

*Argyllshire Fencible Infantry.*

Lawrence White, Esq; late Captain in the 99th Foot, to be Captain, vice Dixon, resigned. Dated October 31, 1800.

Ensign John Bell to be Lieutenant, vice A. Campbell, recommended for a Commission in the Line. Dated November 5, 1800.

Dugald Hyslop to be Ensign, vice Bell. Dated as above.

Ensign William Moffett to be Lieutenant, vice Mitchell, recommended for a Commission in the Line. Dated as above.

George M'Intyre to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Ensign Colin Hamilton to be Lieutenant, vice D. Carmichael, recommended for a Commission in the Line. Dated as above.

*St. James's, February 12, 1801.*

**T**HIS Day the Right Honorable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council of the City of London, waited upon His Majesty, (being introduced to His Majesty by the Lord in Waiting,) with the following Address, which was read by Sir John William Rose, the Recorder.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

*Most Gracious Sire,*

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, approach the Throne with the liveliest Sentiments of Congratulation on the very Important Event of the Legislative Union of your Majesty's Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland.

Unshaken as we are, in our firm Allegiance to the best of Kings, we contemplate with peculiar Satisfaction every Circumstance, which, in its Design or Operation can tend to the Security and Honour of your Majesty's Crown, and thereby to the declared first Object of your Majesty's Heart—the Welfare and Prosperity of your People.

The Accomplishment of this great Measure, founded in Wisdom, and demonstrative of that paternal Regard which your Majesty has ever evinced for every Class of your Subjects, the Union of the Two Kingdoms, particularly affords, at this momentous Crisis of public Affairs, the gratifying Prospect of consolidating the joint Interests, Energy, and Resources of the Empire, and of confirming, by a mutual Participation of the peculiar Blessings of each, the Prosperity and Happiness of both Kingdoms.

Long may your Majesty wear the Diadem, which, through unexampled Difficulties, has maintained its Dignity and preserved its Lustre; and long may the Subjects of your United Empire, with one Heart and one Voice confess with Gratitude the Loyalty and Veneration due to a Sovereign whose Honour must be their Pride, and on whose Security is engrafted their immediate Welfare; and may the most complete Success under Providence crown their Determinations to subdue your Majesty's Enemies, wherever they may be found.

Signed by Order of Court,  
WILLIAM RIX.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

**I** Thank you for this dutiful and loyal Address, and for your warm Congratulations on the Union of the Two Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland, an Event which, I trust, cannot fail, under the Blessing of Providence, to augment and perpetuate the Welfare and Happiness of all My People.

Your affectionate Expressions of Attachment to My Person and Government, and your steady Determination to maintain against every Aggression the Security and Honor of My Crown, are highly acceptable to Me, and secure to My faithful City of London My constant Favor and Protection.

They were all received very graciously, and had the Honor to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

*St. James's, February 11, 1801.*

**T**HE following Address having been transmitted to the Duke of Portland, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been by his Grace presented to the King; which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the several Warranted Lodges of the Most Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons according to the Old Institutions, in the Island of Barbadoes.

**W**E, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Masters, Wardens, and Brethren of the several Warranted Lodges undermentioned of Free and Accepted Masons, according to the Old Institutions, in the Island of Barbadoes, most humbly request Permission to offer, at the Foot of your Throne, the warmest Congratulations of our Hearts on your providential Deliverance from the late atrocious Attempt on your most sacred and invaluable Life. When we reflect on the Perils to which your Majesty has from Time to Time been exposed, our Minds are filled with Gratitude to Heaven for your almost miraculous Preservation from them: We felicitate ourselves on being Subjects of a King whom the Almighty appears to have taken, in a special Manner, under his Divine Protection; and through whose Virtues we therefore hope that, amidst the Convulsions which agitate surrounding Nations, the British Throne and Government may still remain unshaken, and transmit to distant Ages the Blessings which your Majesty's Subjects enjoy above all other People in the World. We are happy in finding that the Wisdom of Parliament has left to Lodges of real Free Masons the Liberty of continuing to meet, whilst, at the same Time, it has thought proper to guard against the Abuses which might possibly be committed by false Pretenders to that Name assembling, without having ever been acknowledged as Free Masons, much less authorized to act as such by a Grand Lodge:—for we most humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that genuine Free Masons cannot, in their Lodges, conspire against the State, they having from Time immemorial been strictly charged never to suffer any political Disquisition in a Lodge, but, as Masons, always to be peaceable Subjects of the Government