

Leave to approach your Majesty with our unfeigned Congratulations at the present Period of your Majesty's long and glorious Reign.

We bless God who has so long preserved your Majesty the Guardian of a prosperous and happy People; and when we contemplate the present State of surrounding Nations, entirely within the Grasp of an ambitious and cruel Individual, with an Iron Sceptre in his Hand, dealing Destruction at his Pleasure, whilst we continue a free and happy People, holding the Tyrant in contempt, we are lost in Wonder and Gratitude that, by the Blessing of Almighty God, your Majesty has been preserved to us to this Day, and we pray God long to continue your Majesty to reign over us, and that we may be enabled justly to appreciate so great a Blessing.

Given under our Common Seal the 27th Day of October, in the Fiftieth Year of your Reign.

John Stevenson, Mayor.

[*Transmitted by Alex. Allen, Esq.; M. P. for the said Borough.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Portreeve, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Swansea, in Common Hall assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful Subjects, the Portreeve, Aldermen, and Burgesses of Swansea, in Common Hall assembled, beg Leave to offer our most sincere and heartfelt Congratulations on your Majesty's entering into the Fiftieth Year of your Reign over a free, loyal, and united People. And we entreat your Majesty graciously to accept these our Congratulations, as well as an Assurance of our unalterable Attachment to your sacred Person and Government; and as it will be our constant Prayer to the great Ruler of Princes that your Majesty's Reign may be continued to us with increased Prosperity, so it shall be our earnest Endeavour, by every Act of Zeal, Gratitude, and Obedience, to render it both happy and glorious.

Signed and sealed by Order of Common Hall,
John Monis, Portreeve.

[*Transmitted by Thomas Wyndham, Esq; Member of Parliament.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Burgesses, of the Borough of Leicester, beg Leave humbly to offer to your Majesty our heartfelt Congratulations on the Commencement of the Fiftieth Year of your Reign.

We should ill deserve the Blessings we have derived from your Majesty's paternal Care of your People, and from the bright Example of your public and private Virtues, during the long Period of almost Half a Century, if we were not deeply impressed by the liveliest Sentiments of Affection and Gratitude, which so rare and joyful an Occasion must inspire.

It has pleased the All-wise Disposer of Events to cast our Lot in Times of no common Difficulty and Danger; but whilst other Monarchs have been despoiled of the fairest Portions of their hereditary Dominions, and constrained to transfer the Allegiance of their Subjects to the Tyrant of the Continent, it

is Matter of the purest Consolation to us to reflect, that your Majesty still continues in the entire Possession of your United Kingdoms, and your faithful People in the free and full Exercise and Enjoyment of all their Rights and Liberties, both civil and religious. To what, Sire, are we to ascribe our Exemption from those Calamities which have convulsed the Thrones, and extinguished the Liberties of so many Nations in Europe? To the Bounty of Providence in having given to the favoured Subjects of your Majesty's Empire a free Constitution of Government; a liberal and enlightened System of Laws; a pure Religion; and a Monarch whose long and valuable Life has been devoted to the Preservation of the Honour of his Crown, and to the Promotion of the Happiness of his People.

We are indeed thankful to Almighty God for such transcendent Privileges; and, in humble Dependence upon his Will, "who rides in the Whirlwind, and directs the Storm," we offer up our fervent Prayers, that your Majesty's Reign over your happy and united People may still secure to them a Continuance of the signal Blessings they enjoy, and preserve them from those Evils which have desolated and afflicted the rest of Europe.

Signed by the unanimous Resolution of the Common-Hall.

W. Heyrick, Town-Clerk.

[*Transmitted by Mr. Serjeant Vaughan, Recorder of Leicester.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, Council, and Community of the City of Elgin, North Britain, having assembled here this Day to celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of your Majesty's Accession to the Throne of these Realms, beg Leave most sincerely and affectionately to offer our Congratulations to your Majesty on this auspicious Event, and to testify our unshaken Loyalty and Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government, convinced as we are that our individual Comfort and Happiness, as well as the Prosperity and Security we enjoy as a Nation in these Times of unexampled Difficulty and Danger, are, under Providence, to be ascribed to the Justice, Moderation, and Wisdom of your Majesty's Reign. And we earnestly pray that Almighty God may long preserve your Majesty thus to govern a free and happy People, and thus to afford to them, in the Person of a beloved Sovereign, the brightest Example of private Worth, as well as public Virtue.

Signed in our Name, Presence, and by our Appointment, by

Geo Brown, Provost.
Council-Chamber, Elgin, 25th October 1809.

[*Transmitted by the Lord Advocate of Scotland.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Capital Burgesses, and Assistants, and other the Inhabitants of the Town and Borough of Tiverton, in the County of Devon, beg to offer to your Majesty our humble but sincere Congratulations, on the Commencement of the Fiftieth Year of your Majesty's Reign.