

United Kingdom have sustained by the death of your illustrious Brother, the Duke of York. The death of any of your Majesty's relations must always affect the people; but the lamented late Duke was, in addition, a most efficient Member of your Majesty's Government, and the person, who, by his exertions and example, brought the army to its present flourishing state: the loss, therefore, to your Majesty and to the Nation is the more; and we sincerely join in your sorrow.

Signed and sealed in the presence and on behalf of the meeting, by *David Scott*, Convener.  
Dundee, February 3, 1827.

[*Transmitted by the Convener.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The dutiful and loyal Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Councilmen, and Burgesses of the Town of Cambridge, in Common Hall assembled.

*May it please your Majesty,  
Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Councilmen and Burgesses of the Town of Cambridge, most humbly beg to offer our condolence on the demise of His late Royal Highness the Duke of York and Albany, who graciously condescended to become one of our body by the acceptance of its freedom,

We deplore, in common with the best feelings of the country, the loss we have sustained, whereby your Majesty is deprived of an attached brother, the Constitution of a firm supporter, the Army of a beloved Commander. His late Royal Highness, brave, generous and humane, ever proved himself the veteran's protector, the orphan's father, the widow's friend; was most justly honoured in life and sincerely mourned in death.

We most deeply feel the loss of such a distinguished Prince, and most respectfully offer the humble tribute of our unfeigned and heartfelt condolence, and with it our sincere hope that your Majesty's feelings may be soothed by the sympathy of your faithful people; we further trust you will be graciously pleased to accept the assurance of our firm continued loyalty and allegiance.

Given under our common seal, the 30th day of January, in the year of our Lord 1827.

[*Transmitted by the Duke of Rutland.*]

To the KING's Most Sacred Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the ancient Royal Burgh of Linlithgow, beg leave to approach the Throne, deeply impressed with a sense of the blessings which this country has enjoyed under the mild and paternal sway of the Princes of the House of Brunswick, we feel ourselves called on humbly to offer to your Majesty the tribute of our heartfelt condolence on the heavy calamity with which it has pleased Almighty God, in his inscrutable wisdom, recently to afflict your Majesty, and your faithful and loving people, by the death of His Royal Highness the Duke of York.

When we reflect on the benefits derived to your

Majesty and the Country from the long services of that illustrious person, that to the indefatigable exertions of the late Commander-in-Chief it is mainly to be attributed that the British army has attained an eminence, which renders it alike the admiration and the envy of Europe, we find it utterly impossible to appreciate the extent of the loss sustained by his death; and we can only venture to express to your Majesty those feelings of respectful gratitude which must ever induce the people of this Realm to cherish the memory of His Royal Highness with affectionate veneration. That it may please Almighty God to bestow upon your Majesty that consolation under this severe affliction, which even the sympathies of a loyal and affectionate people are unable to yield, is the constant prayer of, may it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects and servants, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Linlithgow.

Signed in name and by authority of the Magistrates and Council, in Common Council assembled, and the seal of the Burgh affixed, at Linlithgow, the 3d day of February 1827.

*John Boyd*, Provost.

[*Transmitted by the Provost.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, the Magistrates and Council of your Majesty's Royal and Ancient Burgh of Dunbar, in Common Council assembled, most humbly beg permission to address your Majesty, deeply and sincerely expressing our condolence on the painful affliction your Majesty and your August Family must experience by the death of that ever-to-be-lamented Prince, His Royal Highness the Duke of York; truly may we say, our nation's hope—the father of the army.

While we deplore, in common with the whole of your Majesty's faithful subjects, the heavy calamity and irreparable loss which the nation has sustained, we in sincerity pray, that the mercies of Divine Providence may alleviate the anguish of your Majesty's feelings, and grant consolation under so severe a visitation, and may they continue to watch over and preserve your Majesty's health, so as you may be enabled long to maintain the glory of the Crown, the security and stability of the Protestant Religion, and the happiness and welfare of your Majesty's people.

Signed in our name, at Dunbar, the 30th day of January 1827. *Charles Middlemass*, Provost.

[*Transmitted by the Provost.*]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Sire,*

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Sheriffs, Burgesses, and Common Council of the County of the Town of Drogheda, in Special General Assembly convened, beg sincerely to condole with your Majesty for the loss your Majesty and the Nation have sustained, by the death of His Royal Highness the Duke of York, who, by his zeal and talent in the discharge of his high and important official duties as Commander-in-Chief, brought the British army to that state of discipline