

Endowment which could adorn his Profession, and whose public Services have immortalized his Name and Character.

In Testimony hereof, the Deputy Master (in the Absence of the Master) has subscribed his Name, and we have caused the Common Seal of the Corporation to be affixed hereto, at the Trinity-House in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, November 25, 1805.

*Thomas Shadforth, Deputy Master.*

[*Transmitted by the Right Honorable Lord Eldon, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Wardens, Elder Brethren, and Assistants of the Trinity-House of Kingston-upon-Hull.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Wardens, Elder Brethren, and Assistants of the Trinity-House of Kingston upon-Hull, anxious to repeat our Congratulations at every Event which is likely to promote the Prosperity, Honor, and Happiness of this Kingdom, presume to approach the Throne with our sincere Congratulations on the late signal and important Victories, which, under Divine Providence, your Majesty's Fleets, commanded by the late Vice-Admiral Lord Nelson and Sir Richard now Admiral Strachan, achieved over the Combined Fleets of France and Spain off Trafalgar and Cape Ortegal; Victories which, while they reflect the highest Honor on the Judgment and Intrepidity of the Admirals and Officers, and on the matchless Courage of the Seamen and Marines in general, must strike the Foe with Terror and Dismay.

Deploring, as we most sincerely do, with the rest of your Majesty's loyal Subjects, the Death of that invaluable brave Officer Admiral Lord Nelson, yet we trust and hope that Victories like these, complete and honorable, and beyond Example decisive and destructive to the superior united Force of the Enemy, must blast their every Hope of again facing your Majesty's Fleet; and we fervently trust that it may please the Almighty to continue to go forth with your Majesty's Fleets and Armies, until your Majesty can give to your faithful and loyal Subjects a safe and honorable Peace.

Given under our Common Seal, the 26th Day of November, in the Forty-sixth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

*John Thackray and Thomas Locke, Wardens.*

[*Transmitted by the Right Honorable Earl Fitzwilliam; and Samuel Thornton, Esq; and John Staniforth, Esq; Representatives in Parliament for Kingston upon-Hull.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of Kingston-upon-Hull.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of Kingston-upon-Hull, beg Leave to approach your Throne, with our warmest Congratulations, on the splendid and decisive Victory, obtained by your Majesty's Fleet over the combined Forces of France

and Spain; an Event which, we earnestly hope and trust, will lead to the Deliverance of Europe, from the unjust Aggrandizement and insatiate Ambition of France.

Though we may justly contemplate, with Pride and Exultation, the eminent Superiority displayed by your Majesty's Navy, in the Battle of Trafalgar; we must ever deeply Lament the Loss of the gallant and illustrious Commander on that memorable Day, whose Skill and Valour have so often frustrated the ambitious Designs of our Enemies; and in whose Death, shone so conspicuously the Virtues which adorned his Life, Love of his Country, Loyalty to his King, and pious Resignation to the Will of his Creator.

Given under our common Seal, this 23d Day of November, in the Forty-sixth Year of your Majesty's Reign. *Will. Jarrat, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by the Right Honorable Earl Fitzwilliam; and Samuel Thornton, Esq; and John Staniforth, Esq; Representatives in Parliament for Kingston-upon-Hull.*]

Admiralty-Office, November 30, 1805.

*Copy of a Letter from the Honourable Captain Blackwood, of His Majesty's Ship the Euryalus to William Marsden, Esq; dated this Day at the Admiralty.*

SIR,

OBSERVING in the Gazette Extraordinary, of the 27th Instant, that the Number of the Enemy's Ships taken and destroyed, in consequence of the Action of the 21st of October, is stated at Twenty Sail of the Line; I take the Liberty of mentioning to you, for the Information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that as this must be intended to include the French Ship Argonaute, of 74 Guns, which Ship I had an Opportunity of knowing was safe in the Port of Cadiz, it will be proper to state the actual Number taken and destroyed, at Nineteen Sail of the Line. This apparent Inaccuracy was occasioned by the Dispatch of the Commander in Chief, dated the 4th, having been made up before my last Return with a Flag of Truce from that Port.

I am, &c.

HENRY BLACKWOOD:

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.*

*Spilby and Burgb Volunteer Infantry.*

William Parish, Esq; to be Captain. Dated November 14, 1805.

*Lincoln Volunteer Infantry.*

Thomas Mason, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated November 14, 1805.

PROCLAMATION for pardoning Deserters from His Majesty's Regular Forces.

*War-Office, October 8, 1805.*

WHEREAS it has been represented to the King, that there are, at this Time, several Deserters from His Majesty's Regular Land Forces who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of His Majesty's gracious Pardon, and that such

*London. Bedford.*