

as that, under which Nations, as well as Individuals, mistake Licentiousness for Liberty; and as we are convinced that regular Government, and a quiet Submission to those Laws, under which we and our Forefathers have flourished, are the only Security for our Rights, both as Men and as Subjects, so we reprobate every Attempt to disseminate such pernicious Principles as must, of Necessity, subvert them. Feeling that we have much Cause to bless God for having given us a Sovereign, who is the jealous Protector of our excellent Constitution; we conceive it to be our indispensable Duty to second his gracious Intentions, and to obey his Commands: It shall be our Study, as far as the Influence of our Example and Authority can reach, to cherish those Sentiments of Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government, for which the Inhabitants of this City have ever been distinguished, and to concur in those Measures which your Royal Wisdom has suggested for handing down unimpaired to our Posterity the Blessings of that Constitution, under which we have the Happiness to live.

Signed in Name and by Appointment of the Town Council of the City of St. Andrew's, by

Rob. Key, Dean of Guild.
David Walker, Baillie.
David Alexander, Baillie.
David Tod, Baillie.
Rob. Meldrum, Baillie.

[Transmitted by *George Murray, Esq;* Representative in Parliament for that City.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates, Town Council, and Inhabitants of your Majesty's Royal Borough of Queensferry, being now convened, beg Leave to approach your Majesty's Throne, with Sentiments of high Loyalty and Affection, to thank your Majesty for your late Royal Proclamation against seditious and inflammatory Writings, and for preserving the Peace of the Nation.

Happy under a Constitution established at the glorious Era of the Revolution, securing to us the high National Liberty and Happiness which, by the Blessing of God, we have since enjoyed under the mild and paternal Government of your Majesty's illustrious House, it is with deep Regret we observe the Spirit of Licentiousness to come forward in our Times, in Combination against the Tranquillity of your Majesty's Government, and in Writings calculated to misrepresent and defame the wise Principles of our happy Civil and Ecclesiastical Constitution, and to overturn the venerable and glorious Bulwarks of the Liberties of the Nation.

Cordially attached to your Majesty, and interested in the Happiness of our Fellow Subjects, we beg Leave highly to approve and applaud the late spirited Measures of your Majesty's Ministers for preserving the Peace of the Country, and for defeating the Schemes of Men, who seem to have it as their Object to promote Practices which are seditious and disorderly.

That your Majesty may long reign over a free, loyal and happy People, is the earnest Prayer of your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates, Town Council, and Inhabitants of the Borough of Queensferry.

Signed in our Name, and at our Desire, by our

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Chief Magistrate, Preses of this Meeting held at Queensferry the 1st Day of June, 1792 Years.

John Taylor.

[Transmitted by the Honourable *Andrew Cochran*, Representative in Parliament for that Borough.]

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 Subjects, the Provost, Magistrates and Town Council of the City of Aberdeen, beg Leave to approach the Throne, and to assure your Majesty that we are most warmly and loyally attached to your Person and Family, and to the Government and Constitution of this Kingdom.

Satisfied as we are that the Happiness and Prosperity of this great Empire do, under Divine Providence, chiefly depend upon a due Submission to the Laws, and a just Confidence in the Integrity and Wisdom of Parliament, we observe, with Astonishment and Indignation, that divers wicked and seditious Writings have been published and dispersed, tending to raise and disseminate groundless Jealousies and Discontents in the Minds of your faithful Subjects, respecting the Laws and happy Constitution of Government established in Great Britain.

For repressing of which wicked Practices your Majesty has been graciously pleased to issue your Royal Proclamation, warning all your Subjects to guard against such dangerous and seditious Attempts, as aiming at the Subversion of all regular Government, and being inconsistent with the Peace and good Order of Society.

For this signal Instance of your Majesty's paternal Care and Attention to preserve to all your faithful Subjects the full Enjoyment of their Rights and Liberties, both Religious and Civil, we humbly beg Leave to return your Majesty our most dutiful and grateful Thanks; and to assure your Majesty, that we will use every Means in our Power to check and discountenance such criminal Writings, and to prevent and suppress all Riots, Tumults and other Disorders, which may be attempted to be raised or made within our Jurisdiction, upon any Pretext whatever.

Signed in Name, in Presence, and by Appointment of the Magistrates and Town Council of Aberdeen, in Council convened, and the Common Seal of the City is affixed hereto, at Aberdeen, the 2d Day of June, in the Year 1792,

by *Gen. Adjo*, Provost.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Manufacturers, and other Inhabitants of the Town and Neighbourhood of Bolton-le-Moors, in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen, Clergy, Manufacturers, and other Inhabitants of the Town and Neighbourhood of Bolton-le-Moors, assembled at a Public Meeting on the 28th Day of May, 1792, for the Purpose of considering your Majesty's Proclamation, expressive of your Royal Pleasure to preserve the Peace and Order of these Kingdoms by an exemplary and seasonable Prevention of Practices tending

