

your Majesty's Councils will be conducted with Wisdom, that your Forces by Sea and Land will continue to act with Valour, and that Peace will soon be happily re-established.

We regard it as our immediate Duty to increase our Diligence in discharging the Functions of our sacred Office, and will use our best Endeavours to confirm the People under our Care in Sentiments of Loyalty to their Sovereign and of Attachment to the Constitution, and, in Subserviency to your Majesty's pious Intention in your late Appointment of a General Fast, we will study to impress upon the Minds of those committed to our Charge a just Sense of their many Sins, and to invite them to such a Reformation of their Hearts and Lives as may avert the deserved Judgements of Almighty God.

That the Lord of Hosts, in whose Hands is Power and Might, may go forth with the Fleets and Armies of our Country: That He who stilleth the Tumults of the People, and ruleth the Spirits of Man, may infill the Love of Peace, good Order and Religion into the Hearts of our Enemies: That the Teachers of Truth and Virtue in this Country may long rejoice under the Government of your Majesty, as their gracious Benefactor, are the daily and fervent Prayers of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects,  
the Ministers and Elders of the Provincial  
Synod of Perth and Stirling.

Signed in our Name and by our Appointment by  
*John Brown, Moderator.*

Stirling, April 17, 1793.

Unto the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Provincial Synod of  
Perth and Tiviotdale, met at Kelfo on the 24th  
Day of April, 1793 Years.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the Provincial Synod of Perth and Tiviotdale, beg Leave on this Ocasion, in the most dutiful Manner, to approach the Throne, to express our unfeigned Affection to your Majesty and your Royal Family, our unshaken Attachment to the wise and equitable Constitution of Great Britain, in King, Lords and Commons, and the grateful Sense we have of the manifold Blessings which we ourselves, and all Ranks in these Kingdoms, do at present securely enjoy under your Majesty's mild and auspicious Government, and which we and our Fathers have enjoyed under your Royal Ancestors, who, in the Goodness of Almighty God, were brought to reign over us.

We think it our Duty to profess our Abhorrence of those seditious Writings which have been published and officiously dispersed, with an Intention to subvert Religion, to overthrow all good Order and Government, and introduce Anarchy and Confusion, instead of the inestimable Constitution of Great Britain, which has been long admired by the Nations of Europe.

We are happy, at the same Time to remember that the early Interposition of your Majesty, and your Ministers first awakened the Attention of the Nation to the Danger threatened by those insidious Practices; and that the Weight which the uniform Authority of Parliament, added to the Measures suggested by the Ministry, gave the first open Check to these treasonable Attempts, while the general and avowed Disla-

inations made by Counties, great Cities, and Corporations, in Britain, expressing their steady and uniform Attachment to our happy Constitution, their Resolutions to support the Magistrates in the Execution of their Office in suppressing all such treasonable Writings, and their Endeavours to bring the Authors and Publishers of them to condign Punishment, have effectually restrained their further Progress.

We have Reason to believe, that the Care and Pains which have been employed by well-affected Subjects in circulating useful and convincing Replies to those Writings, have had a considerable Effect in obviating their baneful Tendency; and we are happy in being able to affirm, that there is no Appearance of Sedition in this Province.

We trust, by the Grace of Almighty God, it shall be our continued Endeavour to impress the Minds of the People under our Care with a just Sense of the Principles and Duties of our holy Religion, the Value of our equitable and good Government, and the strict Obligations we are all under to yield cheerful Obedience to the Laws.

And we pray that Almighty God, in great Mercy to the People of these Realms, may long preserve your Majesty to reign over us as a free and affectionate People; and that the War, in which we are necessarily engaged, may, by the Blessing of God upon our Arms by Sea and Land, soon be brought to a happy and honourable Issue; that so Peace may be restored, our Commerce and Prosperity continued, and our most excellent Constitution in Church and State transmitted to latest Posterity pure and inviolate, on the Principles established at the glorious Revolution.

Signed in our Name, in our Presence, and at our Appointment, by

*David Brown, Moderator.*

War-Office, May 4.

52d. Regiment of Foot, Captain-Lieutenant Lewis Mackenzie to be Captain of a Company, vice Symes, promoted in the 53d Foot.

*Ditto*, Lieutenant William Irwine to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Mackenzie.

*Ditto*, Ensign William Gilbert to be Lieutenant, vice Irwine.

*Ditto*, John Herries, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Gilbert.

*Ditto*, Stephen Ormsby, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Alves, promoted in the 36th Regiment.

*Ditto*, Ensign George McLaren, from the 71st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Yeoman.

*Ditto*, Captain-Lieutenant William Irwine to be Captain of a Company, vice Brown, deceased.

*Ditto*, Lieutenant John Evans to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Irwine.

*Ditto*, Ensign Henry Buchan to be Lieutenant, vice Evans.

*Ditto*, John Bagshaw Moore, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Buchan.

*Ditto*, Ensign John Ross to be Lieutenant, vice McLaren, removed to the 71st Regiment.

71st Regiment of Foot, Henry Le Blanc, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Marr, promoted.

*Ditto*, Alexander Forbes, Gent. to be Ensign, vice McLaren, promoted in the 52d Foot.

*Ditto*, Lieutenant James Duncan to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Forbes, deceased.

*Ditto*, Lieutenant George McLaren, from the 52d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Duncan.