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W^m Friday, October 6. The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Ormond, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and Chancellor of the University of Dublin.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Provost, Fellows and Scholars, of the College of the Holy and Undivided Trinity, of Queen Elizabeth, near Dublin in Ireland.

M^r Gracious Sovereign,

In the deepest Sense of Duty, and Gratitude, we humbly Congratulate the many and glorious Successes of Your Majesty's Reign, owing to the Wisdom of Your Councils, the Conduct, and Bravery of Your Commanders, and the Signal Blessing of Almighty God upon them all: By which Means You are in this short space already become the Glory of the present Age, and a great Example to all that shall ever sit upon the Throne of these Kingdoms.

It now become evident to all, that nothing is too great to be expected from a long Continuance of Your Rule over us; which we crave Your Majesty will continue we pray for as for our own Lives and Safety; for Liberty and Happiness; for the Settlement of true Religion among us; and for our common Parent, from whose Tenderness Affection and Bounty alone, we of this Nation ever hope to be in a Condition of receiving the Blessings of a Peace, and of having any small Share in the Prosperity of England.

The same Spirit of Wisdom go on to inspire Your Royal Breast, and the best Resolutions; and may the same visible Hand of God be in the Execution of them: That as You have apparently made the Advantage of his true Religion, and the Happiness of Your People, Your Aim; it may all come home to Your Self at last; till both You and Your Subjects shall have nothing more to wish for, except one from those who sit at the happy Heir of all Your Virtues and the mighty Re-

gent that attend them.

Given under our Common Seal the 26th of September, in the second Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the City of Lincoln was presented to Her Majesty by Sir John Meres, to whom the same was sent in the Silence of the Members of Parliament for that City.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens and Commonalty, of the City of Lincoln.

May it please Your Majesty,

W^e Your Majesty's Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, beg Leave to humbly present to Your Majesty our unfeigned grateful Acknowledgments of Your Majesty's great Wisdom in the Management of our Affairs; but more especially in the great Case Your Majesty has taken in the applying of the Money raised by Parliament for carrying on the War; by which means Your Majesty's Forces, and those of our Allies, have, under the valourous and prudent Conduct of the Duke of Marlborough, gained a most glorious and compleat Victory over the French and Bavarians near the Banks of the Danube: And Your Majesty's Fleet under the Command of Sir George Rooke hath, in a great distance from Your Dominions, taken a strong and advantagious Port from the Spaniards, and forced back the French Fleet and Spanish Gallies, without the Loss of any of Your Majesty's Ships: Which blessed Effects of Your Majesty's wise and gracious Government stand good Grounds to hope, as we shall always pray, that Your Majestys Arms may continue Successful, to the obtaining a lasting and undivided Peace; and that Your Majesty's happy Reign over us, may be long and prosperous.

Given under our Common Seal this Second Day of October, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the City of Hereford was presented to Her Majesty by the Honourable James Bridges Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Dear Sovereign,

W^e the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Hereford, in Common Council assembled, do heartily give Thanks to Al-

mighty God for the great and glorious Victory lately obtained by the Arms of Your Majesty and of Your Allies near the Banks of the Danube, where Your Majesty's Power was almost unthought of. We also give unto God our like Thanks for his giving Your Majesty Courage to prosecute a necessary War against a late formidable Enemy, and for giving You Wisdom to make Choice of able Counsellors, and of a valiant Commander. These signal Blessings from God, upon Your Majesty we attribute to Your own great Piety and Resolution to advance the True Worship of God, and to suppress all Vice and Immorality, the bold Sins of former Times: And we doubt not, but that by the steady Course of Your Christian Life herein, You will procure more Showers of Blessings upon Your Self, and upon Your happy People, if they follow Your Majesty's Example. Then we may expect a Succession of more Victories at Land and at Sea: Then we may expect to see the Pride of France reduced by Your Majesty's Arms, and Your Fleets still Triumphant over all Armadas provided to insult Your Majesty's Dominions, and to interrupt such our State of Peace as scarce any other European enemy but our selves under the Auspicious Government of Your Majesty, the Defender of our Primitive Faith, and of all we have which is dear to us. O happy England! where there is such a Peace; where the Church Established by Law Religiously Professeth, and Learnedly Defends the True and Apostolick Doctrine; where there is neither Tyrant nor Slave; where the Sovereign upholds the Liberty of the Subject, and the People with their Hands, Hearts, and Purse, endeavour to maintain the Sovereignty so their own Security: These things give us good Reason sincerely to pray, that Your Majesty may be never wanting on the Throne to us, Your Majesty's most willingly Dutiful and Obedient Subjects.

In Testimony whereof we have hereto, with an unanimous Vote, put our Common Seal of this City of Hereford this 23d day of September, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's most Gracious Reign over us.

The following Addresses have likewise been presented to Her Majesty:

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bishop, Dean and Chapter, and Clergy of the Diocese of Winchester.

W^e Your Majesty's most Dutiful Subjects, the Bishop and Clergy of the Diocese of Winchester, beg Leave to offer Your Majesty our most sincere and humble Thanks, not only for the many Blessings we enjoy under Your Government, in common with the rest of Your People, but also for that peculiar Goodness in freely granting part of Your Revenue for the Maintenance of our Poor Brethren. This sensible Charity, so Your Clergy has confirm'd to us, the Belief we justly entertain'd upon Your first Accession to the Throne, that the Establish'd Church, to which Your Majesty had express'd so early and so particular a Regard, wou'd be distinguish'd in Your Royal Favour. We shall therefore make it our chiefest Concern to pursue those great Ends which we are assur'd Your Majesty intended by this Bounty towards us, the Honour of God, and the Welfare of Your People; constantly offering up our Prayers that God woud continue Your Majesty's Life a lasting Blessing to these Nations, and joyfully returning our Praise to him, for so signal an instance of Your Piety, and for all our other Happiness under Your most prosperous Reign.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the British Subjects residing in Dantzic.

May it please Your Majesty,

T^e he happy Influences of Your Majesty's most Auspicious Reign, are in their Extent equal to Your Royal Care; and shed a general Blessing upon all Christendom: This City, and we Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects residing in it, feel the Benefit of Your Gracious Protection, and therefore think our selves bound in Duty and Gratitude, to beg Leave, that we may joynt our most affectionate Congratulations, with those of our Brethren at home, for the glorious Successes it pleases Almighty God to grant Your Majesty's Arms, under the wise and valiant Conduct of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, Sir George Rooke, and Your Majesty's other Commanders by Sea and Land.

It fills our Hearts with Joy, and most thankful Acknowledgments of the Divine Goodness; that Great Britain, tho' divded from the rest