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THE following Address of the Mayor, Burgesſes, and Commonalty of the City of Briſtol, has been preſented to His Maſteſty by Robert Nugent, Eſq; one of their Representatives in Parliament: Which Addeſs His Maſteſty was pleaſed to receive very graciously.

To the King's moſt Excellent Maſteſty,
The humble Addeſs of the Mayor, Burgesſes, and Commonalty of the City of Briſtol, in Common-Council aſſembled.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

YOUR moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Burgesſes, and Commonalty of the City of Briſtol, in Common-Council aſſembled, moſt humbly beſeech Your Maſteſty to accept their ſincere Congratulation upon the rapid and victorious Progreſs of your Maſteſty's Arms, eſpecially in this laſt important Event, of reducing to your Obedience the ſtrong City of Quebec, the Capital of the French Dominions in North America.

We never can ſufficiently acknowledge, amongſt the numerous Inſtances of your Royal Magnanimity, and the Firmneſs and Wiſdom of your Councils, your not being diverted by any Circumſtance whatever, from pushing this juſt and neceſſary War in ſo vigorous and eſſectual a Manner, in Support of the Common Liberties of Europe, and the undoubted Rights and Interests of your Kingdoms: For the late amazing and ſpirited Succesſes of your Maſteſty's Forces by Sea and Land, adding Conqueſt to Conqueſt through the four Quarters of the Globe, muſt manifeſt to all the World, that your Maſteſty, at the Head of a brave and united People, hath ample Power for the Chaſtiſement of faithleſs Nations.

But what redounds moſt to the Britiſh Glory, is your Maſteſty's Moderation in Victory, and Diſinterreſtedneſs in the Uſe you make of it, ſince, amidſt the Horrors of War, your gallant Commanders remember the Rights of Humanity, and inſtantly afford both Safety and Protection to the Conquer'd: Though indeed every Thing that is generous and noble, is ever to be expected from thoſe who act under your Maſteſty's immediate Orders, and are animated by your great Example.

May your Maſteſty long live the Favourite of Heaven, the Patron of Liberty, and the mighty Avenger of publick Wrongs: And may you long poſſeſs the Hearts and Affections of your faithful Subjects, who, truly ſenſible of the Bleſſings and Security they have enjoyed through your Maſteſty's auſpicious Reign, are ready to riſe up as one Man in Defence of your Royal Perſon, Family, and Government, againſt every hostile Attempt of your Enemies.

The following Addeſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the City of Exeter, having been tranſmitted by Richard

Jackſon, Eſq; Mayor of Exeter, to the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary Pitt, has by him been preſented to His Maſteſty: Which Addeſs His Maſteſty was pleaſed to receive very graciously.

To the King's moſt Excellent Maſteſty,
The humble Addeſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the City of Exeter, in Chamber aſſembly.

May it please your moſt Excellent Maſteſty,

WE your Maſteſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of your City of Exeter, humbly beg Leave to preſs into your Royal Preſence, and to renew our moſt ſincere Congratulations on that continued Series of repeated Succesſes, with which it hath pleaſed the Divine Providence to crown the Juſtice of your Maſteſty's Arms, on the ſeveral glorious Advantages they have, within the Compaſs of theſe laſt twelve Months, obtained in every Part of the World; and more eſpecially on the lateſt and moſt important of them all, the Deſeat of the French Army under the Walls of Quebec, and the Reduction of that City, the Capital and Key of all the French Eſtabliſhments on the Continent of America, and the Place of Arms from whence have iſſued all thoſe Expeditions, which have ſo cruelly ravaged and laid Waſte the Frontiers of your Maſteſty's Colonies: The Activity, the Reſolution, and the good Conduct of the ſeveral Commanders employed by your Maſteſty, together with the irrefiſtible Bravery and Diſcipline of your Forces both by Sea and Land, have raiſed the Glory of the Britiſh Arms to the higheſt Pitch, and will ever diſtinguiſh this Illuſtrious Year to the lateſt Poſterity.

On this Occaſion of general Joy, may we be permitted to do Juſtice to the uncommon Merit of our late brave Fellow Citizen, the gallant Leader of your Maſteſty's Troops on this difficult and hazardous Enterprize, by teſtifying our deep Concern and Regret at the Loſs of a General, whoſe intrepid Courage, extenſive Abilities, and indefatigable Activity, ſeem to have marked him out as one of thoſe very few Perſons, deſtined by Nature to reach the utmoſt Heights of Military Glory.

In the Miſt of our Exultation on the amazing Progreſs of your Victorious Arms, we ſhould be wanting both in Duty and Gratitude, if we did not aſcribe it, under God, chiefly to the Wiſdom, the Steadiſneſs, and the Patriotiſm of your Maſteſty's Councils, ever invariably directed to promote the National Interests, and demonſtrating, with a Conviction not to be reſiſted, that your Maſteſty can have no other Views, no other Sentiments, than thoſe which fill the Breaſt of the true Father of his People. This paternal Character, ſo conſpicious in every Meaſure your Maſteſty purſues, hath enabled your Maſteſty to achieve another Conqueſt, of all others the moſt Valuable, and perhaps the moſt Difficult, and added a Glory to your Reign, of which very few of your Royal Predeceſſors