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THE following Addresses have been presented to the King, which His Majesty received very Graciously:

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble and unanimous Address of Your Majesty's Justices of the Peace, at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace, holden at Leeds, for the West-riding of the County of York, the 12th day of July, in the Fourth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

MAY it please Your Sacred Majesty, to suffer us your most Loyal Subjects, moved by the most ardent Affection, profoundest Duty, and truest Interest, to Congratulate Your, our, and the three Kingdoms Happiness, in the Birth of a Prince, humbly praying the God of Heaven for Life, Health, and Prosperity to Your Majesty, His Royal Highness, and your Royal Consort, with the Addition of whatever may contribute to your and their Happiness here, and after a long, long Reign over us, may Your Majesty Inherit an Eternal Crown in a better Kingdom: And may there never want one of Your Royal Line to sway the Scepter of these Kingdoms till time shall be no more, is the most fervent, sincere, and unfeigned prayer of Your Majesties most Obedient Loyal Subjects.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Grand Jury for the County of Hertford, at the Assizes held at Hertford the 23 day of July, in the fourth Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

SIR,

HAD not a Party averse to comply with Your Majesty's Gracious Inclinations been too prevalent in this County, an Address would have been sooner made to Your most Sacred Majesty for Your Majesty's most Gracious Declaration of Indulgence; and though we are too late, yet hope we shall not be unwillcom in making a due and just return of our most humble and hearty Thanks and grateful Acknowledgments for Your Majesty's Gracious Intentions to your Subjects in general, in Abrogating of the Penal Laws and Test.

We will not (like others) go about Thanking Your Majesty for your particular favours of promising to maintain the established Religion of the Church of England only, but do freely, willingly, and unanimously give our best Thanks, general, and without any restriction whatsoever.

We are neither for designing Evil, nor for carrying it on when it is begun, therefore do promise to use our utmost Endeavours (when Your Majesty shall in Your great Wisdom think fit to call a Parliament) to close and promote the chusing of such Representatives as will in all Respects comply with Your Majesty's Desires. We also heartily thank Your Majesty for your late Proclamation against Smeaving, &c.

And lastly, we do (with all the Joy our hearts can wish, or tongues express) congratulate the Birth of the Prince of Wales, a Blessing sent from Heaven for the perpetual Establishment of Liberty of Conscience. May all the Happiness of Heaven and Earth attend Your Majesty, your Royal Consort, and the young Prince, and may we cease having when we cease being Your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

Naples, July 6. Our Viceroy has caused an Order to be published, by which all such Proprietors of Houses ruin'd by the late Earthquakes, as are not able to rebuild, or repair them, are required to Declare the same to the Magistrates of this City, who, to ease them, will advance part of the Moneys necessary for that expence. Cardinal Gibe has written to the Archbishop of this City, that the Pope has designed 50000

Crowns for the relief of the Families that have suffer'd the most by this publick Calamity. Four Gallies, belonging to the Great Duke of Tuscany, pass'd the 6th Instant by this place; They came to an Anchor at Puzzuolo, to take in-water, and afterwards continued their Course towards the Levant. The Gallies of Maltha have joyned the Venetian Fleet, which was then going towards Candia.

Venice, July 20. The Master of a Vessel that arriv'd here the last weeke from the Levant, reported that the Doge had on the 16th of the last Month, land'd some Troops in the Isle of Negrepont, and that he was making Preparations to attack the chief Fortres of it, having defeated 1200 Turks that were marching to its relief; and that 4000 Greeks, whom he had before furnish'd with Arms, had joyn'd his Forces. And since that, we hear by the way of Otranto that the Venetians have made themselves Masters of Canea in the Island of Candia; but these Advices need a Confirmation. The Regiment of the Landgrave of Hesse Darmstadt embarked the 11th instant on the Vessels that were left at Sprigno. And that of Strum, with several new rais'd Companies of Italians, are daily expected. The Letters from Dalmatha confirm the News of several advantages which had been gain'd upon the Turks by the Cuzzi and other people of Albania, who have put themselves under the Protection of the Republick.

Leghorne, July 14. We have advice, That the Doge of Venice had landed in the Isle of Negrepont, near the City of that name; That he had summon'd the Garison, and had made Tryal of 4 Bombs, which were shot into the Town at three Miles distance from it; That afterwards the Doge caus'd his Troops to Embark again, and went to the Island of Candia, where he had taken Canea, and that the people in the Island were up in Arms to assist him.

Cadix, July 19. By a Vessel which arriv'd yesterday at St. Lucar, in 50 days from the Havana, we have the confirmation of the Earthquakes at Lima, though not with so great a loss as has been reported. Several Men of War are fitting here, to cruize off of the Cape for the New Spain Fleet, which is expected towards the end of the next Month, or the middle of September. We hear from Gibraltar, that the Saphire, when she was last abroad, chased a Sally Man of 16 Guns ashore, off of Mamora, where she was itaved to pieces, and many of the Men drown'd. And another of them about the same time was cast away upon the Bar of Assumore. The Dragon, the Sedgemore, and the Mermaid are now on the Coast of Sally.

Vienna, July 25. The Duke of Mantua returned hither the 21 Instant from Zell in Stiria; and parted again yesterday morning for Hungary. The last Letters from the Army told us, That General Caprara continued to advance by small Marches towards the Save, to give time to the Bavarian Forces, and those commanded by General Caraffa, to joyn him; And that Prince Louis of Baden began his March the 11th Instant, with 6000 Germans (with whom are to joyn 9000 Croats) towards Gradiska. Several Conferences have been held with the Deputies of Valachia, and it's said a Treaty is concluded with them, by which the Prince and States of that Country do put themselves under the Protection of the Emperour, and in acknowledgment thereof are to pay yearly 100 thousand Crowns to his Imperial Majesty, upon condition that the present Hospodar, or Prince, and his Heirs Males, be maintained in the Government of that Principality, and the States in their just Rights and Priviledges. The Letters from Cassovia of the 15th instant give an account, That the Count Corbelly, who is potted with a Body of Men about 2 or 4 German Miles from Great Waradin, decamping the