

THE following Addresses have been presented to the King; which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign.

WE, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Bishop, Archdeacon, and Chapter, and Clergy of the Diocese of Llandaff, impelled by those sentiments of loyal and dutiful attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government, with which we lately presumed to address your Majesty on your accession to the Throne, beg leave, in the present momentous crisis, to renew our expression of the same unalterable affection to your Majesty, and to our invaluable Constitution in Church and State.

With deep concern we observe the unremitting efforts of infatuated opponents of every thing good and sacred among us, to bring into contempt and hatred the laws by which the blessings of that Constitution are secured to us, the Monarchy by which they are upholden and maintained, and the Religion by which they are rendered a pledge to us of the Divine favour and protection. In these attempts we cannot but discern a spirit at variance with social order, with public tranquility, with individual prosperity, and with personal safety. They manifest a direct hostility to pure morals, to rational liberty, and to every sacred tie that binds man to man; letting loose the consciences of men from their most effective restraints, breaking down the barriers betwixt vice and virtue, and opening the floodgates of licentiousness, immorality, and irreligion.

Under such circumstances, we deem it our bounden duty to declare to your Majesty our firm determination to resist these gigantic evils, to the utmost of our ability, by such means as our Holy Religion more especially requires us to bring to the public aid. Relying, also, upon that Divine Providence which hath hitherto vouchsafed its protection to our country against many and powerful adversaries, external and internal, we cannot doubt that, by the increased exertions of the best members of the state, the Laws, the Institutions, the Tribunals, the Throne, and the Altars, so long endeared to us from experience of their beneficial effects, will still be preserved inviolate, and transmitted unimpaired to the latest generations.

That your Majesty may long live to see your ardent wishes for the welfare of your subjects realized to their fullest extent, is our fervent prayer to that Almighty Being on whom our hopes ultimately rest for every good to your Majesty, and to the people committed to your charge.

William, Llandaff.

[Presented by the Bishop of Llandaff.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

SIRE,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Salop, beg leave to approach your Majesty, and to renew our assurances of the most sincere and zealous attachment to your Royal Crown and Person.

We have viewed with the deepest regret and abhorrence the flood of seditious and blasphemous publications which has lately inundated the country, and we have seen with disgust the unremitting endeavours of itinerant orators and others to corrupt the minds of your Majesty's subjects, and to destroy every loyal, every moral, and religious principle. We are, indeed, confident, that the great mass of the people is sound and untainted; and we are particularly happy in being able to assure your Majesty, that blasphemy and disaffection have not dared openly to shew themselves in this county; but as the instigators of sedition and anarchy have been so mischievously active throughout the kingdom, and as we conceive it to be the bounden duty of every honest man and loyal subject, under such circumstances, boldly to stand forward and avow his principles; we feel that we owe it to your Majesty, to our country, and to ourselves, thus publicly to declare our unalterable attachment to the Throne, and to the Constitution in Church and State, and record our firm determination to defend them against internal or external enemies, by the sacrifice, if necessary, of our lives and properties.

[Here follow the Signatures.]

[Presented by the Earl of Powis, Lord Lieutenant, accompanied by Sir John Kynaston Powell, Bart. M. P.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the High Sheriff, Nobility, Magistrates, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Flint, grateful for the many blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's paternal sway, and under a form of Government without parallel among the civil institutions of the world, are anxious, at this important crisis, to approach your Majesty's Throne with the assurance of our zealous attachment to your Majesty's august Person and Family, of our steadfast allegiance to the Crown, and of our settled purpose to support the established Authorities of the realm, in the just exercise of their constitutional powers.

We regard, Sir, with deep concern and apprehension, the unremitting efforts of the disaffected, varying in form, but invariable in purpose, to vilify and bring into contempt whatever is elevated, or illustrious, or dignified, or sacred in the State; that neither the Throne nor the Altar, the Houses of Legislature, nor the Tribunals of Justice are exempt from deliberate insult and menace. With still greater alarm do we contemplate the effect of those pernicious doctrines which are daily and hourly disseminated through the medium of the press, licentious in principle, and audacious in falsehood, beyond the example of former times, and presented under every guise which can allure and corrupt the ignorant and incautious, perplexing their faith, and destroying the ground work of their moral and political obedience.

To your Majesty's wisdom, and to the great council of the nation we earnestly and confidently look for the correction of these evils, while they are yet capable of remedy.

That the achievements which give lustre to the glorious period of your Majesty's delegated autho-