

Paris, July 25. It is now generally said that the differences between this Court and that of Rome are in a fair way to a composure; the chief points, as we are informed, which the Pope insists upon, are, That Father Cerle shall be restored to his place of Great Vicar of Pamiers, and that the Canons that have been removed by the King shall be re-established, and having obtained these, the Pope will consent to the extension of the Regale: If these Articles be once adjudged, it's not doubted but the rest will easily follow. The King is sending Monsieur de St. Amant his Ambassador to the Emperor of Morocco, and has appointed ten of the Gardes Marine, to whom his Majesty has given very rich Embroidered Coats, to attend him. Our last Letters from Turin gave no good account of the Duke of Savoy's health, and yesterday a report was spread abroad that he was dead, which however we gave no credit to. Our Letters from Francfort of the 12th Instant tell us, that the French Ambassadors had not yet received an Answer from the Deputies of the Empire to their last Reply.

Whitehal, July 18. There have been Humble Addresses presented to His Majesty from the Grand-Jury of the County of Armagh, at a Sessions of the Peace held at the Town of Armagh, the first day of June 1682. and from the Corporation of New-Rosse in Ireland; which, as likewise those which follow from Portsmouth, and the Borough of Stafford, His Majesty received very graciously.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesties Dutiful, Loyal, and Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and far the greater part of the Aldermen and Burgeses of Your Majesties antient Burrough of Portsmouth in the County of Southampton, in Common-Hall assembled, considering with our selves that we have neither renew'd our Charter, nor had the same confirmed by Your Majesty, since Your Happy Restauration, and finding a restless Party amongst our selves, who notwithstanding their Oaths for to maintain the Rights and Priviledges of the Corporation, have for some considerable time past, and still do endeavour, what in them lies, to pluck up that Nail which the Bounty of Your Royal Progenitors enclosed us withal, and to expose the choice of all Officers to a popular Election, beyond the Burgeses or Freeman of the said Corporation, grounding such their Actings (if not farther evil Intentions) on some pretended ambiguous expressions in the Charter granted to the said Burrough by Your Majesties Royal Father of ever blessed Memory; for the avoiding all which Confusions, and the evil consequences of the same, and the rendering the Civil Government in a place of so great Importance more unanimous, whereby it might be more serviceable to the Government in general as by Law Established, have thought fit, and we do by these Presents with all humility surrender into Your Majesties hands all our Messuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, together with our said Charter, so be sent over into Your Majesties High Court of Chancery, there to be Cancelled, to the intent that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to regrant to the said Burrough their said Messuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, together with a new Charter, to such Persons, and under such qualifications, and directions, as to Your Majesties great Wisdom and Goodness shall seem most meet: And we do most humbly leave and submit it to Your Princely Wisdom and Consideration, whether Your Majesty will be pleased to order a Vicar to be entered upon the Enrollment of the Charter now surrendered, until some short time only before the passing the new, to the end that the Civil Government in so considerable a place may not long cease. It rests only to express our most hearty wishes for Your Majesties long and prosperous Reign over us. In Testimony whereof we have hereto

affixed our Common Seal, and Subscribed our Names, this eighth day of July, in the 34th Year of Your Majesties Reign.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Minister, Aldermen, and Common-Council-men of the Borough of Stafford, in the said County of Stafford, June 24. 1682.

May it please Your most Sacred Majesty,

WE Your Majesties truly Loyal and obedient Subjects, having enjoyed, ever since Your Majesties most happy Restauration, all imaginable Peace, Liberty, and Tranquility that Subjects of our quality are capable of, must needs be so much the more astonished, by how much any Associated Endeavours are prompted to disturb so Sacred and Auspicious a Government, or so excellent and piously-established Government as we are now happy in. Therefore we humbly and solemnly declare our utter Abhorrence and Detestation of that Impious and Traitorous ASSOCIATION, lately found in the Earl of SHAFTSBURY's Closet, and afterwards Published by Your Majesties Authority: nor do we think less of the same wicked design, than that it is the apparent Product of old Rebellious Spirits, that has been long raked up in the Embers of Faction, till the first Dawn of opportunity, for an unwary and Antimonarchical Multitude to rouse up to Hostility. For the avay whereof, we humbly presume to beseech Your Majesty, That those Monstrous Assorters of that damnable and destructive Association may be made Obedient, if not Conformable to the Government Established in Church and State, lest the impunity of stubborn and ungrateful Men encourage them to insinuate so much mischief into others, as may in time make them return a scandalous IGNORAMUS upon true Religion and Loyalty it self.

Great STA, We pray God for Your long and prosperous Reign over us in Church and State, and that the Right of Succession may ever remain uninterrupted: For defence of all which, we hereby engage our selves, Lives, and Fortunes, as in Duty and Allegiance bound, and in Testimony hereof most humbly Subscribe our Names, and add the Seal of this Borough.

Whitehal, July 17. The last Week Edward Cranfield Esq; His Majesties Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in chief of the Province of New-Hampshire, in New-England, Embarked in the River out one of His Majesties Ships, in order to his passing to that his Government.

Advertisement.

LOst the 11th Instant, at the White-horse-Inn at Baldwick, from behind a Coach, a large Portmantle full of Womens Cloaths, viz a Mantua and Petticoat of grey Silk and silver Stuff, with broad silver Lace; another Mantua and Petticoat flower'd with Liver-colour'd, and some flesh-colour'd Spots; a quilted Petticoat of Lead-colour'd Sattin, a gold-colour'd Tabby Twilet, and Pinculion with Silver-Lace; two Point Coifs; two pair of Point d'Espagne Rustles, a Laced Night-rail and W. coat; one pair of Point de Venise Rustles, a black laced Scarf, three black Sattin Caps, some little holland Bands and Cuffs, w. h. all sorts of wearing Linnen. Whoever gives notice of these things (so as they may be recovered) to Mr. Martin Wilkin son in York-street, Covent-Garden, shall have five Pounds Reward.