

to preserve inviolate that excellent Constitution, under which this Kingdom has attained to so exalted a Degree of Happiness and Prosperity.

Signed at the Request and on Behalf of the Meeting,
J. Rowe, Mayor.
April 6, 1803.

[Presented by Lord Viscount FitzHarris.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful Subjects, Free Burgesses and other Inhabitants of your ancient Borough of Maldon, firmly attached to your Majesty, beg Leave humbly to offer to you our affectionate Congratulations on the timely Discovery of a base Conspiracy against your Majesty's sacred Person.

Under your Majesty's paternal Care and Soli- citude for the Welfare and Happiness of your People, our glorious and free Constitution has remained entire; and it is to the Astonishment of the World that there should have been found Men, calling themselves Subjects, to harbour Designs hostile to your Majesty's Life, which if carried into Effect, would have thrown your Majesty's Dominions into Anarchy and Confusion.

But, we trust, that the wicked Designs of such desperate Men may ever be defeated; and that your Majesty's Life may be long preserved, on which so essentially depends the Safety and Welfare of your People.

[Presented by J. H. Strutt and C. C. Western, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for the said Borough.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiffs, Aldermen, Recorder, and Burgesses, and others the Inhabitants of the Town of East Retford, in the County of Nottingham, do most sincerely congratulate your Majesty on the providential Escape of your Majesty's sacred Person from the malicious Designs of desperate and wicked Traitors.

Every Attempt to subvert the Constitution of our happy Country serves to increase the Veneration of good Men for it, by calling forth those latent Excellencies, which prove that it is equally adapted to its own Preservation, and the general Happiness of the People living under its Protection.

Convinced that nothing can tend so much to the Happiness and Welfare of your Majesty's Subjects as a long Continuance of your Majesty's important Life, and the Constitution under which we live, we are led to look with the utmost Abhorrence and Detestation on any Attempt that may be wickedly conceived to injure your Majesty's sacred Person, or to subvert our Laws, to the utter Destruction of all social Order.

That your Majesty may long continue to enjoy the Affections and Support of a loyal and united People, will ever be the fervent Prayer of the Bailiffs, Aldermen, Recorder, and Burgesses, and others the Inhabitants of the Town of East Retford, in the County of Nottingham.

[Presented by Colonel Robert Craufurd and John Frazer, Esq; Representatives in Parliament for the said Town.]

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To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Free Burgesses of the Borough of Bossiney, and Treved, in the Parish of Tintagel, in the County of Cornwall, sensible of the many Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's just and mild Government, and venerating the distinguished Virtues which adorn your Majesty's Character, do humbly presume to offer our heartfelt Congratulations on the Detection and Defeat of the late atrocious and treasonable Conspiracy against your Majesty's sacred Person, and the Constitution of this Kingdom; and at the same Time to express our most fervent Wishes that your Majesty's Reign may be long and prosperous, and that every Effort of an external Enemy or domestic Faction to disturb the Peace and Tranquillity of these Realms, or to subvert our glorious Constitution, may (as we are convinced they will) be crushed by the Bravery and Discipline of your Majesty's Fleets and Armies, and the steady Loyalty and Patriotism of your faithful Subjects.

28th March 1803.

[Presented by the Right Honorable Lord Lovaine.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Cupar, with Pleasure embrace the earliest Opportunity of our being assembled to express to your Majesty our sincere Congratulations on the Detection and Defeat of the late atrocious and execrable Conspiracy against your Majesty's Life, and the Constitution of the Kingdom. On this awful and memorable Occasion we strongly feel the Sentiments of Gratitude to Divine Providence, of Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government, and of Detestation of the Principles and Deeds of Traitors. We are happy in having it in our Power to assure your Majesty that these Sentiments are felt and cherished among the People committed to our Care. They cordially join with us in our daily Prayers for the Preservation of your precious Life, and for the Stability and Perpetuity of the Constitution.

Signed in the Name, in the Presence, and by the Appointment of the Presbytery of Cupar, this Ninth Day of March One thousand eight hundred and three Years, by

Sam. Martin, Moderator.

[Presented by Sir William Erskine, Bart.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Master, Wardens, Searchers, and Assistants of the Company and Corporation of Cutlers, within Hallamshire, in the County of York, in their Common-Hall assembled, humbly beg Leave to present to your Majesty our warmest Congratulations upon your Majesty's late happy and providential Escape from a traitorous and most wicked Conspiracy of evil-minded Men.

When we consider the many Blessings that we have long experienced under your Majesty's mild and paternal Care, and when we reflect upon the dreadful Consequences which must have happened had the