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FRIDAY, AUGUST 15, 1834.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, August 14, 1834.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Majesty will hold a Levee at St. James's-Palace, on Wednesday next the 20th instant; which will be His Majesty's last Levee till further orders.

A T the Court at St. James's, the 30th day of July 1834,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

III S Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable Constantine Henry Earl of Mulgrave, the Oath of the Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

Whitehall, August 15, 1834.

The following Address to the King has been presented to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's loyal and faithful subjects, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the City of Edinburgh, humbly beg leave, at the present crisis, to renew the expression of our devoted attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government. While we sympathise with the difficult

situation in which your Majesty is placed by the unexpected retirement of Earl Grey and Lord Althorp from the distinguished places they held in your Majesty's Administration; and while we recollect with gratitude the eminent service which your Majesty has performed to the cause of liberality and good government by calling to your Majesty's Council these eminent noblemen by whom the Reform Bill was brought forward and carried, we, at the same time, with all dutiful respect and humility, beg leave to express our confident hope that your Majesty, with that paternal solicitude for the welfare of your people which has distinguished your Majesty above the most illustrious of your predecessors, will call to your councils men whose known and tried liberality and patriotism will ensure to the country the full benefits expected both by your Majesty and your people from the great measure of parliamentary reform.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, and the seal of the City affixed hereto.

James Spittal, Lord Provost.

Westminster, August 13, 1834.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read, and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said