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Whitehall, July 18.

The following Presentment, having been at the same time with the late Address from Barbados, presented to His Majesty, His Majesty was pleased to receive it very graciously.

At the general Sessions of the Peace of Oyer and Terminer, and Gaol-delivery, holden for the said Island, on Monday the second day of April 1683, and there continued by Adjournments to the fifth day of the same Month, before the Honourable Lieutenant General, Henry Waldron; His Majesty's Counsel of the said Island, the Judges and Justices of the Peace for the same.

We the Grand Jury for the Body of this Island, Summoned, Impannelled, and Sworn for this present Sessions of the Peace of Oyer and Terminer, and general Gaol-delivery of the Island aforesaid, do humbly beseech that his Excellency will be pleas'd, in the behalf of us, and of the rest of the Inhabitants of the said Island, to present His most Sacred Majesty the humble Address hereunto annexed.

Dread Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most Loyal, Dutiful, and Obedient Subjects of this Your Majesty's most flourishing Colony, being infinitely sensible of the great and many repeated Instances of Your Majesty's Princely Grace and Bounty to us, Cannot without exposing our selves to the lash of the severest Reflexion upon our Faith and Loyalty to Your Sacred Person, forbear grasping at the advantage and opportunity we now have of humbly assuring Your Majesty, by the hands of our Noble and high deservng Governor Sir Richard Dutton, That although it possibly may be our unhappinels to lie under the misfortune of falling of apt words sufficient to delineate the real Sentiments of our Minds; or to give those submissive Acknowledgments we owe to Your Majesty, those true and livel: Colours they would really bear, yet we humbly beseech Your Majesty to believe, that what shall be wanting upon that account, shall upon all occasions be made good even to the expence of the last drop of our dearest Blood, and so the hazard of all our Fortunes in a constant and resolute avowing Your Majesty's undoubted Prerogative to its utmost extent in fixing and establishing Your Royal Crown upon Your Sacred Head, and Securing It whilst we have breath, in the Lineal Succession, to Your true and rightful Successors.

Great Sir, We cannot but be Joy'd even to a Ravishment, when we fall upon the consideration of Your Majesty's Gracious and Princely Regards towards us, in not only vouchsafing us the benefits of the wholesome and well establish'd Laws of our Native Country of England, but also in Graciously permitting us the advantage of Framing and Calculating others, more proper and peculiar for the Meridia of this place, and such as (considering the infancy and tenderness of our Years) may be much more agreeable to our weaker Constitutions, and far more easie of digestion.

We cannot but signify to the World, Your Majesty's great and Religious Zeal to this Your Little One at such a distance, from Your Majesty's late Present to all our Churches of Bibles, Books of Common-Prayer and Homilies, to the end we may blacken (as much as in us lies) all infamous, Factious, and Rebellious Detractors of Your Majesty's known Piety and Devotion to our Mother the Glorious Church of England.

Sir, To particularize all Your Majesty's Graces and Favours to us, were as endless as they have been numberless; however we cannot but take notice of that remarkable Instance of Your Majesty's abundant Kindness towards us. In committing the Trutt of this Your Majesty's Considerable Island, to the hands of our Loyal, Prudent, Religious Governor, Sir Richard Dutton, by the wisdom of whose Conduct Piety has been advanced, Loyalty rewarded, Right and Property maintained; Faction and Fanaticism discountenanced and stifled in the very Embrio: Debauchery has been made shamesfaced, and Verue and Modesty has gain'd a considerable Reputation amongst us.

Gracious Prince,

Our mind has been infinitely ruffled and disturb'd at the Notices we have of the many Attempts and Offers that have been lately made in our Native Country of England, and by the rebellious heat of some Spirits haicht in Hell, to shake Your Majesty's Royal Throne, to encroach upon Your Majesty's Birth-right, The Prerogative, to introduce Atheism and Faction in the room of Religion; and to mount Anarchy into the Royal Seat of Divine Monarchy, to endeavour the Alienating Your Majesty's dearest Affections from Your only Brother his Royal Highness, and to bespatter that Noble and High born Prince, with base and unworthy Calumnies and Reflexions; the thought of these things have wounded us beyond Imagination, and to give Your Majesty a real sense of our abhorrence of all such abominable Traiterous Practices, we do here declare our Detestation of that Cursed Paper of Association, and all such like Rebellious Attempts and Designs; We do also assure Your Majesty, from the bottom of our hearts, that we will with the last drop of English Blood we have in our Veins, defend the True Establish'd and Orthodox Religion of the Church of England, against all Dissenters of all Perswasions whatsoever, and that we will secure Your Majesty, in Your Royal Throne, and fix Your Crown on Your Sacred Temples, that we will uphold, maintain, and defend the Succession in the true and right Line, against all Opposition, not desiring to breath longer than whilst we approve our selves dutiful Sons to our Mother the Church of England, Loyal Subjects to Your Sacred Majesty, and hearty Lovers and Admirers of Your dearest Brother, his Royal Highness.

Whitehall, July 18. The following Addresses having been presented to His Majesty, His Majesty was pleased to receive them very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble Address of your Majesties Lieutenant, William Earl of Craven, with the Deputy-Lieutenants of the County of Middlesex, and the City and Liberties of Westminster.

S H E W E T H,

That we your Majesties most Humble and Obedient Subjells, are deeply sensible of the mercifull Providence of God, in your late happy Deliverance from a horrid and execrable Conspiracy against the Trutt of your most Sacred Majesty, and your Royal and Dearest Brother, contrived and carried on by men of the very same Principles with those, that under a semblance of Loyalty, Reformation, and Religion, overturn'd the Government both of Church and State, trampled upon Magna Charta, and the Liberty of the Subjell: And finally, (to the scandal of the English Nation, and of Christianity it self) barbarously Murder'd their most Gracious Sovereign, your Majesties blessed Father.

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