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THE following Address has been presented to his Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Address his Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To his Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful subjects, the Representatives of the Royal Boroughs of Scotland, met in our annual convention, beg leave humbly to approach the throne with the expression of our warmest congratulations to your Royal Highness, on the glorious events which have, of late, added so much lustre to your Royal Highness's government and to the British name.

When the man, from whose insatiable ambition so many calamities and so many crimes had formerly arisen, returned from the asylum which the generosity of his conquerors had assigned him, and, favoured by the French soldiery, who still nourished the desire of rapine and bloodshed, which they had acquired under his command, seized the government of France, we should have anticipated a renewal of the disasters which had lately agitated and afflicted the European Commonwealth, had not our confidence in your Royal Highness and your illustrious allies entitled us to trust that measures, proportioned to the exigency of the occasion, would, without delay, be taken for opposing this unexpected and imminent danger.

That confidence has been most amply justified. In consequence of the prompt, adequate, and decisive measures which were adopted to oppose the pretensions of the usurper, a victory over him has been achieved, which, when we consider, on the one hand, the numbers, experience, and perfect equipment of his forces, the desperate valour of their attack, and the great military reputation of the leader who directed their movements; and, on the other, the complete destruction or disorganization of his army, the final ruin of his hopes, and resignation of his power, which instantly followed, and the immediately succeeding occupation of his capital by the victorious army, we may confidently pronounce to be unequalled in the history of the world.

We reflect with exultation on this splendid monument of the invincible spirit and intrepidity of our

countrymen, and of the unrivalled military talents of the great commander who has so often led them to glory and victory: we contemplate with high satisfaction the destruction of that military despotism, incompatible with the safety of surrounding nations, which had been re-established in France; and with perfect confidence in the wisdom and equity of your Royal Highness, and of the Sovereigns who are engaged with your Royal Highness in the same great cause, we look forward to the re-establishment of peace, on terms which will long secure the independence, the prosperity, and the happiness of the nations of Europe.

That Almighty God may long preserve your Royal Highness to be a blessing to this empire, and that Princes of the illustrious House of Brunswick may, to the latest posterity, sway the British sceptre, is the prayer of, may it please your Royal Highness, your Royal Highness's most humble and most devoted servants, the Representatives of the Royal Boroughs of Scotland.

Signed in our name and by our appointment, at Edinburgh, this 13th day of July, in the year 1815.

JOHN WAUGH, Commissioner for Edinburgh, and Preses of the Convention.

[Transmitted by John Waugh, Esq. and presented by Lord Viscount Sidmouth].

CARLTON-HOUSE—JULY 27, 1815.

This day Mr Edmund Bourke, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from his Majesty the King of Denmark, had an audience of the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter, and to invest his Royal Highness with the ensigns of the Order of the Elephant, in the name of his Danish Majesty; likewise to present decorations of the Order, and to solicit and empower his Royal Highness to invest with the same Field-Marshal his Grace the Duke of Wellington; also to deliver a letter notifying the marriage of Prince Christian of Denmark with the Princess of Holstein Augustenburg, and to present to his Royal Highness Monsieur de Bielke, Gentleman of the Bed-Chamber, charged with the said letters

and insignia from his Danish Majesty: they were introduced to the audience by Earl Bathurst, his Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in the absence of Lord Viscount Castlereagh, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was this day pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Warren Marmaduke Peacock, Esq. Major General in the army, on his obtaining permission to accept and wear the insignia of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

FOREIGN-OFFICE—JULY 29, 1815.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to appoint Charles Durie, Esq. to be his Majesty's Consul in Norway.

WAR-OFFICE—JULY 29, 1815.

The Prince Regent, as a mark of his royal approbation of the distinguished gallantry of the Brigade of Foot Guards in the victory of Waterloo, has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to approve of all the Ensigns of the three Regiments of Foot Guards having the rank of Lieutenants, and that such rank shall be attached to all the future appointments to Ensigncies in the Foot Guards, in the same manner as the Lieutenants of those Regiments obtain the rank of Captain.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the 1st Regiment of Foot Guards being made a Regiment of Grenadiers, and styled "The 1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards," in commemoration of their having defeated the Grenadiers of the French Imperial Guards upon this memorable occasion.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—Captain John Thoys to be Major, without purchase, vice Packe, killed in action. Lieutenant John Buck Riddlesden to be Captain of a troop, vice Thoys. Cornet John Kirkby Picard to be Lieutenant, vice Riddlesden. Assistant-Surgeon Joseph W. Gullifer, from the 20th light dragoons, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Longford, who resigns. Commissions all dated July 20.

Price Sixpence Halfpenny.

