

your Majesty their Assurances of firm and unshaken Adherence to your Majesty's Person, Family and Government.

If such be the Influence of your Majesty's Virtues upon the People at large, and such the general Impression arising from your mild and equitable Reign, we, the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, feel ourselves peculiarly called upon to declare our Gratitude, our Duty, and our Attachment; we, who have ever been the Objects of your Majesty's Protection and Regard, and under whose Auspices we have attained to an Eminence of Prosperity never before enjoyed by this Company.

Permit us, Sire, to add with how much Satisfaction we reflect, that, while under the gracious Patronage of your Majesty, we have been the fortunate Instruments of dispensing the Blessings of a British Government to many great and populous Nations, whose Happiness we have thereby promoted, and whose Peace we have secured, we have also been the Means of materially extending the Commerce, Navigation and Manufactures of our Country.

Sire! We humbly pray the Almighty to preserve your Majesty, and grant that you may enjoy a long and prosperous Reign upon the Throne of these Kingdoms.

Given under our Common Seal, this 16th Day of December, in the Year of our Lord 1795.

[Presented by David Scott, Esq; and the Court of Directors.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Deputies from the several Congregations of Protestant Dissenters in and about London, at this our first General Meeting, humbly beg Leave to approach your Royal Presence, to offer our sincere and unfeigned Congratulations on the very providential and happy Preservation from the late traitorous and wicked Attack against your Royal Person.

We most sincerely lament that there should exist in this Country Persons capable of harbouring in their Minds so atrocious and diabolical a Design.

We embrace this happy Opportunity of expressing, in the strongest Manner, our Loyalty and Affection to your Royal Person, esteeming the Safety of your Majesty's Person and the Security of the Constitution to be inseparable; and we most humbly pray that your valuable and important Life may be very long preserved in Health and Happiness as a Blessing to your Majesty's Family and a loyal People.

On Behalf, and at the unanimous Request of the Deputies from the several Congregations of Protestant Dissenters in and about London, assembled at the King's Head Tavern in the Poultry, the 18th Day of December, 1795.

Edw. Jeffries, Chairman.

[Presented by John Bradney and James Esdaile, Esqrs.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Gentlemen and Yeomanry of the Corps called the Norfolk Rangers, in the County of Norfolk.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen and Yeomanry of the Corps of Norfolk Rangers, beg Leave to approach

your Majesty, and to express our Concern and Abhorrence at the late outrageous Attack upon a Sovereign, in the Exercise of one of the most valuable Functions of the State, whose Conduct has always been no less distinguished by his Veneration for our happy Constitution, than for his Humanity and domestic Virtues.

[Presented by George Beauchamp Proctor, Esq;]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Volunteers of the Southern Regiment of Yorkshire West Riding Yeomanry Cavalry, beg Leave to approach the Throne with our most sincere and heartfelt Congratulations on your Majesty's most providential Escape from the Outrages offered your Royal Person by daring and misguided Miscreants.

When we consider the unexampled Blessings and Prosperity this Country has enjoyed under your Majesty's mild and equitable Government, we feel ourselves called upon to express our utter Abhorrence of those Doctrines and Principles tending to the Destruction of that Government, as well as of all Order and Society; and of declaring to your Majesty and our Fellow Subjects our most determined Resolution to protect, with our Lives and Fortunes, a Constitution under which every Individual enjoys Security both of Person and Property.

May the Almighty long preserve your Majesty's invaluable Life, and may a free and grateful People ever prove it their Inclination, as it is their Duty, to defend your Royal Person and our most excellent Constitution.

[Presented by William Wilberforce, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for the County of York.]

St. James's, January 9.

THE following Addresses having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Portland, 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,

The Address of the Inhabitants of the Parish of Latheron.

WE, the Freeholders, Commissioners of Supply, Landholders, Gentlemen, the Minister and Kirk-session, and other Inhabitants of the Parish of Latheron, in the County of Caithness, have this Day met here by public Intimation, to express to your Majesty our Abhorrence of the late Attack on your Person, and the Indignation we felt on hearing that a King, possessing so many Virtues, and so unvariably attached to our excellent Constitution and the Welfare of his Subjects, should be so undeservedly treated by a vile Rabble and their still viler Intigators.

We assure your Majesty, that, though situated in a remote Part of the Kingdom, we will, on every Occasion, be ready, with our Lives and Properties, to support your Government and the Constitution under which we so securely and so happily live.

We are likewise determined to oppose to the utmost those flagitious Men, who, by wicked and sinister Arts, mislead and carry away from their Duty