

Talleyrand at Paris, I profit of the opportunity to inform your Lordship, that the Swiss forces, now amounting to twenty-one thousand, and daily increasing, still occupy the position from Morteau to Pontarlier, with light corps, advanced on their right and left towards St. Hypolite and Salins. The head quarters are still at Neuchatel.

An aid du camp, sent here from Marshal Jourdan, at Besançon, announced, yesterday, the submission of the garrison of that place to the King's orders, and requested, in consequence, a suspension of arms on the part of the Swiss army. General de Castella, Chief of the Swiss Staff, who is now here, gives me to understand, that the request will be granted, upon condition that a corps of the enemy, now at Salins, shall be removed, in order to allow the Swiss troops to move forward.

**T**HE following Address has been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

Unto His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and Heritors of the County of Edinburgh.

**WE**, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the noblemen, gentlemen, freeholders, justices of the peace, and commissioners of supply, of the county of Edinburgh, confidently rely on obtaining the gracious indulgence of Your Royal Highness while we present at the foot of the Throne our humble congratulations on that consummation of unexampled success and national glory with which it has pleased Almighty God to crown the magnanimity, the perseverance, and the wisdom of the Government of Your Royal Highness, the undeviating virtues of His Majesty's long and patriotic reign, and the fortitude, skill, courage, and loyalty of his people.

While, however, we exult in the glory of our country, we heartily sympathize with Your Royal Highness in the grateful reflection, that during the long period of a century which has now elapsed since Your Illustrious House was called to the throne of these realms, not only have the rights and liberties of the people been preserved inviolate, but have more and more been improved, strengthened, and secured, while at the same time the population, power and union of the empire have been augmented, consolidated and established. With thankfulness, also, do we recollect, that during the convulsions which shook the thrones of the Continental nations, the Monarchy of Great Britain found security in that enlightened freedom which dispelled those delusions that prompted to rash innovation, and led to the overthrow of civilized society itself; and which now, at the close of a period the most eventful in the history of mankind, has enabled Your Royal Highness to send to the assistance of Europe a British Army and a Bri-

tish General, who, by the achievements of a single battle, have driven from the throne of France that adventurous and unprincipled chief, who, having formed an army which had well nigh destroyed the independence of the Continent, had by their means usurped the supreme power of his own country, and who, after his dethronement, had again, by their treason, been raised a second time to the sovereignty of France, in breach of every thing hitherto held sacred among men.

The experience arising from this rebellion, we confidently trust will not be lost upon Your Royal Highness and His Majesty's august Allies, and while it is left for Your Royal Highness to replace the Powers of Europe on foundations more solid, extended and promising, than those adopted, or even contemplated, at the peace of Utrecht, we venture humbly to express our trust, that effectual provisions will be made for securing the nations of the Continent from the unspeakable evils arising from a military usurpation, with which they have lately been so formidably threatened; and we also do firmly rely, that the presumptuous hopes of the French army to give law to Europe, will, by the glorious efforts which have now crowned the perseverance, wisdom, energy, and magnanimity of Your Royal Highness, be for ever blasted, and that the independence and security of the other nations of the Continent will be established upon a foundation never to be shaken. We remain, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of Supply and Heritors of the County of Edinburgh.

Signed, in our name and by our appointment,

*Wm. Rae, Preses.*

Edinburgh, July 14, 1815.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, July 22, 1815.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint John Allen, Esq. to the place of Clerk of the Cheque of His Majesty's Guard of Yeomen of the Guard.

*Foreign-Office, July 22, 1815.*

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. John Ross as Consul, at Gibraltar, for the King of Prussia.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. James Maury as Consul, at Liverpool, for the United States of America.

*War-Office, July 22, 1815.*

*6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Francis Hartwell to be Major, by purchase, vice Higgins, who retires. Commission dated July 13, 1815.*