

strip of that Holy League which the French Papists heretofore framed against their King, and plunged that Nation into a Sea of Blood. This confirms to us what we have long believed, that Eng^lish Phanatics are inspired by Popish Enslarvies: And that these Enslarvies to our Peace, can assume all shapes in order to our Ruine; which since open Plots and Conspiracies cannot compass, secret Machinations shall bring to pass; and doth fully convince us that the Church of England is the strongest Bulwark against Popery: And that the Loyal Obedient Sorts of it are the best Protestants; though by way of distinction they do not call themselves the only true ones. And since our Subject is of Association, we hope it may be allowed us to declare our Union, That we are fully resolved with our Lives and Fortunes to defend Your Majesties Sacred Person, and that we will never obey any Orders or Directions, but what Loyalty and the Laws of the Land oblige us to follow, from our Hearts abhorring the thoughts of submitting our selves to any Dictates which shall not be authorized by Royal Sanction. That God will long preserve Your Majesty to all our Comforts and Security, and continue the Crown in its due Course of Succession, is the hearty Prayer of Your most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

We the said Sirs, High Steward, Justices of the Peace, Magistrates, Sheriff, Town-Clerk, and others of the said City and County of Leitchfield, do unanimously Concur with the Grand Jury in this Address, and Humbly desire your Majesties Gracious Acceptance of the same; as Testimony whereof we have affixed our Common Seals, the Day and Year above written.

The Humble Address of the Grand Jury of the Burrough of Tamworth, presented to the Bayliffs, High-Steward, Recorder, and the rest of the Magistrates, at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace for the said Burrough, holden the Twenty seventh day of May, 1682. And by the Unanimous Consent of the Court Agreed upon, and Ordered to be under the Common Seal of this Town Presented.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE Your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, having already presumed to present Your Majesty with our hearty Thanks for, and Acknowledgment of Your great Goodness to us, and other Your Loyal Subjects, expressed in Your late Gracious Declaration, of Your Princely Resolutions for the future Government of this Your Kingdom of England: And finding that some restless Spirits, ungrateful both to God and Your Majesty, for the Blessings they enjoy under Your Peaceable Reign, had thoughts of entering into an illegal and Abominable Association, a Draught whereof found amongst the Earl of Shaftsbury's Papers, Your Majesty hath been pleased to publish to the World; We think our selves Obligated both in Duty and Conscience to Testifie both to Your Majesty and the Nation our utter Dislike and Abhorrence of the same. Neither are we of Opinion, that any the most Studied Pretensions to Zeal and Duty, set forth in the Preamble, are specious enough to Sanctifie the unjustifiable and dangerous Conclusion. Some of us are old enough to remember in Your Blessed Fathers Reign, what Wonderful Propositions and Demands were offered in with professions of Zeal for Religion, and Care of his Royal Issue; the End whereof was the making him a Glorious King in Heaven, but a Miserable one on Earth: And we hope, SIR, that this Nation will be too Wise, to be drawn twice through the same Water by the very same Cat. In short, Great SIR, we from our Hearts disown any Thoughts but those of Obedience to our Sovereign, which is the Principle the true Protestant Religion teacheth, and whatsoever Preach or Practice any contrary Doctrine, may style themselves Sober Protestants, but can never prove themselves to be either true Christians, or good Subjects. God preserve Your Majesty in Health and Peace, continue the Crown in its Legal Descent, Defend You from the Loyalty of such as would Divert You of Your Authority for the security of Your Person; And may You at length be allowed the benefits of those Laws

which You are so Graciously pleased to give the full advantage of to Your People.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

WE Your Majesties Dutiful, Loyal, and most Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen, Common Council, Gentlemen, and other Inhabitants of your Majesties Ancient Burrough of Leicester in the County of Leicestershire, whose Names are hereunto Subscribed; in our Hearts utterly abominating, and detesting all Treasonable Practices, Confederacies, and Associations whatsoever, which have been, or by Wicked and dilloyal Persons, may be formed and contrived against Your Majesties Sacred Person or Government; Do most humbly crave leave of Your Majesty to Represent to Your Most Excellent Majesty and the whole World, this our Detestation of all such damnable Practices, especially at this time, when Men of Dilloyal Principles have lately been endeavouring to draw Your Majesties Subjects into such Devilish Associations, and Confederacies, as doth most plainly appear by that Association which was given in Evidence against the Earl of Sh. Ferrers, wherein by Glorious Presences Your Majesties Subjects were to have been allured into an Engagement, by which (had not Almighty God, and Your Majesties great Wisdom prevented the same) this Your Majesties Kingdom had inevitably been brought into the most deplorable State of Rebellion, and Confusion. And to this our unignorable Detestation of such heinous Treasons, we most humbly beg leave to add our constant Resolutions most chearfully to sacrifice both our Persons and Estates for the Defence of Your Majesties most sacred Person, and Your Lawful Successors, and for the safety of Your Majesties most just Government, Your Crown and Dignity, and the Church and State as by Law now Established; most faithfully Promising, never to consent to any Association, Covenants, or Engagements whatsoever, but such as the Laws of God, and Religion oblige all good Subjects to, and shall be allowed of by Your Majesty, for the Protection of Your Majesty, Your Heirs and Lawful Successors, and the Defence of Your Majesties and Your Heirs most just Right to the Imperial Crown of this Realm. God long preserve Your Majesty and the Royal Family.

Windsor, May 31. On Sunday last His Majesty was taken with a little Feaverish Distemper arising from a Cold; but, thanks be to God, His Majesty is perfectly well again.

The House late of Mr. Richard Clerke of Chesham in the County of Derby, is to be let, and the Furniture thereof to be sold to him that takes the House, if he please to buy it.

At the House of Mr. Bowers, Goldsmith as the Sign of the Grays in Fleet-street, are to be sold several silver fine Medals of the King and Queen, and the Duke and Dutchess, and particularly one, on the occasion of his Royal Highnesses late Preservation; With many others, all of his own Engravings.

Advertisements.

His Majesty hath been pleased to grant a Monthly Market to be held at Stapenoke in Kent every third Tuesday in every Month for ever, for Sale of all manner of Cattle, and a Fair for some days to commence every First day of October for ever, for Sale of Horses and all other Merchandizes. The Monthly Market begins Tuesday the Twentieth day of June now next coming.

Stolen or strayed from a Pasture near Rippon in Yorkshire the 25th of May last, a broad strong black Gelding, fourteen hands and a half high, with half his Mane horred, a Star in his Forehead, a burnt mark upon his near fore Shoulder, with all his Faces, about fifty years old. Whoever can give notice of him to Mr. William Baines at the Duke's Stables in St. James's, or to Mr. Robert Williamson in Swan-Street, To. or Mr. William Camples in Rippon, shall have Four Guinea's Reward.

These are to give notice to all Horsemen, that Mr. John Cooke of Fower in Oxfordshire, hath lately invented a Spring Snaffle, that commenderth with the greatest ease imaginable all hard-mouthed Ran-away Horses, stumbling or starting Horses, and those that ride heavy in hand, and sets the Head in an posture desired, and is useful for Running, Hunting, and Travelling sold by Mr. Bigne at the White-Lion near the New Exchange in the Strand, Mr. Fitch at the Wheateheave near the Temple in Fleet-street, Mr. Littlejohn in Grace-Church, Mr. Pinner against the R. d. Lion-Turn in Chancery, Mr. Clark in Fishers-Feld, and Mr. To whom at the Rose and Crown in White-church-lane in Southwark.