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Windsor, October 14.

**T**HE following Address from the County of Kilkenny, was presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Ormond.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Kilkenny, assembled at their Assizes; together with the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Ossory, and the Reverend his Clergy.

Most Dread Sovereign,

*AS the Blessings of Peace are many and diffusive, and all Your People may in some measure participate in them; so they justly challenge from us Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, our grateful Acknowledgments, in the humblest manner presented to Your Majesty, for accomplishing so glorious and advantageous a One for us:*

*A Peace wholly owing to Your Majesty's good Disposition, and the unwearied Diligence and steady Application of Your Able and Faithful Ministry, Eminent Patriots equally deserving Your Royal Favour, and the publick Applause of their Country: A Peace which fully convinces the World of Your consummate Wisdom, as the Success of Your Arms display'd the Greatness of Your Power.*

*Your Majesty's taking Notice of the Protestant Succession on this Occasion, and declaring so firm a Friendship between Your Royal Person and the most illustrious House of Hanover, as it gives entire Satisfaction to all honest Men that desire the Continuance of Peace, and regard Posterity: So it is sufficient to remove all Doubts and Scruples, too unwarily entertain'd by some, and too industriously and unwarrantably suggested by others.*

*May the Author of Peace and Lover of Concord bless Your Majesty with length of Days; may all odious Distinctions among Churchmen be for ever buried, and no other Contest than a hearty Emulation who shall with strictest Duty serve the Best of Queens, and greatest Care preserve the best of Constitutions.*

Which Address Her Majesty received very graciously.

**Turin, September 30. N. S.** On the 25th their Majesties set out from hence, and it is thought they are by this time arrived at Nice, where they intend to embark on Board the British Squadron for Sicily. The Prince of Piedmont intends to pass a few Days at Rakonis, before he returns to this Place. The Dutchess-Dowager, who has been indispos'd for some time, is now perfectly recovered. The Marquis de Moursour is gone to the Court of Madrid, with the Character of Ambassador-Extraor-

dinary from the King of Sicily. We have frequent Accounts of Murthers committed on the Highways by a Band of Robbers, that have lately form'd themselves into a Body near Novarra in the Milanesse, but it is believed the Government of that Province will take effectual care to suppress them very speedily. We have received Advice from Genoa, that the Garrison of Final had evacuated that Place, and the Imperial Governor had put Signor Cataneo, Commissary-General of the Republick, into Possession of the Fortress, with all its Dependencies.

**Warsaw, October 3. N. S.** Most of the Saxon Troops are already arrived in this Kingdom. A Tax has been laid upon Chimneys for their Maintenance, and the Ministers of this Court meet every Day, in order to settle their Winter Quarters. To morrow King Augustus intends to set out for Otsfosch. His Majesty has bought the Palace of the Great Marechal of the Crown, lately deceased, for which he paid Fifty thousand Crowns. But as it would cost a much greater Sum to put this House in repair, it is thought he will order it to be quite-pulled down, and build a new one in the same Place. Count Flemming went from hence a few Days ago towards Pomeania. In his way he is to stop at Elbing, in order to examine the Persons that were Arrested there upon Suspicion of having form'd a Conspiracy against the Person of King Augustus. We are now under no Apprehension of an Invasion from the Turks and Tartars, who are retired from the Frontiers of Podolia. The Grand Signior has likewise dispatch'd a Minister, with Directions to assure this Court, that he will adhere to his Resolution to preserve a good Understanding, and to live in Peace with his Majesty and this Commonwealth.

**Vienna, October 4. N. S.** On the 1st Instant his Imperial Majesty entered into the Nine and twentieth Year of his Age. His Birth-day was celebrated with less Magnificence than usual, upon account of the Contagious Distemper, which still increases in this City. One or two of the Empress-Dowager's Family having dy'd of it, all her Apartments at Court are shut up, and her Majesty herself is retired for some time to the Convent of St. Clare. Cardinal Piazza, who has resided here several Years in the Quality of Pope's Nuntio, went away two Days ago, in order to return to Rome. Letters from Adrianople confirm our former Accounts, that the Grand Signior was resolv'd to maintain the Treaty of Peace concluded at Carlowitz, and to commit no Act of Hostility against Poland. The King of Sweden had not declared when he would set out for his own Dominions, and it was said, the Port had sent him notice they expected to be paid all the Money they had lent him, before he went away. The usual Allowance that had been made to his Envoy was stopp'd, upon Pretence that it was not necessary to have a Minister in a Place where the King his Sovereign was present in Person. However, as there continues