

All Souls College, Junior Proctor; Reverend Walter Levitt, Student of Christ Church, Principal Proctor; Reverend Edward Rowden, A.M. of Merton College; Reverend Mr. Cardwell, A.M. Fellow of Brazenose College; Reverend Mr. Rose, A.M. Fellow of Lincoln College; Reverend Mr. Stephens, A.M. Fellow of Brazenose College; Reverend Francis Rowden, A.M. Fellow of New College, being the Delegates appointed by the University to attend on this occasion; accompanied by His Royal Highness the Duke of York, His Grace the Archbishop of York, Marquesses of Titchfield and Carmarthen, Earls Delaware, Temple, and Belfast; Bishops of London, Carlisle, and Oxford, Right Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons, Right Honourable the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Right Honourable Sir William Scott, Right Honourable Sir John Nicholl, John Fane, Esq. M. P. Henry Ashburst, Esq. M. P. Griffith Wynne, Esq. and several other Noblemen and Gentlemen who were educated at the University, waited upon His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to present to His Royal Highness the following Address:

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Oxford, beg leave with all humility to congratulate your Royal Highness on the re-establishment of peace, particularly with that nation whose revolutionary convulsions, and inordinate ambition, were the scourge or the terror of the civilized world.

Short indeed has been the interval since we were permitted to approach your Royal Highness on an occasion in some respects similar. But the joy and the hope, which we then expressed, were suddenly succeeded by grief and alarm. The Monarch so recently placed on the throne of his ancestors was again driven into exile; and Europe was to be saved from the return of rapine and desolation by the arms of Great Britain and her magnanimous Allies.

Through the favour of Heaven this has been triumphantly accomplished; chiefly by an army under the direction of a British Commander, in which the unparalleled bravery of British soldiers was every where sustained by his presence, and animated by his example.

In the preparations which led to the last decisive victory, we recognise the wisdom, promptitude, and energy of your Royal Highness's counsels.

May the Almighty prosper, by His blessing, the means which have been employed to secure the advantages thus gloriously acquired.

May the exalted satisfaction, with which your Royal Highness must contemplate your co-operation with the Allied Powers for the permanent tranquillity of Europe, long continue undiminished.

In particular, may your Royal Highness behold the people, whom you have successfully governed in war, great, happy, and loyal in peace. Strainously to promote this object is not more our duty than our wish. It will therefore be our constant endeavour to impress upon the youth committed to our care, the lessons of ancient wisdom; and above

all, those Christian principles, which are the only sure foundation of public and private virtue. In a more especial manner we shall labour to inculcate on them obedience to civil authority, not merely as a social, but as a religious obligation, that they may pass from studious retirement to the offices of active life, cherishing with still warmer attachment the Constitution, which, under Divine Providence, has been our safeguard in all our perils, and gratefully stedfast in their allegiance to the Illustrious House of Brunswick, by whom that Constitution has ever been zealously maintained.

Given at our House of Convocation, under our common seal, this 13th day of February, in the year of our Lord 1816.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

"I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

"At that important conjuncture, when Europe was threatened with a renewal of the calamities, from which it had been recently relieved, there could be no doubt on my part, and on that of His Majesty's Allies, of the course which it was proper to pursue.

"The result has been a war of unexampled success and glory, and a peace highly honourable to this country, and to our Allies.

"I receive with great satisfaction the declaration of your sentiments upon this important occasion; and, in viewing the eminent situation in which this favoured country is thus happily placed, I feel with exultation and gratitude, that, under the protection of a gracious Providence, it is chiefly to be ascribed to the valour and discipline of His Majesty's troops, and to the loyalty and fortitude of His people.

"The cultivation and improvement of the advantages arising from the present state of public tranquillity, will be the object of my constant and anxious attention; and, I am confident, that you will zealously persevere in the exemplary discharge of your momentous duties, by instilling into the minds of those committed to your care that attachment to the laws and constitution of their country, and those principles of useful knowledge and of religion, which are equally conducive to the best interests of individuals, and to the dignity and prosperity of the State."

Carlton-House, April 30, 1816.

THIS day the Address of the University of Cambridge, congratulating His Royal Highness the Prince Regent on the re-establishment of peace, was presented by the following Gentlemen, Delegates from the University: the Caput; the Reverend Doctor Kaye, Vice Chancellor, Master of Christ's College; the Reverend Dr. Chafy, D. D., Master of Sidney College; Sir Isaac Pennington, M. D. Regius Professor of Physic; the Reverend Daniel Clarke, L.L.D. Professor of Mineralogy; the Reverend Joseph Shaw, M. A. Senior Proctor;