

not of receiving the true Reward of our Services, in the Approbation of our Sovereign, and in the Gratitude of our Fellow-Subjects.

We reflect with true Pride and Satisfaction upon the solid Advantages which have been obtained for this Country within a very short Period. We are aware of the Situation of the Empire, and the peculiar Circumstances which have prevented the Adjustment of some Points, which concern our Trade and Manufactures, and we rely upon the Readiness of your Grace's liberal and benevolent Assistance for the Furberance of such practicable Measures as deliberate Wisdom and generous Policy may adapt to our real Necessities and general Interests.

As Guardians of the Rights and Safety of our Fellow Subjects, as well as Assertors of the National Honor, we have felt ourselves called upon to express our Abhorrence of Tumult and of Seditious Publications. Zealous to uphold the true Spirit of the Constitution, we have made it the Object of our Unanimous Resolution to defend it's genuine Liberty against the Attacks of Licentiousness.

We have not suffered to escape our grateful Observation the early Anxiety which your Grace manifested to remove every Apprehension of Party Prejudices or partial Changes in the Councils or Measures of Government. We feel and acknowledge the Benefits arising from such a Principle. We have studied to shew a sincere Disposition to confirm them by a liberal Imitation; and we shall be zealous to concur in diffusing throughout every Part of the Kingdom the successful Influence of so happy an Example. Convinced as we are of the Importance to this Kingdom of a steady and permanent Administration, it is our ardent Wish that His Majesty may long continue your Grace in the Government of Ireland.

Tho. Ellis, Cler. Parl. Dom. Com.

His Grace's Answer.

THIS affectionate Mark of the Esteem and good Opinion of the House of Commons impresses me with the strongest Feelings of lively Gratitude. I return you my sincere Thanks. I can never relax either in my Zeal or my Endeavours for the Prosperity of Ireland, which, in Addition to the Commands of my Sovereign, I have the Encouragement of your Assistance, and the Assurance of your Approbation.

Dublin Castle, May 14.

THIS Day his Grace the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the House of Peers, with the usual Solemnity, and the Commons being sent for, gave the Royal Assent to the following Bills, viz.

An Act for establishing a Post Office within this Kingdom.

An Act for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, a further additional Duty on imported Hops, and other Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for regulating the Corn Trade, promoting Agriculture, and providing a regular and steady Supply of Corn in this Kingdom; and for granting to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the Duties therein mentioned.

An Act for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars, and for the Encouragement of English Protestant Schools.

An Act for continuing and amending An Act passed in the Twenty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the Improvement of the City of Dublin, by making wide and convenient Passages through the same, and for regulating the Coal Trade thereof; and for other Purposes.

An Act for vesting the Lands of Knockroe, and other Lands in the County of Waterford, in His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to the Uses therein expressed, and for other Purposes.

An Act for facilitating the Trade and Intercourse between this Kingdom and the United States of America, and for furthering the said Trade and Intercourse.

An Act for discharging certain Arrears of Quit, Crown, and Composition Rents, which have been growing due for Twenty Years last past, on the Terms and in the Manner therein mentioned.

An Act for the building and erecting a new and convenient Gaol and Marshalsea in the City of Limerick, for the County and County of the City of Limerick;

and to enable certain Trustees or Commissioners, therein named, to purchase Ground whereon to erect and build the same.

An Act for amending an Act for badging such Poor as shall be found unable to support themselves by Labour, and otherwise providing for them; and for restraining such as shall be found able to support themselves by Labour or Industry from begging; and to extend the Provisions thereof.

An Act for extending the Provisions of an Act, passed in this Kingdom, in the 19th and 20th Years of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for Naturalizing such Foreign Merchants, Traders, Artificers, Artizans, Manufacturers, Workmen, Seamen, Farmers, and others, as shall settle in this Kingdom.

An Act for the Amendment of the Law in Relation to the Salvage of Ships and Goods stranded, or in Danger of perishing at Sea.

An Act for continuing and amending several Laws relating to His Majesty's Revenue, and for the more effectually preventing of Frauds therein.

An Act for the Appointment and more easy Recovery of Quit-Rents in certain Cases.

An Act for the more effectually punishing such Persons as shall, by Violence, obstruct the Freedom of Corn Markets and the Corn Trade, or who shall be guilty of other Offences therein mentioned, and for making Satisfaction to the Parties injured.

An Act for ascertaining the Qualification of such Persons as shall take out Commissions of the Peace for Counties at large.

An Act for regulating the Import of Cinamon, Cloves, Mace, and Nutmegs; and for the better collecting the Duties thereon.

An Act to prevent the pernicious Practice of erecting Glass Houses within the City of Dublin, or a certain Distance thereof.

An Act to amend the Laws for the Encouragement of planting Timber Trees.

An Act for the Relief of Prisoners charged with Felony, or other Crimes; who shall be acquitted; or discharged by Proclamation, respecting their Fees; and for giving a Recompence for such Fees.

An Act for the Protection and Improvement of the Inland Fisheries of this Kingdom.

An Act to further amend and explain an Act made in the 12th Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the making of narrow Roads through the mountainous unimproved Parts of this Kingdom; and also an Act made in the 17th and 18th Years of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act to amend an Act passed in the 13th and 14th Years of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for amending the public Roads.

An Act to regulate the Assay of Gold, and promote the Manufacture of Gold and Silver Wares in this Kingdom.

An Act for the more effectually amending and repairing the Road from the Town of Dundalk in the County of Louth, to Bann Bridge in the County of Down; and for the better securing the Debts which are now due to the Creditors of the said Road.

An Act for the further promoting the Linen and Hempen Manufactures.

An Act for indemnifying such Person or Persons as have acted for the Service of the Publick in advising or carrying into Execution a Proclamation of the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council of this Kingdom, bearing Date the 27th Day of January, 1784.

An Act for the more effectual Discovery and Prosecution of Offenders called Houghers, and for the Support and Maintenance of Soldiers or others, wounded, maimed and disabled by such Offenders.

An Act for the buying and selling of Malt by Measure; and for the more effectually preventing the Frauds committed in the buying, selling, and delivering thereof.

An Act for altering, amending, and rendering more effectual the Laws now in being for regulating and managing the public Goals and Prisons throughout this Kingdom.

An Act for the more easy Discovery and effectual Punishment of Buyers and Receivers of Stolen Goods.

An Act for more effectually preventing the counterfeiting the Current Coin of this Kingdom, and the uttering or paying of false or counterfeit Coin.

An Act for making appropriate Parishes belonging to Archbishops and Bishops perpetual Cures; and the better to enable such Archbishops and Bishops to endow and