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THE following Addresses, having been transmitted to Viscount Sidmouth, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by the several persons whose names are respectively subjoined to each Address, have been presented by His Lordship to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously:

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Senatus Academicus of the University of Edinburgh, beg leave humbly to approach your Royal Highness, and, in the present agitated state of public affairs, to express the assurance of our devoted loyalty to the King and to your Royal Highness, acting in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, and our unshaken attachment to the constitutional authorities and institutions of the realm.

We lament that, in some districts of the kingdom, the sufferings of some classes of our fellow subjects, from the commercial distress of the times, had unhappily predisposed them to become the dupes of unprincipled and artful demagogues, who, ascribing these sufferings to false and delusive causes, flattered them with the hopes of relief through disloyalty and insubordination. Nor is it without the utmost indignation and abhorrence, that we have learned that the way has been paved for this subversion of every moral and civil duty, by attempts to corrupt all their principles of religious belief, through the wide and assiduous circulation of impious publications, and through insidious harangues at public meetings of the people, as full of infidelity as of sedition.

These are appearances in the character of our countrymen as new as they are disgraceful, and dangerous in their tendency. We rejoice however, in believing, that they are hitherto limited and local only in their prevalence, and, in particular, we are confident, that they do not affect the city in which we reside.

Your Royal Highness may, at the same time, rely on our vigilant and strenuous exertions in our professional sphere, to resist and counteract, in

whatever shape they appear, every opinion and practice hostile to the peace and good order of the State, and to inculcate in the future, as we have done in the past, on the youth under our charge, those principles of piety, morality, and public virtue, which are the soundest basis and the most certain safeguards of the prosperity, happiness, and glory of nations.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Senatus Academicus of the University of Edinburgh,
Geo. H. Baird, Principal.

College of Edinburgh, November 20, 1819.

[Transmitted by the Rev. G. H. Baird, D. D. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Royal Burgh of Tain, in Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Royal Burgh of Tain, beg leave humbly to approach your Royal Highness, to express our disapprobation and detestation of the attempts which are making in several parts of the United Kingdom, by means of wicked and blasphemous publications, to overturn our holy Religion; and of meetings held under the pretext of obtaining parliamentary reform, but which, in reality, have a tendency to create anarchy and confusion, to loosen the bonds of society, and to undermine that Constitution, which has long been the boast of this country, and the envy of the other nations of Europe.

But while it is to be deplored, that there are so many misguided and deluded persons to be found in the southern parts of the kingdom, it is gratifying to us to reflect, that in the more northern provinces their number is very few.

We beg to assure your Royal Highness of our unshaken attachment to our beloved Sovereign, and to your Royal Highness's Person and Government; and that we shall use our endeavours, both collectively and in our individual capacities, to en-