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By the KING,
A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS We have received Intelligence, that Preparations are making by Our Enemies to invade this Our Kingdom, the Safety and Defence of which require Our utmost Care, and wherein by the Assistance and Blessing of God, We are resolved not to be wanting; and to the Intent that they may not, in Case of their Landing, strengthen themselves by seizing the Horses, Oxen and Cattle of Our Subjects, which may be useful to them for Draught or Burthen, or be easily supplied with Provisions, We have therefore thought fit, and do by this Our Royal Proclamation, by the Advice of Our Privy Council, strictly Charge and Command the Warden of the Cinque Ports, his Lieutenants, Deputy or Deputies, and all every the Lieutenants and Deputy Lieutenants of Our Counties, and all Sheriffs, Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Bailiffs, and all and every other Officers and Ministers, Civil and Military, within their respective Counties, Cities, Towns and Divisions, that they cause the Coasts to be carefully watched, and upon the first Approach of the Enemy, immediately to cause all Horses, Oxen and Cattle, which may be fit for Draught or Burthen, and not actually employed in Our Service, or in the Defence of the Country, and also (as far as may be practicable) all other Cattle and Provisions, to be driven and removed to some Place of Security, and to such a Distance from the Place where the Enemy shall attempt, or appear to intend to land, so as they may not fall into the Hands or Power of any of our Enemies; wherein, nevertheless, it is Our Will and Pleasure, that the respective Owners thereof may suffer as little Damage, Loss or Inconvenience as may be consistent with the Publick Safety: And We do hereby further strictly Charge and Command all Our Subjects to be aiding and assisting in the Execution of this Our Royal Command. Given at Our Court at St. James's the Ninth Day of July, One thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine, in the Nineteenth Year of Our Reign.

GOD Save the KING.

AT the Court at St. James's, the 9th of July, 1779,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HIS Majesty having been pleased to appoint his Grace Charles Duke of Rutland to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester; his Grace this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

[Price Seven Pence.

St. James's, July 10.

The following Addresses having been transmitted to the Lord Viscount Weymouth, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, have been presented to His Majesty: Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, Inhabitants of the City of Edinburgh, most humbly beg Leave to address your Majesty, and to express our Concern and Indignation at the unjust and hostile Intentions of the Court of Spain, declared in the Paper delivered by the Spanish Ambassador to One of your Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Since neither your Majesty's known Love of Peace, the greatest of all Public Blessings, nor the exemplary Justice, Honour and good Faith of your Majesty's Conduct, with regard to all Foreign Princes and States, has been able to protect your Majesty's Crown and Dominions from this most unjust and unprovoked Attack; we trust that, by wise and determined Councils, and by a vigorous Exertion of Arms, your Majesty will soon make both the French and Spanish Branches of the House of Bourbon repent of their Rashness and Injustice.

In this well-founded Confidence, we beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we will, as in Duty bound, with the most steady Fidelity and Resolution, and, at the Hazard and Expence of our Lives and Fortunes, most cheerfully stand by and support your Majesty against this and every other hostile Attempt of your Enemies.

Edinburgh, June 29, 1779.

[Signed with 168 Names.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Provost, Magistrates and Common Council of the City of Glasgow.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Provost, Magistrates and Common Council of this City, animated with the warmest Sentiments of Gratitude and Fidelity to the best of Kings, beg Leave to approach your Throne with Acknowledgments of our unfeigned Thanks for the constant Endeavours your Majesty has invariably used for preserving to your Subjects the Blessings of Liberty, Peace and Commerce.

We cannot without Detestation behold the unprovoked Attempts of another Branch of the House of Bourbon to disturb the Tranquility of your Majesty's Reign; and with Sentiments full of that Zeal and Affection to your Majesty's Person and Government, which has ever distinguished the Inhabitants of this City, beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we are ready to devote our Lives and Fortunes to

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