

subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Peebles, humbly beg permission, at this alarming crisis, to approach the Throne with the assurances of our unshaken loyalty, and allegiance to your Majesty, and of our firm attachment to our invaluable Constitution in Church and State.

We observe with equal detestation and horror the daring and unwearied efforts of the impious and disaffected to erase from the minds of the people of this country all veneration for the Christian Religion, loyalty to their Sovereign, and obedience to the Laws.

Deeply impressed with the value of the blessings which we enjoy under your Majesty's paternal care, we feel it incumbent upon us to express our determination to use every exertion in our power to frustrate the designs of the disaffected, and to oppose the progress of those principles, which, if generally prevalent, must end in the subversion of our present happy form of Government, and in involving the nation in confusion, misery and ruin.

Our sincere and fervent prayer, Sire, is, that the Almighty may be pleased to protect the United Kingdom from such direful calamity, and to grant that your Majesty may long reign over a free, loyal, and grateful people.

Signed, in our name, and by our appointment, and the common seal of the Burgh appended hereto, at Peebles, the 23d day of December 1820 years,  
Jas. Hen, Provost.

[Transmitted by the Town Clerk.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Inhabitants of the Town and Neighbourhood of Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Inhabitants of the Town and Neighbourhood of Swansea, in the Town-Hall assembled, consider it incumbent on us to renew the assurances of our unaltered and unalterable attachment to your Majesty's Person, and of our being most anxious to support, with our utmost exertions, the authority of the British Legislature, and all those prerogatives which our laws have wisely entrusted to your Majesty, and which are necessary to maintain that just balance of power which forms the safety and glory of our envied Constitution.

We view with the utmost abhorrence the spirit of sedition and licentiousness which has lately manifested itself in a variety of shapes, and particularly in the libellous and blasphemous publications which are every where circulated with a view to degrade all the most sacred institutions of our country, and we are most happy to add, that their pernicious doctrines (which can only mislead the ignorant and unwary) have met with the contempt which they deserve in this neighbourhood.

We cannot reflect on the present distressed situation of the country, and the immense amount of our national burthens without deeply regretting the difficulties with which your Majesty as well as your subjects have to contend; and we rely on the wisdom of your Majesty's Councils for the adoption

of some measures to relieve the one, and by a system of strict economy to reduce the other.

Although there are some differences of opinion among us on minor points; yet a zealous attachment to your Royal Person, a veneration for the laws, and an ardent affection for good order, are the principles which direct and animate the conduct of every true Welshman; and it is our prayer that your Majesty long may reign the faithful guardian of our liberties, and be the instrument, in the hand of Providence, for transmitting to our posterity those invaluable rights and privileges which are enjoyed by no other than British subjects.

[Transmitted by the Portreeve.]

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Tuesday the twenty-third day of January next; We do, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall, on the said twenty-third day of January next, be held and sit for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said twenty-third day of January next.

Given at Our Court at Carlton-House, the twenty-fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and twenty, and in the first year of Our reign.

GOD. save the KING.

By the KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, R.

WHEREAS His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His late Majesty King George the Third, was pleased, by His Royal Proclamation, bearing date the twentieth day of November one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, to declare His Royal will and pleasure, that the Governors or Deputy Governors of Gibraltar and Malta should be authorised to issue Mediterranean Passes for the protection of ships belonging to His said late Majesty's subjects in those possessions, according to a certain form therein referred to, marked (C); under and subject to certain regulations and sureties therein set forth; and whereas doubts have arisen as to the term during which it was intended that the said Passes should remain in force; We taking the premises into Our Royal consideration, and judging it ne-