

Towns and Neighbourhood, feel animated by the most zealous Ardour and warmest Sense of Duty and Affection to your Majesty and our Country, and that we will cheerfully contribute and exert our utmost Efforts to protect your Majesty's Sacred Person and August Family, and defend our present happy Constitution.

That a continued Series of Victory may accompany your Fleets and Armies, and Success attend your Councils, (as it has hitherto done,) so that our insolent, sanguinary, and imperious Foe be humbled, and the Blessings of Peace speedily restored to your Majesty's Dominions, is the ardent Prayer of your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

Signed by 2500 Inhabitants.

[Presented by Daniel Garrett, Esq; and the following Deputation, Elias Arnaud, George Poore, Harry Gibbs, Andrew Lindegreen, Moses Greetham, William Grant, William Deacon, John Hickley, and William Garrett, Esquires, accompanied by William Chute, Esq; one of the Representatives in Parliament for the County of Southampton.]

St. James's, November 13, 1798.

THE following Address having been transmitted to the Duke of Portland, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been by his Grace presented to the King; which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Alderman, and Chief Burgesses of the Borough of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in Common-Hall assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's ever loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Chief Burgesses of your antient Borough of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, with all Humility beg Leave to approach your Majesty's Throne, offering up our warmest Congratulations on the very decisive and glorious Victory lately obtained by your Majesty's Fleet under the Command of Rear-Admiral Lord Nelson, off the Nile, over a superior Fleet of an ambitious, cruel, and implacable Enemy, to whose entire Defeat the surrounding Countries testified their cordial Joy, by their exultant Acclamations.

The great, splendid, and repeated Victories obtained by your Majesty's Fleets, under the Almighty Protection, during this War, so manifestly evince the Wisdom of your Majesty's Counsels, ably and heroically carried into Execution, by the gallant and uncommon Efforts of your Majesty's faithful Subjects, that we rely with implicit Confidence, they will tend to procure to these Kingdoms an honorable Peace, and shew to the European World, that the Energy of the British Nation has conspicuously contributed to restore to them the returning Blessings of good Order and regular Government.

Given under our Common Seal, the Thirtieth of October One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-eight.

[Transmitted by Henry Wortley, Esq; Mayor of Newport.]

Whitehall, November 12, 1798

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that about Half past Six o'Clock in the Evening of Tuesday the 6th Instant, George Edmund Shuttleworth, Son of John Shuttleworth, of Sun-Tavern Fields; in the County of Middlesex, Esq; was forcibly seized by Two or more Men in Back-Lane, near the Turnpike-Gate, in the Parish of St. George in the East, who, after having blindfolded and gagged him, dragged him to a Place called Botany-Bay; near the New Road, where with the most horrid Imprecations they forced him into a Hackney-Coach, threatening to blow out his Brains if he made the least Noise or Resistance; that One of the Men got into the Coach with him the said George Edmund Shuttleworth; and that the other, as he imagines, rode upon the Box with the Coachman: that after having gone on a considerable Time, the Coach stopped, as it is supposed, in or near Chick-Lane, now called West-Street, West Smithfield, from whence the said George Edmund Shuttleworth was conducted through some Alleys or Passages, and put into a private Room, set upon a Chair, and informed, that if he stirred, made the least Noise, or attempted to take the Bandage from his Eyes, or the Gag from his Mouth, he would be done for: that after keeping him in this Situation for Forty-eight Hours without any Sustenance, except a small Piece of Bread, and taking from him all his Money, (except Three Shillings,) they conveyed him through several Windings into West-Smithfield aforesaid, where they disengaged him the said George Edmund Shuttleworth, saying "he might go and be damned, for he was not the Person they wanted."

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the atrocious Felony abovementioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein; so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And as a further Encouragement the Sum of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by us, Ward, Dennetts, and Greaves.

Admiralty-Office, October 19, 1798.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol-Delivery for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice-Hall, in the Old Bailey, London, on Thursday the 29th Day of November next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Evan Nepean.

London, November 5, 1798.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Account of Sales of the Salvage of the American Ship Eliza, recaptured, and of the Bounty-Money of the Triton French Privateer, captured by His Majesty's Ship Melpomene, will be delivered into the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

John Druce, of London, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Alfred, who were actually on board at the Capture of Two Spanish Brigs, on the 20th of November, 1796, that they will be paid their respective Proportions of the Net Proceeds of said Prizes by Messrs. Poulain and Keys, Salters-Hall.