

Person, the Support of your Government, and the perpetual Felicity of your illustrious House.
Carlisle, March 12, 1743.

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Cornwall, has been presented to his Majesty by the Right Hon. the Lord Edgcombe, and Sir John St. Aubyn, Bart. one of their Representatives in Parliament, who were introduced by his Grace the Duke of Manchester, one of the Lords of his Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Cornwall, March 22, 1743-4.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most faithful Subjects, the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Cornwall, beg Leave to approach your Majesty, upon this critical Occasion, with Hearts full of Loyalty and Affection to your Royal Person and Government, and with the strongest Assurances of supporting your Majesty, with our Lives and Fortunes, against any Attempts that may be made to invade these Kingdoms, in Favour of a popish Pretender to your Majesty's Throne.

And tho' we lament our not having an earlier Opportunity of offering our Tribute of Zeal and Duty, there being no County more sincerely attached to your Majesty's Royal Family and Government, or that would be more forward in their Service; yet it affords us this peculiar Advantage, that we can now, with the greatest Satisfaction, congratulate your Majesty upon the full Testimony which the late rash Enterprize of France has produced to your Majesty and the whole World, that a King of Great Britain, reigning in the Hearts of a free People, is so securely seated upon his Throne, that, tho' Endeavours of this Kind may for a while alarm, they can in the End prove destructive only to those who are so rash as to presume, that a Nation, so passionately fond of Liberty, will yield to arbitrary and despotick Power.

And we beg Leave farther to assure your Majesty, that we are fully sensible, that, under the present happy Establishment and Government only, the Liberties of these Kingdoms can be secure; and we apprehend every Measure which may conciliate the Minds of your Majesty's Subjects to your Person and Government, will be absolutely necessary at this Time; and we shall be watchful and diligent, in our several Stations, to recommend Principles of Loyalty and Affection, and, as far as in us lies, discountenance and suppress all wanton Endeavours to disturb the settled Peace and Tranquility of our County,

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Cumberland, has been presented to his Majesty by the Right Hon. the Lord Vitcount Lonsdale, Lord Lieutenant of the said County: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, and Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Cumberland.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High Sheriff, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Cumberland, assembled at the City of Carlisle, the Seventeenth Day of March 1743, for putting the Laws in Execution against Papists, Reputed Papists, and Non-Jurors, in Obedience to your Majesty's Royal Proclamation, beg Leave to take this Opportunity of expressing our hearty Abhorrence and Detestation of the intended Invasion, and of all other Attempts against your Majesty's Person and Government.

We do, with Hearts full of Gratitude, assure your Majesty, that we are so truly sensible of the many and invaluable Blessings we enjoy in our Civil and Religious Rights and Liberties, under your Majesty's mild and just Government, that we think it our truest Interest, as well as Duty, tho' at the Hazard of every Thing dear to us, to endeavour, to the utmost of our Power, to support the Protestant Succession in your Majesty's most august House, against the Pretender and all his Adherents.

May that Providence, which has so often visibly interposed to preserve us from the avowed and secret Designs of our Enemies, give Success to your Majesty's Arms in the present Conjunction; may your Majesty long and peaceably reign over us; and may there never want a Prince, descended from your Majesty, to continue those Blessings to our latest Posterity, which we at present enjoy.

The following Address of the Mayor and Commonalty of the Borough of Dunheved otherwise Launceston, has been presented to his Majesty by Sir William Erby, Bart. one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of Manchester, one of the Lords of his Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Commonalty of the Borough of Dunheved otherwise Launceston, in the County of Cornwall.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, justly moved at the great Indignity