

Council assembled, beg Leave to approach your Majesty with the most profound Respect, and the sincerest Congratulations, on the Fiftieth Anniversary of your Majesty's Accession to the Throne of these Realms.

And to assure your Majesty, that we are truly sensible of the Blessings we have enjoyed under a Reign unexampled in Posterity, and nearly so in Duration; and under a Constitution the Envy and Admiration of the World; that it is our most ardent Wish that you may still live long in the Hearts of your People, and may transmit your Crown in all its Lustre to Descendants who may emulate all those personal Virtues which have rendered you the beloved Guardian of your loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal this 25th Day of October, in the Year of Lord 1809.

*John Arden, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by R. H. Howard Vyse, Esq; M. P. for the said town.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk, in Common Council assembled, beg Leave to offer our sincere Congratulations on your Majesty's lengthened Reign, during which we have experienced so many Instances of your Majesty's paternal Care.

We are fully sensible, Sire, of the Blessings, which in common with our fellow Subjects, we have had the Happiness to enjoy under your Majesty's constitutional Efforts to maintain and promote the Welfare of your People; and we recollect with Gratitude, that in no Period of our History, has the Liberty of the Subject, and the internal Peace and Order of the Kingdom, been preserved with so much Efficacy and Comfort, as during your Majesty's long and arduous Reign. Amidst the deceitful Influence of destructive Principles, and the deadly Ravages of destructive War, whilst other Nations have fallen by their own Treachery, or the overbearing Power of a tyrannic Enemy, this Kingdom has happily preserved in full Vigour, its Trade, its Liberties, and Constitution. We ardently pray, that Providence will mercifully continue his gracious Protection to your Majesty's lengthened Life, and that he will prosper your Majesty's unwearied Efforts to promote the Peace, the Security, and the Prosperity of your Majesty's extensive Dominions.

Given under our Common Seal, at our Guildhall, the Twenty-sixth Day of October, 1809.

[*Transmitted by the Right Honourable Lord Bayning, High Steward, Henry Jodrell, Esq; Recorder, the Honourable Edward Harbord, and G. Wilson, Esq; Representatives in Parliament of the Borough of Great Yarmouth.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgesses, and Inhabitants of the Borough and Town of Clifton, Dartmouth, Hardnefs, humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty on your entering upon the Fiftieth Year of your Reign; an Event which cau-

not fail to rejoice the Hearts of all your Majesty's loyal Subjects, and to call on them for great Thankfulness to the Almighty for the manifold Blessings which they have received under your Majesty's mild Government.

That it may please the Divine Being, by whose Power Kings reign, long to continue your Majesty to rule over a grateful and loyal People; and that the Crown of these Dominions may descend to the latest Posterity in your Majesty's illustrious Family, are our most ardent Prayers.

*Nich. Brooking, Jun. Mayor.*

Dartmouth, October 25th 1809.

[*Transmitted by the Worshipful the Mayor of Dartmouth*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council, of the City of Old Aberdeen, in Council assembled, beg Leave humbly to approach the Throne with our warmest Congratulations on this Anniversary of your Majesty's Accession and Commencement of the Fiftieth Year of your Majesty's Reign over a free, a loyal, and a happy People.

Whilst neighbouring Nations have been subjected to a galling and oppressive Tyranny, whilst their most sacred Rights have been trampled upon, and every Consideration of Equity has been sacrificed to the Views of a boundless and unprincipled Ambition. We your Majesty's loving Subjects feel deeply impressed with Gratitude to the Father of Mercies, that, under your Majesty's mild and paternal Government, we continue to enjoy all those Privileges that constitute the Happiness and Pride of free-born Britons.

Animated with a lively Sense of these inestimable Advantages, we beg Leave to assure your Majesty of our firm Attachment to your Majesty's Person, Family and Government, and our Determination, at all Times, to support social Order, and faithfully to discharge the Duties of our respective Stations.

That God may long preserve your Majesty to be the Guardian of our Religion, Laws, and Liberties, and a bright Example of every public and private Virtue, is the fervent Prayer of your Majesty's loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Old Aberdeen.

Signed in Presence of the Magistrates and Council, and the Common Seal of the City affixed in their Name, and by their Appointment, at Old Aberdeen the 25th Day of October, in the Year 1809.

*William Jack, Provost and Chief Magistrate.*

[*Transmitted by W. Jack, Esq; the Provost.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*SIRE,*

WE, the Inhabitants of your ancient and loyal Town of Beverley, in the East Riding of the County of York, beg Leave to approach your Majesty with the most profound Respect, and humbly to present to your Majesty our most sincere and heartfelt Congratulations on the happy Occasion which we now enjoy of celebrating on this Day, the Fiftieth Anniversary of your Majesty's Accession to the Throne of these Realms.

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