

Joy and Congratulation on the Failure of the late Attempt, from which your Majesty's Life was in so much Danger.

May Divine Providence continue to watch over a Life of so much Importance to the Prosperity of these Kingdoms; and may that melancholy Period be very remote, when your People will have to lament the Loss of so bright an Exemplar of public and private Virtue, the Father of his Country, and the wakeful Guardian of its Interests, Laws and Liberty.

[Signed by 149 Persons.]

The following Address of the Mayor, Jurats and Commonalty, of the Town and Port of Hastings, has been presented to the King by Edward Milward, Mayor, and John Dawes, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Town, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Jurats, and Commonalty of the Town and Port of Hastings, in Common Hall assembled, beg Leave to approach your Royal Presence, with sincere Congratulations on your Majesty's happy Escape from the Hand of an Assassin.

Truly sensible of the Blessings we enjoy, under the Protection of a most Gracious Sovereign, we cannot omit to express our greatest Abhorrence at every Attempt, however ineffectual, to deprive us of so inestimable a Life. But while we reflect, with Horror and Detestation, on the dreadful Attempt, we derive some Consolation from a firm Belief, that it was not the premeditated Act of blind Enthusiasm, but the feeble Effort of a wild Imagination.

We unite in Thanksgivings to the Almighty for this signal Instance of His Divine Goodness; and humbly pray, that He may grant your Majesty a long and prosperous Reign, in uninterrupted Peace and Tranquility.

Given under the Common Seal of this Corporation, the Twenty-third Day of August, 1786.

Edw. Milward, Mayor.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Borough of Wallingford, has been presented to the King by Sir Francis Sykes, Bart. one of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses and Inhabitants of your ancient Borough of Wallingford, beg Leave to approach your Majesty's Sacred Person with our unfeigned Congratulations on your Majesty's providential Escape from the late outrageous Attempt on a Life so justly dear to every Individual in your Majesty's extensive Dominions.

Happy for us, happy for all our Fellow Subjects, the frantick Attempt, which tended to involve the whole Nation in Confusion, was rendered abortive: And it is our earnest Wish, that the Divine Providence, who guarded your Majesty's Sacred Person in

that dangerous Moment, may continue its Protection to a very remote Period, that the Blessings of your Majesty's mild and auspicious Government may long be enjoyed by us, and happily transmitted by your Descendants to the latest Posterity.

[Signed by 108 Persons.]

The following Address of the Bailiffs and Burgesses 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 Bedchamber 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 Burgesses of the ancient Borough of Bridport, in the County of Dorset.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful Subjects, the Bailiffs and Burgesses of the said Borough of Bridport, in Common Council assembled, humbly beg Leave to present to your Majesty our unfeigned Congratulations on the happy Escape from an horrid Attempt lately made on your Majesty's truly valuable Life.

May that same kind Providence, which has hitherto protected your Majesty, long continue to be your Shield.

With Humility we embrace this Opportunity of testifying our warmest Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government; and that your Majesty may prosperously reign over a brave, free and united People, to a very remote Period, is our most sincere and fervent Prayer.

Given under the Common Seal of our Corporation, the Twenty-first Day of August, in the Twenty-sixth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Capital Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Borough of Truro, has been presented to the King by Lieutenant-Colonel M'Carmick, one of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Capital Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Borough of Truro, in the County of Cornwall, beg Leave to approach your Royal Person with our warmest Congratulations on the late Interposition of Providence in frustrating the impious Attempt of a dangerous Assassin.

When we reflect on the many important Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's benign and auspicious Government, we are convinced Madness alone could dictate an Attempt so horrid and sacrilegious.

We come forward with infinite Joy to testify our Loyalty and Attachment to your Majesty's Person, Family and Government; and we earnestly pray that the Almighty may long, very long preserve your Majesty's Life as an inestimable Blessing to so many Millions of faithful and affectionate Subjects.

[Signed by 118 Persons.]