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**T**HE following Addresses, having been received by Viscount Goderich, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, were presented by him to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously:

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

The joint Address of His Excellency Sir James Kempt, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia and its Dependencies; of the Honourable His Majesty's Council; and of the House of Assembly, in their several Legislative Capacities, now sitting at Halifax.

*May it please your Majesty,*

THE Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly, now convened in General Assembly, beg leave, on behalf of themselves and of the Inhabitants of this Province, humbly to approach the Throne, to offer their sincere condolence to your Majesty upon the afflicting event which has deprived your Majesty of a beloved and illustrious Member of your Royal Family.

The sentiments of loyalty and affection for your Majesty's Person and Government, which are deeply implanted in our bosoms, render it impossible for us not to participate in the grief which the death of your lamented Brother, His late Royal Highness the Duke of York, has diffused over the whole of your Majesty's widely extended empire; and we beg leave to assure your Majesty, that in no part of your dominions can the loss which the nation has sustained be more deeply deplored than in your loyal province of Nova Scotia.

Remote as we are from the capital of the empire where His late Royal Highness resided, and from whence he issued those orders and regulations for the government of the British army, which have made it the pride of our own and the wonder of other nations; we have, notwithstanding, long witnessed the good effects of the wisdom and benevolence by which he was actuated in the execution of the important command which was intrusted to him by his Sovereign.

During the long period of His late Royal Highness's command of the army, the routine of duty has occasioned a great number of the regiments in your

Majesty's service to live for a time among us, and the exemplary conduct which they have invariably displayed, has redounded equally to their own honour and to that of the Commander in Chief by whose salutary regulations they were governed.

As we have thus been enabled to appreciate the value and the worth of this illustrious Prince, we truly feel and deeply lament the loss which your Majesty and your people have sustained by his death.

(Signed) *James Kempt*, Lieut. Gov.

In behalf of the Council,

*J. J. Blowers*, President.

In behalf of the Assembly,

*S. G. W. Archibald*, Speaker.

Halifax, April 6, 1827.

To His Most Excellent Majesty George the Fourth, of Great Britain and Ireland, KING, Defender of the Faith, &c. &c. &c.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of St. John, in New Brunswick.

*May it please your Majesty,*

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of St. John, for ourselves and your Majesty's other faithful subjects, the Inhabitants of the said City, impressed with heartfelt sorrow for the great loss your Majesty has sustained by the lamented death of your Majesty's Brother, His Royal Highness the Duke of York, beg leave to offer to your Majesty our sincere condolence on this melancholy event so truly afflicting to your Majesty, whose fraternal affection for His late Royal Highness has been through life so strongly manifested. While we thus most truly and humbly sympathise with your Majesty, we cannot refrain from expressing the grateful sense which we, in common with all your Majesty's other subjects, entertain of the important services rendered to the British nation by His late Royal Highness, not only while exposing his person in the field, but also while presiding over the army as Commander in Chief, a situation which was filled by him so much to his own honour and to the improvement of the discipline of the army.

Feeling how deeply afflicted your Majesty must be by the loss of a Brother so truly and deservedly