jects, the Provost, Magistrates, Council and Inhabitants of the Royal Burgh of Banff, beg leave to approach the Throne to express our unfeigned and cordial attachment to our revered Sovereign, to your Royal Highness, and your illustrious family, to avow our undiminished love and admiration of that unrivalled Constitution, established by our forefathers, from which, through the divine blessing, we have enjoyed in an eminent degree, the inestimable benefits of equal law, individual liberty, and the exercise of a pure religion.

Impressed with these sentiments we contemplate with feelings of the utmost astonishment and abhorrence, the base attempts of turbulent and disaffected men in different parts of the Kingdom, men who, availing themselves of the present partial, and we hope, temporary distresses the country, endeavour by the spread of seditious and blasphemous publications, to poison the minds and impose upon the understandings of the poor and uninformed, inculcating doctrines, at once subversive of all existing Authorities, and directly tending to sap the foundation of our Holy Faith. We deeply reprobate the proceedings of these visionary pretenders to superior light, these designing advocates of religious and radical Reform, who under the specious plea of freeing the human mind from the shackles of superstition, deprive it in reality of all the comforts and hopes which religion would confer, and who, under various pretexts, urge their deluded followers onward to measures tending to aggravate the sufferings which they affect to remove and to inflame the wound which they profess to heal.

Sincerely lamenting the privations of certain classes of our fellow subjects—a feeling in which we are persuaded your Royal Highness warmly participates,—it is our anxious wish to promote every measure which may tend to alleviate them.

While we rejoice in the undisturbed tranquillity of this part of the Country, we beg leave to assure your Royal Highness that, as far as our humble influence extends, our united and individual exertions shall be unceasing to preserve it.

In presuming thus to reiterate the offer of our best and faithful services, we are impelled by every incitement that can be dear to Britons, determined to defend the Altar, the Throne and our glorious Constitution, against all hostile assaults, whether open or insidious, whether foreign or domestic.

Geo. G. Robinson.

[*Transmitted by Lieutenant Col. Robinson, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Dumfries, in common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Dumfries, feel it in these turbulent times our indispensible duty humbly to tender to your Royal Highness the most respectful expression of our warm and affectionate attachment to our venerable and revered Sovereign, the head of the illustrious house of Brunswick, and our devoted regard for the Constitution of our Country in its civil and religious establishment.

Though from the peaceable and good disposition of the inhabitants of this District, the baneful influence of those principles of disloyalty and irreligion, which have of late been propagated with unwearied and too successful industry, over various parts of the Empire, has found no place in this quarter of the Country; yet we feel ourselves not the less called upon to express our abhorrence of the conduct of those factious and designing men who, with reform in their mouths, but with anarchy in their hearts, and availing themselves of the unavoidable distresses of the manufacturing classes, are labouring to loosen in their minds those ties which have hitherto bound them to their country and to their God, and to delude them into measures which, so far from alleviating, must aggravate the difficulties under which they labour.

Permit us then to express our ardent hope that Great Britain, after having under divine Providence attained, by her splendid exertions in the cause of the civilized world, the height of human glory, may not stain the page of her history by a record of intestine discord; and to assure your Royal Highness of our firm and unalterable determination to use every means to stem the tide of infidelity and disloyalty that threatens to over-run this happy land, and to uphold the altars of our religion, the Throne of our King, and that glorious Constitution which, while it is the hereditary pride and boast of Britons, is the admiration and envy of surrounding nations.

Signed by appointment of the Magistrates and Council, and on their behalf.

William Thomson,
Provost and Chief Magistrate.

[*Transmitted by Mr. Douglas, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness, The PRINCE REGENT.

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of the County of Ross, in general Meeting assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Freeholders, Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply and other Heritors of the County of Ross, beg to approach your Royal Highness, with the expression of our sentiments on the present state of the Country.

Although we ourselves are happily surrounded by a loyal, peaceful and contented population, our attention has for some time past been powerfully attracted, and our alarm exited, by the proceedings which have taken place in other parts of the Kingdom. We have beheld with feelings of the deepest abhorrence, the audacious falsehoods, and gross misrepresentations by which unprincipled and designing men have attempted to persuade the lower orders of the people, that the established laws and Constitution of the country are inconsistent with the rights, the liberties and the prosperity of its Inhitants, to make the press subservient to the atrocious purposes of poisoning the minds of the unin-