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St. James's, March 26. The following Addressees have been presented to Her Majesty

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Protestant Dissenting Ministers in the City of Dublin, and the South of Ireland; presented to Her Majesty by Walter Stephens, Esq; introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Pembroke, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland.

May it please your Majesty,

THO' we doubt not but his Excellence the Earl of Pembroke (whom Your Majesty has so deservedly honour'd with the chief Government of this Kingdom) has already represent'd to Your Majesty our inviolable Affection to Your Person and Government, as well as our grateful Sense of the Religious Liberty we enjoy under it; yet we thought our selves highly oblig'd to renew the same Assurances, at a Juncture when Your Enemies, in order to divert your Majesty's Arms from the Prosecution of the just War You are engag'd in Abroad, make Use of the Claim of a false Pretender to disturb Your Government at Home.

As we never had the least Doubt concerning Your Majesty's legal Right to that Throne, (which your Royal Virtue add so bright a Lustre to.) so we have already abjur'd the Title of the pretended Prince of Wales, and by a sacred Oath oblig'd our selves, in our Stations and Capacities, to maintain Your Majesty's Government, and the Protestant Succession, as by Law establish'd, in opposition to his illegal Claim, and that of all other Popish Pretenders, and by God's Grace, no Considerations shall ever deter us from the Performance of what we have so religiously Sworn.

And we confidently assure Your Majesty, That all those of our Persuasion are of the same Loyal Sentiments and Inclinations, and will be ready to shew the most forward Zeal, if as they are capable, for the Support of your Royal Dignity, and the Security of the Protestant and British Interest in this Kingdom.

But since 'tis highly probable, That Your Majesty's Enemies may have concert'd some Measures for raising a Rebellion in this Kingdom, as well as in North Britain: And since our Government here appear apprehensive of our common Danger from the vast Numbers of Irish Papists, who can hardly conceal their own Affection to the pretended Prince of Wales; we cannot forbear, on this Occasion, to express how deeply concern'd we are to observe, That when the common Protestant Interest here needs all the Hands that can be employ'd in defending it, and when the Kingdom is in so weak a Posture to oppose any Insurrection at Home, that is encourag'd by an Invasion from Abroad, those of our Persuasion, that have Hearts as zealously inclin'd as any to serve Your Majesty's and the Kingdom's true Interest, have their Hands unhappily ty'd up; they being by a Clause in a late Act of Parliament pass'd in Ireland, utterly disabled from serving in any Civil or Military Post.

This Account we humbly presume to lay before your Majesty, that your Majesty being duly appriz'd of the ill Consequences of that Clause, to the apparent Danger of the whole Protestant Interest in this Kingdom, may the better judge how far 'tis necessary for the publick Safety, that it should be repealed; we earnestly wish this Incapacity remov'd, being firmly assur'd Your Majesty might safely depend on the utmost Endeavours of all Protestant Dissenters, and that in pursuance of their most hearty Inclinations, to concur with their Brethren of the Establish'd Church, for the Defence of your Person and Government, and of the Protestant Interest of this Kingdom against all Foreign and Domestic Enemies.

For our part, we shall always use our utmost Interest and Influence to excite 'em to act on all Occasions suitably to those Principles of Loyalty which we know 'em to be possess'd with, and of which they have at the late happy Revolution given so evident Proofs.

And that the most high God, by whom Princes reign, may long continue Your Majesty's valuable Life, may establish

Your Throne in Righteousness, may blast all the Conspiracies and Attempts of Your open and secret Enemies, and may yet more eminently prosper Your Arms for crushing the boundless Ambition of France, for restoring the endanger'd Liberties of Europe, for enlarging the Protestant Interest Abroad, and for obtaining such an honourable Peace as shall lay the Foundation of the lasting Prosperity of your Subject at Home, and render Your Name and Reign glorious to succeeding Ages. These are the most ardent Prayers of, may it please Your Majesty, Your Majesty's most obedient and dutiful Subjects and Servants.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Protestant Dissenting Gentlemen, whose Names are subscrib'd, in behalf of themselves, and those of their Persuasion, in the Kingdom of Ireland; presented to Her Majesty by Walter Stephens, Esq; introduc'd by the Right Honourable the Earl of Pembroke, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland.

May it please Your Majesty,

AS none of Your Protestant Subjects, in this Your Kingdom of Ireland, are more deeply sensible of the many and valuable Blessings we enjoy under Your Majesty's wise and gracious Government, so none do more cordially wish the long Continuance and growing Glories of Your Majesty's most Auspicious Reign.

And therefore we cannot look on this audacious Attempt of the pretended Prince of Wales, to invade Your Majesty's Dominions with French Troops, without a just Detestation.

We have already abjur'd his Title, and sworn, in our several Stations, to maintain Your Majesty's Government, and the Protestant Succession, as by Law Establish'd, and shall never counter-act the Obligations of so just an Oath.

And since we are not without Ground to suspect, That the pernicious Design of Your Majesty's Enemies may extend to the raising a new Rebellion in this Kingdom, by the Assistance of those Irish Officers they are said to bring with 'em, (for which they will not want Encouragement from the vast Numbers of Irish Papists that are now greatly enrag'd, and from the small Number of Forces that are left in it, especially if any Regiments be transported to North Britain) we do, under these just Apprehensions of our common Danger, beg leave to assure Your Majesty of our unstain'd Loyalty and most dutiful Affection to Your Person and Government, of our utter Abhorrence of this traitorous Attempt against Your Throne, and of our steady Zeal to support Your Royal Dignity against this and all other Pretenders.

Those of our Persuasion did, at the late happy Revolution, early appear (in Conjunction with their Brethren of the Establish'd Church) in espousing the Interest of their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary (of glorious and immortal Memory,) and freely sacrific'd their Lives and Fortunes for the Preservation of the Protestant and British Interest in this Kingdom, wherein Divine Providence was pleas'd, in the Issue, to bless 'em with remarkable Success.

We have the same loyal Affection and Inclinations to your sacred Majesty, whose illustrious Virtue and wise Administration have so justly render'd You the Envy of Your Enemies, and the Delight of Your People.

But we cannot forbear humbly representing to Your Majesty, our extreme Regret, that we are so far from being now in the same Capacity to serve Your Interest, and support Your Government, that thro' a Clause insert'd into a late Act of Parliament pass'd in Ireland, Entituled (An Act for preventing the further Growth of Popery) that enjoins the Sacramental Test under such severe Penalties on all that enjoy any Civil or Military Trusts, we are put under the same Disabilities as the Irish Papists themselves, so that we cannot, tho' requir'd by the Government here, raise or command one Company or Troops for your Majesty's Service, in case of any sudden Insurrection, without exposing our selves to utter Ruin.

And tho' this unexpected Harshness was never before impos'd upon us in this Kingdom, yet we have the less repin'd at it, when none but our selves were like to be Sufferers by it; but when we see Your Majesty's Title to the Crown openly contested by a bold Pretender, and the Protestant Religion, and British Interest in this Kingdom, expos'd to perpetual Dangers, and more especially at this present Juncture, we thought it our Duty, in all Humility, to lay our Complaint of this Grievance before Your Majesty, on whose Wisdom and Goodness we chiefly depend for the Redress of it. We therefore presume to make it our humble Request to Your Majesty, That you wou'd take what Method Your Majesty, in Your great Wisdom, will think most proper for the Repeal of the said Clause, that we Your loyal Subjects may have this undeserv'd Mark of Infamy taken away, and may be restor'd to our former Capacity of contributing our utmost in our several Stations towards the Support of Your Majesty's Government, and the Defence of the Protestant Interest of this Kingdom. For as both do evidently need the united Force of all Protestants to maintain 'em, so we have no other Ambition, than to be instrumental, according to the utmost of our Capacity, for their Preservation.

And that Almighty God may bring all Your Majesty's open and secret Enemies to just Shame and Confusion, while he makes the Crown to flourish long on your Royal Head, is the sincere Wish of, may it please Your Majesty, Your Majesty's most dutiful and obedient Subjects and Servants.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleas'd to return the following most Gracious Answer.

I Am very well pleas'd with these reasonable Assurances which you give me of your Zeal and Duty.

I am fully satisfy'd that I may rely upon your faithful Services; and I assure you, you may always depend upon my Protection.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of your Majesty's Deputy-Lieutenants and Justices of the Peace of the North-Riding of the County of York, the 23d Day of March, Anno Dom. 1707-8; presented to Her Majesty by Sir William Husbler, Knt. and Roger Gale, Esq; introduc'd by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, Lord-Privy Seal, and Lord-Lieutenant of the said North-Riding.

May it please your Majesty,

WE cannot consider the Attempt of invading your Majesty's Dominions with so small a Force from France, but must believe it is encourag'd by the Assurances of its Support from some of your traitorous and unnatural Subjects here at Home; therefore upon this Occasion beg leave to renew our Assurances to your Majesty, that we will, with the utmost Hazard of every thing that is dear unto us, defend your Majesty's sacred Person, your lawful and rightful Title to the Crown of Great Britain, the Protestant Succession and Government in Church and State, against the French King, or the Person who styles himself King James the Third, and all other Adherents and Abettors of Popery and Slavery.

The humble Address of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Gentlemen, Clergy, and the Corporations of Newport, Newtown and Yarmouth, in the Isle of Wight; presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Bolton, Capt. General and Governor of the said Island.

May it please your Majesty,

THE Blessings we enjoy under your Majesty's most gracious and happy Reign, will ever bind us in the strongest Obligations of Gratitude as well as Duty; but when this Sense is quicken'd by a near view of those Miseries we must inevitably feel under a French Power, and a Pretender's Usurpation, we beg leave humbly to repeat our Assurances of inviolable Affection and Fidelity to your Majesty's most sacred Person and Government, and the Protestant Succession; and though we hope, by the Blessing of God and your Majesty's early Vigilance, the Designs of those that strike at your Royal Throne may be utterly defeated before our humble Address can reach it, yet we cannot but share the pious Emulation of all your good Subjects, in declaring that our Persons and Estates shall always be entirely devoted to your Majesty's Service: And that God Almighty would long continue, and ever prosper your just Administration, that he would convert the Hearts, or confound the Devices of all your Enemies both Domestick and Foreign, shall be the Prayers of your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council of your Majesty's ancient and loyal City of Bath, and of their Representatives in Parliament; presented to her Majesty by William Blathwayt and Samuel Trotman, Esqrs; their Representatives in Parliament, introduc'd by the Lord High Treasurer.

May it please your Majesty,

BEING inform'd of the traitorous Purposes of divers of your Subjects, supported by a Popish and French Power, design'd to invade this Kingdom, to which your Majesty has a lawful and undoubted Right, and under whose Administration we enjoy the greatest Blessings, we do with all Cheerfulness and Loyalty assure your Majesty, That we are ready upon this and all other Occasions to sacrifice all that is most valuable and dear to us, in defence of your Majesty's Royal Person and Government, against that Pretender, and all others that may attempt the Destruction or Prejudice of our Religion and Liberties, and of the Protestant Succession to the Imperial Crown of this Realm; wishing your Majesty a long Life, and the continuance of a glorious Reign over us. In Testimony whereof we have hereunto affixed the Seal of the said City this 24th Day of March, in the Seventh Year of your Majesty's Reign.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Portreef, Bailiff and Burgesses of the Borough of Great Belwin in the County of Wilts; presented to Her Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Bruce, one of their Representatives in Parliament.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects having with all Abhorrence heard of an intended Invasion, take the first Opportunity we can to assure your Majesty of our most faithful and steadfast Loyalty, which no vain Attempt of a Pretender, supported by the Troop of our common Enemy, shall ever shake; and as it pleas'd God to give Victory to your Arms abroad, so we question not but it will still attend your Majesty's early and careful Endeavours for the Preservation of your Realms and People.

That your Majesty may conquer all your Enemies and enjoy a long and prosperous Reign over us, shall be our constant Prayers and Wishes.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Bailiff, High Steward, Recorder, Justices of the Peace, and Capital Burgesses of your Majesty's ancient and loyal Corporation of the Borough of Leominster, in the County of Hereford, in Chamber assembled; presented by the Right Honourable the Lord Coningsby, and Edward Harley Esq; their Representatives in Parliament.

WE your Majesty's most faithful and obedient Subjects, bound by the strictest Obligations of Duty and Gratitude that it's possible for the happiest People to be to the best of Princes, cannot but with Indignation and Abhorrence reflect upon the Attempt of the French King to invade your Dominions with a traitorous Pretender, supported by his declining Power, and instructed in his pernicious Methods, to endeavour to change your Majesty's most admirable Government both in Church and State, into Popish Idolatry, and French Tyranny.

Upon this Occasion we humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that none will be more ready cheerfully to sacrifice their Lives and all that's dearest to them, for the Preservation of your Royal Person, your Crown and Dignity, and in Defence of the Protestant Succession, as it's now by Law Establish'd, (than our selves.)

Nor can any of your Subjects pray more heartily and sincerely to Almighty God, That he would prolong your sacred Life, as well for the Honour and Safety of these Kingdoms, as for the Defence of the Liberties of Europe.

In Testimony whereof we have caus'd the Common Seal of our Borough to be hereunto affix'd, this 24th Day of March, in the 7th Year of your Majesty's most auspicious Reign.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Corporation and Borough of Richmond in the County of York, and of the Gentlemen and other Inhabitants within the said Borough; presented to her Majesty.

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Majesty, by *John Yorke, Esq;* his Father *Thomas Yorke, Esq;* one of their Representatives in Parliament, being indisposed.

May it please your Majesty,

As no Blessing upon Earth is or ought to be so acceptable to your Subjects, as your Majesty's long Life and prosperous Reign over them, so nothing can or ought to be so much abhorred and detested by them, as any Attempt to deprive your Majesty's Royal Person and undoubted Right and Title to the Sovereignty of this Island.

We therefore humbly beg leave, Madam, amongst the rest of your Subjects, to declare unto your Majesty, that we do utterly abhor and detest the Foreign Invasion, wherewith you and your Realms are at present threaten'd; and to assure your Majesty that we will sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes in the Defence of your Majesty's Royal Person, and in the maintenance of your lawful and rightful Title to the Crown of Great Britain, not only against the Pretender and his Abettor the French King, but against all other your Enemies whatsoever. And we do not doubt but that the Divine Providence which hath plac'd you in the Throne of your Ancestors, will preserve and defend you in the same, to the Confusion of your Enemies; and the rendering your Reign glorious to all Posterity. In Testimony whereof we have heretofore fix'd our Common Seal, and Subscrib'd our Names, this 25th Day of March, in the seventh Year of your Majesty's long, Anno; Dom. 1708.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the High-Sheriff and Grand-Juries, at the Assizes holden at Bury St. Edmunds, for the County of Suffolk, the 22d Day of March, 1707-8. presented by his Grace the Duke of Grafton, Lord-Lieutenant of the said County.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Permit us to make a Tender of our most sincere and hearty Thanks, for the many Blessings we enjoy under your most auspicious Reign; your Majesty's Zeal for our Liberties, and the constant Regard you have for the Welfare of all your Subjects, commands us to solicit and Assistance, in the Support and Defence of your just Title to the Crown and Government of your Kingdoms.

We can't but resent the high Affront and Indignity offered to your Majesty, by the French King's endeavouring to deprive a Popish Pretender upon your Dominions.

We do assure your Majesty we will hazard the last Drop of our Blood in the Defence of your Majesty's most sacred Person, our Religion and Liberties, restor'd and confirm'd to us by the late happy Revolution, together with the Protestant Succession as by Law establish'd, against the Pretender, all your Majesty's open Enemies abroad, and those more dangerous secret ones at home.

And since it is evident that the French King thinks nothing unjust or unlawful to accomplish his Designs, we engage cheerfully and unanimously to assist your Majesty in a vigorous Opposition of him, until he has no power left to disturb your Majesty, or oppress any of your Subjects.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the High-Sheriff, Grand-Jury, Deputy-Lieutenant, Justices of the Peace, and Gentlemen of the County of Essex, at the Assizes holden for the said County at Chelmsford, the 24th Day of March, Anno Dom. 1707-8; presented to Her Majesty by Sir Francis Masham, Bar. and Thomas Middleton, Esq; Representatives in Parliament for the said County; introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl Rivers, Lord-Lieutenant of the said County.

Great Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, take this Occasion to express our utmost Abhorrence and Detestation of the French King's Attempt, to invade your united Kingdom of Great Britain, dethrone your Sacred Majesty, and impose a Pretender on these Kingdoms, over which you are rightful and lawful Sovereign: This does excite our constant Zeal and Duty for the Support of your Majesty's Person and Government; That with Hearts duly affected with such dangerous Consequences, we do now beg Leave to assure your Majesty of our utmost Assistance, to disappoint all Designs which are contriv'd either at Home, or Abroad, to subvert the present Establishment, on which our Liberties and the

whole Protestant Religion depends; which we do not but by the Blessing of God on your Majesty's great Conduct for the Safety of your Dominions, your Enemies will be defeated. So we beg your Majesty to take particular Care of your Royal Person; that your Subjects may see you compleat the Liberties of Europe, and enjoy the Happiness of your Long and Auspicious Reign.

Her Majesty was graciously pleas'd on this Occasion, to confer the Honour of Knighthood upon *Daniel Wray, Esq;* High-Sheriff of the said County.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council of your Majesty's ancient and loyal City of Exeter; presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Ormond.

May it please your Majesty,

THE many and repeated Influences of your Majesty's Goodness, and the distinguishing Care for the Welfare of your Subjects, as on all other Occasions, so more especially manifested by the early and surprizing Preparations of your Fleet, for the Defence of your Kingdom and People, against the intended Invasion by the pretended Prince of Wales (a Design astonishing only for the unnatural Assistance of some of your Subjects) justly challenge the most solemn Acknowledgments of all. We therefore, your most loyal and dutiful Subjects, out of a deep Sense of such unparalleled Benignity of our Duty to your Majesty our only Sovereign, in Maintenance of that Loyalty to the Crown, for which our Predecessors have in all Ages been remarkable, humbly beg leave to assure your Majesty, That as we cannot, without the utmost Detestation, contemplate the Design, so nothing can be dear to us without the Safety of your Majesty's sacred Person, and the Establishment of your Government; for the Preservation of which, we humbly offer to your Majesty the just Tribute of our Lives and our Fortunes, our Greatest but too mean an Offering for such a Sovereign. May all the Attempts of the Pretender be as vain as his Pretensions, may all the Designs of your Enemies prove abortive, may that God, by whom Kings and Queens Reign, render your Majesty's Arms every where Victorious, and may you thereby convince the French King of his Rashness, in contending with the British Queen.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Salop; presented to Her Majesty by Sir Humfrey Briggs, introduced by the Rt. Hon. Mr. Secretary Boyle

May it please Your Majesty,

WE Your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the High Sheriff and Grand Jury of the County of Salop, out of a due Sense of Your Majesty's great Wisdom and Care in protecting Your Dominions from a French Invasion, under the pretended Prince of Wales, do humbly beg Leave to assure Your Majesty of our utmost assistance against that pretended Prince, and all other Disturbers of Your Majesty's Peace and Government.

May the Almighty give Success to Your Armies Abroad, and may Your Majesty be ever attended with the Blessings of Peace and Tranquility at Home.

All which Addresses Her Majesty receiv'd very graciously.

Vienna, March 24. N S. The Hungarian Malecontents continue to commit great Disorders on the Frontiers of Austria. On the 19th Instant they met in a considerable Body near Eisenstadt, and divided themselves into two Companies; one march'd directly towards Baden, and pillag'd several Villages in that Neighbourhood, the other directed its Course towards Ekersdorf, and burnt two Villages not above two Leagues from this Place. They kill'd several of the Country People, and carry'd off with them a considerable Bocty of Cattle. Letters from Buda of the 13th of this Month bring Advice, That they appear daily before Pest, and threaten the Place with a Siege, for which end they have erected a Magazine at Hatwan, and assembled some Troops about Zeglet and Chechzkemel. The Governor of Buda, upon receipt of this Intelligence, has reinforc'd the Garrison of Pest. Letters from Great Waradin of the 17th of February report, That Prince Ragotzi was arriv'd at Karoli with some Troops, and that he would hold a Congress with his Adherents at

Tafchont. The Governor of Great-Waradin lately sent out a Detachment of his Garrison in pursuit of a Party of Malecontents, who surpriz'd the Hungarians at Dotis, and carry'd off a great Booty of Money and Provisions with which they were marching to Prince Ragotzi. A Courier is dispatch'd this Day, to acquaint his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, that Prince Eugene is to set out to morrow for the Hague.

*Berne, March 24. N. S.* The Deputies of Berne are gone to the Diet of Arrau, with Instructions to endeavour to unite the protestant Cantons in the Business of Neuchatel: It is intended that they shall make a Joint-Representation to the French Embassador about the Neutrality grounded upon the Combourgse between Berne and Neuchatel, by Virtue whereof the latter are included in the Alliance between France and Switzerland, whoever is their Sovereign.

*Hague, April 6. N. S.* Letters from Paris and Mons say, That the Courts of the French King, and the Duke of Bavaria, were in a great Consternation upon receiving Intelligence, that the Design of the Pretender to land in Scotland is defeated. They are at a Loss in what manner to represent their Disappointment to those Courts, wherein their Ministers have had Orders to speak of it with the greatest Assurance of Success.

*Canterbury, March 29.* His Grace the Duke of Marlborough proceeded on his Journey through this Place, at four of the Clock this Afternoon. Before his Departure an Offend Mail arriv'd; with Advice, That the Pretender landed at Dunkirk with the French Troops on Friday last; but the Forces were in so ill a Condition, that they could not make Hospitals enough for the Accommodation of their sick Men. Those Letters add, That his Highness Prince Eugene is arriv'd at the Hague.

*St. James's, March 31.* This Day Monsieur de Vryberge, Envoy extraordinary of the Lords States-General of the United Provinces, had a publick Audience of her Majesty, to congratulate her Majesty upon the Disappointment of the Enemies Designs upon her Kingdoms; and deliver'd a Letter from the said States to her Majesty upon the same Subject.

He had afterwards a publick Audience of his Royal Highness to the same Purpose; to both which Audiences he was conducted in her Majesty's Coach and six Horses, by Sir Charles Cotterell, Master of the Ceremonies, in the usual manner.

On Thursday the 25th of March 1708, was launch'd at Her Majesty's Yard at Deptford, a new third Rate of 70 Guns, nam'd the Resolution.

On Friday the 26th was launch'd at the same Yard a new fourth Rate, of 50 Guns, nam'd the Ruby.

There were also three of Her Majesty's Rebuilt Ships of the third Rate, launch'd the same Day; viz

The Humber, a three Deck Ship of 80 Guns, at Mr. Wicker's Yard at Deptford, Rebuilt by him.

The Boya, a three Deck Ship of 80 Guns, Rebuilt by Mr. Johnson at Blackwall.

And the Suffolk a 70 Gun Ship, Rebuilt at Her Majesty's Yard at Chatham.

*It is Her Majesty's Command, That all Persons whatever do forbear all farther Application to be touch'd for the Evil, during this Season.*

*This is to give Notice, That her Majesty's Plate will be run for at New-Market, on Thursday the 8th of this Instant April.*

*Whereas a Letter, written in the Name of several Persons confederated together in the Hundred of the George, and in the Town of Dorchester in the County of Dorset, was lately sent to Colonel Brown of Trimpleton, in the said County, containing divers Threats against him and the rest of the Justices of Peace of the said County, whereby to deter them from the due Performance of their Duty, and the faithful Discharge of the Trust reposit'd in them: Her Majesty for the better Discovery of the Authors and Authors of so noxious an Offence, is pleas'd to promise her most gracious pardon, and all fitting Encouragement, to any Person concern'd therein, who shall discover his Accomplices, so as they may be brought to condign Punishment.*

SUNDERLAND.

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*The Commissioners for Victualling her Majesty's Navy, give Notice, That on Monday the 19th of this Instant, in the Forenoon, they will be ready, at their Office in Tower-hill, to receive Proposals, and treat with all such Persons as are willing to furnish French-Bay Salt, also Newcastle, Portsmouth, and Limington Salt, for the Use of her Majesty's Navy for this present Year.*

*Advertisements.*

This Day is publish'd, A Philosophical Discourse concerning the Natural Immortality of the Soul, Wherein the Great Question of the Soul's Immortality is endeavour'd to be rightly stated, and fully clear'd. Occasion'd by Mr. Dodwell's late Epitaphary Discourse. In Two Parts. By John Norris, M. A. Rector of Bemerton. Printed for S. Manthrip at the Ship over against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill.

All Persons who have Claims in the Amicable Society for a perpetual Assurance-Office, by the Death of any Member in the Year 1707, are hereby requir'd to bring in their Proofs to the Office, at Mr. Hardley's, Bookseller, in Fleetstreet, on or before the 17th Instant, in order to receive their Dividend.

For Sale by private Contract, at a Cellar under the House of Capt. Sharp, at the Sign of the blue Gate in Cannon-street, over-against Clement's-Lane-End, several Pipes, Hogheads, &c. of Cogniac and Nants Brandy, and several Punchions of Erudeux-Mers Brandy, (being a sort of a much better Flavour and Proof than generally Bourdeaux is,) all lately imported from Scotland; Where constant Attendance will be given at all reasonable Hours 'till all is sold.

Whereas the Horse, commonly known by the Name of Duke Dimple, was last Year in the Hands of John Wrenley, Esq; this is to give Notice, That the said Horse is now in the Hands of Mr. William Jordan, living at Woverhampton in the County of Northumberland, and part of Scotland, with good Gardens, Stables and other Conveniences, to be let for 14 or 15 Years certain, on reasonable Terms; of which any Person may be further inform'd at the said House.

Deferred from the Royal Regiment of British Dragoons, commanded by the Right Honourable the Earl of Sandwich, Whateff, a Shoemaker, brown Hair, and fresh Complexion, well-set lusty young Fellow, about 26 Years of Age; Thomas Noods a Miller, a handsome well made Fellow, pale hair'd, pretty tall, about 26 Years of Age; John Goff a Taylor; he was a light-colour'd short Whig, a black Beard, about 30 Years old. Thomas Lloyd, a Welch-man, born in Penmaise in Merthyr-shire, near the Bella, a Middle-siz'd Man, about 30 Years old, mark'd with the Small-pox, wears a dark brown Whip, blue eyes; and Morris Evans, a Welch-man, pretty tall and slender, about 23 Years of Age, or thereabouts, he wears his own Hair'd a black Colour. If the abovesaid five Persons return to their Duty in ten Days they shall be pardon'd, and be kindly receiv'd; they whosoever secures them, so as they may be brought to Justice, gives notice thereof to Mr. John Campbell, Goldsmith, at the Crowns in the Strand, shall receive three Guineas reward for each of them, and reasonable Charges.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Joshua Gason, late of Penrith, in the County of Cumberland, Merchant, Persons that are indebted to him are forthwith to pay what they are so indebted to Mr. William Rooke, Attorney, in Chancery, they will be sued.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James France, late of London, Wine-Cooper, do hereby meet on the 8th Instant at 3 Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at which Time and Place the said James France is requir'd to answer the said Commissioners; and the Creditors are then to come present to pay their Contribution-money, and to prove their Debts, and Persons that are indebted to him, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are to pay and deliver the same to Mr. Joseph Laitliff of London, Merchant, Assignee, or they will be sued.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt, awarded against Joseph Hart, of the Town of Nottingham, Shopkeeper, do hereby tend to sit on Friday the Ninth of this Instant April, at Bennet's Coffee-house in Nottingham, at 9 of the Clock in the Forenoon, where all his Creditors are to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the Commission.

Whereas Notice was given in the Gazette the 18th of March last, That John Warren late of Witheridge in the County of Devon, Mercer, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded, having surrender'd himself to the Commissioners, and having been examin'd; That the Commissioners intended to meet on Thursday the 29th Day of March last, at Jones's Coffee-house in Exon, by one of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to finish his Examination, but by reason of some extraordinary Accident the said Bankrupt could not come at the Time. These are therefore to give Notice, That the Commissioners intend to meet on Thursday the 8th of this Instant, at the House of Mr. Thomas Night, at the Sign of the White-beart in Winton, in the County of Devon, at 12 of the Clock in the Forenoon, in order to finish his Examination of the said John Warren, where his Creditors are to attend and prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and Cause why a Certificate should not be sign'd by the Commissioners.

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