

Majesty's mild and paternal Government, and for the contentment and prosperity of all your subjects.

Given under the seal of our Corporation, this 8th day of September 1831.

*Archd. Reed, Mayor.*

[*Transmitted by the Duke of Northumberland.*]

And from the Members of an Association at Sheffield, signed by Thomas Asline Ward, President, and Edward Bramley, Secretary, for and in behalf of all the Members of the Association; and transmitted by Mr. Edward Bramley.

*St. James's-Palace, September 28, 1831.*

**T**HE following Addresses, praying that the Bill for the Reform of Parliament may be passed into a Law, were this day presented to His Majesty, by Mr. Kennedy, M. P. and graciously received:

- From the Inhabitants of the Ancient Town and Parish of Kilwinning.
- From the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Royal Burgh of Ayr.
- From the Convener and Deacons of the Incorporated Trades of the Royal Burgh of Ayr.
- From the Members of the Ayr Phoenix Friendly Society.
- From the Members of the Ayr, Newton, and Wallowacietown Friendly Society.
- From the Master, Assistants, and other Members of the Merchants' Company of Ayr.
- From the Magistrates, Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Burgh of Maybole and its Vicinity.

*Windsor-Castle, September 29, 1831.*

**T**HE following Addresses having been transmitted to Earl Howe, Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, was by him presented to Her Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously:

- From the Inhabitants of the Town of Liverpool.
- From the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Bailiffs of Liverpool.
- From the Town of Halifax.
- From the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council, and Livery of the Town and County of Nottingham.

*St. James's-Palace, September 28, 1831.*

This day had audience of His Majesty;

The Prince de Talleyrand, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the King of the French;

The Baron de Cetto, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Bavaria;

And Monsieur de Gersdorff, Minister Resident from the King of Saxony, to deliver letters from their respective Sovereigns:

To which they were severally introduced by Lord Viscount Palmerston, His Majesty's Principal

Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Robert Chester, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

At the Court at St. James's, September 28, 1831.

**CEREMONIAL of the Investiture of General the Honourable Sir Henry George Grey, General Sir Henry Warde, and Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir William Lumley, with the Ensigns of Knights Grand Crosses of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.**

The following Knights Grand Crosses, in their mantles and collars of the Order, assembled at St. James's-Palace, viz. His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland; Lord de Saumarez; Lord Howden; Earl Ludlow; Lord Viscount Beresford; Lord Lynedoch; Lord Hill; the Right Honourable Sir George Nugent Bart.; Sir William Henry Clinton; the Right Honourable Sir James Kempt; Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart.; Lord Howard of Effingham; the Earl of Rosslyn; and the Duke of Gordon, attended by the under-named Officers of the Order, in their mantles, chains, and badges, viz. Sir George Nayler, Knt. Genealogist of the Order; Algernon Greville, Esq. Bath King of Arms; Captain Michael Seymour, R. N. Register and Secretary of the Order; and George-Frederick Beltz, Esq. Gentleman Usher of the Order.

At two o'clock, the Knights Grand Crosses were called over, and, with the Officers of the Order, proceeded into the presence of the Sovereign in the Throne-room, with the usual reverences.

Then, by His Majesty's command, General the Honourable Sir Henry George Grey was introduced into the Royal Presence, between the two Junior Knights Grand Crosses present, preceded by Bath King of Arms, bearing the ribband, badge, and star of a Knight Grand Cross of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion, and by the Gentleman Usher of the Order.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland having thereupon received from Bath King of Arms the ribband and badge, presented them to the Sovereign, and Sir Henry George Grey kneeling, His Majesty was graciously pleased to put the same over the General's right shoulder; Sir Henry George Grey rising, had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and, having received from His Majesty the star of the Order, withdrew.

General Sir Henry Warde and Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir William Lumley were then severally introduced, and invested with the like ceremonies.

**CEREMONIAL of the Investiture of the Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.**

The Knights Grand Crosses having been invested, Major-General Sir James Douglas, K. C. B. was by command of the Sovereign introduced into the Royal Presence, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion, the star appropriated to the second class of the Order.