

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Haddington, approach the throne with renewed assurances of our duty and loyalty.

We most heartily congratulate your Majesty upon your safe arrival in the ancient capital of your kingdom of Scotland.

In this visit to our native land, we recognize a fresh proof of your Majesty's paternal and affectionate regard to the best interests of your people. We anticipate from it the happiest results. Now that each of the great members of the British empire has been honoured and gladdened by your Majesty's presence, we firmly trust that the whole of your Majesty's subjects, in every part of your dominions, will be bound still more closely by the ties of a common sentiment of loyalty, and that every distinction will henceforth be forgotten.

That your Majesty may be long spared to rule over a free, a loyal, an united, and a prosperous nation, which the events of your Majesty's government have tended so highly to exalt in the scale of empire, is our most fervent prayer.

Signed by the desire and in presence of the Magistrates and Council, in Common Council assembled, by

PETER DODS, Provost.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, your Majesty's loyal and faithful subjects, the Provost, Bailies, and Common Council of the ancient and royal burgh of Rutherglen, approach your Majesty with respect and attachment, to express our joy upon the occasion of your Majesty's gracious visit to this your ancient Kingdom.

Attached as we and the inhabitants of this ancient burgh always have been to your Majesty's royal person and family, and entertaining the deepest gratitude for your Majesty's co-operation in perpetuating the blessings of our unrivalled constitution, we have exultingly hailed your Majesty's approach, and we seize the first opportunity to renew the pledge of our fealty, and offer our congratulations.

Signed in name and by appointment of the magistrates and common council of the royal burgh of Rutherglen, in council assembled, this 9th day of August 1822 years, by me, Provost of said burgh.

WM. LEITCH, Provost.

Sealed with the common seal of the said burgh, by

GEO. CRAUFURD, Town-Clerk.

To his Majesty the KING,

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Caithness.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the county of Caithness, embrace the occasion of your Majesty's gracious visit to your Kingdom of Scotland, to renew the expression of our warm and unceasing attachment to your Majesty's person and government.

The royal presence has long been withheld from Scotland; and we reckon it a proud circumstance, that the present high mark of the royal consideration and favour flows from a Monarch under whose government the honour, the power, and the influence of the British empire have attained an elevation unparalleled even its glorious annals.

We rejoice in the persuasion that your Majesty's closer acquaintance with this part of your domi-

nions will strengthen and confirm your just confidence in the attachment and loyalty of all classes of its inhabitants; and we earnestly pray that your Majesty may be long preserved, enjoying, without abatement or alloy, this gratifying confidence in your subjects.

Signed in name and by appointment of a general meeting of the Lieutenancy, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the county, held within the royal burgh of Wick, the 6th of August 1822, by

JA. TRAILL, Preses.

To his Most Gracious Majesty George the Fourth, of the united kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King,

The loyal and affectionate Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Burgh of Sanquhar.

May it please your Majesty,

We, the Provost, Bailies, and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Sanquhar, with hearts warm in attachment, and impressed with sentiments of unbounded veneration for your Majesty's sacred person and government, humbly approach your Majesty, to present, with our countrymen, our most sincere and joyous congratulations on your Majesty's arrival in Scotland, the ancient hereditary kingdom of your Majesty's illustrious ancestors.

Sire, As Scotsmen, we claim a high and paramount interest in your Majesty. Descended from Scottish heroes, your Majesty, our royal father, reigns in the hearts of Scotsmen. While we love our country, while we value what is kind and beneficent, we will never forget the happy day which brought your Majesty among your delighted Scots subjects.

It is our most frequent prayer that your Majesty may be long preserved to rule over us, a blessing to a loyal and affectionate people.

THO. CRICHTON, Provost.

To the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty,

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

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the royal Burgh of Wick, humbly beg leave to congratulate your Majesty on your arrival in Scotland, your ancient and renowned kingdom, formerly the constant residence of your Majesty's royal ancestors. In common with the rest of our fellow Scottish subjects, we feel highly gratified by this mark of your royal favour. Feeling the warmest attachment to your Majesty's person and government, we heard with the greatest delight of your Majesty's intention to visit Scotland; and, as Scotsmen, we feel a peculiar degree of satisfaction in being honoured with a visit from our beloved Sovereign, the descendant of our ancient and illustrious Scottish kings, the heir of their virtues as well as of their throne. Endeared to all your subjects by the mildness and equity of your government, and by your many princely qualities, in which you so greatly excel, we humbly beg leave to assure your Majesty, that we cherish for your person and government that devoted and heroic attachment which our forefathers always shewed to your Majesty's royal ancestors, our Scottish kings.

That your Majesty's visit to Scotland may prove as pleasing and agreeable to yourself, as it must be gratifying and beneficial to all ranks of your subjects in this part of the empire,—that your reign may be long and prosperous, and that you may be pleased to honour Scotland with many royal visits, are the earnest wishes and prayers of, May it please your Majesty, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the royal Burgh of Wick.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, and the seal of the Burgh is hereto affix-

ed, at Wick, the 10th day of August 1822, by

JAS. WATERS, Chief Resident Magistrate.

Unto the KING'S Most Excellent Majesty, The humble Address of the Noblemen, Freeholders; Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Clackmanan.

May it please your Majesty,

We, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Clackmanan, beg leave to address our humble congratulations on your Majesty's safe arrival in your ancient city of Edinburgh.

Conscious that our country has produced some of the most eminent men, who have rendered the most distinguished services to the state,—that our improvements in science, in agriculture, and manufactures, equal those which have been made by any other nation, we entertain the confident hope, that your Majesty's visit to this valuable portion of your dominions will leave a favourable impression upon your Majesty's noble and unprejudiced mind.

We see, without repining, that your Majesty's residence is established in England; nevertheless, we fully appreciate the advantages which this circumstance affords to our southern neighbours. It is, therefore, with the greatest delight that we see your Majesty amongst us, even for a time necessarily so limited.

That your Majesty's return may be safe,—that the same prosperity which has hitherto marked your Majesty's reign may continue undiminished,—that the Almighty may preserve your Majesty in health and happiness for many years, is the fervent prayer of a loyal, happy, and grateful people.

Signed in our name and by our authority, at Alloa, this 6th day of August 1822 years.

ABERCROMBY, P.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Noblemen and Gentlemen of the County of Peebles, beg leave to approach your Majesty on the joyful occasion of your first visit to your ancient kingdom of Scotland. We are eager to take this opportunity of renewing the expression of our cordial and unalterable attachment to your Majesty's sacred person. We are convinced that our feelings of loyalty and of gratitude for so condescending a mark of your Majesty's gracious favour, are in unison with those of all your Majesty's subjects in Scotland. We trust your Majesty will enjoy health and happiness among us, and will long continue to reign over a free and loyal people.

Signed in name and behalf of the meeting, by
CHARTERIS, WEMYSS, and MARCH,
Lieutenant and Preses.

Unto his Most Excellent Majesty the KING, The humble Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Inverary.

May it please your Majesty,

We, your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Inverary, beg leave to approach the throne with our cordial and sincere congratulations on your Majesty's visit to your ancient kingdom of Scotland, and our warmest wishes and confident hopes that you may derive from it all the gratification which your fondest expectations may have anticipated.

In offering to your Majesty the humble tribute of our congratulations, we venture at the same time to assure your Majesty of our affectionate regard and devotion to your person and family, under a strong conviction and a grateful sense of the happiness which we and our ancestors, in common with the whole inhabitants of these kingdoms, have so long enjoyed, beyond all other nations, from the impartiality enjoined in the administra-