

votion, and to honour with a peculiar homage, those better lessons which we have been taught by one of the most admirable systems of laws and government that ever existed upon earth, and by a religion which came down from heaven.

These principles it is our fixed purpose to uphold and maintain by all the lawful means which Providence has put into our hands. And this our solemn and spontaneous pledge, we publicly record in the face of our King, our Country, and our God.

[Here follow the signatures.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Carnarvon, beg leave to express to your Majesty our unfeigned sorrow and condolence on the loss which your Majesty and the Empire at large have sustained in the lamented death of our late excellent Sovereign, a Prince under whose reign and guidance this country attained, both in peace and war, a degree of splendour and eminence hitherto unequalled, and to whose firmness and perseverance in the great cause in which we were so long engaged, must ever be attributed, under the blessings of Divine Providence, the successful termination of the contest, and restoration of general tranquillity throughout Europe.

Nor is it less incumbent upon us to acknowledge the interest displayed, by His late Majesty, in the encouragement of the more pacific pursuits of literature and science, and in the general welfare of his people.

Whilst, however, we hold the memory of His late Majesty in the deepest veneration, and thus deplore his loss, we look with the highest satisfaction to your Majesty's accession to the Throne, and to the succession of a Prince, whose intimate acquaintance with the manners and habits of his subjects, and whose early education in a profession, the pride and boast of England, so peculiarly endears him to the British Empire; and we earnestly pray, in thus offering our congratulations, that your Majesty, and your Royal Consort, our most gracious Queen, may long enjoy a course of uninterrupted happiness and prosperity, surrounded by the affections of a free, a loyal, and united people.

[Here follow the signatures.]

[Transmitted by the High Sheriff.]

Office of the Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, St. James's, December 17, 1830.

ADDRESSES were this day received by James Hudson, Esq. Secretary to Earl Howe, and by him presented to Her Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously:

From the Females of Wadebridge, Cornwall.
the Ladies of Folkestone, Kent.
the Ladies of Salisbury, Devizes, Melksham, Calne, and Chippenham, Wiltshire.
the Female Inhabitants of the town of Liverpool.
the Females of the Congregation of Protestant Dissenters of the town of Darlington.

From the Females of a Congregation of Protestant Dissenters of Cardington, Cotton End, Bedfordshire.

the Ladies of the city of Cork.

the Females of a Congregation of Protestant Dissenters of the town of Abergavenny, Monmouth.

the Females of a Congregation of Protestant Dissenters of the town of Fenny Stratford.

the Females residing in the town of Holyhead.

the Female inhabitants of Hay and its vicinity.
the Females of Kingsbridge, Devon, transmitted by John Nicholson, Esq.

Foreign-Office, December 16, 1830.

The King has been pleased to approve of John Louis Prevost, Esq. as Agent and Consul-General in London for the Swiss Confederation.

War-Office, 21st December 1830.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Thomas Ponsonby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Kington, promoted. Dated 17th December 1830.

Cornet Inigo Jones to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ponsonby. Dated 17th December 1830.

Thomas Holme Bankes, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Jones. Dated 17th December 1830.

UNATTACHED.

Captain William Miles Kington, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Major of Infantry, by purchase. Dated 17th December 1830.

MEMORANDUM.

Major North Ludlow Beamish, half-pay unattached, has been allowed to retire from the Service, by the sale of an unattached commission. Dated 17th December 1830.

Commission in the Kirkcudbright and Wigtown Regiment of Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wigton.

Edward Stewart, Esq. to be Captain, vice Hugh Dun Stewart, promoted. Dated 18th September 1830.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

East Kent Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

George Earl of Winchilsea and Nottingham to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant. Dated 20th December 1830.

Lewis Richard Lord Sondes to be First Major. Dated 20th December 1830.

William Deedes, jun. Esq. to be Second Major. Dated 20th December 1830.

To be Captains.

Sir Edward Cholmeley Dering, Bart. Dated 20th December 1830.

Sir Brook William Bridges, Bart. Dated 20th December 1830.