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*St. James's, September 21, 1803.*

**T**HE following Addresses having been presented to the King; which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High-Sheriffs and Grand Jury of the County of the City of Cork, assembled at Summer Assizes One thousand eight hundred and three.

**WE**, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High-Sheriffs and Grand Jury of the County of the City of Cork, assembled at Summer Assizes One thousand eight hundred and three, beg Leave to approach the Throne with those Sentiments of unshaken Fidelity and Attachment to your Royal Person, Family, and Government which have ever distinguished the Inhabitants of this City.

In adverting to the late desperate and wicked Attempt of a Set of misguided Traitors to overturn and seize upon your Majesty's Government in Ireland, we must view with Horror, and deplore with Anguish, those Acts of barbarous Cruelty which marked its short-lived Progress; and while we are filled with Indignation at the Disgrace which a Recurrence to Rebellion has brought upon our Country, we are animated by the warmest Admiration, and stimulated by the gallant Example, of your Majesty's brave Yeomanry of Dublin, who, in Co-operation with your Majesty's Government, crushed the Insurrection in its Onset, and have proved themselves their Country's zealous Defenders in the Hour of Trial.

We feel much Satisfaction in stating to your Majesty the present Tranquillity of this Part of the Country; our individual Exertions shall be unceasing to preserve it; but should our Hopes of its Continuance unhappily be disappointed, should a deluded People forsake the Shelter of those Laws which have made their Cottages their Castles; which give the humblest Peasant equal Protection with the proudest Peer, should they flee from their Allegiance to the best of Kings to become Slaves to the worst of Tyrants; protected as we are; confident we shall be, by your Majesty's Fleets from without, they will experience, in the determined Spirit of your Majesty's loyal

Subjects from within, that Defeat which their Treason shall have incurred, that Punishment which their Crimes shall have deserved.

Most gracious Sire, in presuming to reiterate to your Majesty the Offer of our best and faithful Services, we are impelled by every Incitement which can be dear to Freeman. An Identity of Interest between the Monarch and his People is the real Source whence Loyalty should spring. It is this which has made the British Constitution the World's Admiration; and as, in your Majesty's just and wise Administration of it, you have made our Prosperity, Welfare, and Security your first Care, so shall we make your Majesty's Safety, Glory, and Happiness ours.

City Grand Jury Room, Cork, the Thirty-first Day of August, in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and three.

*Thomas Duncombe and Chris. Cole, Sheriffs.*

[Presented by the Right Honorable Mr. Secretary Yorke.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**WE**, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects, the High Sheriff, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Kerry, beg Leave to approach the Throne with our ardent Assurances of inviolable Devotion to your Majesty's Person, Family, and Government.

The late Ebullition of Treason in our Capital, while it tarnishes the national Character, has left us the most irreparable Misfortune to deplore; but we find a Consolation in the Effects which have followed, the People of Ireland are awakened to a clear and striking View of their Danger, our Resources are drawn forth by Government into Action, and all the Energies of the Country, no longer contented with mere Expressions of tame and torpid Loyalty, display an efficient Zeal in the common Cause of the Empire.

We desire to assure your Majesty that the Tranquillity of the County of Kerry, which stood amidst the general Wreck of our unhappy Country in the late Rebellion—a proud Monument of unshaken Loyalty, continues firm and undisturbed. We view the formidable Preparations of our implacable Foe