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AT the Court at St. James's, the 9th of April, 1783.

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**T**HIS Day the Right Honourable Charles Greville, Treasurer of His Majesty's Household, was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

His Majesty having constituted the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord Chief Justice of His Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, Sir William Henry Ashurst, One of the Justices of His Majesty's Court of King's Bench, and Sir Beaumont Hotham, One of the Barons of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer, Lords Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal, was this Day pleased in Council to deliver to them the Great Seal of Great Britain; and the said Lords Commissioners did thereupon take the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy, and also the Oath as Lords Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal.

*St. James's, April 9.*

This Day his Grace the Duke of Manchester had the Honour to kiss the King's Hand on being appointed His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Most Christian King.

*St. James's, April 11.*

This Day George Maddison, Esq; had the Honour to kiss the King's Hand, on being appointed His Majesty's Secretary of Embassy to the Most Christian King.

*St. James's, April 11.*

The King has been pleased to grant to the Right Honourable Lord Foley and to the Right Honourable Henry Frederick Carteret the Office of Postmaster-General.

*St. James's, April 12.*

The King has been pleased to appoint the Earl of Dartmouth to be Lord Steward of His Majesty's Household.

The King has also been pleased to appoint the Earl of Hertford to be Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household:

And the Honourable Charles Greville to be Treasurer of His Majesty's Household.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Earl Cholmondeley to be Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard.

*Whitehall, April 9.*

The King has been pleased to order Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the Kingdom of Ireland, for granting to the Earl of Shannon, the Right Honourable Charles Spencer, commonly called Lord Charles Spencer, and the Right Honourable William Eden, the Office of Vice-Treasurer of the Kingdom of Ireland.

*Whitehall, April 12.*

The King has been pleased to grant to the Lord Viscount Townshend the Office of Master-General of the Ordnance.

Also to grant to Henry Strachey, Esq; the Office or Place of Keeper of His Majesty's Stores, Ordnance and Ammunition of War:

And to William Adam, Esq; the Office of Treasurer and Paymaster of His Majesty's Ordnance.

The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Fitzpatrick to be His Majesty's Secretary at War.

The King has been pleased to appoint Henry Duncan, Esq; to be one of the Commissioners, in Quality of a Principal Officer of His Majesty's Navy, in the Room of Sir Andrew Snape Hammond, Knt.

*St. James's, April 12.*

The following Address of the Keys of Mann, has been presented to the King by John Taubman, Esq; Speaker of the House of Keys of the said Island, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Keys of Mann.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Keys of Mann, the Representatives of the People, are happy to embrace this Opportunity of laying ourselves at the Foot of the Throne to offer our most respectful Congratulations to your Majesty on the Restoration of the Blessings of Peace, which we humbly hope may prove permanent, and that every Part of the Empire may feel and partake of its salutary and happy Effects.

While we beg Leave to express to your Majesty our inviolable Attachment and Loyalty to your Sacred Person, Family, and Government, we at the same Time humbly desire to make our warmest and most dutiful Acknowledgments for the very seasonable Protection most graciously afforded to us by the establishing the Corps of Fencibles in this Isle, under the Direction and Command of our resident Governor, the real Advantages of which we have most sensibly experienced. And permit us with all Deference and Respect to assure your Majesty, that we shall ever retain a just Sense and grateful Remembrance of this Mark of Royal Favor and Indulgence amongst the many other Blessings we enjoy under the benign Influence of your Majesty's Government, which we have every Reason to hope, and do most earnestly pray, may be long, prosperous, and happy.

By Order of the House,

*John Taubman, Speaker.*

*House of Keys,*

*March 28, 1783.*

The following Address of the Bailiffs and Burgeses of the Borough of Bridport has been presented to the King by Thomas Scott, Esq; One of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Bailiffs and Burgeses of the antient Borough of Bridport.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E, your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiffs and Burgeses of the antient Borough of Bridport, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg Leave to present to your Majesty our most unfeigned Acknowledgements for the Restoration of that inestimable Blessing Peace; and we reflect with Gratitude on the Regard and Attention