

jesty the King, to your Royal Highness, and to the members of your august House, and of our firm adherence to the glorious Constitution of our Country.

Signed, in name and by appointment of the Meeting; at Hamilton, this 22d day of December 1818,
Douglas, Preses.

[*Transmitted by Lord Archibald Hamilton, M. P. for the Shire, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Provost, Magistrates, Town Council, and Deacons of the Incorporated Trades of Lanark.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, Town Council and Deacons of the Incorporated Trades of the Burgh of Lanark, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with the greatest veneration, and in unison with the universal sentiment of the United Kingdom, to express our unfeigned and deep feelings of regret on occasion of the lamented death of your august Parent, Her Majesty, the Queen; and on this melancholy occurrence, to offer to your Royal Highness our sincere sympathy and condolence.

While we deplore the sorrowful event by which the nation has been deprived of a great and exalted character, in which the social virtues were so eminently blended, and grieve for the loss His Majesty's subjects will sustain in consequence of the removal of the personage who furnished so high and salutary an example; permit us in a more particular manner, to sympathize with your Royal Highness, in that tender sorrow occasioned by the sad event which has deprived you of your maternal Parent. Under the pressure of this severe calamity, we, however trust, your Royal Highness will derive from our holy religion all that consolation which it is so well calculated to afford, and which with that filial affection so conspicuously evinced by your Royal Highness, solaced the last moments of your illustrious Parent. The kind attention bestowed by your Royal Highness at that important crisis, must be to you matter of pleasing, though melancholy reflection; it has called forth the esteem and admiration of all classes in these kingdoms, and has set an example highly worthy of imitation, which it is hoped will have its due effect, and produce a lasting impression on the minds of His Majesty's subjects.

Council Chambers, 24th December 1818.

Robert Hutchinson, Preses.

[*Transmitted by P. J. Buchanan Riddle, Bart. M. P. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Freeholders of the County of Durham, beg leave to offer to your Royal Highness our sincere condolence on the great loss which your Royal Highness has sustained by the decease of your much lamented Mother, which has also deprived

our revered Monarch whilst suffering under the severest of all human afflictions, of an attached Consort, and faithful Guardian of his Royal Person, and the nation of a most excellent Queen.

Eminent for the practice of every conjugal, parental, and domestic virtue, Her Majesty during a painful and protracted illness, displayed that true christian fortitude and resignation to the Divine Will, which together with the performance of every religious duty, were ever so conspicuous in her throughout the course of a long life, and your Royal Highness by your anxious solicitude and unre-mitted endeavours to soothe and alleviate Her Majesty's severe sufferings, has exhibited a bright example of filial piety which we must ever duly appreciate.

May your Royal Highness under the Divine protection long live to enjoy every blessing this world can afford.

W. Hutchinson, High Sheriff.

Durham, 29th December 1818.

[*Transmitted by the Sheriff, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the President and Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians at Edinburgh, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with profound respect, and to express our condolence on the melancholy event which has deprived the nation of their Most gracious Queen Charlotte, and involved your Royal House in deep affliction.

The exemplary manner in which Her Majesty supported the varied relations of public and of domestic life for more than half a century, essentially contributed to give that lustre which covered the British Throne during this long and eventful period, and commanded the warmest approbation of all His Majesty's faithful subjects; the demise of your Royal Highness's august Parent now calls forth feelings of sympathy from the whole nation.

May it be permitted to us to avail ourselves of this opportunity to renew our expressions of attachment to the illustrious House of your Royal Highness, and to offer our earnest prayers that it may please the Almighty disposer of events to stretch his protecting arm over our venerable Sovereign, and vouchsafe to grant all the comfort and solace compatible with His Majesty's advancing years.

Thomas Charles Hope, President.

Edinburgh, 26th December 1818.

[*Transmitted by the President of the College, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.*]

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the Corporation of Huntingdon, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, to testify the deep sense we entertain of the great loss which your Royal Highness,