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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:

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

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Provost,
Magistrates and Council of the Royal Burgh
of Dundee.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, the Provost, Magistrates and Council of the Burgh of Dundee, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, with sentiments of the highest veneration for our aged and beloved Sovereign, the King, and of profound respect and attachment to your Royal Highness's Person and Government.

We feel ourselves imperiously called on in the present state of the country, to assure your Royal Highness of our steady and unshaken loyalty, of our inviolable regard to your Royal Highness's illustrious Family, whose accession to the British Throne has brought so many inestimable blessings to these Realms, and of our admiration of and love to the laws and Constitution of our country.

We do most sincerely regret the hardships that press more or less on all classes of His Majesty's subjects, owing to the failure of some of the ordinary sources of our national industry and wealth, hardships not confined to the people of this country alone, and we will always be ready to co-operate in the use of such means, as wisdom and experience may suggest for removing or alleviating the sufferings of our countrymen.

But we deprecate the conduct of those visionaries, who under pretence of zeal for the Constitution, plot its destruction, and we deeply lament the not unnatural, but baneful union of infidelity and impiety with disloyalty and sedition, for the purpose of overturning the fabric, both of our present

happiness and our future hopes; we have not forgotten that it was by such a union as this, the ground work was laid in a neighbouring nation, for that long protracted and horrifying scene of rapine and bloodshed, which desolated one of the fairest portions of Europe, and rendered France for a long time an object of pity or of terror to the civilized world; and therefore we learn with unspeakable concern, that wicked and blasphemous publications, have been industriously circulated in various parts of the kingdom, urging the ignorant and unwary to become at once traitors to their God and to their King, and to trample under foot that glorious Constitution, the work of ages, the envy or the admiration of the world, the best inheritance we have derived from our fathers, and the equal safeguard of the rights and privileges of the prince and of the peasant, of the palace and of the cottage.

At such a crisis, when every exertion is made by designing men to poison the minds and to shake the allegiance of the people, we think it our duty to express to your Royal Highness, our detestation and abhorrence of practices like those equally subversive of public and private virtue and happiness; and to pledge ourselves to your Royal Highness, and to our country, to give our steady and determined opposition to all such proceedings, and to support by every means in our power the Throne, the Religion and the Laws of the Kingdom.

We feel it to be indispensably necessary at the present moment to guard against the machinations of those, who under the specious pretext of an unnecessary and impracticable reform for the benefit of the people, only seek their own base and selfish ends, at the risk of all that is dear to us as men, as Christians and as Britons; and that it is the duty of all the true friends of their country to rally around the Throne and the Constitution, and to unite their efforts in stemming that torrent of atheism, of infidelity, of impiety and disloyalty, which if left to accumulate strength, might one day stain our national glory, and shake the pillars of our prosperity, virtue and happiness.

Impressed with these sentiments, we humbly proffer to your Royal Highness, all our best exertions, to check an evil of such magnitude and to