

express our warmest Acknowledgements for the recent Instance your Majesty has given us of your constant Solitude for the Welfare and Happiness of your People, by the issuing of your Royal Proclamation.

That admiring and venerating, as we do, the happy Constitution of Government established in this Kingdom, we observe, with the deepest Concern and Resentment, the seditious Writings that have of late been published, tending not only to excite Discontent in the Minds of the People; but aiming ultimately, as we conceive, at the total Subversion of a Constitution, which has for Ages been the great Boast of Britons, and the Admiration and Envy of surrounding Nations.

That, as good Citizens, highly sensible of the Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's mild Government, we deem it peculiarly necessary at this Time to express our entire Disapprobation of the Publications above mentioned, and of the Means that have been adopted for promulgating their pernicious and dangerous Doctrines. And we beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that convinced as we are, that our Prosperity and Happiness greatly depend on a due Submission to the Laws, and a firm and steady Attachment to our mixed Form of Government, we will, in our respective Capacities, use our best Endeavours to discountenance and counteract the evil Effects of all such Writings, and of all such other Attempts as shall appear to us to be calculated, either to subvert or injure our excellent Constitution, or to disturb the public Order and Tranquillity of the Kingdom.

Stockport, June 4, 1792.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth, has been presented to the King by the Right Honorable Charles Townshend and Henry Beaufoy, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for that Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk, in Common Council assembled, beg Leave to return our most grateful Thanks for the wise and seasonable Proclamation, which your Majesty has thought fit to issue, for the Purpose of defeating the Attempts that are daily making to recommend new speculative Systems, in Preference to that most admirable Form of Government established at the Revolution, and sanctioned by the Experience of a Century. These Attempts, we trust, will prove as fruitless as they are wicked. We know that we live under just and equal Laws. We know that your Majesty's Subjects of every Degree are alike protected in their Persons and their Properties. We know that we are a happy and a flourishing Nation. We attribute that Prosperity and that Happiness to the most perfect Model of practical Government, our present Constitution; and we are therefore firmly of Opinion, that to preserve, not to alter, that Constitution, is one of the principal Duties which we owe to ourselves and to our Posterity.

Animated by these Sentiments, we are anxious to be amongst the foremost in respectfully assuring

your Majesty, that we shall use our utmost Endeavours within our Jurisdiction to prevent the Circulation of seditious Papers; that we shall diligently watch over every Attempt that may be made to lessen the Attachment of your People to any Part of that System of well-regulated Government, which the Example of our Ancestors, and our own Experience, have taught us to love and to revere; and that we shall constantly and actively promote, as far as in us lies, the salutary Purposes of your Majesty's Proclamation.

Given under our Common Seal, at our Guildhall, the 7th Day of June, 1792.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Capital Burgesses of the Borough of Banbury, has been presented to the King by the Right Honorable Lord North, Representative in Parliament for that Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Capital Burgesses of the Borough of Banbury, in the County of Oxford.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Capital Burgesses of the Town of Banbury, in the County of Oxford, have the highest Satisfaction in offering our grateful Thanks to your Majesty for having issued your Royal Proclamation: And we cannot but congratulate your Majesty and ourselves, that, in Addition to your Majesty's Care for the Welfare of your People, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament assembled, in whose Integrity and Wisdom we have a just Confidence, have spoken the general Sentiments of the Nation, and have likewise pledged themselves to support your Majesty in your Determination for the Preservation of the Peace and Happiness of your faithful and loving Subjects. With such an Example before us, we should do Injustice to our own Feelings not to assure your Majesty, that as it is our Duty, so it will be our Pleasure, to co-operate with your Majesty in obtaining the Object of the Proclamation; and that we will at all Times use our utmost Endeavours to support the happy but envied Constitution of this Kingdom against every Attempt to subvert it. Done at a Common Hall, the 6th Day of June, 1792.

Whitehall, June 16.

The following Addresses having been delivered or transmitted to the Right Honorable Henry Dundas, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been by him presented to the King: Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Inhabitants of Bath and its Neighbourhood, humbly beg Leave to thank your Majesty for the Proclamation lately issued against the Authors, Printers and Dispersers of sundry wicked and seditious Writings, which have of late industriously been circulated through this Kingdom, teaching