

that the Citizens of Glasgow will now shew their firm and determined resolution to resist, to the utmost, the attempts of those guilty and misguided men, who are propagating the doctrines of infidelity and anarchy,

Signed and sealed with the Common Seal of the City of Glasgow, by the Lord Provost and Chief Magistrate of Glasgow, in the name, and by appointment of the Magistrates and Council thereof, at Glasgow, the 19th day of November 1819 years.

Henry Monteith, Provost.

To His Royal Highness, George Prince of Wales,
REGENT of the United Kingdom.

WE, the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants and Common Council of the Borough of Colchester, in the County of Essex (a Borough as remarkable for its loyalty and attachment to the Constitution of this Kingdom, as by law established, as for its antiquity), feel it our indispensable duty, at this momentous period, to approach your Royal Highness, with the expressions of our inviolable attachment to His Majesty's person and Government, and our determination to make any sacrifice for the protection of them, against the diabolical attacks of those atheistical and deistical blasphemers of our sacred religion, whose aim appears to be the entire destruction of all social order, in this hitherto happy and enviable country.

We should not feel that this ancient Borough deserved the high and honourable character for loyalty, which it has in the most turbulent periods of the English History ever maintained, if we, as the select body of its Corporation, did not take this opportunity of expressing our detestation of those principles, which have of late been so industriously circulated by wicked men, having really for their object the subversion of the civil and religious establishments of the country, whilst they speciously pretend to have in view a constitutional reform of the Commons House of Parliament.

When we reflect upon the numerous blessings which we have long enjoyed, and still continue to enjoy, under our free Constitution, the envy of the civilized world; and believing, as we most sincerely do, that the subversion of that Constitution, together with that holy religion which supports it, must necessarily produce the insecurity of the sacred rights of persons and of property, the annihilation of all distinctions of rank, and consequently the destruction of all order within these realms; we cannot but express our most anxious hopes that His Majesty's Government, by firm, decided, and energetic measures, may be able to counteract the effects of infidelity and disloyalty, and secure to us and our posterity a continuance of that internal peace, and that real liberty which has ever been dear to every Briton.

We beg leave to assure your Royal Highness, that we are resolutely determined to resist by every legitimate means, the introduction and dissemination of those seditious and blasphemous theories which have disgraced other places; which tend to licentiousness in its fullest extent, both in principle and in practice, and ultimately produce only anar-

chy and confusion; and that we will upon all occasions use our utmost exertions to bring to condign punishment, the disturbers of the public peace, and the distributors of wicked publications.

In testimony whereof, we, the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants and Common Council of the said Borough, have caused to be affixed our Common Seal the eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord 1819.

[Transmitted by J. B. Wildman, Esq. M. P. and John Round, Esq. High Steward of the Borough, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth].

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

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, and Commissioners of Supply, of the County of Selkirk, in general meeting assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness.

WE, His Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Noblemen, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the county of Selkirk, request permission to approach your Royal Highness, with assurances of ardent loyalty towards our venerable and beloved Sovereign, and of sincere attachment to the person and Government of your Royal Highness, and to express our readiness at all times to support our admirable Constitution in Church and State; deeply impressed with the transcendent merits of that Constitution, and with the value of those blessings, which we have so long enjoyed under it, we cannot view without abhorrence the attempts which have recently been made to subvert it, by the dissemination of vicious and blasphemous publications, and by assembling seditious meetings of the people, under the delusive pretences of theoretical reforms. Nor is it our political institutions alone that are assailed, but we are concerned also to observe the profane attempts that are making to hold up to derision our holy religion, and to shake the confidence of the nation in that faith, which is the only sure foundation of our Government and all its blessings. We have, however, the satisfaction of being able to assure your Royal Highness, that in this district faction has made no progress, and that the loyalty of the people is unshaken; but, if any attempts shall hereafter be made to subvert those feelings, we trust, that remembering the endeavours by means of which, under the auspices of our beloved Monarch, and by the blessing of Providence, the progress of similar attempts was stenned at the commencement of the French revolution, we shall not now be wanting in a steady adherence to the same line of conduct, and a persevering resistance of all such unprincipled attempts.

Signed in our name, and by our appointment, by the Honourable William John Napier, our Preses, at Selkirk, the 16th day of November, 1819. *W. J. Napier, Preses.*

[Transmitted by Lord Napier, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth].