

willingness to be reliev'd, till Your Majesty (doubtless design'd by Providence to be an Example to Posterity) interposed Your Wisdom and Power to bring them to a Sense of their own Interest, and of Gratitude to admire and thank their glorious Deliverer.

Such successful Events, sufficiently illustrate the Depth, Secrecy and Resolution of the Councils from whence they proceed; and plainly demonstrate how vain all Attempts (to obstruct) are, when such Wisdom, influenc'd by Heaven, undertakes the Work.

Your Majesty's Declaration from the Throne, of the good Understanding between You and the illustrious House of Hanover, is enough to induce all loyal People to believe, that the Security of the Protestant Religion, is Your Majesty's constant Care.

And we beg leave humbly to assure Your Majesty, that we want no other Guaranty.

That the licentious Tongues as well as Pens of Malignants, may meet with the greatest Discouragements under proper Censures, and Men of Probity and Obedience only enjoy Your gracious Smiles and Protection: That the old English Loyalty of our Forefathers, may inspire us with an Emulation to serve Your Majesty, and support its Original Monarchical Constitution; and, that Your Majesty may long live to find all Your People steadfast in these Principles, and Britain grow ashamed of all Opposition to Crown'd Heads, are and shall be the steady Wishes and Prayers of Your Majesty's most dutiful and obedient Subjects.

The following Address from the Borough of Wilton, in the County of Wilts, was presented to Her Majesty by Charles Mompesson, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; being introduced by his Grace the Duke of Argyle.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of Your ancient Borough of Wilton.

Most Gracious Sovereign!

WE Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects, do, with all submission, most heartily Congratulate Your Majesty on the Conclusion of the Peace, which we have so long wanted and pray'd for; not doubting but from Your Majesty's most consummate Wisdom, and the continual surprizing Successes, during the the whole Course of the War, it must be Honourable in all its Circumstances, and very Advantageous in all respects, especially in that of Commerce, on which the Welfare of this Nation so much depends.

We most humbly crave leave to assure You, most gracious Sovereign, that we were overjoy'd to have such Assurance from the Throne, of the good Understanding between Your Ma-

jefty and the most Illustrious House of Hanover, which we pray GOD may always continue: And that Your Majesty may Reign long over us, to enjoy the Fruits of Your Own Labour, are the most hearty Prayers of us all, Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects.

The following Address from the Western Marches of England and Scotland, was sent by the Reverend Dr. Todd, and presented to Her Majesty by Col. Grabme; being introduced by the Lord High Treasurer.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Clergy, Gentlemen, and Principal Inhabitants of the Western Marches of the (late) happy united Kingdoms of England and Scotland.

May it please Your Majesty,

WHEN the Union of Your Majesty's Two Kingdoms was happily Accomplish'd, we of these Parts had the Honour to wait on Your Majesty with our most Dutiful Acknowledgments for the particular Benefit of it. By that one Act of Superior Royal Goodness, Your Majesty has effected what the Power of the Roman Legends, and the Wisdom and Policy of Your Predecessors, could never bring to pass.

We now beg Leave, M A D A M! to Approach Your Sacred Person with Congratulations for another happy Union and Agreement, more Extensive and (as we justly hope) more Beneficial. The Blessed and Glorious Peace (which Your Majesty has, with wonderful Constancy and Resolution, by GOD's special Assistance, concluded) secures to Us and all Posterity the quiet Profession and legal Establishment of our Holy Religion; preserves our Civil Rights and Liberties, enlarges Trade and Commerce, and lays a most firm Foundation for the lasting Honour and Happiness of all Your Majesty's Dominions. Blessings of so high a nature affect us, at once, with Admiration and Gratitude, and engage our Fidelity to Your Majesty, by Inclination as well as Duty. We are perfectly resolved, on all Occasions, to manifest an immoveable Firmness to the Monarchical and Episcopal Government in Church and State; and, to the utmost of our Power, to defend and maintain Your Majesty's undoubted Hereditary Right to the Imperial Crown of these Nations, against all Contradiction and Opposition whatever.

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