

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Capital Burgeses and principal Inhabitants of Bideford, has been presented to his Majesty by Lewis Stucley, Esq; their Recorder, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Lord Viscount Fauconberg, 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, Aldermen, Capital Burgeses and principal Inhabitants of Bideford.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Capital Burgeses and principal Inhabitants of Bideford, humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty on the glorious Success of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, against the Rebels in Scotland.

Without this Success, Britain might have had no other Security for the free Exercise of the Protestant Religion, but the Indulgence of Rome; and no other Security of her Trade and her ancient Rights and Liberties, but the Arbitrary Power of France; so that without this Success, our Church might have been reduced under the Dominion of a Vicar General of Rome, and our State and Civil Government under a French Vice-roy: But your Majesty, in abundant Goodness to your People, hath been pleased, by Means of a Royal Branch of your own illustrious Family, to deliver us from all these Dangers which threaten'd us.

May all Officers of this Realm, however dignified or distinguished, imitate the great and heroic Example of the Duke.—May they, with true Loyalty to your Majesty, and Duty to their Country, in their several Stations, behave as they ought to do.—And that your Majesty may long reign, for the Glory and Protection of Britain, and of all our just Rights and Liberties; and that all our Posterity may be blessed with a perpetual Succession of Royal Branches of your illustrious Family to the Crown of this Kingdom, for the Security of our glorious and happy Constitution, is our hearty and united Prayer.

The following Address of the Bailiff, Recorder, Bailiff's Peers and Burgeses of the Corporation of Wenlock, in the County of Salop, has been presented to his Majesty by Isaac Hawkins Brown and Brook Forrester, Esqrs. their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Hon. the Lord Viscount Fauconberg, 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.

WE the Bailiff, Recorder, Bailiff's Peers and Burgeses of your ancient and loyal Corporation of Wenlock, in the County of Salop, at our Common Hall assembled, beg Leave to join in the general Congratulations on the Success of your Majesty's Arms against the Rebels: An Event which cannot but give the highest Satisfaction to all who know the Value of being a Protestant and a Free People.

It was indeed astonishing to find, that any who call themselves Protestants, could be so far infatuated, as to renounce your Majesty's mild and gracious Protection, in Exchange for the worst of Calamities, Popery, and a Foreign Yoke.

But we promise ourselves, that the late Dangers to which we were exposed, will have no other Effect, than that of uniting your Majesty's faithful Subjects more strongly, if possible, in Support of their present Happiness; and that your Majesty's Government (far from being weakened by the Consequences of this intestine Mischief) will derive new Strength and Stability from those very Means that were used to subvert it.

Permit us, Sir, to acknowledge your Goodness, in appointing his Royal Highness the Duke to put in Force those Measures which your Majesty's Wisdom had formed for the publick Safety.

And though it could not be doubted but that this Rebellion would end in the Confusion of those engaged in it; yet the putting so speedy and so seasonable an End to it, was a Task worthy of his Royal Highness to undertake, and to be expected only from his distinguished Vigilance, Courage and Conduct.

May your Majesty and your Royal Progeny continue to reign over these Kingdoms till Time shall be no more.

And may there never be wanting to your Majesty's Successors a Descendant of your Royal House to go forth with their Armies, and to be at once an Ornament to their Throne, and a Defence to their People.

Given under the Common Seal of our said Corporation, the sixth Day of June, in the Nineteenth Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Burgeses and principal Inhabitants of the Corporation of Chipping Wycombe in the County of Bucks, has been presented to his Majesty by Edmund Waller, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament,