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*Genova, July 2.*

**W**E have advize from *Thou'on*, that the Master of a French Ship which arrived there in 14 days from *Cadiz*, reported, That the day before her departure, there arrived an Advice Boat, which brought an account that the *Flota* would beat *Cadiz*, about the middle of *August*, which is very welcome news. From *Calabria* they write, That the French Squadron bound for *Tripoli*, was put in there.

*Vienna, July 6.* On Thursday last, Count *Oxenstjerne*, the Swedish Ambassador parted hence for *Neustadt*, from whence we have an account, that they were expecting an answer from Count *Teckeley*, to the Letter the Dyet had wrote to him; that in the mean time the Dyet had appointed Commissioners to examine the matters of Religion; and that the Emperor to gratifie those of the States, which are of the Reformed Religion, had permitted the Publick Exercise of it in one of the Suburbs of *Oedenburg*, and that besides, they might have Sermons in their own Houses.

*Hague, July 18.* From *Piermont* we have an account of a difficulty arisen between the Elector of *Brandenburg* and the Duke of *Zell*, concerning the first visit, the Elector pretending it belonged to him as being an Elector, and the Duke claiming it as the last comer. It is said that the Lading of the 12 *East-India* Ships that are expected home this year, cost the Company 440 thousand Pounds: seven of them are arrived upon the Coasts. The Prince of *Orange* is going for *England*.

*Paris, July 16.* Here are at present Deputies from the Elector of *Cologne*, and from the City of *Liege*, to sollicite our Kings assistance, in case things should come to extremities, as in all appearance they will, the Elector being very much incensed against those of *Liege*, and they not being at all disposed to make the submission he expects from them. This week an Express arrived in six days from *Rome*, and, as we are told, brought an account of the Pope's illness, which was the more taken notice of, for that at the same time another express arrived, being sent by the Archbishop of *Tbolouze*. From *Avignon* we have an account, That the Vice-Legat having refused to deliver, without an Order from the Pope, a French man (who having been a Farmer of some of the Kings Revenues and being in great Arrears, fled thither) several French Troops Posted themselves round that City, to hinder his escape, which had put the Inhabitants thereof into much fear and trouble. Besides the late Edict, by which the Protestants are forbid to send their Children to be bred in forreign Countries, and by which liberty is given to the Children of Protestants to change their Religion and become Papists at the age of seven years, we are told of other Edicts, that will be suddenly published, as severe as the former. The Duplication is much better, not

having had her Ague on the two last days it was expected.

*Edenburg, July 9.* The 4th Instant, His Majesties Commission constituting his Royal Highness his High Commissioner in this Kingdom, was delivered in Council to his Royal Highness by the Lord Chancellor upon his Knee. His Royal Highness received it likewise upon his Knee, and then took his Place in the King's Chair, and made a short Speech to the Council, wherein he told their Lordships: That His Majesty had Honoured him with many Commissions, but that he had received none with more Joy and Satisfaction than he did this; for that it gave him an Opportunity to shew the desire he had to serve this Kingdom, where he had found so much Duty and Loyalty to the King, and Affection and Respect to himself.

*Hampton Court, July 14.* An humble Address from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of *Carlisle*, with several other Addressees, were presented to his Majesty, which His Majesty received very Graciously.

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

*The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council, of the City of Carlisle.*

May it please Your most Sacred Majesty,

**W**E Your Majesties most Faithful and Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Council of Your Majesties Antient and ever Loyal City of *Carlisle*, having great reason to reflect with Joy, on those many Blessings we now possess under so Great and Gracious a Prince, and under so excellently a constituted Government; and that all the Benefits of it are so fully Secured to us by Your Majesties late Gracious Declaration, wherein You are pleased to assure us of your Majesties firm purpose to Preserve and Maintain the true Protestant Religion, as by Law established, to extirpate Popery, to Advise frequently with your people in Parliament; and in all things to Govern according to the known Laws of the Land: Do with all Humility, Duty, and Affection, render to your most Sacred Majesty, our most unfeigned Thanks, for so tenderly considering the Welfare of your People; and shall offer up to Almighty God our daily Prayers, for Your Majesties long and happy Reign over us; And with Hearts full of Duty and Loyalty, assure your Majesty, that with our Lives and Fortunes, we will ever be ready to defend Your Majesties most Sacred Person and Government, against all Attempts whatsoever. In testimony whereof, we have hereunto put our Hands, and caused our Common Seal to be affixed, the 4th day of *July*, in the thirty third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord, *Charles* the Second, by the Grace of God, of *England, Scotland, France, and Iland*, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. *Anno. Dni. 1681.*

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address of the Nobility, Gentry, and Clergy, and others the Freeholders of the North-Riding, of the County of York.*

Great SIR,

**W**E Your Majesties most Dutiful, Obedient, and Loyal Subjects, the Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders of the *North-Riding*, of the County of *York*, do with all possible Humility, beg Your Majesties Gracious Acceptance of these our most humble, hearty, and unfeigned Thanks, for every particular of Your Majesties most Gracious and reasonable Declaration. And that your Majesty will be Graciously assured, that we will always be most ready, as in Duty

and Conscience bound, to stand by Your Majesty in the Preservation of Your Sacred Person, your Heirs, and lawful Successors, and the Government in Church and State as it is now Established by Law, against all opposers whatsoever.

Signed by about 185.

### To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious and Dread Sovereign.

**W** E Your Majesties truly Loyal and Obedient Subjects, the Burgesses, Aldermen, Headburgesses, and other Freemen and Inhabitants of this Your antient Burrough of *Milton*, in the Court of *Essex*, met this day at a Quarter Sessions, held within the said Burrough, Having taken into our Consideration, Your Majesties late gracious Declaration, wherein Your Majesty is pleased to assure us of Your fixed and steady Resolutions, to maintain the true reformed Protestant Religion, as by Law established, to extirpate Popery, and to secure all your good Subjects from the Dangers and Mischances, they may justly fear are designed against your Sacred Majesty, and Loyal Subjects, by the malicious endeavours and evil contrivances, of those Disturbers of the Peace of Your Majesties Kingdoms, the Papists and their Adherents (as we may so call, we fear too truly) the insatuated Dissenters from the Church of *England*, and to Preserve and Protect us in the enjoyment of our Lives, Liberties, and Properties, according to the known Laws of the Land, not using Arbitrary Government your Self, nor permitting it in any others: As also your Majesties great and unparallel'd Condescension (notwithstanding the late unwarrantable Proceedings of some, and the bold licentious Applications of others) in making all your People privy to, and acquainted with the Means and Methods your Majesty hath with infinite Care and Diligence, and (God be thanked) with Success answerable thereto, Governed these your Dominions; Do with all due Reverence, prostrate our selves at your Majesties feet, and do pay you the humble Tribute of our hearty and unfeigned Thanks for the same. And do hereby testify to God and

the World, that we will with our Lives and Fortunes, defend and assist your Sacred Person, Your Heirs and lawful Successors, and the Government (as now established) both of Church and State, against all the Plots and Conspiracies of Your bold and restless Adversaries, as well Papists as others, of what Sect or Denomination soever. God Almighty bless and preserve Your Sacred Person, and grant You a long and a peaceable Reign over us. So prays Your Majesties most Loyal and most Obedient Subjects.

### To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

**W** E the Mayor, Recorder, Capital Magistrates, and others of Your Majesties ever Loyal Burrough, and Town of *Lisbon*, Parcel of your Majesties Inheritance of Your antient Dutchy of *Comwall*, do with unspeakable Joy bless God for the Miraculous preservation of Your Royal Person, from the manifold Plots and Conspiracies, contrived against your Sacred Person, and Government. And we do in all Humility, offer up unto Your Majesty our most hearty Thanks, with our Lives and Fortunes for your Princely Care, and Assistance, (of which no good Men ever doubted) in the maintenance of the true Protestant Religion, as now Established in this Nation, and for the future Government of this famous Hereditary Monarchy, according to the Fundamentall Laws thereof. And we do likewise thank Your Majesty, with all humility, for Your Majesties most Gracious Declaration, lately by your Royal Command published in all Places of this Nation, for the more full Satisfaction of all Loyal Subjects. And therefore we are resolved (by the blessing of God) as in Duty bound by all Laws, both Divine and Humane, according to the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance, by us taken, to defend Your Majesties sacred Person, and Government, with all Your Majesties just Rights and Prerogatives, against all Persons whatsoever, to the uttermost of our Power; and shall likewise ever pray for Your Majesties Health, Greatness, and Prosperity.

### To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of Your Majesties Town Burrough, and Corporation of *Launceston*, *St. Mary Magdalen*, and *St. James*, in your County of *Somerset*.

**W** E Your Majesties Humble, Loyal, and Obedient Subjects, having taken notice at Your Majesties Gracious Declaration; Wherein your Majesty is pleased to assure

us that the Law shall be Your Guide. So that we have no need to Doubt, but the now Established Government shall continue both in Church, and State; Whereby the Cruelty of *Rome*, with those like Disturbers, the Noths of the State, and the Enemies to your Gracious Goodness, shall receive their Contrived Punishment: We do in all humility render our unfeigned Thanks, blessing the King of Heaven for such a Election, in preserving to good a Prince as your most Royal Majesty; by whose happy Restauration we have received the benefit of Peace and Profit. Notwithstanding the Malice of those who are your and our Enemies, we are resolved that we shall be ready to make our Loyalty appear, for the preservation of Your Majesties Life, and Prerogatives, with our Lives and Fortunes. God grant Your Majesty a long and prosperous Reign, and that your Enemies have no power to hurt You, is the Prayer of your Majesties Loyal, and Obedient Subjects.

*Falmouth*, July 11. By a Vessel from the *Barbadoes*, we have advice, That Sir *Richard Dutton* their Governor, had been received there with great Kindness and Respect; and that that Island was in a very flourishing condition.

*Wilmington*, July 12. The *Assurance* Frigate came in here Yesterday from Cruising, and soon after sailed again for *Portsmouth*. The *Phoenix*, and the *Sweepstakes*, are now in this Port.

*Portsmouth*, June 14. Yesterday in the Afternoon, came to an Anchor at *Spithead*, His Majesties Ship the *Assurance*.

*Oxford*, July 15. At the Assizes held here, an Indictment of high Treason having been presented against Mr. *Stephen Colledge*, the Grand Jury, who were all Gentlemen of Quality, brought it in *Bill Vere*.

**M**R. John Bennet, having on the 20th of June last, taken away by Force, against her Consent, *Mrs. Grace Bennet*, Daughter of *Simon Bennet*, of *Camerton*, in the County of *Bucks*, Esq. who ever gives Notice to Mr. *Ralph Lee*, Merchant, over against Merchant-Taylors-Hall, or to Mr. *Benjamin Hinton*, Goldsmith in *Lombard-street*, so as that she be restored into her Parents hands, shall have a hundred Guineas reward.

**A**LL Persons are desired to take Notice, That whereas divers Names that were lost or burnt in the late Fire in the Temple, remain uningrossed for want of bringing in the Chirographs, or exemplifications thereof; and the time for doing the same by the late Act of Parliament is almost expired. There is now published a Printed List of all such Fires as remain uningrossed, to the intent, that thereby the Parties concerned may be timely advertised of their danger, and receive the benefit of the said Act for saving their Inheritance; And some of the said Lists will be delivered to the Clerks of the Assizes before this Circuit, to the intent that all Attorneys and others that desire it, may have true information thereof.

The Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer, have Money in Bank to pay to Number 866 Inclusive, of the Orders Registered on the Second Act for Disbanding the Army.

### Advertisements.

The *Present State of London*: Or, Memorials comprehending a full Account of the Antient and Modern State thereof. By *Thomas Delorme*, Gent. and are to be sold at the *Role and Crown*; and the *Seven Stars* in *Swobing-Alley*, near the *Royal Exchange*, in *Corinth*. Price 2 s. 6 d.

Taken from the Rails in *Smithfield*, the 15th Instant, a Geely Store Horse, 7 years old, a Knot under his Jaw, and under his fore Nostril; a little barren in his Fore-feet, with a *Plum*, *Saddle*, and *Bit-Bridle*: Whoever gives notice thereof to *John Knapp*, at the *Royal Oak Horse-Courser* in *St. Andrews-street* near *St. Dunstons*, shall be sufficiently rewarded.