

Their Excellencies the Lords Justices Answer.

My Lords,

WE are glad to find the Assurances we have given your Lordships in his Majesty's Name, are so acceptable to you, and we are obliged to your Lordships for your Resolution to support our Administration; and our best Endeavours shall never be wanting to promote the Welfare of this Kingdom.

To their Excellencies the Lords Justices General and General Governors of Ireland.

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens and Burgeses in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Excellencies,

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland in Parliament assembled, beg Leave to attend your Excellencies with our humble Thanks for your Speech to both Houses of Parliament.

The Assurances your Excellencies have given us of his Majesty's Resolution inviolably to preserve our Constitution in Church and State, claim the most grateful Acknowledgments which a dutiful and affectionate People can make to the best of Princes, who in Addition to the many Favours already conferr'd on his Protestant Subjects of this Kingdom, has been pleas'd in a particular Manner to consult their Happiness and Security by committing (at this critical Juncture) the Government thereof to your Excellencies.

The Manner in which your Excellencies are pleas'd to take Notice of the early and steady Zeal shewn by his Majesty's Protestant Subjects of this Kingdom for his Succession when most in Danger, gives us the greatest Pleasure and Satisfaction, having from thence Reason to hope the Endeavours used by the Commons in the last Parliament to support that Succession against the Pretender and his Abettors, have not been unknown or unacceptable to our gracious Sovereign: And when we consider the Happiness which every Part of his Dominions enjoys under his auspicious Reign, our Surprize and Indignation are equally rais'd, to think there can a Set of Men be found among us so desperately wicked, as to attempt to deprive us of so inestimable a Blessing.

We have a just Sense of his Majesty's Goodness, in causing Arms to be delivered out of the Stores for the Militia, which we beg your Excellencies to be assur'd shall be employ'd in the Preservation of his Title and Government, and that we will consider of what may be further necessary to put ourselves in the best Posture of Defence.

Your Excellencies may depend on our giving such Dispatch to the Publick Business as the Necessity of Affairs at present require, that we will grant such Supplies as shall be wanting to support his Majesty's Establishment with Honour, and readily concur in whatever else may be thought requisite to render your Administration easie.

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Gentlemen,

WE return you our hearty Thanks for the Assurances you give us of supporting the Establishment with Honour, and for the Promise of your best Endeavours to render our Administration easie. You may depend upon it, we have no other View but that of promoting his Majesty's Service and the Interest of this Kingdom.

Edinburgh, Nov. 22. Letters of the 16th Instant from Aberdeen give an Account, that the Earl of Sutherland had possessed himself of the Town and Cattle of Innerness, after an Action with the Rebels who were there: But they do not mention any other Particulars of that Action than that — Ross, a Brother of Kilarock, was kill'd in it. They add, that the Earl has since advanced to the Town of Elgin, and taken Possession of it.

Whitehall, Nov. 28. A LIST of the Prisoners taken at Preston.

A LIST of the English Prisoners.

Mr. Forster, General	John Layborn
Earl of Derwentwater	Gab Hestedt
Lord Widdrington	Cuthbert Hestedt
Mr. Edward Howard	Thomas Walton
Mr. Charles Ratcliff	Edward Tesley
Cha. Widdrington, Gent.	Thomas Erington
Per. Widdrington	Philip Hudson
Walter Tankard	James Talbot
John Thornton	Alex. Deafines
John Clavering	Lyon Walden
John Clavering	John Mesterson
William Clavering	Geo. Sanderson
Nich. Wogan	Geo. Budding
Charles Wogan	John Cotton
John Talbot	Robert Cotton
Robert Talbot	Richard Gasscoine
Roger Salkeld	John Hunter
Geo. Collingwood	William Hardwick
John Hunter	Thomas Butler
Edward Ard	Robert Patton
W. Tunfill, Pay. Gen.	William Catton
William Shaftoe	Thomas Lisle
John Shaftoe	Thomas Forster
Edward Shaftoe	William Raine
John Shaftoe	Thomas Riddle
Edward Swinburn	Henry Widdrington
James Swinburn	Richard Ard
Geo. Gibson	William Sanderson
Edward Byers	John Towle
Richard Stöckart	John Hotherfalt
William Charleton	Fr. Thornbuck
Edward Charleton	John Heale
Charles Charley	Edward Mackey
Richard Charley	Henry Oxbourgh
Ra. Standish	William Dobson
Fran. Aderton	John Beaumont
Richard Tonley	John Crofts
John Dalton	

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