

and Support of the Protestant Interest, which cannot but be safe and secure under your Royal Guardianship and Protection.

On our Parts, we humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty of our most hearty and sincere Affection and inviolable Attachment to your most sacred Person and Government, and to testify our highest Satisfaction, that the Prince who reigns over us, will make the Laws of the Kingdom the Rule of his Government, as those are the Rule and Measure of our Obedience. To which (Great Sir) permit us to add, what are, and ever will be, our most ardent Wishes, that your Majesty's Reign over us may be long, very long; happy and glorious, attended with all the Favours and Blessings of Heaven. That your Arms, as hitherto they have been, may be ever victorious and triumphant, both at Sea and Land; your Councils unanimous and successful; and that there never will be wanting one of your Royal and Illustrious Line to fill and adorn the Throne, and sway the Scepter of these Kingdoms to the latest Posterity.

Given under our Common Seal this Eighth Day of December, 1760.

The following Address of the Aldermen, Bailiffs and Common Council of the Borough and Corporation of Denbigh, has been presented to His Majesty by Richard Myddelton, Esq; Lieutenant of the said County, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Aldermen, Bailiffs and Common Council of the Borough and Corporation of Denbigh, in the County of Denbigh, in Common Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the Aldermen, Bailiffs and Common Council of your Antient and Loyal Borough of Denbigh, humbly beg Leave to offer our Condolence upon the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign, your Illustrious Grandfather, under whose mild and glorious Reign we have been so long protected; and with Hearts full of Affection and Joy to congratulate your Majesty on your happy Accession to the Throne of these Kingdoms, that your Majesty's Reign may be long and prosperous, and that the Imperial Crown of these Realms may descend from you, to the latest Posterity of your Royal House, shall be our constant Prayer.

By Order of the Court,

Signed and passed under our Common Seal this Seventeenth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and sixty one.

John Hofer, Town Clrk.

The following Address of the Society in Scotland for propagating Christian Knowledge, has been presented to His Majesty by the most Honourable the Marquis of Lothian, President of the said Society: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Society in Scotland for propagating Christian Knowledge.

WE the Members of the Society in Scotland for propagating Christian Knowledge, beg Leave to offer to your Majesty our most sincere Expressions of Duty and Allegiance; to congratulate you on your Accession to the Throne of your Ancestors; and to testify our deep Concern for the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign, the Friend and Father of His People.

This Society, founded by one of your Majesty's Royal Predecessors, cherished and supported by your Great Grandfather and Grandfather, of blessed Memory, retains the most grateful Sense of the Royal Favours received from them; and is encouraged to hope for continued Protection and Favour from a Sovereign, whose public and eminent Regard to our Holy Religion, and tenderest Affection for His Na-

ture Country, distinguish the Commencement of His Reign with the most auspicious Characters.

To spread, and to promote the Knowledge of Christianity among your Majesty's Subjects in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland, to extend that Knowledge even to the Indians bordering on your Colonies in North America, to banish the Errors of Popery, and to root out the Principles of Disloyalty from the most remote Corners of this Part of the United Kingdom; these, Great Sir, are the Objects of the Attention and Labours of this Society; while, at the same Time, co-operating with the wise and gracious Measures of the Legislature, we endeavour to introduce into the most distant Parts of this Island the Arts of Industry, Manufacture, and Agriculture; Arts which continue to flourish in other Parts of your Majesty's Dominions, to an Extant unknown in any former War.

Animated with the Hopes of rendering ourselves still more worthy of your Royal Favour and Protection, encouraged, as we have been, by charitable Aids from your Majesty's Subjects in Great Britain and Ireland, and excited by the good Success we have already had, we go on with Alacrity and Pleasure, humbly imploring the Blessing of Heaven upon our Endeavours; and praying to that God, who hath promised to honour those who honour Him, that He may make your Majesty's Reign long and prosperous, over a free, happy, and united People.

Signed in Name, Presence, and by Appointment of a General Meeting of the above Society,

by *Euseb. Preses.*
Edinburgh, Jan. 26, 1761.

The following Address of the Barons, Freeholders, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Nairn, has been presented to His Majesty by John Campbell, of Calder, Esq; Representative in Parliament for the Burghs of Fortrose, &c. being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE the Barons, Freeholders, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Nairn, humbly beg Leave to approach your Sacred Person, and join our Fellow-Subjects in condoling the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign; and in congratulating your Majesty's happy Accession to the Throne.

With Joy we see the Unanimity that universally prevails among all Ranks of People throughout these Kingdoms; and in the utmost Sincerity of Heart we humbly assure your Majesty, that none exceed us in Gratitude to the Memory of our late most mild and gracious Sovereign; and that our Hope of Happiness, under your Majesty's Government, is equal to the Expectation of the most Sanguine.

Your Majesty's early Declaration, your innate Goodness and virtuous Education, give full Assurance that our excellent Constitution will not only be maintained, but strengthened, under your Majesty's auspicious Reign: That it may be long and glorious, and that your Posterity, inheriting the Virtues of their Ancestors, may ever sway the Sceptre of these Realms, over a free, brave, and united People, is our most fervent Prayer.

Nairn, Jan. 22, 1761. Ja. Sutherland, Preses.

The Two following Addresses have been presented to His Majesty by Richard Jackson, Esq; one of the Members in the late Parliament for the Town of Colerain, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most Dutiful and Faithful Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Town of Colerain, do humbly presume to condole with your Majesty on the late melancholy Event of the Death of your Royal Grandfather.