

Lord Londonderry
to
The King

M. Whitbread's Motion
against the Constitutional
Association

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July 18 21
J. James & Loxave
Wednesday 1/2 past one A.M.

Lord Londonderry has the honor to acquaint
your Majesty, that the House of Commons has
adjourn'd to Tuesday next

In the course of the evening Mr Whitbread
brought forward a motion against the Constitutional
Association, in the shape of an Address, Praying that
your Majesty would order a habeas corpus to be
enter'd in every case, where the Association were
Prosecutors — This gave rise to a long debate,
in which the Attorney and Solicitor General shone
with much ability, in maintenance of the Legality
of the Association — Mr Whitbread did not venture to
back his Question to a Division

The House separated in extraordinary haste

Humour, considering the Leader in such the
Session began - Last 2. in moving the adjournment
in order to satisfy the ~~Speaker~~ that the office of being
their Representative, was not a mere name
thing, upon the Speaker's authority, that ~~Speaker~~
of their attendance upon Committees in the afternoon,
the House has sat on an average 8 hours
and 40 minutes each ^{sitting} day since the 1st of
January