

and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waistcoats, full trimmed, coloured swords, and buckles.

And on Sunday the 17th of June next, the Court to go out of mourning.

The following Addresses, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable William Sturges Bourne, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by the several persons whose names are respectively subjoined to each Address, were presented by him to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty:

The loyal and dutiful Address of the Inhabitants of Liverpool, convened by the Worshipful the Mayor and in the Town Hall assembled.

WE, the Inhabitants of Liverpool, deploring, in common with our fellow subjects, the calamity which has deprived your Majesty and the Nation of the services of that able and upright Statesman, the Right Honourable the Earl of Liverpool, approach your Majesty with sentiments of profound veneration to offer our sincere condolence on the loss which your Majesty has sustained, at the same time that we express our unfeigned attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government.

Born in a free State, and subjects of a Constitutional King, it behoves us at all times to preserve inviolate, at once, the prerogative of the Crown, the privilege of Parliament, and the rights of the people; and it is on the occasion of your Majesty's exercise of this prerogative, in the formation of a new Ministry, that we have the duty to carry to the Throne our humble and hearty congratulations.

In the generally improved commercial and domestic policy adopted by the late Government, more particularly as advocated by those Members of the Administration, who have continued their services throughout the recent changes, and especially in the firm and dignified tone in the liberal and enlightened character of the foreign policy introduced by the late Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, whom your Majesty has since been graciously pleased to call to the head of your Majesty's Councils, we find the assurance of the extension, the consolidation, and the improvement of that system of Government, so happily commenced, so consonant with the spirit of the age, and so essential to the prosperity of the Country.

Inhabitants of a large commercial town, we disguise not from your Majesty that the circumstances of the times are not without their difficulties, but it is our duty, as it is our happiness, to repeat to your Majesty, the declaration of our loyal attachment to your Majesty's Person, as well as of our cordial support of your Majesty's Government, in their efforts to raise the Nation out of present difficulties, to maintain unimpaired the true dignity of the

Crown, and to bestow renewed and increased prosperity on all classes of your Majesty's subjects.

We pray that your Majesty may long live to reign in the hearts of an affectionate, loyal and happy people.

Town-Hall, Liverpool, 9th May 1827.

[Here follow the Signatures.]

[Delivered by the Right Honourable William Huskisson, M.P. and General Gascoigne, M.P.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Freemen and Inhabitants of the Town and Port of Dover.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, the Freemen and Inhabitants of your ancient and loyal Town and Port of Dover, in the County of Kent, beg leave to approach your Majesty with assurances of our unfeigned loyalty and attachment to your Royal Person.

While we cannot refrain from expressing the sorrow which we feel, in common with the whole Nation, at the loss which your Majesty has sustained by the lamented illness of that honest and upright Statesman, the Earl of Liverpool, we are fully sensible of the paternal care and regard evinced by your Majesty for the welfare and happiness of your subjects, in the recent changes which you have been pleased to make in your Councils.

Be the cause of the secession of those individuals who have so long enjoyed your Majesty's favour, the failure of an attempt to controul the just prerogative of the Crown, or a disinclination to serve under the enlightened and distinguished individual now at the head of your Majesty's Government, or be it from any other motive, we sincerely rejoice and heartily congratulate your Majesty on the event, which, through your Majesty's firmness and wisdom, has placed at the head of affairs men whose splendid talent and sound Constitutional principles give them so just a claim to your Majesty's high consideration, and the admiration and confidence of the Nation.

Enjoying these advantages, we look forward with pleasure and hope to a perseverant in the wise and salutary measures now in progress for the extension of our commerce and national industry, and we pray that your Majesty may effectually accomplish all your designs for the good of this realm, and long continue to enjoy the happiness of a peaceful reign over a free, loyal, and grateful people.

[Here follow the Signatures.]

[Transmitted by L. Bodley, Esq. M.P.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

Most Gracious Sovereign, Bostonia Inc.

WE, your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Master, Assistants, and Members of the Company of Merchants of the City of Edinburgh, incorporated by Royal Charter and by Act of Parliament, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty to express to you our deepest gratitude for the wisdom and firmness recently displayed by your Majesty, in the circumstances of peculiar difficulty, in the formation of a new Administration, embracing men on whose talents, wisdom, and uprightness the Country place the utmost reliance, we look forward with the firmest confi-