

proud Pre-eminence of your Majesty's English Subjects, we trust that we should at no Time want Motives to fulfil conscientiously the important Duties given us in Charge; but in this our more than ordinary Attention has been directed to those Objects which the wise Vigilance of your late Proclamation has pointed to our present and peculiar Care.

With the ingenious Pleasure of unquestionable Truth, we presume to assure your Majesty of our conscientious Belief, that no seditious Publications have been industriously dispersed within the Extent of our Powers of Enquiry; that therein we know of no factious Assemblies; no Appearance of private Discontents; no Indication of Public Alarm. From ourselves, at such a Period, the Offer of our Lives and Fortunes, always due to the King whom we piously revere, to the Country which we dearly love, were superfluous. These Offers and these Services are fitted to Times of Danger and Distress. But this is a Time of true Glory to your Majesty, to us your faithful and loving Subjects, of the full Enjoyment of all the Fruits of Peace. Nor is there ought known of reasonable Fear but what Nature has blended with and made inseparable from extreme Affection. But may it please All-gracious Providence long to permit your paternal Government to an happy undivided People. And when in the Dispersions of its supreme Wisdom it shall remove you to an higher Throne, may loyal Subjects continue under the Protection of Princes who, descended from your Loins, shall be emulous of all your Virtues, faithfully upholding the venerable Fabric of our Constitution, too perfect for modern Sciolists in Polity intemperately to alter, or fancifully to improve; and of that Compactness and Solidity which shall shall never be impaired by the wild Attempts of desperate Adventurers, who, were they able, would lay prostrate legal Liberty, and tear up the Foundations of Civil Security and social Happiness. So shall it be justified to the World, and to the sober Spirit of Legislation, that Englishmen know better than any other People upon Earth how to value at the same Time these Three great Advantages, Religion, Commerce, and Liberty.

[ Transmitted by his Grace the Duke of Ancafter. ]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,  
The humble Address of the University of Glasgow.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Rector, Vice-Chancellor, Dean of Faculties, Principal, and Professors of the University of Glasgow, humbly beg Leave to join the general Voice of the Nation in offering to your Majesty, as the faithful Protector of our Civil and Religious Liberty, our most cordial Thanks for your gracious and paternal Attention to the Welfare and Happiness of your People, manifested in your late Proclamation for suppressing seditious Publications.

As Guardians and Instructors of Youth, it shall always be our Study to train up those who are committed to our Care in a Veneration for our excellent free Constitution, established at the Revolution, and in a zealous Attachment to your Majesty's sacred Person, Family, and Government.

Done in the Senate House of the University, and signed in our Name, and by our Appointment, by the Vice-Chancellor, Dean of Faculties, and Clerk, this 8th Day of August, 1792.

Arch. Davidson, Vice-Chancellor.

James Meek, F. F. D.

Wm. Richardson, Cl. S. P. T.

[ Transmitted by his Grace the Duke of Montrose. ]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Bailiffs, Recorder, and Capital Burgesies of the Borough of Bridport, in the County of Dorset.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiffs, Recorder, and Capital Burgesies of the Borough of Bridport, beg Leave to approach your Throne with Sentiments of sincere and inviolable Attachment to your Royal Person, Family, and Government, and to express our Gratitude for the many Blessings we now enjoy, and the pleasing Hopes we entertain, that under the Auspices of your Majesty's continued Exertions for the Welfare and Happiness of your People, the Peace, Harmony, and Tranquillity of this our native Country will long continue uninterrupted.

We feel it our Duty at this Time to express our Abhorrence of every Measure that has a Tendency to excite Tumult and Sedition, and to assure your Majesty that we shall make it our Endeavour, as Magistrates and Individuals, to enforce Obedience to the Laws, and exert ourselves in the Suppression of Vice and the Encouragement of good Order within the Precincts of our Jurisdiction.

That your Majesty may long reign over a brave, free, and happy People, is our sincere and fervent Prayer.

Sealed with our Common Seal.

[ Transmitted by James Watson, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for that Borough. ]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Ross.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of this your County of Ross, beg Leave to approach your Throne to express our Gratitude and Thanks for your late Royal Proclamation against the seditious and inflammatory Writings and Publications which have been for some Time back so industriously disseminated amongst your Subjects.

Filled with the most lively Sentiments of Gratitude for your Majesty's paternal Care and Attention, manifested towards us, in common with the Rest of your People, in the present Instance, we offer your Majesty our Tribute of Thanks.

We cannot avoid expressing our Detestation and Abhorrence of those Writings, which have the avowed Tendency of unhinging our present happily established Constitution and Government, and of inculcating Doctrines subversive of all Civil Order and Subordination; and beg Leave to assure your Majesty that we shall, in our several Capacities of Magistrates or private Citizens, exert ourselves to suppress and discountenance all such within our County.

We are happy to embrace this Opportunity of expressing to your Majesty the Sentiments of Loyalty and unfeigned Attachment to your Royal Person, to your Family, and Government, with which we are animated, and of assuring your Majesty that we prize too highly the Blessings of our Constitution, as established at the Period of the Glorious Revolution, to suffer ourselves to be misled by any Schemes of Innovation which may in any Respect infringe thereon.

May your Majesty long reign over a free and enlightened Empire, and hand down that Constitution, which