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AT the Court at St. James's, the 12th Day of August, 1762,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WH-E-R-E-A-S in the Act of Uniformity, which establishes the Liturgy of the Church of England, Provision is made for such Alterations in the Prayers for the Royal Family, as from Time to Time shall become necessary, and be directed by lawful Authority—It is thereupon this Day ordered by His Majesty in Council, That in the Morning and Evening Prayers in the Litany, and in all other Parts of the Publick Service, as well in the Occasional Offices, as in the Book of Common Prayer, where the Royal Family is appointed to be particularly prayed for, the following Form and Order shall be observed, viz.

*Our Gracious Queen Charlotte,
His Royal Highness the Prince,
Her Royal Highness the Princess
Dowager of Wales, and all the
Royal Family.*

And His Majesty doth strictly charge and command, that no Edition of the Common Prayer be from henceforth printed, but in the Form aforementioned; and that in the mean Time, and until Copies of such Edition may be had, all Parsons, Vicars, and Curates, within this Realm, do (for the preventing of Mistakes) with the Pen correct and amend all such Prayers in their Church Books, according to the foregoing Direction. And for the better Notice hereof, that this Order be forthwith Printed and Published, and sent to the severall Parishes; and that the Right Reverend the Bishops do take Care, that Obedience be paid to the same accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

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The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty having been pleased, by Letters Patents under the Great Seal of Great Britain, to constitute the Right Honourable John Lord Berkeley of Stratton, Constable of His Majesty's Tower of London, and also Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets; His Lordship this Day in Council took the Oaths appointed to be taken, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy, as Constable of the said Tower, and as Lord Lieutenant of the said Tower Hamlets, and likewise the Oath of Constable of the Tower of London.

St. James's, August 14.

This Day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, waited on His Majesty, and being introduced to His Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Devonshire, made their Com-

pliments in the following Address, which was spoke by Sir William Moreton, Knight, the Recorder.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The Humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of your City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg Leave to embrace this earliest Opportunity of congratulating your Majesty, upon the safe and happy Delivery of the Queen, and the auspicious Birth of a Prince.

So important an Event, and upon a Day ever sacred to Liberty, and these Kingdoms, fills us with the most grateful Sentiments of the Divine Goodness, that has thus early crowned your Majesty's Domestic Happiness, and opened to your People the agreeable Prospect of Permanence and Stability to the Blessings they derive from the Wisdom and Steadiness of your Majesty's Victorious Reign.

May the same Gracious Providence soon restore your Majesty's most amiable and beloved Consort, and give perfect Health, and Length of Days, to the Royal Infant.

Long, very long, may your Majesty live, the Guardian and Protector, the Ornament and Delight, of Great Britain; and, by your Instructions and Example, form the Mind of your Royal Son to the Government of a Free, Brave, and Generous People: And, in the Fulness of Time, may that Son succeed to the Virtues, as well as to the Throne, of His Royal Father; and preserve, for a long Succession of Years, the Glory, Happiness, and Prosperity, of His Country.

Signed by Order of Court,

James Hodges.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer.

I Receive, with the greatest Pleasure, these very affectionate Expressions of your Duty and Attachment to Me, and to My Family; and thank you for your Congratulations upon an Event so interesting to Me, and to the future Welfare of My People, with which My own Happiness, upon this and every other Occasion, is inseparably connected. The City of London may always depend upon My constant Favour and Protection.

They were received very graciously, and all had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

Petersburg, July 7, O. S. This Day a Declaration was published here by the Empress, giving an Account of the Decease of the late Emperor Peter the Third.

Breslaw, July 21. The two Armies maintain their respective Posts behind Schweidnitz; but as this Situation is too critical to last long, News of Importance is hourly expected.

Dusseldorf, July 29. When the Prince of Condé was at Halteren, he received three Couriers from the Prince

