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THE following Addresses have been presented to His Majesty, on board the Royal George Yacht at Spithead, by Deputations from each of the respective places :

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, Inhabitants of the Town of Portsmouth, beg leave on this your Majesty's first visit off this Port, since your Majesty's accession to the Throne of this Kingdom, to approach your Royal Person, and to offer to your Majesty the renewed assurances of our inviolable attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government. We at the same time presume to express our humble but earnest prayer, that your Majesty may long continue to reign in the hearts of a loyal and affectionate people, and in the enjoyment of uninterrupted health, and every earthly blessing.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious answer :

" Gentlemen,

" I have great pleasure in receiving this constitutional and affectionate Address from the loyal Inhabitants of the ancient and renowned Sea Port Town of Portsmouth.

" Nothing can be more acceptable to my feelings than the expression of the inviolable sentiments of a loyal people, faithfully attached to the Crown and Constitution of the Realm, and sensible of the blessings which they enjoy under them.

" I cannot visit this great naval station without contemplating with just pride the numerous expeditions which have proceeded from its shore, whereof the brilliant achievements have shed such lasting glory on the navy of the United Kingdom, and so eminently contributed to the security of its vast empire.

" It will ever be a source of sincere gratification to me to know that the town, so usefully connected with this great warlike station, is addi-

tionally blessed with prosperity and happiness in its peaceful relations."

After the presentation of this Address, His Majesty was graciously pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Mr., now Sir George Garratt.

To His Most Excellent Majesty George the Fourth, KING of Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. &c. &c.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Inhabitants of Ryde and its Vicinity, and the Visitors to that watering place, collected from various parts of your Majesty's Dominions, avail ourselves of the occasion of your Majesty's visit to the Isle of Wight, to offer to your Majesty our warmest sentiments of loyalty and affection to your Majesty's Person, of devotion to the illustrious House of Brunswick, and of attachment to the blessings of the British Constitution.

Your Majesty's naval excursions, which they prove a stimulus to various species of nautical and other industry, and encourage a spirit of emulation amongst all classes of the community to become familiar with the element on which Britain boasts her surest defence in her gallant navy, will we ardently hope be attended with the most beneficial effects to your Majesty's health, that the welfare of these kingdoms may continue to be promoted by your Majesty, and that we may long look up to your Majesty as the patron of all that is for the good of these realms.

At a period when disaffection and sedition lose no opportunity of raising their hydra heads, every loyal subject is imperatively called upon to evince his regard for the King and the Constitution, by upholding those establishments that have so long made Great Britain pre-eminent among all nations for wisdom, glory, commerce, and prosperity.

Animated by these considerations we beg, with the greatest humility and with the most heartfelt desire, that they may be favourably accepted, and offer to your Majesty our united sentiments of