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AT the Court at *St. James's* the 29th Day of *January*, 1740.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty,  
 Archbishop of Canterbury, Earl of Abercorn,  
 Lord President, Earl of Waldegrave,  
 Lord Steward, Viscount Torrington,  
 Lord Chamberlain, Lord Cornwallis,  
 Duke of Bolton, Lord Chief Justice Willes,  
 Duke of Athol, Sir Charles Wager,  
 Duke of Montagu, Sir John Norris.  
 Earl of Pembroke,

WHEREAS in the Act of Uniformity which establishes the Liturgy of the Church of England, Provision is made for such Alterations in the Prayers for the Royal Family, as from time to time shall become necessary and be directed by lawful Authority: It is thereupon this Day ordered by his Majesty in Council, That in the Morning and Evening Prayers, in the Litany, and in all other Parts of the publick Service, as well in the Occasional Offices, as in the Book of Common Prayer, where the Royal Family is appointed to be particularly prayed for, the following Form and Order shall be observed, viz.

*Their Royal Highnesses Frederick Prince of Wales, the Princess of Wales, the Duke, the Princesses, the Issue of the Prince and Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family.*

And his Majesty doth strictly charge and command, that no Edition of the Common Prayer be from henceforth printed but with this Amendment, and that in the mean time, till Copies of such Edition may be had, all Parsons, Vicars, and Curates, within this Realm, do (for the preventing of Mistakes) with the Pen, correct and amend all such Prayers in their Church Books, according to the foregoing Direction; and for the better Notice hereof, that this Order be forthwith printed and published, and sent to the several Parishes, and that the Right Reverend the Bishops do take Care that Obedience be paid to the same accordingly.

*William Sharpe.*

IN pursuance of an Act passed in the Tenth Year of her late Majesty Queen Anne, wherein Provision is made for praying for the Royal Family in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland; it is ordered by his Majesty in Council, that henceforth every Minister and Preacher shall, in his respective Church, Congregation or Assembly, pray in express Words, For

*His most sacred Majesty King George, their Royal Highnesses Frederick Prince of Wales, the Princess of Wales, the Duke, the Princesses, the Issue of the Prince and Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family.*

Of

Of which all Persons concerned are hereby required to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly. *William Sharpe.*

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Lord Onslow to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey, his Lordship this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

His Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to appoint the following Sheriffs, viz.

*Bedfordshire*, John White of Ewe Green, *Esq;*  
*Essex*, James Hnat of Woodford-bridge, *Esq;*  
*Somerset*, William Madox of Norton Ferris, *Esq;*  
*Suffolk*, Samuel Lucas of Harwich, *Esq;*

S O U T H - W A L E S.

*Carmarthen*, William Rice of Capel Dewy, *Esq;*  
*Cardigan*, Daniel Bowen of Wayne-Ivor, *Esq;*  
*Pembroke*, Mathew Bowen of Camrose, *Esq;*

*Norfolk House, Jan. 29.*

This Day the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London attended their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, to congratulate them upon the safe Delivery of her Royal Highness of another Princess; when being introduced by his Grace the Duke of Queensberry, Lord of the Bedchamber in Waiting, Sir John Strange Kt. their Recorder, made their Compliments in the following Manner.

To the Prince of Wales.

*May it please your Royal Highness,*

THE Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London, most humbly present themselves before you, to congratulate your Royal Highness upon the safe Delivery of your illustrious Consort, and the Birth of another Princess: They consider every Addition to his Majesty's Family as an Increase of their own Happiness, and as a further Security that the Scepter shall not depart from his Royal House; an Event we are all so highly concerned to guard against.

It is with infinite Pleasure the Nation beholds your Royal Highness possessed of a most amiable Princess, mutually happy in each other, and both exhibiting that beautiful Example of conjugal and parental Affection, for which your Royal Highnesses are most justly admired: The happy Influence this has, and must continue to have, naturally excites our Gratitude, and, joined to numberless other high Qualifications, leaves no Room to doubt, but that your Royal Highnesses were particularly design'd by Providence, to continue to us the many Blessings of his Majesty's Reign.

No Part of the City of London can at any Time approach your Royal Highness without

