

evil duties on the principles of sound morality and pure religion; and I rely on your exertions and example, to counteract the machinations of the licentious and profane, and to hold up our National Church to the esteem and reverence of a loyal and virtuous people."

They were all most graciously received, and the principal Clergy had the honour to kiss His Royal Highness's hand.

THE following Addresses have been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Addresses His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

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

WE, the Bishop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Diocese of Saint Asaph, with all duty and humility approach your Royal Highness.

It is with the strongest feeling of detestation and abhorrence, that we have received the account of the daring and flagitious attack upon the person of your Royal Highness, in your return from discharging one of the most important functions attached to your situation as the representative of our beloved Monarch. We beg leave to assure your Royal Highness, that we shall consider this as an additional incitement to use our most earnest endeavours to inculcate the great principles of good government into the minds of those committed to our charge, under the full impression of this important truth, that in proportion as the respect due to the first Personage in the Realm is withheld, the bonds which unite together our excellent Constitution will be loosened, and the Constitution itself be endangered by the wild reveries of deluded and deluding men.

That that Providence, which has long watched over the safety of these kingdoms, and at length removed from them all the evils of warfare, may take the person of your Royal Highness under its peculiar protection, shall be the constant prayer of us your Royal Highness's faithful and loyal subjects.

[Transmitted by the Bishop of St. Asaph, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

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

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Commonalty, of the Borough of Wallingford, in the County of Berks, humbly entreat your Royal Highness to accept, as well the assurance of our dutiful attachment to the illustrious House of Brunswick, and our confidence in the wisdom and firmness of the Parliament of the realm, at this important crisis, as our firm determination to suppress, to the utmost of our power, all riotous and disorderly proceedings, and to support, by all practicable means, our glorious Constitution, against the insidious attempts of treason and rebellion.

We view with sentiments of deep indignation

and abhorrence, the late atrocious attempt on your Royal Highness's person, and while we congratulate your Royal Highness, ourselves, and the country, on your providential deliverance, we add our earnest wish, that the authors and abettors of so daring an outrage, may speedily receive the just reward of their temerity.

Given, under our common seal, at a Court of Common Council, the 8th day of February 1817.

[Transmitted by Colonel Hughes, M. P. and Fuller Maitland, Esq. M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

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

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's faithful and loyal subjects, the Seneschal and Inhabitants of the ancient Borough of Newry, humbly presume to offer to your Royal Highness our most sincere congratulations on your escape from the attack made on your Person, on your return from discharging the high and important duty of opening the present session of Parliament.

We see and revere the goodness of Divine Providence in frustrating this audacious and outrageous attempt on your Royal Highness's life; and we hope it will not be considered unseasonable in us, or unacceptable to your Royal Highness, that we thus express our detestation and abhorrence of an act so flagitious.

We entreat your Royal Highness to believe, that justly appreciating the many and great blessings we enjoy under His Majesty's auspicious reign, it is our firm and unalterable resolution to support, as far as in us lies, the dignity and authority of His Majesty's Government, and to uphold the glorious Constitution, to the freedom of which we are indebted for the proud pre-eminence we hold among the nations of the world.

These principles, we assure your Royal Highness, proceed not less from the sentiments of duty by which we are bound, as loyal subjects, than from the most zealous and affectionate attachment to your Royal Highness's Person, Family and Government.

[Transmitted by the Honourable Francis Needham, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of the Land Tax, and Landholders of the County of Dumfries, beg leave humbly to approach the throne, with expressions of our constant, unfeigned, and unalterable attachment to the person of His Majesty and your Royal Highness, your Family, and Government.

Impressed with a grateful sense of the manifold blessings we enjoy, under the mild and paternal Government of your Royal Highness, we have contemplated, with the greatest abhorrence and detestation, the daring and flagitious assault offered to