To the Right Honorable Thomas
Earl of Dundonald. G.C.B.
Rear Admiral of the Blue
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We the Magistrates, Councillors and Burgesses of the Burgh, and Inhabitants of the Burgh and Parish of Culross, beg leave with the highest satisfaction to congratulate your Lordship, and to express our warmest feelings of delight on the occasion of your restoration to your Honors, and to your rank in the Naval service of the Country of which your Lordship is one of the Bravest and most distinguished officers though, from your Lordships connection with this quarter of the Country we take a most peculiar and lively interest in all that concerns your Lordship and your Lordship's family, yet we feel assured that our sentiments cire in unison with those of the Country at large, in hailing your restoration to your rank and Honors with the most heartfelt satisfaction, in relation not only to your Lordship personally, but to the interests of the Country which has been so long deprived of your Lordship's valuable [1] public services

signed by desire and in presence of a meeting of the Magistrates Councillors, and Burgesses of the Burgh, and Inhabitants of the Burgh and Parish of Culross, at a meeting specially called for the purpose. At Culross this fifteenth day of May 1832.

John Balfour: Chairman