

George, Prince of Wales, is now by the Death of our late Sovereign, of happy Memory, become our only lawful and rightful Liege Lord George the Second, by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. in all the Cities and Towns corporate, and Market Towns in this Kingdom, and all Officers both Civil and Military, and other His Majesty's Subjects, are hereby required to be assisting in the Performance thereof with all due Solemnity.

Given at the Council Chamber in Dublin, the 19th Day of June, 1727.

Will. Dublin, Kildare, Meath, Anglesey, Abercorn, Hillsborough, Newtown, St. John Brodrick, Ralph Gore, Wm. Whitshed, Tho. Dalton, Tho. Taylor, Ben. Parry, R. Tighe, Marin. Coghill.

God save the King.

By the Lords Justices General and General Governours of Ireland.

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

Tho. Wyndham, C. Wm. Conolly.

WHEREAS His Royal Majesty King George the Second hath signified His Pleasure, That the several Officers now absent out of Ireland do return forthwith to their Posts: We do therefore hereby direct and require all Officers of the Army, notwithstanding any Licence or other Allowance granted them to be absent, to repair immediately to their respective Posts, and there attend their Duty, and not to absent themselves from their Commands on any Pretence whatsoever, as they tender the Good of His Majesty's Service, and upon Pain of our utmost Displeasure.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 20th Day of June, 1727.

By their Excellencies Command,
Tho. Tickell.

God save the King.

Kensington, June 22.

This Day the Right Honourable Gerald de Courcy, Lord Kinale in the Kingdom of Ireland, was presented by his Excellency the Lord Carteret Lord Lieutenant of that Kingdom, to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive him very graciously, and his Lordship had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand, and to assert the ancient Right of his Family of being covered in the King's Presence, which His Majesty was pleased to allow of as a Right belonging to the Family.

Kensington, June 22.

The following humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council and chief Inhabitants of the City of Exeter, has been presented to His Majesty by Samuel Molyneux, Esq; introduced by the Right Honourable Philip Earl of Chesterfield. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and chief Inhabitants of your City of

Exon, whom in the Reign of our late Sovereign your Father, of blessed Memory, You the sole and undoubted Heir to the Imperial Crowns of these Realms, was most graciously pleased to take under your immediate Protection, are under a double Obligation above all other your Majesty's Subjects, to be deeply affected with whatever can give your Royal Heart Concern and Surprise; especially upon this great and melancholly Occasion, the sudden and unexpected Death of the King your Father.

Had the Divine Providence, when it took from us a wise King, left us to struggle under the Difficulties of a Minority, the Loss had been insupportable to this Nation; but now, when instead of a Prince advanced as in Glory so in Years, and almost ripe for Death, it has given us another in the Strength of his Age and Wisdom, one of whose Love and Affection to Britain we have had such Knowledge and Experience, we patiently and even with a Christian Cheerfulness submit to the Divine Will; promising ourselves, under your auspicious Reign, the Nation will receive no Diminution, but an Increase of Power at Home, and of Influence and Consequence Abroad.

Your People could have been satisfied, even without the Assurance of your Royal Word, of the Security of their Religion, Laws, and Liberties, together with the Preservation of the Constitution as it is now established both in Church and State, under a Prince that has always held constant Communion with our Holy Church, and that has made it his Business to understand our Constitution, by being constantly present at all the Grand Debates in Parliament; Assurances, that no Promises from one bred and bigotted in a Religion opposite to ours, and a perfect Stranger to our Constitution, can give them.

May your Majesty, whom we of this City have the Happiness to see from our especial Patron now our King, as always Good and Gracious, so now Mighty and Powerful; and to whom, as our Sovereign Liege Lord, we promise all Faith and constant Obedience, with all hearty and humble Affection; accomplish and perfect the great Work so well begun by the late King your Royal Father, the restoring the Tranquility and preserving the Balance of Europe, which God has reserved for the Happiness of your Reign: And may that Reign be long and prosperous over us, full of Glory and Honour to yourself, and for the Interest and Security of your People.

St. James's, June 24.

This Evening their Majesties came to this Palace from Kensington.

St. James's, June 26.

This Day the Right Reverend Father in God the Lord Bishop of London, the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Westminster, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Grafton Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, waited in a Body on His Majesty with the following humble and unanimous Address.