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St James's, July 29.

YESTERDAY the Right Honorable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council of the City of London, waited upon His Majesty, (being introduced by the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household) with the following Address, which was read by Thomas Nugent, Esq; the Common Serjeant.

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 most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lord-Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common-Council assembled, beg your Majesty's Permission humbly to approach the Throne; to express our Detestation and Abhorrence of those dreadful Acts of Violence and Outrage, which have lately been committed by a Set of abandoned and desperate Men, who, in the Prosecution of their wicked Purpose, assembled in such Numbers as to overwhelm all Civil Authority, and render the Exertions of the Magistrates ineffectual.

Thus circumstanced, nothing less than that armed Force, with the Direction of which your Majesty is constitutionally entrusted, could have rescued us from the Horrors with which we were surrounded; that Force your Majesty in your great Goodness was most graciously pleased to send to our Protection; and by it's happy Interposition our Properties have been secured from further Depredation, and Peace and Tranquility again restored. — For this your Majesty's paternal Care shewn to your ancient and loyal City of London, we beg to present our most sincere and grateful Thanks; and at the same we assure your Majesty, that every Event which can possibly add to the Happiness of any Branch of your August Family, or give additional Luitre and Dignity to your Crown, will ever be received by us with the most heart-felt Satisfaction.

Signed by Order of Court,
WILLIAM RIX.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following Most Gracious Answer.

I THANK you for this dutiful and loyal Address. Your Detestation of the late Rebellious Tumults, and the Gratitude you express for the Measures taken to suppress them, and to restore the Public Tranquility, are highly agreeable to Me.

My Concern for the Welfare and Prosperity of the Great Metropolis of My Kingdom, makes Me feel a particular Satisfaction in the Prevention of that Destruction that threatened your Properties, and in the Re-establishment of legal Order, under which alone they can be secured.

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

KENNETH T. Mayor.

A Common-Council holden in the Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Monday the 24th Day of July, 1780;

RESOLVED unanimously, That the Clerks of this Court be given to the Officers and Privates who have done Duty in this City, for their exemplary Conduct and strict Attention to Military Discipline during the late alarming Riots.

RIX.

The following Address of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Southampton having been transmitted by Thomas South, Esq; High Sheriff of the said County, to the Earl of Hillsborough, 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.

May it please your Majesty;

WE, the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Southampton, assembled at the Castle at Winchester, for the Assizes held this Day the 25th of July, 1780, beg Leave to offer to your Majesty our most sincere and loyal Congratulations on the Suppression of the late dangerous Tumults and Insurrections, by a necessary and efficacious Execution of the Military in Aid of the Civil Power.

The Horror with which we regarded these alarming Proceedings of a violent and lawless Rabble; was augmented by the shameful Pretence which they set up of Zeal for the Protestant Religion. We are fully persuaded that your Majesty has nothing more at Heart than to support, as the Bulwark of the Protestant Interest, the Church of England as by Law established: And we hope that all such of your Majesty's Subjects as may have been seduced by the Insinuations of evil-designing Men, are now so far recovered from their Delusion, as to distinguish between Levelling Principles, and Principles of True Religion.

While we lament the Necessity of that Severity which the Sufferings of Individuals and the Public Safety have most justly called for, permit us; at the same Time, to assure your Majesty, that such diabolical Attempts to destroy the Credit and Consequence of the Nation, and such wanton Violation of the Property of Individuals, will never have any other Effect on our Minds, than to incite in us a Spirit of resolute Unanimity to confound and extirpate all future Hopes of the open or secret Abettors of such Proceedings, which tend to the Subversion of all good Order and Government, and to draw down Ruin on our Country.

[Signed by Thomas South, Esq; High Sheriff, and the Grand Jury.]

The following Address of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Berks having been transmitted by the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the said County to the Earl of Hillsborough, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been