

those Princes, under whose mild parental Government the glory, happiness, and prosperity of the British nation has been for so many years triumphantly maintained.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, at  
Aberdeen, the 24th May 1816, *Huntly.*

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales,  
REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great  
Britain and Ireland.

WE, His Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of Durham, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with the homage of our sincerest congratulations, upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales with His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg Saalfeld, an event that promises to continue to us an enjoyment of those blessings which we have uniformly experienced under the Government of the House of Brunswick. At the present moment, when our character as a nation commands universal admiration abroad, we indulge the fond prospect that our national prosperity at home will be placed, by means of this high union, upon its firmest basis; and we trust that, by favour of Providence, we may look forward to a line of Princes who shall emulate their ancestors in the happy art of governing a free people, by preserving equally unimpaired the dignity of the Crown, and the liberty of the subject.

*Edwd. Davison, Mayor.*

[Presented by George Allan, Esq. M. P. for the  
City of Durham.]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales,  
REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great  
Britain and Ireland.

WE, the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Commonalty of the Town and Borough of Monmouth, assembled in Common Council, beg leave humbly to offer our congratulations to your Royal Highness upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness Leopold Prince of Cobourg. An union which we trust, under Providence, will equally tend to promote the happiness of Her Royal Highness and Her illustrious consort, as also to preserve to the nation the blessings of our Constitution, by continuing the succession to the throne of these realms in the House of Brunswick to the remotest period of time.

Given under our common seal, the 29th day of  
May 1816.

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, Yeomanry, Freeholders, and Inhabitants of the County of Kent, beg to offer our most sincere congratulations on the alliance of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Prince of Saxe Cobourg.

Sensible of the many blessings experienced by our ancestors and ourselves, under the auspicious

Government of the Princes of the House of Brunswick, we are anxious to express to your Royal Highness the cordial satisfaction with which we, in common with the rest of His Majesty's faithful subjects, view an event which gives the best security for a continuance of those invaluable blessings, at the same time that it augments the domestic felicity of your Royal Highness.

That the full enjoyment of public prosperity and private happiness may uninterruptedly await your Royal Highness, is our most anxious hope and our most fervent wish.

[Presented by Mr. Evelyn, High Sheriff of Kent; Marquess Camden, Lord Lieutenant; Sir Edward Knatchbull, Bart. Sir William Geary, Bart. Members for the County; the Archbishop of Canterbury, Lord St. Germans, Lord Clifton, Honourable Wingfield Stratford, Honourable George Watson, Honourable Colonel Harris, Sir John Shaw, Bart. Lieutenant-Colonel Shaw, Mr. Chomley Dering, Mr. Brookes, and Mr. Manning.]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales,  
REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great  
Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs,  
and Burgesses of the Borough of Leicester,  
in Common Hall assembled.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Burgesses of the Borough of Leicester, in Common Hall assembled, presume to offer to your Royal Highness our most fervent congratulations on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales with His Serene Highness Prince Leopold George Frederick of Saxe Cobourg.

While we feel deeply interested in an event of such vital importance to the prosperity of this kingdom, and so intimately connected with the happiness of your Royal House, we rejoice that the personal felicity of Her Royal Highness is so eminently secured by the many exalted virtues of Her chosen consort, and the country blessed with increased stability to the paternal sway of the House of Brunswick.

On renewing our expressions of warm and dutiful attachment to His Majesty's person and Government, we are impressed with the strongest feelings of gratitude to your Royal Highness for this additional proof of your solicitude for the welfare of His Majesty's subjects, and, while we earnestly beseech Divine Providence to shed its choicest blessings on this favoured union, we pray that your Royal Highness may long enjoy your reward in the happiness of an affectionate family, and the attachment of a loyal people.

Signed, by the unanimous order of a Common  
Hall, *Tho. Burbidge, Town Clerk.*

[Presented by John Mansfield, Esq. the Mayor; Mr. Serjeant Vaughan, the Recorder; and Samuel Smith and Thomas Babington, Esqrs. Members for the Borough.]