Dividends on the Public Debt, brings at that period only the total emission of their Paper to twenty millions. They are certainly the best judges of any danger attending the increasing or decreasing of their Notes, and it would be an unpardonable presumption in any individual, to dictate to them on that point, upon which they alone are competent judges.

They have fully merited at all times the confidence of the Public, and are therefore entitled to its gratitude. No part of their conduct can have produced the awful situation to which Great Britain is now reduced, by means of a continually increasing and unsalcable stock of merchandize, of a balance of trade still continuing against it, of the small quantity of Current Coin in the kingdom, and of the necessity to keep Paper Money within certain bounds, in order to secure its free circulation without the danger