

Affection to each other be equalled by nothing but the Zeal and Affection of your Subjects to both your Majesties.

Given under our Common Seal, the fifth Day of October, One thousand seven hundred and sixty one.

The following Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs and Capital Burgeses of Monmouth, has been presented to Her Majesty: Which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs and Capital Burgeses of Monmouth, in Common Council assembled.

Most gracious Queen,

SENSIBLY affected with every Accession of Happiness to our Royal Master, the best of Princes, sensible also of the many and great Benefits derived to His People from His Union with a Protestant Princess of your most illustrious Birth, and of those eminent Virtues and Endowments which form the Royal Mind, we His Majesty's ever dutiful and faithful Subjects, the Mayor, Bailiffs and Common Council of His ancient and loyal Corporation of Monmouth, cannot conceal our Joy and Satisfaction on that happy and important Event; and humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty thereon.

The great Regard you have shewn, Royal Madam, to our darling Monarch, in leaving your native Country, and its natural Attractions, to make Him happy, and to soften the Cares of His Throne, cannot but be most agreeable to His People, who have so great an Interest in His Felicity. And as His Majesty may be justly deemed the Father of His Country, would your Majesty be graciously pleased to adopt it also for yours, it would be still more engaging, and lay us under the strongest Ties of Duty and Gratitude in Return.

May your Majesty rise yet higher (if possible) in the Affections of our Sovereign, and the Esteem of His People; and be long the Royal Partner of that Happiness to which you have so much contributed, and so justly deserve; and may this auspicious Union of your Majesties produce an illustrious Race of Princes, to secure and perpetuate the Blessings we now enjoy to our latest Posterity.

Given under our Common Seal, at our Guildhall, the twenty second Day of September, 1761, and in the first Year of His Majesty's most gracious Reign.

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Nobility, Gentry, Clergy and Freeholders of the County of Gloucester, has been presented to Her Majesty: Which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Gloucester.

May it please your Majesty,

DUTY and Gratitude to the best of Sovereigns have called upon us to testify our Joy in an humble Address to His Majesty, and to present to His Royal Acceptance a loyal and respectful Tender of our sincerest Congratulations on the Occasion of His happy Nuptials.

Animated with a due Sense of the Importance of these Blessings to us, and to our Posterity, We likewise now beg Leave to approach the Person of that excellent Princess, whom by His Majesty's Wisdom and judicious Choice we have the Happiness to honour and revere as our gracious Queen. Such a Choice is to us the strongest Proof, that she is possessed in an eminent Degree, of all those Virtues which can adorn a Throne, which can add Lustre to Royalty, and make both His Majesty, and his People happy.

The following Address of the Mayor, Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Lincoln, has been presented to Her Majesty by Coningsby Sibthorpe, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament: Which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty,

Most gracious Queen,

PERMIT us, the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Lincoln, in Common Council assembled, to congratulate your Majesty on your Nuptials with a Manarch possessed of every Virtue necessary to the Glory and Happiness of His Kingdoms; and on your Accession to the Throne of Great Britain,

Your illustrious Line has constantly shewn the firmest Zeal for the Protestant Religion; and your great Endowments entitle you to the Affection of a faithful People; and how entirely you are possessed of them, must be well known to the World, by the general Joy expressed, when His Majesty declared His Intention of making you His Royal Consort.

Your Love and Affection will conduce to make the Weight of Government more easy to His Majesty; and we hope the Throne of these Kingdoms will continue to late Ages in your Issue and Descendants.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall of the City of Lincoln aforesaid, the twenty sixth Day of September, in the first Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Norwich, has been presented to her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales, by Harbord Harbord Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; Which Address her Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously.

To her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Norwich, entreat your Royal Highness to accept our most respectful Congratulations, on His Majesty's auspicious Nuptials.

We are bound, by innumerable Ties, to love and venerate your Royal Highness, and share in the superior Satisfaction your Royal Highness enjoys on this happy Event. Long has your Royal Highness been a nursing Mother to these Kingdoms; long have your exemplary Virtues and princely Patronage contributed to their Happiness and Fame! Permit us therefore, gracious Princess, to assure you of our unalterable Zeal and Affection for your Royal Person, and of our inviolable Duty and Fidelity to our excellent Sovereign.

Amidst the Felicities of so bright a Reign, His Majesty's Union with an amiable Princess, of an illustrious Protestant House, has gratified the only Wish His happy Subjects had to form in Favour of succeeding Ages.

May every pleasing Hope they entertain on this great Occasion, be accomplished, that future Generations may rejoice in this illustrious Union! And may Heaven long preserve your Royal Highness, to participate in the Glories of His Majesty's Reign, in the Felicity of the Royal Pair, and in the Prosperity of all your Princely Offspring.

Given under our Common Seal, this twenty ninth Day of September, in the Year of our Lord, One thousand seven hundred and sixty one.

Madrid, September 4. A Report having been lately spread here, upon the Arrival of the last Letters from France, as if there was Reason to apprehend an immediate Rupture between our Court and that of Great-Britain; we understand, that the Spanish Ministers, in a Conversation which they had lately with the Earl of Bristol, Ambassador