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AT the Court at the *Queen's Palace*, the 18th of May 1808,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order of His Majesty in Council, of the Twenty-fifth Day of November One thousand eight hundred and seven, it was ordered and declared, that Information of His Majesty's Order in Council of the Eleventh Day of the same November should be taken and held to have been received in the Places therein mentioned, at the Periods therein respectively assigned, to such Places respectively: And whereas the Countries on the Continent of North and South America, extending from the Tenth to the Thirtieth Degree of North Latitude, are not included in the Places so specified; His Majesty is pleased, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order and declare, that Information of the said Order of the Eleventh of November One thousand eight hundred and seven, shall be taken and held to have been received in all Places on the Continent of North and South America, extending from the Tenth to the Thirtieth Degree of North Latitude, including the Island of New Orleans, on the Tenth Day of February One thousand eight hundred and eight; and that all Matters contained in the said Order of the Twenty-fifth of November One thousand eight hundred and seven shall apply to Vessels sailing from the Places aforesaid, as having received Notice of the said Order of the Eleventh of November One thousand eight hundred and seven on the said Tenth Day of February One thousand eight hundred and eight:—And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and the Judge of the High Court of Admiralty, and Judges of the Courts of Vice-Admiralty, are to take the necessary Measures herein as to them shall respectively appertain.

*Steph. Cottrell.*

*St. James's, May 18, 1808.*

THE following Addresses having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Lord Hawkebury, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been by his Lordship presented to the King; which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, and other Inhabitants of your ancient and loyal City of Chester.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's faithful Subjects approach the Throne at a most eventful Period, when a vindictive Enemy, elated by the Subjugation of the Continent, vainly hopes to complete his Work of Destruction, by the Overthrow of this happy Empire.

Convinced by the disastrous State of the neighbouring Kingdoms, that true Liberty is only to be enjoyed within the Realms which flourish under your paternal Care, we are firmly resolved to encounter every Difficulty in the Preservation of our invaluable Blessings.

With heartfelt Satisfaction we congratulate your Majesty that the Resources of the Country are directed with an Energy peculiarly fitting the Circumstances of the Times, and best calculated to retort the Evils of a cruel and unusual Mode of Warfare upon the Aggressor, who, regardless of the Sufferings of Mankind, has hurried a World into the Conflict.

Gladly as we would welcome the Approach of an honourable Peace, we well know it is only to be obtained by a vigorous Perseverance in the Efforts of War; and we are deeply impressed with the Necessity of a cordial Union among all Classes of your Majesty's Subjects in the Prosecution of our just and great Cause, the Salvation and Honour of our Country.

*John Wright, Deputy Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by John Wright, Esq; Deputy Mayor.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders, and Inhabitants of the County of Chester, beg Leave to ap-