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*St. James's, August 24, 1808.*

THE following Addresses having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Lord Hawkebury, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been by his Lordship presented to the King; which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

MAY it please your Majesty, to permit your Majesty's loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Chichester, to approach your Throne, and to intreat your Majesty to accept our warmest Thanks for the noble and liberal System of Policy which has been adopted by your Majesty towards Spain.

Your Majesty, with that Humanity and Wisdom which have ever marked your Royal Conduct, did not hesitate to direct your Government to afford the most prompt and generous Protection to a People struggling in the glorious Cause of Freedom, and endeavouring to expel from their Country an Enemy, whose Steps are constantly marked by Blood and Rapine, and whose Conquests reduce to the most degrading Slavery the unhappy Nations, whom their Arms (aided often by insidious Treachery and infamous Corruption), subdue. At it was the peculiar Province of a Monarch, reigning over a free People, to direct such Assistance, so, we trust, it is equally becoming that People to express the warm Sentiments of Approbation they feel that such Assistance has been afforded.

We beg Leave humbly to assure your Majesty, that we are ready most zealously to support whatever Measures may be deemed necessary to save the brave and patriotic Spaniards from the galling Yoke which Despotism has prepared for them; and we breathe a fervent Hope that Providence will crown those Measures with Success, by which Means not only the Independence of Spain will be established, but the Peace of Europe may be ultimately effected.

In Testimony whereof we have caused the Common Seal of the said City to be hereunto affixed, this 16th Day of August, in the Forty-eighth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

[Transmitted by Robert Steele, Esq.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty;

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole, in Common Council assembled.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects, beg Leave at this Time to address your Majesty, and to express those Sentiments which we most intimately feel, of profoundest Respect and warmest Affection for your Majesty's sacred Person and Government, and to congratulate your Majesty on the Success which has hitherto attended the noble and patriotic Exertions and Struggles of Two neighbouring Kingdoms, to recover their invaded Rights and Liberties, in which they have been supported by your Majesty's prompt Assistance and generous Supplies. And we most earnestly hope they have effectually stopped the mad Career, and utterly defeated the hostile Attempts of that Tyrant who has usurped the Throne of France, disturbed the Peace and Tranquillity of Europe, and subverted ancient Governments by the most enormous and atrocious Acts, at which Humanity shudders, and by which it is dishonoured and disgraced. We trust that these are propitious Prefages of ultimate Success; and that other States groaning under the Tyrant's Yoke, roused and inspired by such illustrious Examples, will exert themselves with equal Ardour and like Success; that the Tranquillity of Europe may be restored and established by a safe, honourable, and permanent Peace.

That your Majesty may long live to enjoy this public, and every private Blessing and Felicity; witnessing the increasing Honour, Glory, and Prosperity of these your Majesty's highly-favoured and happy Realms, is the sincerest Wish and most ardent Prayer of us, your Majesty's loyal, dutiful, and affectionate Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal the 16th Day of August, in the Forty-eighth Year of your Majesty's Reign. *Young West, Mayor.*

[Transmitted by John Jeffery, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Town and County of Poole.]