

common Unanimity and Dispatch by your Majesty's Wisdom and unwearied Application.

Truly sensible of these great Advantages, we make it our ardent Wish, that your Majesty may long live to enjoy the Hearts and Affections of your People, those natural Consequences of a Reign signalized by your constant Regard and Endeavour for their Happiness and Prosperity.

Given under common Seal this Seventeenth Day of January, in the Twenty-second Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor, Jurats, and Principal Inhabitants of the Corporation of Gravesend and Milton, in the County of Kent, has been presented to his Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Delawar. Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Jurats, and Principal Inhabitants of the Corporation of Gravesend and Milton, in the County of Kent, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Jurats, and Principal Inhabitants of the Corporation of Gravesend and Milton, beg Leave, with the most unfeigned Loyalty, to approach your Royal Presence, and congratulate you on your safe Arrival to your British Dominions.

Truly sensible of the powerful Influence you have had, and the generous Assiduity you have bestowed in promoting and finishing the great Work of Peace, we tender to you our sincerest Thanks upon that happy Event.

How conspicuous will the World behold your Majesty's high Character in succeeding Annals, as a firm Ally, the Defender of the Liberty of Europe, and the Restorer of its Tranquility,

Happy under your most auspicious Reign, we hope a long Continuance of it, and that the Crown of these Realms may adorn the Head of a Descendant from your Royal and Illustrious House till Time shall be no more.

Given under the great Seal of our Corporation in Town Hall, the 12th of January, 1748.

The following Address of the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New Sarum, has been presented to his Majesty by William Bouverie and Edward Poore, Esqrs. 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.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New Sarum in Common Council assembled, most humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty on your safe and happy Return to these your British Dominions.

Your Majesty's tender and paternal Regard for the Rights and Interests of your Subjects, and your religious Observation of the Faith of Treaties, was not more visible in your Majesty's entering into the just and necessary War, in which you have been engaged, than in your constant and unwearied Endeavours to procure a safe and honourable Peace for us and our Allies: And as we are bound in Gratitude to return your Majesty our most sincere and hearty Thanks for the many Blessings we have enjoyed under your mild and auspicious Reign, so in a particular Manner we are engaged to render your Majesty our most grateful Acknowledgments, for bringing about this great and important Event, where so many jarring Interests were concerned.

Truly sensible of this invaluable Blessing, we shall make it our Study so to cultivate the Arts of Peace, that it may redound no less to the Honour and Security of your Majesty, than to the Improvement of the Trade and Commerce of this Kingdom. And to this End we shall ever pray, that your Majesty may continue long to reign over us; that your Peace and Tranquility may never more be disturbed, either by Foreign Wars or Domestick Insurrections. Given under our Common Seal this 31st Day of December, in the Year of our Lord 1748.

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Capital Burgeses of the Borough of Stamford in the County of Lincoln, has been presented to his Majesty by John Proby, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Ashburnham, 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, and Capital Burgeses of the Borough of Stamford, in the County of Lincoln,

WE your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, most humbly congratulate your Majesty upon your safe Arrival in your British Dominions.

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