

The following Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burrow of Kirkcudbright, 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 Town Council of the Burrow of Kirkcudbright, in Council assembled.

**W** E the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burrow of Kirkcudbright, beg Leave, with all Humility, to approach your Royal Throne, and in the most hearty and sincere Manner, to express the deep and lively Sense of the Happiness these Kingdoms enjoy, from the many Blessings consequent from the glorious Revolution under the Conduct of His Majesty King William, of immortal Memory, who rescued these Kingdoms from Popery, and its inseparable Attendants, Slavery, and Arbitrary Power, and settled the Crown on the illustrious House of Hanover, by whom they have been governed for near half a Century, under the greatest Ease and Prosperity.

We beg Leave to take Notice further of another happy Consequence of that memorable Era, that our Princes ever since have, more from their Zeal to the Protestant Religion, than any other Motive, been happily matched into the Families of Protestant Princes, which hath prevented the fatal Effects of the contrary Practice, severely felt by these Kingdoms, before that happy Period.

It is with the highest Pleasure and Satisfaction, that we observe, that your Majesty hath been wisely directed by unerring Providence, to chuse a Royal Consort from an illustrious Protestant House, who enjoys, in Perfection, every amiable Quality, which can adorn the Sex.

That Almighty God, by whom Kings reign, and Princes decree Justice, may bless your Sacred Majesty, and Her Majesty the Queen, with long and happy Lives together, in the full Enjoyment of all Conjugal Felicity; and that there never may be wanting a Prince sprung from the Royal Bed, endowed with every good Quality, to rule these Kingdoms with Justice and Splendor, to latest Posterity, is and ever shall be the fervent Prayer of,

Your Majesty's most faithful, loyal, and obedient Subjects.

Subscribed in Presence of  
the Council, and at their  
Desire, } by Will. Gordoun, Provost.

The following Address of the Justices of the Peace, and other Gentlemen of the County of Drumfries, has been presented to His Majesty by Major General Douglass, their Representative 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 Justices of the Peace, and other Gentlemen of the County of Drumfries.

Most gracious Sovereign,

**W** E your Majesty's most loyal and faithful Subjects, the Justices of the Peace, and other Gentlemen of the County of Drumfries, assembled at Drumfries this Eighteenth Day of November, in the Year One thousand seven hundred and sixty-one, beg Leave to approach your Throne with our most sincere Congratulations on the happy Event of your Majesty's auspicious Marriage with a Protestant Princess, illustrious by Descent, as well as distinguished by personal Accomplishments and amiable Virtues, truly worthy of a British Crown.

While your Majesty's Arms have been employed Abroad in spreading the Terrors and Glory of the British Name, and your mild and constitutional Government at Home, has excited the warmest Sentiments of Gratitude and Affection in the Minds of a happy and united People, with Exultation we enjoy the Hopes of our Felicity being secured to us under the Protection of your Royal Line; and with unfeigned Pleasure behold the publick Cares of Government sweetened to your Majesty by the Joys of domestic Happiness.

That the Almighty God may long preserve your Majesty to be a Blessing to your People; that He may bestow upon your Majesty a numerous Progeny, distinguished by the Virtues and Glory of their Ancestors; and that under the Government of your Majesty's illustrious Line, the British Name and Liberty may endure till Time shall be no more, is our sincere Wish, and most ardent Prayer.

Signed in our Presence, and by our Appointment,  
by Will. Maxwell, Proves.

*Wesel, December 7.* The Regiment of Count Horion, that makes Part of this Garrison, has received Orders to march to Lille, without staying any where to recruit; which makes it probable, that Regiment is to be broken or incorporated.

Royal Bavaria is shortly expected here to reinforce our Garrison.

*Liege, Dec. 9.* The French Commandant, who had promised the Magistrates, this City should not be burdened with any more Troops than what are already here, and that even the State should not be incommoded by the Passage of the other Regiments, has now insinuated to the Privy-Council, that it is necessary two Swiss Regiments should have their Winter Quarters in this City.

*Hagus, Dec. 11.* By our last Letters from the Head Quarters of the Allied Army at Hildesheim, dated the 5th Instant, we learn, that the Troops, which compose it, were marching off successively to their respective Winter Quarters: And from Cassel we learn, that Marshal Broglio, having abandoned Nordheim, was fallen back upon the Werra, the French Army being gone into Winter Quarters likewise.

*St. James's, December 14.*

The King has been pleased to continue and appoint the Right Honourable James Marquess of Kildare, to be Major General of His Majesty's Forces.

Major General John Stanwix, to be Colonel of the 49th Regiment of Foot.

Marcus Smith, Esq; and James Prevost, Esq; to be Colonels of Battalions in the 60th, or Royal American, Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General Sir Jeffery Amherst.

Richard Prescott, Esq; to be Lieutenant Colonel; Moses Corbett, Esq; to be Major; Thomas Brisbane, Esq; to be Captain; Philip Despard, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant; and ——— Devereaux, and Timothy Edwards, Gents. to be Lieutenants, in the 17th Regiment of Foot commanded by Lieutenant General Lord Robert Bertie.

Thomas Gwilliam, Esq; to be Lieutenant Colonel of the 50th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Edward Carr.

Edward Matthew, Esq; and Thomas Bate, Esq; to be Lieutenant Colonels of Foot in the Army.

James Paterson, Esq; to be Major of the 19th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Lord George Beauclerk.

James Forrester, Esq; to be Second Major; George Tash, and Thomas More Molineux, Esqrs. to be Captains; William Wynyard, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant; Lord Hinchinbrooke, and Thomas

Needham.