

virtue, may long continue to wear your Crowns, encircled with true glory, by the councils of wisdom and energy, tempered by moderation, and established on the solid foundations of equal law, sound policy, and universal justice.

Signed on behalf of the Deputies,  
Wm. Smith, Chairman.

July 30, 1830.

[Transmitted by the Secretary, the Reverend Robert Winter.]

No. 3.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful subjects, the Archbishop, the Dean and Prebendaries of the Cathedral and Metropolitan Church, and the Archdeacon and Clergy of the Diocese of Canterbury, most humbly approach your Majesty with the sincere expression of our condolence on the death of our late venerated Sovereign, in whom your Majesty has to lament a beloved and affectionate Brother, and the Nation a King, under whose auspicious Government it was delivered from the most imminent perils, and attained an unparalleled height of glory.

At the same time we beg leave to offer our dutiful congratulations on your Majesty's happy accession to the Throne of this great Empire, and to express our participation in the confidence which is felt by our fellow subjects of all classes, in your Majesty's invariable attachment to the principles of the British Constitution in Church and State.

Impressed with these loyal sentiments, we shall never cease to pray, that, through the blessing of Divine Providence on your Majesty's Person and Government, your Majesty, together with your illustrious Consort, our gracious Queen, whose exemplary virtues give additional splendour to the Throne, may enjoy the full measure of domestic felicity, and long continue to reign in peace and glory, respected by foreign nations, and loved and honoured by your subjects.

[Here follow the signatures.]

[Transmitted by the Arch Bishop.]

No. 4.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The loyal and dutiful Address of a few of the Inhabitants of the City of Edinburgh.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, a few of the Inhabitants, of the City of Edinburgh, humbly desire to lay at the foot of the Throne, the expressions of our sincere and heartfelt condolence on the lamented demise of our late most gracious and most excellent King, your Majesty's Brother, of blessed and glorious memory.

We, in common with the universal British Empire, must ever remember with feelings of the deepest gratitude that our late revered Sovereign, under circumstances of unexampled difficulty, maintained the high character of this country in war, and finally secured to his people the inestimable blessing of long, honourable and lasting peace.

We beg to assure your Majesty that, while we

have to deplore the loss of so beloved a Monarch, we at the same time have the consolatory reflection, that the British Sceptre has descended to a distinguished Member, of the illustrious House of Brunswick, under whose benignant sway this country has flourished for so long a period

Permit us to offer your Majesty our humble and heartfelt congratulations on your Majesty's accession to the Throne, and to assure your Majesty of our devotion and attachment to your Royal Person.

That Providence, who has placed your Majesty on the Throne of these Realms, amid the loyal acclamations of your subjects, will long permit you to preside over the destinies and to promote the happiness of a free, attached, and grateful people, is the fervent prayer of us, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, a few of the Inhabitants of the loyal City of Edinburgh.

Signed by us, by the appointment of a few of the Inhabitants of the City of Edinburgh, at Edinburgh this 16th day of September 1830.

Andw. Moffat, 27, North Bridge; Patrick Milne, 51, North Bridge.

[Transmitted by Andrew Moffat, Esq.]

No. 5.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Sire,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Congleton, in the County Palatine of Chester, beg leave to approach your Majesty with the assurance of our deep condolence in the severe affliction under which your Majesty is suffering, from the loss of our most beneficent and gracious Sovereign, King George the Fourth, your Majesty's late Royal Brother.

At the same time we would pray your Majesty to accept our sincere and heartfelt congratulations upon your Majesty's accession to the Throne of these Realms, animated as we are with the hope that, under the blessing of Divine Providence, your Majesty will long live to reign over a happy, free, and loyal people, and with the confidence that Great Britain will continue to advance in glory and pre-eminence under your Majesty's paternal authority.

We further pray your Majesty to believe that there are not in the whole of your Majesty's dominions any subjects more loyal, or more devotedly attached to your Majesty's sacred Person, and to your illustrious Consort, Adelaide, our beloved Queen, than the inhabitants of this ancient Borough.

Chas. Gent, Mayor.

[Transmitted by the Town Clerk, Christopher Moorhouse, Esq.]

No. 6.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sire,

WE, the Bailiffs, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the ancient Town and Borough of Ipswich, in unison with the feeling of all your Majesty's loyal subjects, beg leave to approach your sacred Person with expressions of heartfelt sorrow for the heavy loss which