

has so earnestly sought to extend the glory of God, may receive all the blessings promised in that sacred volume your Majesty has so zealously studied to propagate, whilst we for ourselves and the whole Society most humbly beg leave to subscribe our names at your Majesty's feet.

[Here follow the Signatures.]

The humble and dutiful Address of the People of Keighley, in the West Riding of the County of York, to His Most Gracious Majesty, on the death of the Right Honourable George Canning.

WE, the Inhabitants of the abovenamed populous town, desire to offer to your Most Gracious Majesty our unfeigned condolence on the unexpected death of the First Minister of the Crown.

We consider it our duty to express to your Most Gracious Majesty the feelings of sorrow and alarm with which we have received the intelligence of the death of the Right Honourable George Canning at this important juncture, in which the unrestrained exercise of his brilliant talents and liberal sentiments, his patriotic plans of retrenchment and œconomy, gave promise of the happiest results to his country.

Had he been less diligent and less devoted to his country's welfare, his country might still have enjoyed his services; he has fallen a martyr in the sacred cause of his country, and his memory will long be dear to those in whose cause he fell.

With feelings of the deepest humility we beg leave to express our sanguine hopes, that the liberal principles and enlightened views, with regard to trade and religious liberty, which he possessed, and which are founded on the sacred rule "of doing to others as we wish they should do unto us," may long continue to adorn and to support your Majesty's Government.

We, being inhabitants of a manufacturing town, beg to be permitted to seize the present opportunity of expressing our lively gratitude to your Most Gracious Majesty, for your liberality exercised towards the distressed manufacturing population, during the late season of commercial embarrassment, in which we, in common with our neighbours, deeply suffered, and were bountifully relieved by the stream of liberality which took its rise from your Royal hand.

We desire to express our loyalty and attachment to your Most Gracious Majesty's Person and Government, and our full confidence in the wisdom of your measures in the present juncture of affairs.

[Here follow the Signatures.]

[Transmitted by the Rev. Theodore Dury.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Inhabitants of Birmingham and its Vicinity, in public meeting assembled, humbly beg permission to approach your Majesty with assurances of our devoted attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government.

We also beg your Majesty's gracious permission humbly to offer our dutiful condolence on the lamented decease of the late First Lord Commissioner

of your Majesty's Treasury, the Right Right Honourable George Canning, by which afflicting event your Majesty has been deprived of an able, zealous, and faithful Minister, and the British Empire of a wise and patriotic Statesman.

Deeply regretting this unhappy event, and sympathising with your Majesty in all the difficulties and anxieties which your Majesty has lately experienced, we further beg permission humbly to express our grateful acknowledgements for the wisdom and paternal care evinced by your Majesty in your Majesty's recent official appointments, which afford us the most confident assurance that the same just, enlightened, and beneficent policy will be continued by your Majesty's present Government, which has lately conducted so greatly to your Majesty's honour, and so eminently benefited your Majesty's dominions and the whole civilized world.

We fervently pray that your Majesty may long reign over a free, loyal, and united people.

Signed, by order of and on behalf of the Meeting,  
*George Attwood, High Bailiff.*

Birmingham, August 24, 1827.

[Transmitted by the High Bailiff.]

*St. James's-Palace, August 27, 1827.*

The King has been pleased to appoint James Earl of Fife to be one of the Lords of His Majesty's Bedchamber, in the room of the Marquess of Londonderry, resigned.

*Whitehall, August 27, 1827.*

The King has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend David Frederick Markham, Master of Arts, the place and dignity of a Prebendary of His Majesty's Free Chapel of St. George, in the Castle of Windsor, void by the resignation of the Honourable and Reverend Richard Bagot.

*Crown-Office, August 28, 1827.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Yarmouth (Southampton).*

Thomas Wallace, Esq. of St. Stephen's-green, Dublin, in the room of the Right Honourable Thomas Hamilton, commonly called Lord Binning, now Baron Melros, a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

*Horse-Guards, August 28, 1827.*

His Grace the Commander in Chief has been pleased to appoint Major-General Lord FitzRoy Somerset, K. C. B. to be his Military Secretary.