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Westminster, March 21, 1817.

**T**HIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the army and their quarters.

An Act for the regulating of His Majesty's royal marine forces while on shore.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, an Act of the forty-sixth year of His present Majesty, for granting an additional bounty on the exportation of the silk manufactures of Great Britain.

An Act to indemnify such persons in the United Kingdom as have omitted to qualify themselves for offices and employments, and for extending the time limited for those purposes respectively, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen; and to permit such persons in Great Britain as have omitted to make and file affidavits of the execution of indentures of clerks to attornies and solicitors, to make and file the same on or before the first day of Hilary Term one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

**T**HE 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 REGENT** of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

**WE**, the most loyal and dutiful subjects of His Majesty, the Bishop of the Diocese of Winchester, the Reverend the Dean and Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church of Winchester, with the other Members of the said Church, the Chancellor and Archdeacons of the said Diocese, together with the Clergy of the same, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness to express our utmost detestation of the most wicked and atrocious attempt to take away the Life of your Royal Highness, the most valuable and precious security we enjoy, for that happiness, prosperity, and good order, which, we know how to value, and which, we confidently promise ourselves we shall continue to enjoy under your auspicious Government and protection, anxious, at all times, to turn the blessings of that peace which the wisdom of your counsels has procured for us, to the purposes of religion, loyalty, and virtue.

We daily offer our prayers to God for the long continuance of those blessings, the fair prospect of which is open to us by the exercise of every public and domestic virtue which so highly distinguish your Royal Highness, both in your public and private character, and which hath laid the surest foundation for the future happiness of your people, together with your own, and ensured to your Royal Highness that glory and prosperity, which is the never-failing reward of every good and virtuous King, in the love and affection of a grateful people.

[Transmitted by the Bishop of Winchester, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth]

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

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

**WE**, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Bishop and Clergy of the Diocese of Landaff, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with sentiments of the most profound veneration, and to offer our sincere congratulations on the providential escape of your Royal Highness from