appearing among us, we venture to express our anxious hope, that your Majesty will, at no very distant period, honour and gratify the inhabitants of this part of the United Kingdom with your royal presence.

We further beg leave most humbly to assure your Majesty, that expressions of loyalty and attachment to the House of Brunswick cannot proceed from deeper and more sincere feelings, than are cherished by the Members of this Incorporation.

Signed in our name, and by our authority, and by the seal of the Society appended hereto, in Edinburgh, the 17th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1821.

James Bremner, Preses.

Transmitted by John Young, Esq. Assistant Secretary.

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the third day of January next; We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said third day of January next, to Tuesday the fifth day of February next; and We have given order to Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, to prepare a commission for proroguing the same accordingly; and We do further, hereby with the advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, that the said Parliament shall, on the said fifth day of February next, be held and sit for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said fifth day of February next.

Given at Our Court at Brighton, the tenth day of December, in the thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and in the second year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

AT the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 14th of *November* 1821,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the fifth of May last, for prohibiting the exportation of gun-powder, arms, or ammunition, to the places therein specified, will expire on the thirtieth day of this instant November, and whereas it is expedient, that the said prohibition should be continued for some time longer; His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no person or persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's service) do, at any time during the space of six months (to commence from the thirtieth day of this instant November), presume to transport any gun-powder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, to any port or place within the dominions of the King of Spain, or to any port or place on the Coast of Africa (except to any ports or places within the Streights of Gibraltar), or in the West Indies, or on any part of the Continent of America (except to a port or place, or ports or places in His Majesty's territories or possessions on the Continent of North America, or in the territories of the United States of America), or ship or lade any gun-powder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, on board any ship or vessel, in order to transporting the same into any such ports or places within the dominions of the King of Spain, or into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa (except as above excepted), or in the West Indies, or on the Continent of America (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Second, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to prohibit the exportation of gun-powder, or any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying coastwise of saltpeter, gun-powder, or any sort of arms or ammunition;" and also by an Act passed in the thirty-third year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to enable His Majesty to restrain the exportation of naval stores, and more effectually to prevent the exportation of salt-petre, arms, and ammunition, when prohibited by Proclamation or Order in Council."

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Jas. Butler

AT the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 5th of *May* 1821,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to