

But we lament that, in some other districts, a far different spirit appears to prevail. We cannot disguise from ourselves that the growing influence of example is always to be feared; and that if the voice of loyalty is not heard, if the friends of the peace, the order, and the happiness of their Country do not stand forward to meet the danger and to counteract its baneful influence, the torrent may speedily overflow the land, sweep away in its fury the Institutions under which we live, annihilate the invaluable privileges we enjoy, and overwhelm the glory and the prosperity of the British Empire.

Strongly impressed with these sentiments, and acting under a deep sense of public duty, we desire to offer to your Royal Highness, the expression of our unshaken loyalty to the King our Sovereign, and of our dutiful attachment to the Person and Government of your Royal Highness as the Regent of these Realms.

We request your Royal Highness to be persuaded that our utmost efforts shall be used for the maintenance of order and tranquillity, and that by our influence and example, we shall endeavour to counteract the progress of infidelity and of disaffection. We desire to assure your Royal Highness, that we entertain the most perfect confidence that the wisdom of Parliament will devise the means best calculated to allay or to subdue the ferment that exists. We trust that the sound sense and the energy of the Nation will be called forth, in proportion to the exigency of the times, and be powerfully exerted to aid the efforts of the Legislature, and which we trust will be the means, under Providence, of maintaining inviolate, the peace, the security, and the liberty of this great Empire.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, by the Right Honourable John, Earl of Hope-
toun, our Preses, at Linlithgow, the 12th day
of November 1819.

[*Transmitted by the Earl of Hopetoun, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council, and of the Inhabitants of the City of Bath.

AT a time when the spirit of loyalty throughout His Majesty's dominions is peculiarly called into action by the tumultuous and dangerous assemblies which have recently and widely been convened, it would ill become the Inhabitants of a place, so long and so eminently distinguished for its loyalty, to be the last in approaching your Royal Highness with those demonstrations of attachment, which their genuine feelings suggest, and the important crisis demands.

We witness with feelings of grief and indignation the artful attempts of factious and designing men to inculcate, under the specious but delusive pretext of radical reform, doctrines subversive of all existing Authorities, and directly tending to destroy our invaluable and unrivalled Constitution.

We view with still more lively abhorrence the infamous attempts which have been made by blasphemous publications to sap the foundations of re-

ligion, and to bring into contempt the Holy Scriptures.

And we pledge ourselves to use our most active exertions in defending all that is dear to us as Englishmen, and in opposing all attempts to overawe the constituted authorities, under a full reliance on the efficacy of the laws, on their power to maintain right and to redress wrong, on the purity of their administration, and on the wisdom of His Majesty's Councils for securing to us a continuance of those invaluable blessings which are enjoyed by all His Majesty's subjects in this great and free Country.

George Edward Allen, Mayor.

[*Transmitted by the Mayor, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Town and Borough of Pembroke.

WE the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Town and Borough of Pembroke, humbly approach your Royal Highness, to express our warmest sentiments of loyalty to our Sovereign, of attachment to, and veneration of the laws and religion of the United Kingdom.

We view with indignation and abhorrence the insidious efforts of some of his Majesty's subjects, to subvert the order of Government, by the most dangerous inducements to revolt and revolution, by appeals to the ignorance and miseries of the poor, delusions which they have neither the wish nor ability to investigate or understand.

It is with deep concern likewise that we find the enemies of public peace and social order insulting the constituted authorities of the Realm, endeavouring to bring into contempt the ancient forms of our civil jurisprudence, and disseminating publications subversive of those laws under which the British people have arrived at such distinguished eminence among nations, in the arts of peace and war, and in foreign and internal polity.

We contemplate too, with detestation, the daring and impious attacks of infidels against the Christian Religion, founded as it is and confirmed by divine interposition and authority, and embraced and sanctioned by the wisest and best human institutions.

Although far remote from the districts in which such a spirit of disloyalty and discontent prevails, we conceive it a duty we owe to our Prince, and to our Country, to avow to your Royal Highness the principles which actuate our conduct, and to assure you of our uniform and unshaken determination to support, on every emergency, that invaluable Constitution by which the lives, the liberties and the property of all British subjects have been so admirably secured and protected.

Dated at the Town Hall of the Town and Borough of Pembroke, the 13th day of November, 1819.

By desire and on behalf of the Meeting.

Antony Innys Stokes, Mayor of Pembroke.

[*Transmitted by the Mayor, presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]