorn the throne of these realms, and to wield

the sceptre over a loyal, a free, and a happy people, is our fervent wish and prayer.

Signed in name and by appointment of the meeting, at Helensburgh, the 10th day of August 1822, by

JACOB DIXON, Provost.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Councillors of your Majesty's royal Burgh of Dumbarton, humbly beg leave to approach your Majesty, and to express that the inhabitants of this Burgh fully participate in the enthusiastic joy which your Majesty's presence in Scotland has inspired among all classes of persons in that part of your Majesty's dominions.

We humbly beg leave to offer our sincere congratulations on your Majesty's safe arrival in the metropolis of the ancient Kingdom of Scotland; and at the same time to assure your Majesty, that the inhabitants of this burgh are impressed with feelings of the most ardent loyalty and devoted attachment to your Majesty's person and government.

We earnestly pray, that the British empire may be long ruled and protected by your Majesty, under whose wise, beneficent, and effective government, your Majesty's subjects enjoy so much happiness, and so many blessings.

Signed in name and by appointment of the other Magistrates and Councillors in Council assembled, and the Corporation seal ordered to be appended hereto, at Dumbarton, the 12th day of August 1822 years:

JACOB DIXON, Chief Magistrate.

[Transmitted by the Chief Magistrate.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Inverberrie, assembled in our Town-Hall, for the purpose of hailing your Majesty's expected arrival in this part of the united kingdom, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty's person with our felicitations on the proud occasion of Scotland being honoured for the first time with the presence of a Sovereign of the House of Brunswick.

Deign, Sire, to accept of our warmest assurances of loyalty and affection to your Majesty's sacred person, sentiments ever alive in our hearts, but more particularly excited and called forth by the near approach of our beloved Monarch.

While we cannot but feel highly gratified by this mark of royal favour, we trust that the opportunity which the present visit will afford to your Majesty of becoming more intimately acquainted with the character of the inhabitants of this northern part of the realm, will make a favourable impression on your royal mind, though we feel assured that your Majesty required no additional testimony that your Caledonian subjects yield not to their countrymen in any part of the British dominions, in devotion and attachment to your august family and government.

Fortuitously assembled on this the Anniversary of our King's Nativity, a day auspicious to Britons, we humbly offer to your Majesty our congratulations on the occasion, accompanied by our most fervent prayers, that your reign may be long and prosperous over a people duly valuing the advantages they derive from our envied constitution.

Thus signed by our appointment, and the Town-Seal hereto affixed, at Inverberrie, the 12th day of August 1822.

JAMES FARQUHAR, Provost.

[Transmitted by James Farquhar Esq. Provost.]

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Dingwall, venture to approach your Majesty's most sacred person with the expression of our deepest respect. We congratulate your Majesty upon your most auspicious and welcome arrival in the ancient capital of your Scottish dominions, and hail with delight this flattering testimony of your Majesty's confidence in the loyalty of Scotchmen. Our national pride is exalted in having among us, in your Majesty's august person, the lineal descendant of our ancient and native race of Kings.

Sensible of the manifold blessings which, as a nation, we have enjoyed under the mild and free government of the august House of Brunswick, we fervently pray for a continuance of them under the same happy auspices and gracious family; and in a more particular manner, we pray for your Majesty's personal welfare and safety: And though the remoteness of our situation forbids us the hope of sharing with our southern fellow-subjects the happiness of beholding your Majesty's person, we, with confident humility, assure your Majesty, that a loyalty and attachment not inferior to theirs pervade the inhabitants of this, certainly not one of the largest, though one of your Majesty's most ancient Burghs in Scotland.

With sentiments of loyalty, devotion, and respect, we subscribe ourselves your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and by our appointment, by

J. A. STEWART MACKENZIE, Provost.

Dingwall, 5th August 1822.

[Transmitted by J. A. Stewart Mackenzie, Esq. Provost.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Presidents and Members of the Royal Physical Society of Edinburgh, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty's sacred person with our most sincere congratulations on your happy arrival in this your Majesty's ancient metropolis of Scotland; an event in which all ranks of your Majesty's people of Scotland are so joyfully interested.

We, availing ourselves of this auspicious moment, and grateful for the privilege which, as a literary chartered body, we have so long enjoyed, beg leave to express more fully how fervently we rejoice at the arrival of that happy period which sees your Majesty in Princely condescension now among us.

That your Majesty may long continue to sway the sceptre of these kingdoms, and extend that fostering aid and protection to the arts and sciences of this country, by which it has been raised to its present pre-eminence, is the sincere and heartfelt prayer of your Majesty's loyal and affectionate subjects, the Presidents and Members of the Royal Physical Society.

GEORGE TURNER, M. D. President.

JOHN RANDAL PHILLIPS, President.

GEORGE WILDE, M. D. Thesaurar.

[Transmitted by Dr. Turner, President.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The Loyal and dutiful Address of the Proprietors and Inhabitants of the Eight Southern Districts of Edinburgh, incorporated by Act of Parliament.

May it please your Majesty,

Deeply impressed with a sense of the honour which your Majesty's visit confers upon us, We beg permission, along with the other classes of the

community, affectionately to congratulate your Majesty on your arrival in the metropolis of your dominions of North Britain, and to express our unfeigned attachment to your Majesty's royal person.

Venerating, as we do, our excellent constitution, we look back, with most grateful feelings, to that period of the history of our country, which places your august family upon the throne of our realms. It is highly pleasing to observe that numerous monuments of art and industry, which have been reared in almost every part of the empire,—those attainments in literature and science which elevate and adorn society,—and that general refinement and enlargement of mind, which are the natural offspring of the liberal institutions so happily guaranteed to us by the illustrious House of Hanover.

We hail your Majesty's visit to this part of your dominions as an event most auspicious, tending to confirm the sacred bond of union betwixt your Majesty and your subjects of every class; and we beg leave humbly to tender our most earnest wishes for the health and prosperity of your Majesty, and of every branch of your illustrious family; and that your Majesty may, under the blessing of Almighty God, long reign over a free, loyal, and happy people.

Signed by our Convener, in our name and presence, and by our appointment, this 7th day of August 1822.

GEORGE MILLER, Convener.

[Transmitted by Mr. George Miller, Convener.]

Unto the King's Most Excellent Majesty,

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Faculty of Procurators in Greenock.

May it please your Majesty,

We, the members of the Faculty of Procurators in Greenock, gladly avail ourselves of your Majesty's welcome visit to your ancient kingdom and capital of Scotland, to offer the expression of those sentiments of fidelity and attachment to your Majesty's person and family, which, as loyal subjects, we always entertain, but the warmth and attendance of which this auspicious event serves to strengthen and excite.

In visiting Scotland, your Majesty pays its native inhabitants the greatest compliment they can possibly receive; and a just sense of your benignity towards your northern subjects is everywhere felt and expressed, the knowledge of which, we doubt not, must prove a source of pleasing emotions to your Majesty.

Amid the proud and patriotic associations of the ancient dignity and independence of their native land, which the royal presence and court at Holyrood are calculated to awaken, there will, we are well persuaded, be cherished in the minds of all true Scotsmen, a sentiment of faithful loyalty to your Majesty as the rightful sovereign of these realms, and as the true descendant and representative of the most renowned of our ancient Caledonian Kings.

That the Almighty may bless your Majesty, and preserve you long to reign in peace and in prosperity over a free, a loyal, and a happy people, is the sincere and earnest prayer of, may it please your Majesty, your dutiful and loyal subjects, the members of the Faculty of Procurators in Greenock.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Faculty, by our Dean, this 13th day of August 1822.

HUGH CRAWFORD, D. E.

[Transmitted by Hugh Crawford, Esquire, Dean of the Faculty.]

Unto his Most Excellent Majesty King George the Fourth,

The dutiful Address of his Majesty's Royal Company of Archers.

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful sub-

jects, the Royal Company of Archers, most humbly beg leave to offer our sincere and joyful congratulations to your Majesty on your safe arrival in this kingdom.

The Royal Company of Archers, established near a century and a half ago, under the patronage of royal ancestors, for the purpose of encouraging the practice of the ancient science of Archery, long cherished the hope, that on the arrival of the Sovereign in this kingdom, we might be allowed to evince our loyalty, by being permitted to guard his Royal Person. This hope has been amply fulfilled by your Majesty's gracious command to the Royal Company to attend your royal person on this joyful occasion of the first visit paid by your Majesty to your ancient kingdom of Scotland. Proud of this distinction, and impressed with the warmest feelings of gratitude for the high honour thus conferred on us, we presume to approach your Majesty with the assurances of our unfeigned attachment to your Majesty's royal person, and our unbounded loyalty to the crown and constitution.

Signed in our name and by our appointment by

HOPETOUN, Captain-General.

[Transmitted by the Earl of Hopetoun.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Magistrate, Town-Trustees, Clergymen, Gentlemen, Incorporated Trades, and other Inhabitants of the Town of Dalkeith and its vicinity, beg leave humbly to testify to your Majesty our unfeigned joy at your Majesty's arrival in this part of your dominions, and the sincere pleasure afforded us by the selection your Majesty has graciously made of Dalkeith for your Majesty's royal residence, an honour which will long be our proudest boast.

We entreat to lay at your Majesty's feet the homage of our attachment to your Majesty's person, and the illustrious House of Hanover.

We rejoice in being permitted to behold our beloved monarch, who so nobly supports the civil and religious privileges secured to us by your Majesty's paternal government. We most earnestly hope your Majesty's visit to this distant, but warmly attached, portion of your Majesty's dominions, will be productive of as much satisfaction to your Majesty, as to us, your loyal subjects, it is the source of the highest gratification.

Signed by our appointment.

W. M. TAIT, Magistrate and Preses of the Meeting.
Dalkeith, 15th August 1822.

[Transmitted by Mr. Wm. Tait.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Borough of New Galloway, in our Town-Hall assembled, beg leave to approach your Majesty with renewed assurances of loyalty and attachment, and to welcome with joy your Majesty's gracious visit to Scotland.

We congratulate our Sovereign on being the first whose benign policy has thus conducted him into the midst of his northern subjects, and the first who has personally witnessed their advancement in all the sciences and social blessings fostered by a liberal government, and given their prosperity an honourable era by his royal presence.

May this be the commencement of a long and happy series of such interviews between a paternal monarch and an enlightened people; may it be the example, as it will be the admiration, of posterity; and may the remote province of Galloway, which is still rich in traces of our ancient kings,

be distinguished also by the footsteps of their illustrious descendant.

Signed at New Galloway, the 7th day of August, in the year 1822.

JOHN MURRAY, Provost.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's faithful and devoted subjects, the Magistrates and Councillors of the Borough of Kirkcudbright, impressed with sentiments of unbounded veneration for your Majesty's royal person and government, and of unalterable attachment to your royal house and family, most humbly beg leave to approach your royal presence, to tender to your Majesty our hearty and dutiful congratulations on your Majesty's auspicious arrival in the ancient kingdom of your royal ancestors.

Whilst the acclamations of assembled thousands welcome your Majesty to the metropolis of your Scottish dominions, and pour out before you the united tribute of a people's love, we hail in the sacred person of your Majesty the illustrious descendant of our renowned and immortal Bruce, who conquered and secured for Scotland those liberties which it is the glory of your Majesty to protect and perpetuate.

The Scottish nation, devoted in her loyalty to her sovereign, as she is constant in that valour and heroism with which she is ever ready to assert the right and the dignity of his crown, prays that your Majesty may enjoy a long, a prosperous, and a happy reign; that the crown of these realms may descend in your royal family to the latest posterity; and that your Majesty may often revisit the ancient palaces of Caledonia, to receive the renewed testimonies of that spontaneous, enthusiastic, and universal homage, which is greeting your Majesty from every corner of the land; which it is the pride and the happiness of a free-born, a high-minded, and a generous people, to pay to their beloved king; and which your Majesty knows so well how to appreciate.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and by our appointment, at Kirkcudbright, the 10th day of August, in the year 1822, by

JAS. BURNIE, Provost.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Gentlemen, Freeholders, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Bute, beg leave to approach your Majesty, and to express those sentiments of allegiance and respectful attachment which are due to your sacred person and government upon the happy occasion of your Majesty's arrival in your Scotch dominions, an event which must make a lasting impression, and tend to confirm that love and veneration already so deeply rooted in the hearts of your faithful people.

That your Majesty may long live to be a blessing and a father to your grateful subjects, and the admiration of the world, is our sincere prayer.

Signed in name, and by appointment of the meeting, at Rothesay, the 8th day of August 1822.

ARCHD. MOORE, Vice-Lieut. & Convener.

[Transmitted by Archibald Moore, Esquire, Vice-Lieutenant of the County.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Rothesay.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects,

the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Borough of Rothesay, in council assembled, most humbly present to your Majesty our heartfelt congratulations on the joyful event of your gracious visit to your ancient Kingdom of Scotland, and to renew the assurance of our unalterable attachment to your Majesty's sacred person and government, being at the same time proud of the claim of peculiar interest in your Majesty, from your having so long borne the title of Duke of Rothesay, and indulging the hope that on another occasion your Majesty may be able to honour this favoured spot with a visit.

Sensible of the high honour thus conferred on all ranks of your Scottish subjects, and how essential to their welfare and happiness is the life of your Majesty, we pray to God that he will continue it under his Almighty protection.

Signed in name and by appointment of the meeting, at Rothesay, this 8th day of August 1822.

ARCHD. MOORE.

JOHN MACKINLAY.

[Transmitted by Archibald Moore, Esq. Chief Magistrate.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Right Worshipful Master, Depute Master, Senior and Junior Wardens, and Brethren of the Aberdeen Lodge of Freemasons.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most affectionate and loyal subjects, the Right Worshipful Master, Depute Master, Senior and Junior Wardens, and Brethren of the Aberdeen Lodge of Freemasons, assembled on the joyful occasion of the anniversary of your Majesty's birth-day, beg leave humbly to offer our most sincere congratulations to your Majesty upon your arrival in this Kingdom.

We beg to assure your Majesty that your royal patronage of the ancient and renowned craft has inspired us with the highest gratitude for so conspicuous a mark of your royal favour; and that your Majesty's gracious encouragement of those virtues which adorn humanity, and add lustre to earthly crowns, has filled our minds with that brotherly affection and regard for your Majesty's sacred person which we trust will ever animate all ranks of your Majesty's subjects; and while we look forward to the increase of that peace, concord, and good will to mankind which distinguish this Craft, we rejoice to think that your Majesty's bright example must incite all to cherish the same sentiments of love and charity.

That your Majesty's life may be long preserved, and your government more and more established over a free, loyal, and happy people, is our most sincere and ardent prayer.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, in a Lodge duly constituted, and our common seal hereto affixed, at Aberdeen, the 12th day of August, in the year of our Lord 1822, and of Light 5826, by

ALEX. LOW, Master.

[Transmitted by Alexander Low, Esq. Master.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the United Towns of Port-Glasgow and Newark.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the united Towns of Port-Glasgow and Newark, beg leave to offer to your Majesty our warmest congratu-

tulations on the occasion of your gracious visit to the capital of your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

And while we humbly beg leave again to express those unfeigned sentiments of attachment to your Majesty's royal person and family, and those assurances of our strenuous support in upholding your Majesty's government, which we have had the honour to present on former occasions, permit us, at same time, to state to your Majesty our conviction, that the visit you have now graciously condescended to make, will tend to attach all hearts to your Majesty, and to cement still more closely that bond of union and unanimity, so happily subsisting in your Majesty's kingdom of Great Britain.

That your Majesty may be long spared to reign over a free, a loyal, and a happy people, and that your reign may be prosperous, is the sincere prayer of your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Magistrates and Council in council assembled, within the Council-Chamber of Port-Glasgow, by me, the Chief Magistrate, and the Common Seal of the said Towns appended, this 13th day of August 1822.

JAMES M'LEAN, Chief Magistrate.

[Transmitted by the Magistrates.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Principal, Baillie Court, and Remanent Members of the Ancient Fraternity of Chapmen of the Counties of Stirling and Clackmannan in general meeting assembled, beg leave, in common with our fellow-subjects, to offer to your Majesty our most respectful congratulations on the happy arrival of your Majesty in this ancient quarter of your dominions.

While we feel as Scotsmen the unparalleled renown which the British arms have attained under your Majesty's auspices, we must also particularly express our grateful sense of the protection which the trade and commerce of Scotland have experienced under equal laws wisely administered.

We highly appreciate the honour conferred on Scotland by your Majesty's condescending to visit us, nor are we insensible of the advantages which our industrious traders and ingenious mechanics must derive from your Majesty's most gracious countenance.

That your Majesty may long continue to reign over us in prosperity and happiness, and that we may be often favoured with your Majesty's parental visits, is our sincere wish and prayer.

DAVID FORRESTER, P.

Signed in our presence and by our authority, by David Forrester, Esquire, our Principal, within the Guildhall of Stirling, this 7th day of August 1822, and by our authority the Seal of the Fraternity is hereto affixed.

[Transmitted by David Forrester, Esquire, Principal.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most faithful subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of your royal Burgh of Kirkwall, beg leave, upon the occasion of your Majesty's gracious visit to your ancient kingdom of Scotland, humbly to approach your Throne with the homage of our loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's person and government.

The visit of the British Monarch, as Scotland's King, to the seat of his ancestors, we consider an auspicious event, expressive of your Majesty's paternal interest in your people of Scotland, to whom your royal presence is so highly gratifying, and

well calculated to awaken every recollection of the firmness, energy, and wisdom of your Majesty's character and government, which, under Divine Providence, have given such lustre of moral elevation to the British name.

In our humble tribute to the acclaim of jubilee and of welcome with which a free nation now hails your arrival amongst them, we recognise it as our happiness and glory to belong to your great empire, and to share the blessings of our excellent constitution, which is by surrounding nations admired as the noblest structure of the human mind, and emulated by them in distant and defective imitations.

That your Majesty may return in safety to your residence in the sister kingdom, with augmented impressions of Scottish loyalty and character, long to reign in the hearts of all your subjects, is our ardent wish and prayer.

Signed in name, presence, and by appointment of the Magistrates and Council of Kirkwall.

THOMAS POLLEXFEN, Provost.

[Transmitted by John Mitchell, Esquire, Town-Clerk.]

To his Most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the President, Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, Recorder, and Directors of the Paisley Philosophical Institution, do, in all the warmth and sincerity of our hearts, congratulate your Majesty on your present most welcome and gracious visit to your ancient realm of Scotland.

In common with our fellow-subjects, we have experienced the manifold blessings which your mild and beneficent reign hath conferred on all ranks within your Majesty's most happy and prosperous dominions: We would be wanting in a due sense of gratitude for these blessings, did we omit, in this season of universal gladness, to express how inviolable hath been our attachment to your Majesty's most sacred person, and how firm and unshaken our confidence in your Majesty's government.

We well know, also, how to appreciate the steady and munificent patronage which your Majesty hath ever extended to those societies of men, in all parts of your Majesty's dominions, who have distinguished themselves by their love of literature, and benefited the nation by their discoveries and improvements in the sciences and arts, thereby building the glory of your reign, no less upon the splendour of your victorious arms and successful negotiations abroad, than upon the solid good diffused among your subjects by thus protecting and encouraging science and the peaceful and useful arts at home.

That your Majesty may long live to reign over a free and happy people, is the earnest wish and constant prayer of your Majesty's liege subjects, the President, Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, Recorder, and Directors of the Paisley Philosophical Institution.

Signed and sealed at Paisley this 10th day of August 1822.

GEO. MILLER,	President.
WM. WATERSTON,	} Vice-Presidents.
JOSEPH M'LEOD,	
W. MOTHERWELL,	Secretary.
WM. PATON,	Treasurer.
P. LAWSON,	Recorder.
ROBT. LAIRD,	} Directors.
JAS. KERR, M. D.	
JAS. BARCLAY,	
JOHN STEELE,	
ANDW. YOUNG,	

[Transmitted by W. Motherwell, Esquire, Secretary.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Deacon and Directors of the Corporation of Master Weavers of Paisley, beg leave to offer to your Majesty our humble congratulations on this your most gracious visit to the ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We feel sincerely grateful to your Majesty for the numerous blessings which we enjoy, in common with our countrymen, under your mild and paternal rule; and while we earnestly pray that your Majesty's reign may be long and prosperous, we trust that it will continue to be attended by the affections of your people.

Signed in our name and presence, and by our appointment, this 10th day of August 1822, by

WILLIAM WYLIE, Deacon.

[Transmitted by William Wylie, Esquire, Deacon.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Council of the Town of Kilmarnock, in Common Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Council of the Burgh of Kilmarnock, entreat your Majesty to accept our cordial and respectful congratulations on your safe arrival in the capital of your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

This gracious visit, so ardently wished for, is extremely gratifying to all classes of your Majesty's loyal Scottish subjects, who yield to none in the warm attachment which they feel to your sacred person and government.

And that the royal visit may be attended with reciprocal enjoyment and beneficial advantage to both monarch and people, and that your Majesty's reign may long continue glorious and prosperous, is our most fervent prayer.

Signed in name and by appointment of Council, by

WILLIAM BROWN, }
THO. GREENSHIELDS, } Magistrates.

[Transmitted by William Brown and Thomas Greenshields, Esquires, Magistrates.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Gracious Sir,

We, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Commissioners of Police of the City of Glasgow, humbly beg to be permitted to offer our hearty congratulations on the arrival of your Majesty in this your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We cannot express to your Majesty, how gratefully we feel for this proof of your parental attachment to the interests of your people, far less can we express how deeply we are indebted to your Majesty for the anxiety invariably shewn, since Providence placed you on the throne of these realms, not only to disseminate the blessings of peace, but also to witness, in your own gracious person, the extension of these blessings all over the British empire.

We cannot but reflect with pleasure, that the royal visit with which we are now honoured, is performed under much happier auspices than any former one; and that during the two centuries that have elapsed since Scotland was last honoured with the presence of royalty, your Scottish subjects have, under the influence of the liberal and enlightened government of your Majesty's illustrious House, improved in commerce, in science, in arts, and in arms, and now hold a conspicuous place among the civilized people of the world.

As citizens of Glasgow, we may be permitted to say, that had it been consistent with your Majesty's arrangements to have visited this city, it would have been highly gratifying to your Majesty's feelings, to have marked the prosperity which its inhabitants now enjoy, and which we are proud to ascribe, under Divine Providence, to the wisdom of the councils of your Majesty and your royal father; and should your Majesty on this, or any future occasion, condescend to visit the city of Glasgow, it will be the pride of its inhabitants to shew to your Majesty the affectionate loyalty they so ardently feel.

With the most sincere wishes for your Majesty's health, and that it may please Providence to spare you to a good old age, to reign over an affectionate people,

We remain, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commissioners of the Board of Police of the City of Glasgow.

Signed in the name, and by the permission of all the Members of the Board,

THOMAS NEILSON.

Police Chambers, 8th August 1822.

[Transmitted by the Lord Provost of Glasgow.]

At Urray, the 5th August 1822.

To his Most Gracious Majesty the KING.

May it please your Majesty,

We, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Dingwall, beg leave to approach your Majesty's presence with sentiments of unfeigned loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's person and government,—congratulating your Majesty on your arrival in this part of your kingdom,—an event which we, in common with all our fellow-citizens, consider as a gracious proof of your regard for the welfare and happiness of all your Majesty's subjects.

We rejoice to testify, that among all classes of people within the bounds of this Presbytery there exists an unanimous feeling of gratitude to your Majesty, unalloyed with the slightest tendency to any of those unhappy sentiments or feelings which have existed in other corners of the country, and that they appreciate fully the wisdom, mildness, and discretion with which your Majesty's counselors have been pleased to express their disapprobation of the spirit of misrule and discontent which has been their baneful effects among too many of our fellow-subjects in other parts of the realm. We have also the happiness to state, that no attempts have hitherto been made, by any class of people in this corner, to disseminate sentiments and publications injurious to the peace, prosperity, and welfare of your Majesty's subjects around us;—and we beg to assure your Majesty, that we shall, with assiduity, zeal, and perseverance, use every means in our power for suppressing every sentiment which may oppose the happiness and prosperity of the people among whom we labour, and of instilling into their minds sentiments of loyalty and affection to your Majesty's person, and to the laws and constitution of the country from which such invaluable blessings have been derived to us in common with all your Majesty's subjects in this part of the kingdom.

That your Majesty may long be spared to reign over a free, loyal, and prosperous people, is the fervent prayer and sincere wish of your Majesty's devoted and attached subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Dingwall.

Signed in name, presence, and by appointment of the Presbytery, by

DOND. MACKENZIE, Moderator.

[Transmitted by John Hope, Esq.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Members of the Presbytery of Dalkeith, humbly beg leave to congratulate your Majesty

upon your arrival in this country, and particularly in this place, the seat of our Presbytery. We have looked forward with the greatest pleasure to your Majesty's intended visit to Scotland; and we now feel singularly gratified on seeing amongst us a Sovereign to whom we are all so highly indebted. We reflect with much gratitude upon the blessings we have enjoyed under your Majesty's regency and reign. During a period of unexampled difficulties, the wisdom and vigour of your Majesty's councils were found fully equal to them, and have conducted us through that trying scene to a state of peace and security. With much satisfaction we still witness the same fatherly care which watched over the true interests of your people in the midst of dangers so appalling, anxiously seeking to alleviate those burdens which a period of such difficulty had rendered unavoidable.

As the ministers of the Gospel of Christ, we feel infinitely indebted to your Majesty for those assurances which, from time to time, you have graciously condescended to give us of supporting that particular form of church government which is established in this country; and we feel most grateful for the means afforded us, through your Majesty's bounty, of extending and perpetuating those blessings which, under it, we, with the people committed to our care, have the happiness to enjoy.

That your Majesty may long reign in the hearts of your loyal subjects; and, after a life employed in promoting their happiness and improvement, have at last, through the merits of our Blessed Redeemer, bestowed upon you an everlasting crown, is the earnest prayer of, May it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Members of the Presbytery of Dalkeith.

Signed in our presence, in our name, and at our appointment, at Dalkeith, the 13th day of August 1822.

WALTER FISHER, Moderator.

[Transmitted by the Reverend Walter Fisher.]

Unto the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Burgesses of Inverness.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Burgesses of the Royal Burgh of Inverness, cordially congratulate your Majesty on your safe arrival in the capital of our native country.

We highly prize the benignity of mind which led your Majesty to gratify the people of Scotland with your gracious presence; and we trust, that the reception your Majesty is now experiencing will be some inducement soon to revisit a nation, whose liberties were so gloriously secured by the events leading to the accession of the House of Brunswick to the British throne.

And, in the anxious hope of yet seeing your Majesty even in this northern portion of the Empire, we most heartily join the whole of our fellow-subjects in praying that your Majesty may long live, the Chief Magistrate of a great and free people.

Signed at a public meeting, held this 10th day of August, in the year 1822, within the Burgh of Inverness, at our desire, and in our name and behalf.

JAMES GRAY, Preses.

[Transmitted by D. Chisholm, Esq.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Dumfries, in Common Council assembled, impressed with sentiments of unbounded veneration for your most sacred person and government, beg leave to embrace the earliest moment, with hearts overflowing with joy, to congratulate your Majesty on your safe arrival in your ancient hereditary kingdom of Scotland.

Truly devoted to your illustrious house, we shall ever remember with affectionate delight the auspicious and happy day which blessed our nation with the presence of a beloved Monarch, whose virtues are justly the theme of praise from the prince to the peasant, and whose throne is seated in the hearts of a grateful, affectionate, and loyal people.

It is, Sire, our most fervent prayer that you may be long preserved to the kingdoms over which you rule, and that princes of your royal line may reign over us to the latest posterity.

Signed and sealed in our presence and by our appointment, by

JOHN KERR, Provost.

Council-Chamber 8th August 1822.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Calton of Glasgow, in Council assembled, beg leave humbly to approach the throne, and, with sentiments of the strongest loyalty, affection, and attachment to your Majesty's royal person and government, to offer our sincere congratulations upon your Majesty's arrival in the capital of our native country.

Upwards of a century and a half, Sire, have elapsed since the people of Scotland have had the happiness and satisfaction of seeing their Sovereign amongst them, and within the walls of the ancient Palace of their Kings, your Majesty's royal ancestors.

Since that period the improvements of this kingdom have been great and manifold, her prosperity increasing with the liberty she enjoyed under your Majesty's illustrious ancestors.

We cannot but see, and it is with proud feelings of gratitude we acknowledge it, that it was under the paternal sway of your royal father, and more especially under your Majesty's own transcendent and glorious regency and reign that these improvements have chiefly taken place; for, during that time, the prosperity of our native country has been most conspicuous and great in sciences, arts, and arms.

Allow us, Sire, farther to express the delight and satisfaction which we feel, in common with all your Majesty's faithful subjects, at this act of your royal condescension to Scotland, in your Majesty's coming amongst us, as a father amongst his children, looking only and confiding entirely in the affections and loyalty of your Majesty's subjects as your Majesty's guards and protectors.

And that your Majesty may long continue to reign over a free and happy people, and live to support the honour, glory, and dignity of the British Empire, raised by the vigour and wisdom and justice of your Majesty's councils to such an unprecedented height of strength, greatness, and renown, the envy of surrounding nations, the deliverer of all of them, and the admiration of the world, is the ardent and sincere prayer of your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects.

Signed in our name, and by our authority, and sealed with our common seal, at Calton of Glasgow, the 5th day of August in the year of our Lord 1822.

NATH. STEVENSON, Provost.

[Transmitted by the Provost.]

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs and Burgesses of the Borough of Berwick-on-Tweed, in Guild assembled, beg to offer our sincere congratulations on your Majesty's near approach to our shores. Proud as we should have felt, had your Majesty been graciously pleased to honour this Borough with your

royal presence, which has not unfrequently been the residence of Kings, and the scene of many highly important national events; yet the recollection of favours conferred on our ancestors by the munificence of a Monarch who first swayed the united sceptre of Great Britain, and perpetuated to us their descendants, by the protection, and bounty of your Majesty and the illustrious predecessors of your family, prompts us on this occasion to the expression of our dutiful attachment to your person. Although we do not constitute an integral part of Scotland, yet the proximity of this borough, its geographical position, and early relations to that kingdom render us anxious to share at least the reflection of that honour, which being diffused from your royal presence, cannot fail to call forth a correspondence of grateful feeling and joy from the remotest village in that kingdom, and even from its borders: And it is indeed a fact worthy of being recorded in the brightest page of our annals, that this day was distinguished by the arrival of your Majesty within the jurisdiction of our port.

May your Majesty long continue to receive the assurance of their attachment, and to witness the flow of their affection, from a great, loyal, and independent people.

Given under our common seal, at the borough of Berwick aforesaid, the 13th day of August in the year of our Lord 1822, and in the third year of your Majesty's most gracious reign.

THOS. JR. STEEL, Mayor.

[Transmitted by the Mayor.]

(To be continued).

HOLYROOD HOUSE—August 17, 1822.

The following Addresses were this day presented to the King, which his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.—

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Berwick, warmly partaking of the general joy which your royal presence in this country has so widely diffused, entreat your Majesty to accept our heartfelt congratulations on your arrival in the metropolis of Scotland.

During the course of those changeful and momentous events which have characterized the era of your royal government, we have never had occasion, either in the hour of doubtful danger, or of exulting triumph, to offer our humble duty to your Majesty with more grateful sensations than at present, when we have the happiness of seeing a British monarch once more in the capital of this his ancient kingdom.

In former periods of English and Scottish history, the immediate district which we inhabit, and which we now see enriched with all the luxuriance of an abundant harvest, was the constant theatre of war, and of the rivalry of contending faction; and though the conflict of two brave and opposing nations might occasionally lead to the creation of a spirit of generous chivalry, yet such a state of things was equally destructive to the splendour and happiness of the monarch, and to the welfare and prosperity of his subjects. A royal alliance of your Majesty's ancestors at length effected the great and important union of the crowns, while a later period beheld the consolidation of the natural strength of the British empire by the union of the kingdoms. But it was reserved for your Majesty's reign, and that of your royal and illustrious father, to witness the triumph of that consolidated power, and to see Great Bri-

tain assume that distinguished attitude, which she is so justly entitled to call her own, among the nations. That such an object has been attained, by the firm and generous resolution of our sovereign, and the wisdom of his councils, can never be obliterated from our recollection, and is already written on the brightest pages of recording history, where future generations may learn the imperishable truth, of how much may be accomplished by the united efforts of a loyal people, directed by a patriot king.

No monarch of England was ever known to pass to the north of our Scottish border under such happy and auspicious circumstances; and, impressed with the deepest feelings of loyalty and attachment, we bid your Majesty a warm and a cordial welcome to Scotland.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, by Alexander Earl of Home, Lord Lieutenant of the County, and Preses of the Meeting.

HOME.

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Merchants House of the City of Glasgow, gladly hasten to offer to your Majesty, in whose august person we recognise the lineal descendant of our native princes, our most respectful, dutiful, and cordial congratulations on your Majesty's arrival in your ancient Kingdom of Scotland; and we unite with all classes of our fellow-subjects in the expression of the patriotic ardour, and of the loyal enthusiasm, with which we hail this auspicious event.

Remembering with the liveliest emotions of gratitude that the Sovereigns of your illustrious house have ever stood forth the firm supporters of the admirable system of equal law, and rational liberty, by which the prosperity of this nation has been so eminently advanced under their mild and equitable sway, we beg, on this joyful occasion, to renew the assurances of our devoted attachment to your royal person and august family; and humbly pray Almighty God that your Majesty may long be preserved the beloved and honoured Sovereign of a people distinguished for loyalty, happiness, and freedom.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, and the Seal of the Corporation hereto affixed, at Glasgow, this 6th day of August 1822.

WILLIAM SMITH, Dean of Guild.

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's faithful and devoted subjects, the Convener, Collector, Deacons, and Visitor of the Fourteen Incorporated Trades, and the other Ordinary and Extraordinary Members of the Trades House of the City of Glasgow, impressed with every sentiment of veneration for your Majesty's sacred person and government, beg leave to embrace the earliest opportunity of tendering to your Majesty our dutiful and most heartfelt congratulations on your arrival in the metropolis of your Majesty's Scottish dominions.

We hail with gratitude this most distinguished mark of your Majesty's condescension and goodness, and fondly entertain the hope, that, upon another occasion, your Majesty will confer a like honour upon your affectionate and grateful people in your ancient city of Glasgow, where, we are confident, your Majesty will be received with that loyalty and respect by all classes of the inhabitants, so justly due to a Sovereign under whom the nation has enjoyed so many blessings, and whose first ambition has uniformly been to reign in the affections of all his people:

Signed and sealed, in name, presence, and by appointment of the House, in their hall assembled, at Glasgow, the 2d day of August 1822 years.

JAS. HUNTER, Convener.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town-Council of your ancient royal burgh of Stirling, humbly beg leave to approach your sacred person with our warmest congratulations on your Majesty's auspicious arrival in the capital and palace of your forefathers.

Deeply impressed with the numberless advantages which the British empire has enjoyed under the mild sway of the house of Brunswick, and pre-eminently so under your Majesty, who has, by the blessing of Divine Providence, carried its military glory and its success in the arts of peace to a pitch never before equalled, we entertain the liveliest sense of the honour which your subjects of this part of the united kingdom now receive, in seeing your Majesty among them, exercising your paternal regard, and displaying those high personal endowments which have given an additional lustre to the Throne they adorn.

It would afford your faithful subjects still greater satisfaction could they be permitted to testify, their firm attachment to your Majesty's person and government, not only in the capital of Scotland, but in your ancient burgh and castle of Stirling, for many ages a favourite residence of our Scottish kings, your ancestors, and which, from its romantic situation, its remains of architectural grandeur, and unrivalled magnificence of prospect, we venture to consider as not unworthy of your royal notice.

That your Majesty may very long reign happily over a free, intelligent, and loyal people, and may frequently honour this northern portion of the empire with your august presence, is, Most Gracious Sovereign, our sincere prayer.

Signed in our name, and by our authority, by John Thomson, Esquire, of Allan Park, Provost and High Sheriff of the Burgh of Stirling, this 15th day of August 1822, and the Common Seal of the Burgh is hereto affixed.

JOHN THOMSON

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's dutiful subjects, the pastors of the Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the Congregational Union of Scotland, gladly avail ourselves of the occasion so happily presented by your Majesty's gracious visit to this part of your dominions, to approach your Majesty with the sentiments and assurances of the most sincere and fervent loyalty.

More than a century and a half has elapsed since Scotland enjoyed the presence of her Sovereign; and we hail, with cordial gratulations, your Majesty's appearance in the metropolis of your northern dominions, confidently persuaded, that a visit so kind and so seasonable, by which your Caledonian subjects feel themselves equally honoured and gratified, will have the pleasing effect of confirming and strengthening those feelings of mutual attachment between monarch and people, which render the exercise of authority benignant, and submission to it spontaneous and cheerful.

Subjects and ministers of a "kingdom" which is "not of this world," and conscientiously dissenting from the principle of all incorporations of its spiritual constitution with systems of civil polity, our very dissent may be held by your Majesty as one of the pledges of our peaceful loyalty. We yield subjection to human government, as a part

of our obedience to the Divine; and fulfil the duties of allegiance to the Sovereign of the British isles, from the high principle of regard to the authority of the King of Zion. We teach the people of our respective charges, and endeavour, through Divine aid, to exemplify what we teach, "to fear God and honour the King;"—and we believe that the religious body to which we belong is not exceeded by any other in genuine attachment to the throne and constitution of these realms.

We feel, in common with all our countrymen, the value of our civil rights and religious privileges. We bless the Divine Providence that the laws of our highly-favoured country warrant our recognizing the latter amongst the former; and for your Majesty's gracious assurances, so worthy of a sound and enlightened understanding, of determined adherence to the principles of liberty of conscience and universal toleration, after the example of your illustrious predecessors of the House of Hanover, and especially of your loved and venerated father, whose name is embalmed in the memories and hearts of his people, we should be unworthy of the blessings we enjoy, were we not forward to express ourselves in terms of the warmest gratitude.

Permit us to assure your Majesty, that, in our prayers at the throne of the Divine mercy, we shall never cease to commend your Majesty's person and government to the care and blessing of Him who is "the King of Kings, and the Lord of Lords." May the righteousness of your Majesty's reign be pure as the streams and firm as the mountains of our native land; and may a peaceful, prosperous, and happy reign on earth, be succeeded, through an interest in the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, by a crown of imperishable glory in Heaven.

Signed in name of the ministers connected with the Congregational Union at Edinburgh, the 15th day of August 1822 years.

JOHN AIKMAN.

JOHN CLEGHORN.

RALPH WARDLAW, D. D.

GEORGE PAYNE.

JOHN WATSON.

WILLIAM ORME.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

The Society of Scottish Antiquaries, who, by the highly valued and gracious permission of your Majesty, have the honour to pursue the objects of their institution, under the special patronage of their much-loved Sovereign, beg leave to join their voice to the general congratulations with which your Majesty's visit to Scotland is so ardently greeted.

A society, the particular object of whose pursuits makes them cherish the early story of this ancient Kingdom, cannot but hail, with unfeigned delight, the day when the venerable palace of Scottish Royalty exults in the presence of the honoured descendant of that ancient line of Monarchs who maintained the glory of our land.

We would not, however, fatigue your Majesty with a theme which at this time fills the bosom of every honest Scot, farther than to offer our ardent prayers, along with the general voice of the land, that your Majesty may enjoy, in health and happiness, a long and prosperous reign.

Signed by our appointment, and in our name.

GILBERT INNES, First Vice-President.

ALEX. SMELLIE, Secretary.

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty,

The Humble Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of his Royal Burgh of Anstruther Easter.

Sire,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful subjects, beg

leave to congratulate your Majesty upon your safe arrival in your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We proffer the tribute of our grateful thanks for the much prized boon conferred on us by your royal presence, and of affording us an opportunity of expressing our unfeigned happiness and joy in beholding the descendant of our ancient kings upon the Scottish shores. We sincerely hope that the visit may prove equally agreeable and satisfactory to your Majesty, and thus give us reason to hope, that, so oft as your Majesty's high duties permit, your affectionate and loyal subjects in Scotland may be reanimated and made happy by your presence.

Under the auspices of your illustrious House, a system of government has been fostered and matured, which forms the basis of the happiness, prosperity, and glory of Great Britain; and to your Majesty's wisdom and firmness must be attributed the profound state of repose at present enjoyed by your subjects.

That your Majesty may long continue, in health and peace, to reign in the hearts of a free, happy, and loyal people, is our most ardent prayer.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, by

GEORGE FORBES, C. M.

To the KING'S most Excellent Majesty,

The Dutiful and Loyal Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Crail.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Nothing was wanting to complete the entire satisfaction which your most faithful subjects in Scotland feel in the care which your Majesty manifests for every class of people in these realms, but to have an opportunity of expressing those feelings by seeing your Majesty on the Scottish shores. Your Majesty has at length gratified them in this their most earnest wish, and while they acknowledge in your Majesty the descendant of their ancient Sovereigns, they also acknowledge that the glories of your Majesty's government have far surpassed those of the most illustrious of your ancestors in Scotland or in England.

It is to your Majesty's firmness alone, under the blessing of Heaven, that we owe the conquest of the most inveterate foe that ever assailed this empire, and, consequently, to your Majesty must be attributed the profound state of repose at present enjoyed by your subjects.

We most heartily congratulate your Majesty on your safe arrival in Scotland, and humbly beg permission to assure you, that your Majesty has no subjects more loyal to your government, or more affectionate to your Majesty's person, than the Magistrates, Council, and community of the Royal Burgh of Crail.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Magistrates and Town-Council of Crail, by the Chief Magistrate of this Burgh, and the Town Seal is also hereto affixed.

ROBERT LOGAN, C. M.

Crail, 15th August 1822.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's loyal, dutiful, and faithful subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and Heritors of the County of Wigton, venture to approach the august presence of our King with re-assurances of undiminished affection, and the most profound respect.

That your Majesty should be the first of a line of kings, who, after the lapse of more than a century, has vouchsafed to visit this your ancient kingdom, is a reflection which, as it comes home

to the Scottish pride of every individual, so can it not fail to give a livelier tone to our loyalty, and to the deep-seated love of the kingly office, and the most exalted veneration for your Majesty's royal person.

And now that in your princely condescension you have been pleased to grace the honoured seat of your illustrious predecessors, earnestly we entreat your Majesty to accept the cordial welcome of a remote county, which humbly trusts, that in zealous loyalty and fervent attachment it is surpassed by none of the many provinces in your Majesty's dominions.

That a prosperous reign, length of days, and every other blessing, may attend your Majesty, to whichever kingdom of your empire you may be pleased to extend the benign influence of your Majesty's most gracious countenance, is the heartfelt prayer of your Majesty's most devoted, loyal, and obedient subjects.

Signed in our name and by our appointment at Glenluce, the 6th day of August 1822 years.

WILL. MAXWELL, P.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,
The loyal and dutiful Address of the Royal Burgh of Lochmaben.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the ancient Royal Burgh of Lochmaben, beg leave respectfully to approach the throne, to join in the general congratulation which all ranks of your Majesty's subjects in Scotland hasten to offer upon your Majesty's first visit to the ancient metropolis of their country.

We are confident that your Majesty will receive, in those your northern dominions, a welcome highly gratifying to your Majesty's enlightened, generous, and patriotic feelings,—a welcome that will induce your Majesty ever to remember your devoted and faithful Scottish subjects; and soon to gladden their hearts by a similar instance of your Majesty's condescension.

We most fervently pray, that your Majesty may derive much satisfaction and delight from this your royal visit; that you may have a safe and happy return to your native capital; and that you may long reign over a free, loyal, and happy people.

Signed in our name, by our appointment, and in our presence, at Lochmaben, on this 12th day of August 1822 years, by

ROBT. RICHARDSON, Provost.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,
The loyal and dutiful Address of the Five Incorporated Trades of the Royal Ancient Burgh of Lochmaben.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and faithful subjects, the Five Incorporated Trades of the Royal Ancient Burgh of Lochmaben, most humbly approach the throne, to welcome your Majesty on your first visit to your ancient kingdom of Scotland, and to unite in the general voice of congratulation which is proceeding from all classes of your Majesty's subjects; and to assure your Majesty of our firm and lasting attachment to the illustrious house of Brunswick, which we pray may long reign over a free, loyal, happy, and united people.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, this 12th day of August 1822, by

WM. WELLS, Convener.

To his Most Excellent Majesty George the Fourth, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful sub-

jects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Kilrenny, beg leave to offer our warmest congratulations to your Majesty on your safe arrival in this portion of your Majesty's dominions.

We hope this most gracious visit will be as agreeable to your Majesty as we are convinced it is welcome and gratifying to your faithful people of Scotland; for all ranks amongst us are vying with each other in their preparations to do honour to their beloved sovereign on this happy occasion.

We beg permission to renew our assurances of attachment to your Majesty, and of loyalty to your Majesty's government, the glories of which have never been equalled in any age or country.

May your Majesty long live to reign over us a free, a loyal, and a happy people; and may the crown of these realms, to the most distant ages, ever descend to one of your Majesty's illustrious House.

Signed by the Chief Magistrate of Kilrenny, in name and by appointment of the Magistrates and Town-Council of this Burgh, and the town's seal thereof is also hereto appended.

JAMES WATSON, C. M.

Kilrenny, 12th August 1822.

To his Most Excellent Majesty King George the Fourth,

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Anstruther Wester.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's truly loyal and dutiful subjects, beg leave to congratulate your Majesty on your safe arrival in your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We are fully aware of the complimentary nature of this most auspicious event, which has excited in us the most lively feelings of satisfaction and gratitude. Indeed, nothing can be more gratifying to your Majesty's faithful people of Scotland than to see the descendant of their ancient Sovereigns upon the Scottish shores; and we sincerely hope that the visit may prove equally agreeable and satisfactory to your Majesty.

We again beg permission to convey to your Majesty the strongest assurances of our unalterable zeal for your Majesty's person and government, being convinced that your Majesty has the true interests of the nation at heart.

May your Majesty continue to reign long and happily in the hearts of your people; and may the crown of these kingdoms ever descend to one of your Majesty's illustrious House to latest posterity.

Signed by the Chief Magistrate of Anstruther Wester, in name and by appointment of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Burgh, and the town seal thereof is also hereto appended.

GEORGE DISHINGTON.

Anstruther Wester, 12th August 1822.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The loyal and dutiful Address of the County of Dumfries.

The Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Dumfries, this day assembled, impressed with sentiments of the highest veneration for your Majesty's sacred person and government, beg leave to take this opportunity of approaching your Majesty with the most sincere and heartfelt congratulations on your arrival in Scotland, the hereditary kingdom of your Majesty's illustrious ancestors.

Long has this ancient Kingdom enjoyed prosperity under the government of your Majesty's august House.

With hearts warmed with loyalty and attach-

ment, we shall ever gratefully remember the happy day which enabled us to hail the presence of a Monarch, the glory of his country, and who truly reigns in the hearts of his subjects.

It is our most fervent prayer, that you, Sire, may be long preserved to rule over these Kingdoms, a blessing to a loyal and affectionate people.

Signed in name and by appointment of the meeting.

THOS. KIRKPATRICK, Preses.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Town-Council of St. Andrews, in common council assembled, beg leave, with hearts full of loyalty and warm affection, to approach the throne on the present auspicious occasion with expressions of our most profound respect and warmest attachment to the person our beloved Sovereign. Permit us to join in the general and cordial expression of 'Welcome' which resounds throughout our land on the happy event of your Majesty's arrival amongst us. Our hearts exult with joy when we see the illustrious descendant of a long line of Scottish Monarchs seated in the palace of his ancestors, surrounded by the posterity of those men who preserved the independence of their country, until it became an integral part of the British empire, by a union which gave new splendour to the throne, and a rapid increase of prosperity to the nation.

May it please your Majesty, the city of St. Andrews enjoyed the favour, and was often honoured by the presence of our ancient Kings, whose parliaments were occasionally held within its precincts. It has ever been distinguished as the seat of steady loyalty and attachment to the person of the Sovereign; and in this respect we can with truth assure your Majesty that we do not yield to our predecessors.

That your Majesty may often honour your ancient Kingdom of Scotland with your august presence, and that you may long be spared to reign over a free, a happy, and a loyal people, are the earnest prayers of, may it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the provost, Magistrates, and Council of St. Andrews.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, at St. Andrews, the 10th day of August 1822, and the common seal of the city is hereto affixed.

WILLIAM HAIG, Chief Magistrate.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and Magistrates of Towns of the Barony of Renfrew, a district connected by peculiar ties with your royal house, humbly beg leave to avail ourselves of your Majesty being graciously pleased to visit this part of your united kingdoms, to renew assurances of our loyalty and affection, and sincere attachment to your Majesty's person and family.

We sensibly feel, as a mark of your Majesty's paternal regard, your condescension in coming amongst your loyal Scottish Subjects,—the first of our sovereigns with whose presence Scotland has been gratified for a long period of years. We also feel ourselves irresistibly called upon to express to your Majesty, in a strong and particular manner, how greatly our joy and exultation, on the occasion of this gracious visit, are augmented by the reflection, that we are addressing, in the ancient capital of our land, a monarch, to the wisdom and firmness of whose rule, when exer-

cising the sovereignty of these realms, in times of extreme difficulty, we are indebted for the triumphant termination of a war of unprecedented duration and danger, and for the blessings of the peace which this nation now enjoys.

That, under the favour of Heaven, your Majesty's reign, over a free, loyal, happy, and united people, may be long and prosperous, is our most fervent and unceasing prayer.

Signed by our appointment, in our name, at Renfrew, the 7th day of August 1822, by William Mure, Esquire, of Caldwell, Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew, our chairman.

WILLM. MURE,
Vice-Lieut. and Chairman.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The Humble Address of the Freeholders, Commissioners of Supply, Justices of Peace, and other Heritors of the County of Cromarty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and attached subjects, the Freeholders, Commissioners of Supply, Justices of Peace, and other Heritors of the County of Cromarty, beg permission to offer your Majesty our most humble and hearty congratulations on your Majesty's arrival in your ancient and loyal kingdom of Scotland. We, in common with your Majesty's other subjects, feeling warmly attached to the House of Brunswick, cannot refrain from expressing our deep sense of the benefits which have, in a peculiar manner, resulted to our country from the rule of your Majesty's illustrious House. During the period which has elapsed since the accession of the House of Brunswick, every art of civilized life has attained an eminence unknown in the previous history of this country. Life and property have been secured,—feuds extinguished,—the law has been made respected, by its firm but mild and impartial administration,—important ameliorations in the legal and judicial system of the country have been cautiously and beneficially introduced. Under the same happy dominion, agriculture has advanced and commerce has extended in an incalculable degree; while literary pursuits have been cultivated with an ardour and success which the tranquillity arising from the protection of a strong, but liberal system of government, only could produce. In a word, the most sanguine anticipations of the great statesmen by whom the union was effected have been more than realized, under the benign auspices of your Majesty and your Majesty's illustrious predecessors.

In offering our humble felicitations to your Majesty, we cannot but reflect with satisfaction, that your Majesty will have an opportunity of witnessing the effects of that long system of good government which the country has enjoyed, in the unequivocal indications of national prosperity which it exhibits. From the experience we have had of your Majesty's paternal dispositions towards this country, we cannot but express the firmest reliance that your Majesty will continue to bestow the same favourable attention on this part of your Majesty's dominions which your Majesty has already evinced.

We humbly beg, that your Majesty will be pleased to accept our ardent wishes that you may derive every satisfaction which your Majesty expected from the honour your Majesty has conferred on this country, by graciously visiting it, and our fervent hopes, that when the time arrives for your Majesty's departure from this country, that your Majesty may return in health and safety to the usual seat of your Majesty's government. And we fervently pray, that your Majesty's reign may be long, happy, and glorious.

Signed by our preses, in our name, and by our appointment, this 2d day of August 1822 years.

J. HAY MACKENZIE, Preses.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,
The humble Address of the Dean and Faculty of
Advocates.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, the Dean and Faculty of Advocates, as constituent members of the College of Justice in Scotland, feel ourselves impelled by the purest sentiments of loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's royal person, humbly and dutifully to offer to your Majesty the assurance of our hearty participation in the general joy diffused amongst our fellow-citizens by your Majesty's gracious presence in this the capital of your Majesty's ancient Kingdom. On this happy occasion, we beseech your Majesty's favourable acceptance of the unreserved tender of our devoted submission and inviolable attachment to your Majesty, in whom we have the proud satisfaction of beholding the descendant of a race of Kings, whose rightful possession of the sceptre of this realm has been coeval with the first foundations of the monarchy.

In thus gracing with your presence the seat of the ancient dominions of your royal House, we are happy in the persuasion that those benignant and paternal feelings of concern in the welfare of this part of your United Kingdom, by which your Majesty has been prompted, will derive their fullest gratification from witnessing that advanced state of national improvement, and of consequent happiness, which this country has attained under the secure, the mild, and the constitutional rule of your sacred Majesty and your royal predecessors. And among the many blessings attendant on that state of general peace and tranquillity which your Majesty's counsels have so eminently contributed to establish, we esteem it not the least, that it has enabled your Majesty to give to your faithful subjects of Scotland the long-desired opportunity of manifesting those sentiments of dutiful and ardent attachment to your Majesty's person and family which we confidently trust will ever continue unaltered and unshaken.

Signed in the name and by the appointment of the Faculty of Advocates, the 17th day of August 1822.

LAUDERDALE, Vice-Dean.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Faculty of Procurators of Paisley, incorporated by Royal Charter, beg leave to approach your Majesty with our sincere and dutiful congratulations on your arrival in Scotland.

We participate deeply in that universal feeling of pride and exultation which is excited among our countrymen by the presence of their Sovereign, —elevated and enhanced as that feeling is, by the consideration that this most gracious visit is made by a Prince, under whose rule the rights and liberties of the subject have been most anxiously preserved; and by whom, amidst unparalleled difficulties and dangers, the greatness and glory of the empire have been upheld and augmented beyond the example of all former times.

In humbly tendering to your Majesty, here, in our own land, an assurance of our ardent loyalty and devoted attachment to your sacred person and august House, we presume to add, that, as natives of the barony of Renfrew, an ancient inheritance of the Stewards of Scotland, we acknowledge a peculiar tie of allegiance and affection towards your Majesty, as the royal representative of that illustrious race.

We fervently pray that your Majesty may enjoy the blessing of health, and that you may long reign over a free, a loyal, and a prosperous people.

Signed in our name, by our Dean of Faculty, and sealed with our corporation seal, at Paisley, the 13th day of August 1822.

ROB. CALDWELL, D. F.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Edinburgh, humbly presume to offer the expression of our most faithful attachment to your Majesty's royal person; and our most sincere and heartfelt congratulations on this joyful occasion of your Majesty's gracious visit to your ancient dominions of Scotland.

Your Majesty being the first sovereign of these realms who has visited Scotland since the union of the kingdoms, affords a special mark of your royal favour and condescension; and will make an indelible impression on the hearts of your Majesty's faithful people in this part of the realm. From the highest to the lowest, there is but one tone of congratulation, one universal voice of gladness and of cordial welcome.

It is a peculiar happiness reserved for us to see your Majesty landing upon our shores, and occupying the ancient palace of your renowned ancestors. It recalls to all true Scotsmen the grateful recollection of old times, when the personal presence of the monarch was wont to animate our forefathers to the noblest acts of valour and patriotism.

Truly grateful for this affectionate mark of your Majesty's royal notice, we shall ever pray that your Majesty's life may be long preserved for the happiness and welfare of the British empire.

Signed by our preses, in our name and by our appointment, at Edinburgh, this 5th day of August 1822 years.

LOTHIAN, P.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, the Noblemen, Justices of the Peace, Freeholders, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Roxburgh, humbly beg leave to offer our heartfelt congratulations on your Majesty's arrival in your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

Whilst we rejoice in an event which has diffused general satisfaction over this part of your great empire, we cannot but reflect on the manifold improvements in our country since we were last honoured with the presence of our Sovereign; and we gratefully acknowledge, that, under Divine Providence, we chiefly owe the blessings which we enjoy as a nation to the benign government of your Majesty and your august predecessors. But more especially we reflect, with pride and gratitude, on the wisdom and firmness of your Majesty's councils, which, aided by the loyalty, the skill, and the courage of your fleets and armies, brought to a glorious conclusion the most eventful war in which the nation ever was engaged, and established your empire in peace and security.

We justly appreciate the paternal care which has induced your Majesty to visit this remote part of your united empire; and we are happy in assuring your Majesty of the sincere attachment and devoted loyalty of all ranks of your subjects in the district with which we are connected.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, in a County Meeting, at Jedburgh, the 6th day of August 1822 years.

LOTHIAN.

May it please your Majesty,

We, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the royal burgh of Selkirk, for ourselves, and as representing the community of the said burgh, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty, and to express our most sincere congratulations on your Majesty's visiting this part of the united kingdom. It is most gratifying to us to behold Scotland, and its metropolis, and the ancient house of Holyrood, the palace of an illustrious race of Kings, once more graced by the presence of our Sovereign. That

your visit may be equally gratifying to your Majesty,—that your Majesty may always reflect on it with pleasure,—and that you may enjoy a long life of prosperity and happiness, is the sincere wish of your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Magistrates, Town-Council, and community of the royal burgh of Selkirk.

Signed by the Magistrates, by appointment, and in presence of the Council, and the seal of the burgh also affixed in its presence, at Selkirk, the 7th day of August 1822 years.

ANDW. LANG, Chief Magistrate.

THOS. ANDERSON, Bailie.

WALTER HOGG, Dean of Guild.

THOMAS THOMSON, Treasurer.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Deputy-Lieutenants of the County of Ross, venture to approach your Majesty's most sacred person with the expression of our deepest respect. We congratulate your Majesty upon your most auspicious and welcome arrival in the capital of your ancient kingdom of Scotland, and hail with delight this flattering testimony of your Majesty's confidence in the loyalty of the inhabitants of this part of your dominions. Our national pride is exalted in having among us, in your Majesty's august person, the lineal descendant of our ancient and native race of kings.

Sensible of the manifold blessings which, as a nation, we have enjoyed under the mild and free government of the august House of Brunswick, we fervently pray for a continuance of them under the same happy auspices; and, in a more particular manner, we earnestly pray for your Majesty's personal welfare and safety. We humbly trust that your Majesty's present auspicious visit will prove a blessing to this part of your dominions, and lead to similar and frequent instances of your Majesty's gracious condescension; while, at the same time, we confidently assure your Majesty, that the most perfect loyalty and attachment for your Majesty's person and family pervade the inhabitants of this large and populous county.

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most faithful, affectionate, and devoted subjects.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and by our appointment, by

ALEX. FRASER, Preses.

Dingwall, 13th August 1822.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

The most dutiful and loyal Address of the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of the County of Ross.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's loyal and affectionate subjects, the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of the county of Ross, in a general meeting assembled, beg leave to approach your Majesty with a tender of our most grateful thanks for your Majesty's royal paternal condescension in visiting your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

We gladly embrace this opportunity of congratulating your Majesty on an event which has afforded the most cordial satisfaction to your Majesty's subjects in Scotland, and which we do humbly view as a proof of the estimation in which your Majesty has at all times been graciously pleased to hold the attachment, loyalty, and services of your faithful people in this part of your united kingdom.

That your Majesty's present auspicious visit may lead to similar instances of your Majesty's gracious condescension, which cannot fail of being ever attended with the happiest results; that your Majesty may, under the blessing of Divine Pro-

vidence, long reign over us, and long continue, by the wisdom of your councils, to protect and preserve our liberties and our rights, is now and at all times the sincere prayer of

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most faithful, affectionate, and devoted subjects.

Signed in our name and presence, and by our appointment, by

R. B. ÆNEAS MACLEOD, Preses.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

We, the Provost, Magistrates, Council, and other inhabitants of the Royal Burgh of Tain, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty, to offer the expression of our loyal and heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of your Majesty's gracious visit to the metropolis of Scotland, the residence of your illustrious ancestors.

We hail the joyous arrival of your Majesty in Scotland with sentiments of the most unfeigned attachment to your person and government, and as a mark of paternal regard for the welfare of your people in that part of your united kingdom.

We duly appreciate the many blessings of a civil and religious nature which we enjoy under your Majesty's mild and benign reign; and although living in a distant part of the island, beg to assure your Majesty, that in no part of your dominions is there a more loyal and dutiful people than in the Highlands of Scotland, and in that part where our lot is cast.

That your Majesty may enjoy a long, prosperous, and happy reign, over a free, loyal, and affectionate people, is our fervent prayer.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and by our appointment, by

WM. MURRAY, Late Provost.

Tain, 9th August 1822.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Keeper, Deputy Keeper, Commissioners, and Society of Writers to your Majesty's Signet, beg permission to approach your Majesty with the expression of our ardent and devoted attachment to your Majesty's person, family, and government.

Your Majesty's gracious visit to the metropolis of Scotland, the ancient seat of a long line of Kings, but which has not for ages been graced by the presence of the Sovereign, is an event which will form an epoch in our domestic annals, and which has excited the liveliest emotions of joy and gratitude throughout this part of your Majesty's dominions.

Deeply impressed with these sentiments, as well as with a sense of the benefits which this country has derived from the accession of your Majesty's illustrious House to the throne of these Realms, we are anxious to join our fellow-subjects in testifying our participation in the exultation produced by your Majesty's auspicious arrival amongst us, and in the cordial and earnest wish that your Majesty's reign may be long, prosperous, and glorious.

Signed in name, and behalf, and by authority of the Society, by

W. DUNDAS, Keeper of the Signet.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

While many thousands of your Majesty's subjects in Scotland, loyal, virtuous, and brave, are at this moment pressing round the foot of your throne, all eager to emulate each other in the expression of their ardent and zealous attachment to your Majesty's person, family, and government, we, the Deacon, Collector, Masters, and Members of the Incorpora-

tion of Bakers in the city of Glasgow, humbly beg leave also to approach your sacred person, under feelings of loyalty, reverence, and dutiful and affectionate regard, so deep and strong as indeed to render all attempts at any adequate expression extremely imperfect. We have to assure your Majesty, that the members of our Incorporation have at all times felt anxious for opportunities to evince their loyalty and attachment, by proofs much less equivocal than mere verbal or written professions.

To the loyalty, active exertions, and undaunted courage which, in 1568, were manifested by the members of our body at Langside, in support of the interests of your Majesty's ancestor, James VI, as well as the Protestant cause, and to the royal munificence in reward of these useful and well-timed services our Incorporation is indebted for the original crown grant of those mills on the river Kelvin, in this neighbourhood, which it still holds.

With inexpressible delight, we join in those accents of enthusiastic gratulation which are now expressing to your Majesty from all quarters of Caledonia on once more beholding within his ancient territory our much beloved King, lineal successor to a long dynasty of illustrious Scottish Sovereigns, and now the greatest Monarch on the face of the earth,—who not only directs, with consummate wisdom, the vast concerns of an extensive and mighty empire, but reigns also in the warm affections of millions of subjects, loyal and magnanimous, virtuous and industrious, enlightened, free, and happy, warmly attached to your Majesty's person and government, and ready at all times to support to the utmost of their power. We humbly trust, that from that visit, by which your Majesty has now been graciously pleased to honour your ancient Kingdom, you may derive so much satisfaction as to be induced, from time to time hereafter, to renew the honour thus conferred on Scotland, and to extend your royal visits to this large and populous city.

That your Majesty may be long spared to be a blessing to your people,—that your reign may ever continue to be peaceful and prosperous,—that you and all the members of your illustrious family may always enjoy the highest felicity,—and that all and each of your Majesty's subjects may ever be deeply sensible of the inestimable advantages which they enjoy under a constitution unparalleled in the world, and under laws and a civil administration mild, wise, and equitable, by which their properties, civil liberties, and every thing valuable which they possess, are secured to them,—are the fervent wishes and prayers of every member of this Incorporation.

Signed and sealed by the Deacon of the Incorporation of Bakers in Glasgow, on behalf of and as representing that public body, and also countersigned and countersealed by their Clerk and Secretary (all by order of the Incorporation), at Glasgow, this 13th August 1822.

WILLM. BAIN, Deacon.

JAS. GALLOWAY, Clerk and Secretary.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Royal College and Incorporation of Surgeons of Edinburgh, beg leave respectfully to approach your Majesty, with sentiments of the most devoted attachment to your person and government, and to present our heartfelt congratulations on your Majesty's auspicious arrival in this part of your united kingdom.

Your Majesty having been pleased to honour, with your presence, this ancient capital, long the residence of a line of kings, your Majesty's royal progenitors, has diffused the liveliest feelings of joy among all classes of your subjects in Scotland, a joy in which we most cordially participate; and we hail it as an additional pledge of your Majesty's gracious desire to promote the welfare of every portion of your dominions.

Deeply impressed with a sense of the benefits which we have enjoyed under your Majesty's paternal government, and that of your illustrious House, we have only to express our hopes that these blessings may be continued to us and to our successors, and our fervent wishes that your Majesty's reign may be long and prosperous, and that it may be ever attended by that which forms the best species of glory, the happiness and the loyalty of a grateful people.

Signed by appointment of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, by

J. WISHART, President.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble Address of the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Aberdeen.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Aberdeen, humbly beg leave, with the greatest joy and veneration, to tender to your Majesty our dutiful and heartfelt congratulations on your arrival in your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

A long period has elapsed since a British Sovereign was seen within this realm; and we now naturally feel, in common with all our countrymen, the highest exultation and pride, on being honoured with the presence of the lineal descendant of our ancient Scottish kings, the greatest monarch upon earth, whom experience has taught us to regard as the powerful protector of all those national laws, liberties, and privileges, which, as Scotsmen and as Christians, we value more than life.

The spontaneous effusions of love, gratitude, and joy, which burst around your Majesty from the assembled multitudes, who flock from all parts of this ancient kingdom, to hail your arrival among us, will, we trust, be viewed as pledges by our truly patriot King, that your gracious visit to Scotland will have the happiest influence in animating with new vigour those sentiments of devoted fidelity to their lawful Sovereign, which, from remotest periods of its history, have eminently characterized the Scottish nation.

Amid the glad acclamations of your exulting people, deign, Sire, on this auspicious occasion, to accept the enthusiastic homage of your city of Aberdeen, a city whose inhabitants have been always famed for fidelity to their sovereigns, and who, in the present day, will yield to none in the British empire in loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's sacred person and government.

Signed in name and by appointment of the said Magistrates, and City Council, in council assembled, and the city seal hereto affixed, at Aberdeen, the 6th day of August 1822 years,

by

GAVIN HADDEN, Provost.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Kintore, beg to approach the throne upon the auspicious occasion of your Majesty's visit to Scotland, and to unite with every class of your Scottish subjects in the tribute of heartfelt congratulations and warmest welcome on your Majesty's arrival in the capital of this ancient kingdom.

We embrace with unfeigned satisfaction this opportunity of expressing our respect and attachment to your Majesty's person, our unshaken confidence in your government, and the happiness we enjoy under your mild and paternal reign.

That your Majesty may be long preserved to reign over a free, loyal, and united people, is our most fervent prayer.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, and the seal of the Burgh is hereto affixed, at Kintore, the 12th day of August 1822.

CHARLES BANNERMAN, Provost.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's ever faithful and loyal subjects, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Common Council of your ancient City of Glasgow, impressed with sentiments of profound respect, embrace with ardour the opportunity, which your Majesty has graciously deigned to afford us, of offering to your Majesty our dutiful and heartfelt congratulations upon your auspicious arrival in the native land of your royal ancestors.

Beholding in the sacred person of your Majesty the august descendant of those illustrious Sovereigns who swayed the Scottish Sceptre for such a long series of ages, our bosoms glow with the patriotic feelings of loyal attachment and veneration.

Deeply sensible of the incalculable advantages which have flowed from the union of the sister kingdoms, and bearing in grateful remembrance the unexampled blessings which the inhabitants of this country, have, for upwards of a century, enjoyed, under the mild, the liberal, and enlightened government of the Monarchs of your august House, we earnestly pray the Supreme Disposer of events long to preserve to us a race of patriot Princes, who have rested the security of their throne on the love of their subjects.

And while we recollect with pride the public marks of approbation with which the Sovereigns of the House of Brunswick have honoured the firm attachment and loyal services, of the citizens of Glasgow, we humbly beg to assure your Majesty, that we yield to none of our predecessors in warmth of affectionate and grateful zeal; and that we most cordially welcome the presence of a Prince, who kindly condescends to participate in the joy he diffuses, and shews it is one of the leading objects of his ambition to reign in the hearts of his people.

Signed and sealed with the common seal of the City of Glasgow, by me, Lord Provost and Chief Magistrate, in name and by appointment of the Magistrates and Council of said city, at Glasgow, this 6th day of August 1822 years.

J. T. ALSTON,

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Actuated, in common with the rest of our fellow subjects, by the liveliest sentiments of loyal and dutiful attachment to your Majesty, we, the Magistrates and Counsellors of the Town of Greenock, beg leave humbly to offer to your Majesty the expressions of our most cordial welcome and congratulation on this joyful occasion of your Majesty's arrival in your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

As the sole depositary of the executive authority of this great empire, and the first estate of its legislative sovereignty, your Majesty must ever be the proper object of the veneration of all your subjects. As the father of your people, you must ever, Sire, be no less the object of their most devoted affection.

Your Majesty has, on a late similar occasion, been pleased to declare, that it is your most exalted happiness to live in the hearts of your subjects. We are unalterably persuaded, that the same benignity and wisdom which prompted a sentiment so virtuous and noble, will not allow the boundless exultation diffused over Scotland by your royal presence, to disappear with the auspicious event which has occasioned it; but will derive their highest gratification from the retrospect of the permanent benefit which shall thence have arisen to this part of the empire.

Signed in the name and by the appointment of the Magistrates and Counsellors of the Town of Greenock, this 16th day of August 1822.

ARCH. BAINE, Chief Magistrate.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,
The Humble and Dutiful Address of the Magistrates, Ministers, and Inhabitants of the Town of Leith.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal and affectionate subjects, the Magistrates, Ministers, and Inhabitants of the Town of Leith, humbly approach the throne, to express those deep feelings of duty and veneration which we have ever entertained for your Royal House, those emotions of joy which animate our breasts on the auspicious occasion of your Majesty's visit to this your ancient kingdom, and our sense of the high and distinguished honour conferred on us, by your Majesty having graciously condescended to land at this port.

We feel proud, indeed, in the recollection that Leith has ever been distinguished for the loyalty of its inhabitants.

The residence in our town of some of your Majesty's illustrious progenitors excited feelings of the most devoted attachment in the bosoms of our fathers; and we, their descendants, feel our hearts kindle with emotions of increased loyalty and affection to the person of our beloved Sovereign, on the present happy occasion.

Impressed with such sentiments, we hasten to offer our congratulations on your Majesty's arrival, to join the general expression of welcome, and to implore Heaven to bless your Majesty with a long and happy reign.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, at a General Meeting called by public advertisement for the special purpose, and the seal of the town affixed hereto, at Leith, the 18th day of August 1822 years.

JOHN MACFIE,
Senior Magistrate, Preses.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most loyal subjects, the Lieutenantcy of the County of Dumbarton, most humbly beg leave to offer the expressions of our unfeigned joy at your Majesty's happy arrival in this your ancient kingdom of Scotland.

Having for so long a period been deprived of the gratification of beholding our Sovereign amongst us, we hail with enthusiasm this auspicious occasion of expressing to your Majesty those feelings of loyalty and attachment to your Majesty's person and government which we are proud to think have always been the characteristics of true Scotchmen.

That your Majesty's reign may be long and prosperous, is the ardent prayer of your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Lieutenantcy of Dumbartonshire.

JOHN BUCHANAN, Vice-Lieutenant,
JAMES COLQUHOUN, D. Lieut.
ARCHD. BUCHANAN, D. L.
H. M. BUCHANAN, D. L.
JAMES DENNISTOUN, D. L.
JOHN DENNY, D. L.
ROBT. CAMPBELL, D. L.
ANDW. BUCHANAN, D. L.
ARCHD. CAMPBELL, D. L.
JAMES HAMILTON, D. L.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Members of the Wernerian Natural History Society of Edinburgh, beg leave to approach the throne with the warmest sentiments of congratulation on the happy event of your Majesty's condescending visit to this part of the united kingdom; an event which will be recorded, as forming a brilliant and memorable era in the annals of Scotland.

Amongst the various descriptions of our countrymen who are now so eagerly pressing forward to

testify their veneration and attachment to your Majesty, we too would humbly hope, that the tribute of loyalty, gratitude, and affection, cordially presented by a body of men who have associated for the cultivation of one of the most beautiful and useful of the sciences, will not be unacceptable to a Prince, who, besides possessing the noblest qualifications of a Sovereign, is so eminently distinguished by his knowledge, taste, and personal accomplishments, and who is, we believe, himself an admirer of our favourite study. It is, indeed, one of the greatest glories of your Majesty's reign, that you have evinced an ardent desire to assist the progress of science, art, and literature, in all their departments.

On this occasion, so important and auspicious to our native country, permit us, in common with all the other classes of your Majesty's faithful subjects in Scotland, to assure your Majesty that we deeply feel the unrivalled blessings which we enjoy under your Majesty's mild and paternal government; and that we reflect with pride and joy on the unparalleled lustre which has been shed on your Majesty's reign by the firmness of your character, the wisdom of your councils, and the vigour of your arms; which, under Providence, have exalted our country to the highest rank among the nations of Europe, and placed the security, the glory, and the prosperity of the British empire, on a basis never, we trust, to be moved.

That your Majesty may be long spared to fill the throne which you so nobly adorn, to enjoy the affection of a people by whom you are so justly beloved and revered, and to cherish, as their munificent patron, those sciences and arts which have so eminently contributed to the glory and prosperity of the empire, is the earnest prayer of, may it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most loyal and most devoted subjects, the Members of the Wernerian Natural History Society of Edinburgh.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, by

ROBERT JAMESON, President.
Edinburgh, 15th August 1822.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the President and Members of the Caledonian Horticultural Society, beg leave to approach the throne with our sincere congratulations on your Majesty's first visit to the metropolis of Scotland.

Our Society, begun under your government as Regent of the British empire, had the singular honour of being patronised by your Majesty at our first institution. Of this honour we gave a public acknowledgment, by dedicating to you, in consequence of your royal permission, the first fruits of our literary labours. And we flatter ourselves, that the Memoirs of our Society have had the effect of introducing into this country important improvements in one of the most interesting, the most useful, and the most healthful of rural employments.

Scotland has long indeed been distinguished for skilful professional gardeners. But although much has been discovered, much yet remains to be discovered: And we flatter ourselves with sanguine hopes, that your Majesty's reign will be distinguished to the latest ages by the progress of horticultural improvements.

Permit us, Sire, to conclude this congratulatory address, by uniting our earnest prayers with those of every other true Briton, that your Majesty's reign may be long, glorious, and eminently marked by the progressive advancement of the arts of peace.

May it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most faithful subjects, the President and Members of the Caledonian Horticultural Society.

Signed in our name and by our appointment by
CHARTERIS, WEMYSS, and MARCH, President.
Edinburgh, 10th August 1822.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects,

Alexander Duke of Hamilton and Brandon, Most Worshipful Grand Master Mason of Scotland.

George William Duke of Argyll, Right Worshipful Grand Master Elect.

George Marquis of Tweeddale, Right Worshipful Past Grand Master.

William Inglis of Middleton, R. W. Substitute Grand Master.

James Allan Maconochie, Advocate, R. W. Senior Grand Warden,

Myles Angus Fletcher, Advocate, R. W. Junior Grand Warden.

Sir John Hay of Smithfield and Hayston, Baronet, R. W. Grand Treasurer.

Alexander Lawrie, R. W. Grand Secretary.

James Bartsam, R. W. Grand Clerk.

John Maitland, Assistant.

The Rev. Dr. John Lee, Grand Chaplain.

William Cunningham, W. Grand Jeweller,—and

Archibald Paterson, W. Grand Bible-Bearer.

With all the other constituent Members of the Grand Lodge of Scotland, approach your royal presence with all humility and respect.

In the name and on behalf of the whole fraternity, we solicit leave to welcome your Majesty upon your arrival in this Kingdom with our heartfelt congratulations.

Your Majesty, as Patron of our ancient order of St. John's Masonry of Scotland, will be gratified to learn, that the fraternity continues to cherish and cultivate those principles of brotherly love, reverence for the King, and respect for the laws, upon which Masonry was originally founded.

We consider it as an auspicious day for Scotland, when your Majesty landed in this country; and we are persuaded, that a more intimate knowledge of your Majesty's Scottish subjects, from personal observation, will impress your Majesty's mind with a lively sense of the loyalty and attachment which they profess for your Majesty's person, and which will not be less gratifying to your Majesty's patriotic feelings, from their being founded on the just value we set upon the due maintenance of our laws and of our liberties.

We hope and trust that the multiplicity of more important concerns which must occupy your Majesty's mind upon the present occasion will not prevent your Majesty from viewing with favourable regard this ancient Order, which your Majesty has condescended so long to patronize.

Regretting that the shortness of your Majesty's stay on Scottish ground will not permit us to hope for the honour of your Majesty's presence within our walls, at any of the ceremonies of our venerable institution, we conclude with imploring that the Grand and Omnipotent Architect of the Universe may grant to your Majesty a long and happy life, and that peace and comfort which you confer on your people, and which will ever be gratefully acknowledged by the whole body of Masons.

Signed by appointment, and in Grand Lodge assembled, this 12th day of August 1822, and of Light 5822.

HAMILTON & BRANDON, G. M. S.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Conventry of the Trades of Edinburgh, beg leave to approach your Majesty with sentiments of the most profound veneration and respect for your Majesty's royal person and government, and to offer our sincere and heartfelt congratulations to your Majesty on your visit to the metropolis of this part of your dominions. Many

ages have now elapsed since the capital of this ancient kingdom has been graced by the presence of its Sovereign, and since the Conventry of the Trades of Edinburgh had an opportunity of tendering, in person, their devoted services to their king. The condescension of your Majesty, in affording us this opportunity, we receive as a mark of your royal favour, and, in common with our fellow-citizens, we regard your Majesty's presence among us as another proof of the paternal solicitude of your Majesty for the welfare and prosperity of these realms. That your Majesty's reign may be long, prosperous, and glorious, over a free and happy people, and that you may continue to live in the hearts of your subjects, is our sincere prayer.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Conventry of the Trades.

J. H. WISHART, Convener.

(To be continued.)

EDINBURGH, August 21, 1822.

His Majesty has been most graciously pleased to appoint Joseph Gianetti, George Street, his Hairdresser and Peruke-Maker for Scotland.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ayr.

Sir David Hunter Blair, Bart. to be Vice-Lieutenant, vice Sir Alexander Boswell, Bart. deceased; dated June 22, 1822.

1st Ayrshire Yeomanry—Robert Craufurd, Esq. to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Sir Alexander Boswell, Bart. deceased. William Montgomerie, Esq. to be Major, vice Craufurd, promoted. Charles Montolieu Burgess, Esq. to be Captain, vice Montgomerie, promoted. All dated July 17, 1822.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Robert Mowbray, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant; dated August 3, 1822.

Fife Militia—Charles Cheape, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Baird, promoted; dated April 17, 1822.

Royal Fifeshire Yeomanry Cavalry—Lord Viscount Bruce to be Captain, vice Sir Charles Halket, who retires. Cornet John Parsons to be Lieutenant, vice Stuart, who retires. James Cheape, gent. to be ditto, vice D. W. Arnott, who retires. Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Oswald, on half-pay of the 36th foot, to be Cornet, vice Dewar, deceased. Sir David Erskine, Bart. to be ditto, vice Parsons, promoted. All dated August 6, 1822.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

Computed from the Returns made in the Week ending the 14th day of August 1822,

Is Twenty Eight Shillings and One Penny Farthing, per Hundred Weight.

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the importation thereof into Great Britain.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

Henry John Ellis, of Norwich, linen-draper.

William Wycherley, of Trefnant, Alberbury, Salop, farmer.

George Parsons, of Liverpool, Lancaster, sail-maker.

Thomas Moore, now or late of Paddington, Middlesex, salt-merchant.

Grace Rix, Cecil Rix, and George Rix, late of Manifold Place, Newington-Butts, Surry, and also late of the Albany-Wharf, Camberwell, corn and coal-merchants.

Bankruptcy superseded.

John Peyton, of Christchurch, Southampton, draper.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ANTHONY WILSON, Merchant and Ship-Owner in Aberdeen.

ALEXANDER WEBSTER, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Anthony Wilson, hereby intimates, that a state of the bankrupt's affairs, a list of the claims lodged, an account of the funds realized and outstanding, and a scheme of division, lie at his office for the inspection of the Creditors or their agents; and that, on the 25th day of September next, a third dividend, at the rate of 10d. per pound, will be paid by the Trustee on the claims lodged and not objected to.

Aberdeen, August 21, 1822.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN GILLIES & CO., Merchants in Glasgow, carrying on business there under the said firm of JOHN GILLIES & CO., in Liverpool under the firm of GILLIES, O'NEILL, & CO., and in Limerick under the firm of JOHN MACNEILL & CO.

THE Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills this day sequestrated the whole real and personal estates of the said John Gillies & Co., carrying on business in Glasgow under the said firm of John Gillies & Co., in Liverpool under the said firm of Gillies, O'Neill, & Co., and in Limerick under the said firm of John Macneill & Co., as a company; and appointed the Creditors to meet within the Black Bull Inn, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 27th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon, to choose an Interim Factor; and at the same place and hour, upon Thursday the 12th day of September next, to elect a Trustee.

MACMILLAN & GRANT, Agents.

Edinburgh, August 20, 1822.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN GILLIES & CO., Merchants in Glasgow, carrying on business there under the said firm of JOHN GILLIES & CO., in Liverpool under the firm of GILLIES, O'NEILL, & CO., and in Limerick under the firm of JOHN MACNEILL & CO.

ON the 20th current, the Lord Ordinary on the Bills sequestrated the said Companies estates; and, of this date, his Lordship sequestrated the whole real and personal estates of the said John Gillies, as an individual; and appointed his Creditors to meet within the Black Bull Inn, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 27th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon, to choose an Interim Factor; and at the same place and hour, on Thursday the 12th day of September next, to elect a Trustee.

MACMILLAN & GRANT, Agents.

Edinburgh, August 23, 1822.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

M'KELLAR & CO., Merchants and Drapers in Greenock, and DANIEL M'KELLAR, sole partner of said Company.

At a meeting of the Creditors held at Greenock on 16th August current, the bankrupt having made an offer of a composition of 10s. per pound on the whole debts, with caution, to be afterwards consigned on, the meeting agreed to entertain the same; and appointed the Trustee to call a meeting for determining thereon. The Trustee now intimates, that a general meeting of the Creditors of the said M'Kellar & Co., and Daniel M'Kellar, will be held within the White Hart Inn, Greenock, on Wednesday the 11th September next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of deciding on the said offer, with or without amendment.

The same meeting will also take into consideration, and instruct the Trustee as to the sale of the heritage belonging to the bankrupt.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

SAMUEL RAE, Baker and Tea and Spirit Dealer in Kirkcudbright.

W. B. J. GORDON, Writer in Kirkcudbright, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Samuel Rae, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the Creditors held this day, the bankrupt having made offer of a composition on the debts owing by him at the date of the sequestration, with caution, the offer was approved of, and another general meeting of the Creditors appointed to be called, for the purpose of finally deciding upon it.

The Trustee, accordingly, hereby requests the Creditors to attend another general meeting, to be held in his writing-office, Kirkcudbright, on Monday the 9th day of September next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of deciding finally on the said offer, with or without amendment, in terms of the statute.

Kirkcudbright, August 17, 1822.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Company or Copartnership carrying on business in Forres as Wine-merchants, first under the firm of GORDON & MITCHELL, and latterly of CHARLES GORDON & COMPANY, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent; and Mr Gordon has been authorized to realize the Company funds, recover the debts, and wind up the concern.—Of which notice is hereby given to all concerned.

C. GORDON.
Wm. MITCHELL.

Rob. WATSON, Witness.

JAMES M'KENZIE, Witness.
Forres, July 24, 1822.