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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 17th Day of September, 1762.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Order in Council of the 2d of April last, to direct, That the Bounties of Six Pounds for every able Seaman, and of Three Pounds for every ordinary Seaman, should continue to be paid to every such able and ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who should, on or before the 31st Day of May last, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in His Majesty's Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majesty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board such Tenders as should be employed for railing Men for the Service of His Majesty's Royal Navy: And also that the Bounty of Thirty Shillings should be continued to be paid to every able bodied Landman not above the Age of Thirty Five, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who should, on or before the said 31st Day of May last, voluntarily enter themselves in like Manner to serve in His Majesty's Royal Navy; and that a Reward of Five Pounds for every able, and of Two Pounds Ten Shilling for every ordinary Seaman, should continue to be paid to any Person who should discover any Seaman or Seamen who may secret themselves, so that such Seaman or Seamen should be taken for His Majesty's said Service, on or before the said Thirty-first Day of May last. — And whereas the Time limited for paying the said Bounties and Rewards hath been continued and extended to the 30th of this Instant September; And it being judged expedient for His Majesty's Service, that the same should be continued for some Time longer; His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Payment of the said Bounties and Rewards, be prolonged and extended from the said 30th Day of this Instant September, to the 30th Day of November next. And that the said Bounties and Rewards be paid in the Manner directed by His Majesty's aforementioned Order in Council of the 2d of April last. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Blair.

St. James's, October 19.

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Devon, having been transmitted by Benjamin Incedon, Esq; High Sheriff of the said County, to the Earl of Egremont, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

TO permit the High Sheriff, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of your County of Devon, to approach your Throne, and congratulate your Majesty on the Birth of the Prince: An Event not more pleasing to your Majesty, than satisfactory to

your dutiful Subjects, as it promises Stability to the many and great Blessings we at present enjoy under your Majesty's most auspicious Reign.

Whilst we contemplate this Happiness, with the Hopes of its Duration, as providentially conveyed to us through your Majesty, it is no Wonder that we endeavour to express our Sense of it by a fairable Behaviour: That we acknowledge the Favour of Heaven, not only by direct Addresses thither, but by encouraging and promoting Union and Loyalty among ourselves, and by striving with all the Eagerness of Duty and Affection to support and lighten the natural and unavoidable Weight of Government.

With these Sentiments we cannot refrain from looking forward, and imagining a Race of Princes of your Illustrious House, founded by the Example of their Royal Parents, to merit the Divine Protection, and perpetually to bless a grateful, free, and loyal People.

These, however well grounded, are distant Expectations: For the present, it is our Pleasure as well as Duty, to implore the Supreme Disposer of all Things, that your Majesty's Reign over us may be of the longest Continuance; and that each Stage of your valuable Life may be particularly marked with every Species of publick and domestick Good, which can gratify the best of Men, and greatest of Princes.

We further beg Leave to embrace this Opportunity of congratulating your Majesty on the Reduction of the Havannah with its Dependencies, in the Island of Cuba, by your Majesty's Arms; and expressing our Acknowledgments to those brave Men, who have so gallantly signalized themselves on that glorious Occasion. It were almost needless to add, that the Sense we have of your Majesty's Wisdom affords us the strongest Assurances, that this and all the other Conquests, with which it hath pleased the Divine Providence to distinguish your Majesty's Reign, will not fail to be improved to the lasting Interest and Benefit of your Subjects.

Castle of Exon, 6th Day of October, 1762.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the City of Exeter, having been transmitted by the Right Honourable William Pitt, Esq; to the Earl of Egremont, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the City of Exeter, in Chamber assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

YOUR Majesty's ever faithful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council, of your City of Exeter, full of those Sentiments of Joy and Admiration, with which the continually increasing Glories of your Majesty's auspicious and victorious Reign, cannot fail to warm every truly British Breast, humbly beg Leave to pour them forth before your Throne, in our most dutiful Congratulations on the signal Success with which it hath pleased the Divine Providence to crown your Majesty's