

John Fitzroy, Lord Burgherft, Lord Primrose, Lord Royfton, Lord Pollington, Lord Henry Moore, Lord Headley, Residents in the Univerfity; and attended by the Earl of Eufton, one of the Representatives in Parliament for the Univerfity; Earl Westmoreland, Earl Spencer, Lord Ellenborough, Lord Alvanley, Lord Brownlow, Lord Offulfton, Lord Leffie, Lord Hinchinbrook, Lord St. Helens; Bifhops of Ely, Bath and Wells, Chichefter, Chefter, Rochetter, and Bristol; Right Honorable Sir William Wynn, the Attorney and Solicitor General, the Secretary at War, the Honorable Mr. Cuff, the Honorable Mr. Dundas, the Honorable and Reverend Mr. Wellesley; Doctors Davis, (Provost of Eton,) Heath, Rhudde, Raine, Wilgrefs, Bell, Jenkin, Annesley, (Mafter of Downing College,) Fisher, Territt, Leycefter, and Adams; and about Two Hundred other Noblemen and Gentlemen, who were educated at the Univerfity, waited upon the King, and prefented the following moft dutiful and loyal Addrefs:

To the KING's Moft Excellent Majesty,

The humble Addrefs of the Chancellor, Mafters, and Scholars, of the Univerfity of Cambridge.

*Moft Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Chancellor, Mafters, and Scholars of your Univerfity of Cambridge, humbly beg Leave to offer to your Majesty our warmeft Congratulatory upon the Detection and Defeat of the late atrocious, desperate, and determined Conſpiracy againft your Majesty's Royal Perfon. It is, however, with the deepeft Concern, and with the utmoft Detestation we reflect, that thefe wicked Machinations, originating in the baſeft Principles, were directed to the Subverſion of every Thing, which ought to have been held moft valuable and dear to all Subjects, faithful to the true Interests of their Country, to their Conſtitution, and their King.

After a Life uniformly devoted to our general Welfare and Happinefs, it might have been expected that no Man would have proved himſelf ſo hardened, ſo daring in traitorous Projects, as to aim at the Deſtruction of the auguſt and beloved Father of his People, moſt juſtly endeared to us by every ſacred Tie. But ſince, from ſome late Inſtances, it is unhappily too evident, that, under the moſt artful Diſguiſe, the worſt Intentions have been concealed, every Individual muſt readily concur in his ſteady and earneſt Endeavours to avert ſuch alarming Dangers; and, while he conſults for the Security of his Sovereign, to promote the ſureſt Means for his own Safety and the univerſal Good. Actuated by theſe Motives, among the moſt faithful of your Subjects, ſhall we of this Body, to whoſe Care is intruſted the important Charge, never ceafe to inculcate into the Minds of our Youth every ſound Maxim of Loyalty and Obedience. And, as we have ever hitherto been guided by theſe Principles, ſo we may farther hope to render a Service acceptable to your Majesty, by adhering in future to the ſame Rule for our Conduct. Thus, we truſt will our invariable Attachment to our King, our honeſt Zeal in the Support of the Conſtitution, united with the Maintenance of Religion and the Advancement of Literature and Science, be beſt proved by our Exertions in impreſſing on all, true

Ideas of the ineffimable Advantages, which we now enjoy.

May that Providence, who moſt ſeaſonably hath warded off a dark and deteſtable Conſpiracy, ſtill guide the Minds of your prudent, vigilant, and active Counſellors to the timely Detection of ſuch treaſonable and horrid Deſigns. May your Majesty long experience from all your Subjects, the moſt cordial Proofs of Affection, Fidelity, and Loyalty. And may they ever ſhow themſelves able and willing to ſupport on every Occaſion, their lawful Government, the Purity of their Religion, the Proſperity of their Country, and the Security of the beſt of Sovereigns.

To which Addrefs His Majesty was pleaſed to return the following moſt gracious Answer:

*I Return you My Thanks for your affectionate Congratulatory upon this freſh Inſtance of the Divine Protection which has been vouchſafed to us; and I receive with the higheſt Satisfaction your Expreſſion of the Horror and Detestation, which ſo wicked and unnatural a Deſign to deſtroy our inſeparable and common Interests, has ſo juſtly excited in your Minds.*

*You may rely on the Continuance of My Favour and Protection in Support of your uniform and laudable Exertions to promote in the riſing Generation the Principles of ſound Learning and true Religion.*

*St. James's, March 16, 1803.*

THE following Addreſſes have been 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 faithful and affectionate Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs, Commons, and Citizens of your ancient and loyal City of Dublin, beg Leave to offer our ſincere Congratulatory to your Majesty upon your late ſignal Escape from the Devices of a Band of wicked Conſpirators.

When we contemplate your Majesty's Royal Virtues, we muſt feel, in common with all your Majesty's loyal Subjects, the utmoſt Abhorrence at this recent and deteſtable Conſpiracy: But whiſt our Indignation is ſo juſtly excited againſt the Authors and Abettors of it, we cannot but admire this freſh Inſtance of the Interpoſition of Divine Providence in protecting the beſt of Kings from the meditated Attack of the Traitor and Aſſaſſin.

For the long Continuance of your Majesty's Life in Health and Happinefs, we, with all your faithful Subjects, do moſt fervently pray; convinced that, in obtaining that Bleſſing, we ſhall enjoy the beſt Security for all the Advantages of civil and religious Liberty enſured to us by our glorious Conſtitution.

In Teſtimony whereof we have cauſed the Common-Seal of ſaid City to be hereunto affixed, the Eighth Day of March, in the Forty-third Year of your Majesty's Reign.

[*Preſented by Lord Pelham.*]