

noured with the Nativity of that Excellent Princess Elizabeth, through whom the Government of those Realms has been happily established in your Majesty's Illustrious Family.

We feel and sincerely lament the sudden Loss of our late most just and gracious Sovereign: But we also share the Consolation, which springs in every British Heart, from a pleasing Review of His long and happy Reign, and from the certain Prospect of glorious Years to come under the Government of a Prince, who unites the Prudence and Virtues of Age, to the active Spirit and Vigour of Youth.

It is with the utmost Satisfaction we already begin to feel the happy Effects of those noble and generous Sentiments so early implanted in your Royal Breast, by that amiable Prince who gave you Birth; and which have been so happily confirmed by the illustrious Example of his Royal Consort: And on this secure and auspicious Foundation we build the firmest Confidence and Belief, that the same just Principles of Government, the Principles of Moderation and Justice in Peace, and of publick Virtue and Constancy in War, which sustained His late Majesty's long and prosperous Reign to a glorious Conclusion, will continue to animate, and still more illustriously distinguish, the Measures of your Majesty's Administration, and that every publick Blessing, which the best Form of Government in the World, under a wise and virtuous Direction, can produce, will be assured to this powerful Nation, by your Majesty's happy Accession to the Throne of your Native Country.

Signed by our Provoest at our Desire, at Dunfermline, the first Day of December, 1760 Years.

Ed. Turnbull, Provoest.

The following Address of the Magistrates and Councillors of the Borough of Pellinweem, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,
The humble Address of the Magistrates and Councillors of the Borough of Pellinweem.

May it please your Majesty,

TO permit us your most dutiful and faithful Subjects, the Magistrates and Councillors of the Borough of Pellinweem,

To condole with your Majesty for the afflicting Loss, which you and the Nation have sustained by the Death of your Royal Grandfather;

And in the most respectful Manner, to congratulate your Majesty on that important Event, your happy Accession to the Throne.

Humanity, the Love of Justice, tempered with Benevolence and Moderation; a Zeal for the Cultivation of Learning, Piety, and Morals, accompanied with a Solicitude for the Preservation of Civil and Religious Liberty; a cautious Prudence to plan, and a Firmness of Mind to execute, are those Qualities, which most adorn a Crown.

And we have been taught, from your Majesty's Education, from the Fame of your Virtues, and from the universal Acclamations of a happy People, to expect, Sir, that these will distinguish and dignify your Reign.

The entire Union of the Hearts and Affections of your Subjects, promises at once Tranquility to your Majesty, and Prosperity to this Kingdom; and the Confidence which they unanimously place in your Majesty's Wisdom, for conducting, with Spirit and Vigour, the various Operations of War, at the most critical Conjunction, we flatter ourselves will induce your faithful Subjects to contribute, with Cheerfulness, the Supplies necessary to insure a glorious and a lasting Peace.

That the Almighty Protector of Kings and Kingdoms may long preserve your Majesty on the Throne of Great Britain, and thereby furnish your Majesty with a lasting Series of Opportunities of gratifying that noblest of all Desires, which glows with Fervency in your Royal Breast, the Desire of rendering your People glorious and happy, is our ardent Prayer.

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The following Address of the Mayor and Commonalty, Clergy, and other principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Helston, has been presented to His Majesty by Francis Godolphin and John Evelyn, Esqrs. their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord 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, Clergy, and other principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Helston, in Cornwall.

May it please your Majesty,

TO accept the humble Congratulations of your Majesty's faithful Subjects, the Mayor and Commonalty, Clergy, and other principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Helston, on your Majesty's happy Accession to the British Throne, and at the same Time, in Honour of his heroic Virtues, permit us to drop a Tear of Gratitude to the glorious Memory of your Royal Grandfather, our late Illustrious Sovereign.

It is with the highest Admiration and Joy, that we see the same exalted Virtues implanted in your Royal Breast, already most effectually providing for your own Glory, and the Happiness of your Kingdoms. For, if the Divine Favour be the most fruitful Source of Blessings to a People; if to possess the Hearts of free-born Subjects, be the justest Cause of Glory to a Prince, what new Felicities may we not expect, what unrivalled Lustre must adorn your Crown, whose first Royal Mandate directly tended to secure the one; and whose first endearing Declarations to your Parliament cannot but command the other.

Happy in these early Proofs of your Majesty's affectionate Attachment to your native Country, how shall a grateful People better express their Sense of your Royal Goodness, than by cheerfully contributing their most zealous Efforts to oppose the ambitious Designs of your Enemies, and support the Cause of your faithful Allies? Enemies, who, as if delighted with the Ravages of War, obstinately reject the Offers of Accommodation; for which alone your Majesty's victorious Sword remains unsheathed.

May your Majesty be enabled successfully to accomplish this great End; and after a long and prosperous Reign over this favoured People, may you, still happier than your Glorious Grandfather, transmit your Kingdoms to a Prince of your own illustrious Family in greater Splendour, Wealth and Peace!

Given under our Hands, and the Common Seal of this Borough, the 11th Day of December, 1760.

The following Address of the Bailiff, Burgeses, and Inhabitants, of the Borough of Luggershall, has been presented to His Majesty by Edward Herbert, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord 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 Bailiff, Burgeses, and Inhabitants of the Borough of Luggershall, in the County of Wilts.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bailiff and others the Burgeses and Inhabitants of your ancient Borough of Luggershall, beg Leave, in the humblest Manner, to approach your Royal Presence, that we may not be wanting at this Juncture, in our Assurances of the most unfeigned and zealous Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government; and that we, with others, may be permitted to add our Tribute of Condolence to that united Concern, which has been expressed in these Kingdoms for the Loss of our late Most Excellent Sovereign; a Loss which we equally have felt with the rest of our Fellow-Subjects,