

In the County of Derby, in Common-Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Brethren, and Capital Burgeses of the ancient Borough of Derby, in Common-Council assembled, humbly presume to approach your Throne with Sentiments of the most sincere Loyalty and Attachment to your Royal Person and Family.

Your Majesty's Generosity and Greatness of Mind, in expressing a Desire to both Houses of Parliament, that the Burthens of the Subject may be alleviated, by reducing, within just and due Bounds, the Public Expenditure, and the noble Example your Majesty wishes to set to your Subjects, by adopting a Plan of Economy in a Reform of the Civil Establishment, calls for our warmest Acknowledgements, and gives us the fullest Assurance of your Majesty's paternal Care.

We also beg Leave to express our deep Sense of your Majesty's gracious Attention to the Interests of your People, in calling to your Councils, at this important Crisis, those Persons on whose constitutional Principles and distinguished Abilities we place the most perfect Reliance.

From our Confidence in the Integrity of such Men, we found a reasonable Hope of a favorable Change of Measures; and we now flatter ourselves, that the late Success of your Fleet (of which we sincerely congratulate your Majesty) is a Presage of the happy Consequences that will accrue from the Wisdom of your Majesty's Arrangements, and the vigorous Conduct of upright Ministers, supported by the unanimous Voice of the People.

Such powerful Exertions cannot fail, under the Auspices of Heaven, to restore Superiority and Lustre to your Majesty's Arms, promote the real Dignity of the Crown, and the Happiness of all your faithful Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall in the Borough aforesaid, this Fourth Day of May, in the Twenty-second Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Town of Nottingham has been presented to the King by Robert Smith and Daniel Parker Coke, Esquires, Representatives in Parliament for the said Town, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgeses of the Town of Nottingham, in Common Council assembled.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Burgeses of your ancient and loyal Corporation of Nottingham, beg Leave to approach your Royal Person at this Time of general Satisfaction, which has spread itself in your Majesty's Dominions, and to join with the Rest of your Majesty's Subjects in presenting our sincere and grateful Thanks to your Majesty for the Testimony of paternal Regard for your People, which your Majesty has lately shewn in condescending to meet their Wishes, by the Appointment of Ministers, so much distinguished for their Abilities and Integrity, to surround your Throne and aid your Councils, at so critical and important a Juncture. So distinguished a Mark of your Majesty's Wisdom and Affection for your People in such a Choice, and at the same Time signifying your gracious Desire that a Reformation may be made in your Civil Establishment, cannot but make a grateful and lasting Impression on the Minds of your Majesty's Subjects, and is to them a happy Presage of a general National Economy and Reform, and must tend to inspire them with the strongest Confidence, that your Majesty has at Heart the true Happiness and Prosperity of your

People, and that your Councils will be always directed by the most prudent Means to those Ends, and make them zealously and chearfully contribute, to the utmost of their Power, to the strengthening your Majesty's Government, and to support all those wise Measures that may be adopted for the bringing about a safe and honourable Peace, and unite all your Majesty's Subjects in a perfect Bond of Affection towards your Majesty, your Illustrious House, and to each other, and be the Means of fixing those Blessings on a permanent and solid Foundation.

That your Majesty's Councils may be always aided by able and faithful Ministers; and that your Majesty may long reign over a free and loyal People, and continually behold your own Happiness and that of all your Subjects daily increasing and adding fresh Satisfaction to your Royal Mind, and Honour and Glory to your Reign, is the sincere and earnest Desire of us your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall of the Town of Nottingham, this Tenth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-two.

Robert Seagrave, Town-Clerk.

The following Address of the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Court of Assistants, and Body, of the Artillery Company of the City of London, has been presented to the King by Colonel Sir Watkin Lewes, Knt. Lieutenant-Colonel Alderman Newnham, Major Alderman Turner, and Captain Henry Smith, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Court of Assistants, and Body of your Majesty's Artillery Company of the City of London, in General Court assembled, humbly beg leave to approach your Majesty with Sentiments of the truest Zeal for the Honor of the Crown, and warmest Affection and Attachment to your Majesty's Royal Person and Family.

We lament the Necessity of a longer Continuance of the present War; we abhor the ambitious and hostile Designs of the inveterate Enemies of our Country; we feel ourselves called upon at this awful Period, as loyal and Dutiful Subjects, to declare to your Majesty our Readiness to assist in the Defence of the Person of our August Sovereign, our Liberties, and Laws.

Our Zeal and Attachment to our King and Constitution, would induce us to make the most unlimited Offers of Service, if we were not compelled to represent to your Majesty, that our various Avocations in civil Life require a constant Residence in and near this City; and therefore we humbly hope your Majesty will be pleased to accept of our most strenuous and active Exertions, as a military Body without Pay, in such Manner as your Majesty shall be graciously pleased to command, for the Defence of the Metropolis and its Environs.

Signed by Order of Court,

Armoury-House,

Peter Longes, Clerk.

May 14, 1782.

St. James's, May 21.

The King has been pleased to grant to William Smith, Esq; the Office of Treasurer and Pay-Master of His Majesty's Ordnance.

By the KING,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N,

For apprehending Thomas Lewin, Esquire.

G E O R G E R.

WHEREAS, on the First Day of this Instant May, Complaint being made to the House of Commons, that Lewin, Esquire, (late Secretary