

for your Majesty; and tho we have no reason to think it is in the least suspected, yet we know not but that our repeated Vows of Fidelity, and Duty, may be as grateful to our Dread Sovereign, as to His Subjects it is delightful to hear his frequent Promises, solemnly made of preserving our Religion, Liberty, and Property; however, this will serve to convince the World, that we are not unreasonable Petitioners, or joyn with that Herd that call their own subtle Contrivances *Vex Populi*, and in time (if they shall succeed) will be apt as much to miscall it *Vex Dei*: Our Debates are calme and honest, our Resolutions faithful, our Loyalty unshaken: for Your Majesty, we preserve our Fortunes, and Lives, and for Your Majesty (if we ever are call'd to it) will sacrifice both and dye,

Your Majesties most Obedient, most Loyal, and Humble Subjects and Servants.

This Address was cheerfully and voluntarily Signed by 59 Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and Officers of the Militia; no Person whoever saw it, or to whom it was read, regretting or refusing to Sign it, except one.

### Dread SOVEREIGN,

**W**E Your Majesties most Truly, Loyal, and Obedient Subjects, Inhabitants of Your antient City of *Windsor*, and the Liberties thereof, do conceive it our bounden Duty gratefully to acknowledge the Justice, Wisdom, and Clemency exercised in Your Government over us, ever since Your Majesties happy Restauration: And we do humbly beg leave to render our most hearty Thanks for the manifold benefits, we and the whole Kingdom have enjoyed in Your Majesties constant promoting and securing, both at home and abroad, the Trade and Commerce of this Nation; and for preserving to us our Liberties, Properties, and the true Protestant Religion by Law established; and particularly, for Your Majesties most seasonable Declaration, in which You are pleased to Express Your Gracious Resolution of having frequent Parliaments; and both in and out of Parliament, to use Your utmost endeavours to extirpate Popery, and to redress all the Grievances of Your good Subjects, and in all things to Govern according to the Laws of the Kingdom. In Gratitude for all these, and many other Your Majesties Princely Favours vouchsafed to us, we do firmly and unanimously promise to endeavour, with our Lives and Fortunes, the preservation of Your Majesties Sacred Person, Your Heirs, and lawful Successors, Your Royal Authority, and Your Majesties Government as now established by Law, both in Church and State, against all opposers whatsoever.

Signed by some thousands.

### May it please Your Sacred Majesty,

**W**E Your Majesties most Loyal and Faithful Subjects in Your Town of *Northampton*, having received many singular Marks and Testimonies of Your Grace and Bounty to us, more particularly in Rebuilding Your said Town, and raising it out of the Ashes of a most dreadful conflagration, to become one of the fairest Towns of Your Kingdom. And being highly sensible of those many Obligations and dutiful Acknowledgments which we can never enough owe to Your Majesty. When we (by Your Majesties late Gracious Declaration) found added to Your Grace and Favour, those great assurances Your Majesty has been pleased to give the World and us, of the great care Your Majesty hath of us, and all Your People, to preserve and Govern us under Your happy and peaceable Reign, which Your Majesty has so justly and successfully done, ever since Your happy Restauration. And that your Majesty will still Rule us according to the Laws, as they are now established both in Church and State: we laboured to have made an early Address to your Majesty in an unanimous Consent of the whole Town, to have paid our Humble and Hearty Thanks to your Sacred Majesty for those Royal Favours and Gracious Declaration; but this our Duty being so long neglected by some, we hope it will not yet be unacceptable to your Majesty, to receive the most humble and hearty Thanks of your Majesties Loyal Subjects here, for your unpeakeable Grace and Clemency to us; for which we are in Duty bound, and will now and at all times defend your Majesties Sacred Person, your Heirs and lawful Successors, and the Government as it is now established by Law, with the utmost of our Lives and Fortunes. Signed by about 350 Persons.

Several other Addresses have been Presented to His Majesty, as from Brecon, Aylsbury, Ipswich, Newport in the County of Monmouth Maidstone, Chipping-Sudbury, and Borough of Weobley in the County of Hereford, which for want of room could not be inserted.

*Portsmouth, July 7.* Yesterday in the afternoon sailed out of this Harbor the *Guernsey* Frigate, Capt. Tenment Commander.

*Whitchal, July 8.* This day Mr. *Edw. Whinaker* was Apprehended and Committed prisoner to the Tower for High Treason, in compassing and imagining the Death and Destruction of our Sovereign Lord the King, and in attempting to Depose him from His Royal Crown and Dignity.

*London, July 6.* At the Sessions in London the 4th Instant, *S. P. Goldsmith*, had a Fine of 10*l.* laid on him, for making and selling a Silver Hilt of a Sword as *Sterling*, it being 1*s.* 3*d.* in every Ounce worse than the *Sterling*; part of the Fine is ordered by the Court to the Prosecutor for his Charges; And to encourage the prosecution of such Offenders, the 28th of June last past the Master and Wardens of the Company of Cutlers, seized in a Goldsmiths Shop in *Holborn*, five Silver-Hilted Swords, the Hilts of which are found upon the Tryal, more then one Shilling in every Ounce worse than the *Sterling*: And before in the same Shop, seized twenty five Silver-Hilted Swords, the Hilts upon the Tryal were found about 2*s.* 6*d.* in every Ounce worse than the *Sterling*: and several Indictments are designed to be prosecuted against him. This is to give notice, that all persons cheated by such Wares, and producing good and steady Evidence to Mr. *Henry Panton*, Sword-Cutler in *Middle-row* in *Holborn*, shall be assisted gratis, to obtain recompence of the Offender.

**H**is Majesty resolving that the Nobility and Gentry of this His Realm, should be preserved in every Degree in Honor and Worship, did by His Letters Patents, dated the 24th of June 1680. appoint Sir *Henry St. George, Kt. Clarenceux King of Arms*, by himself or his Deputies, to visit the South part of the Kingdom, and to Register the Pedigrees and Arms of all the Nobility and Gentry therein, according to the ancient Laws and practice of Arms. In pursuance whereof, the said *Clarenceux hath constituted Francis Burghil, Esq;* *Somerfet Herald*, and *Gregory King, Rouge-dragon, Officers of Arms, his Deputies for the Counties of Northampton and Rutland, who will begin their said Visitation at Northampton, on Wednesday the 13th Instant, and thence proceed through the several Hundreds in those two Counties.*

### Advertisements.

**S**tolen or strayed from the *Black Horse at Charing-Cross*, a young white Spaniel Dog, with several Black spots about him, Black Ears, a Motly Nose, Motly on his Fore Legs, a white Tail, and a Black spot upon his Rump near his Tail; Whoever can give notice of the aforesaid Dog, at the *Black Horse at Charing-Cross*, shall have 20*s.* reward.

**L**ost on Thursday the 7th Instant, between *Arlington House* and *Windsor*, a Water-Spaniel Bitch of his Graces the Duke of *Grafton*, she is most part White, with some large Black spots, and the most part of her Head Black, shaped like a Bull-Bitch, her Tail short, she has a Brass Coller with his Graces Name on it. Whosover shall bring her, or give notice of her, at his Graces Lodgings in *Windsor*, or at *Arlington House* near *St. James's Park*, shall be well rewarded.

**L**ost the 14th of June last, between *Bishop-Stafford* and *London*, a small Portmanteau, unlock'd, tied about with a small Cord having in it several loose written Papers, a fowl Shift, three Paper-Books in *Quarto*, Bound, in which Books several Sermons are written in a fair legible Hand. Whoever shall give notice of the same to the Cryer of the City of *London*, living near *Cripplegate*, or to Mr. *John Reynolds* at the *Gold & Silver in the Old Ferry, London*, so that it may be had again, shall have 40*s.* reward.

**S**tolen or strayed the 9th Instant from Mr. *Henry Southey* of *Maiden-head* in the County of *Berks*, a Brown Gelding about 15 hands high, a white Crease down his Face, one Wall Eye, a White Foot behind, a short Tail, marked with H. S. upon his fore-Hoofs. Whosover gives notice of the said Gelding to Mr. *Henry Southey* in *Maiden-head* aforesaid, or to Mr. *James Curv*, a Tobaccoist at the *Dodge* in *Wapping Street, London*, shall be very well rewarded.