

Hand of All-ruling Providence that has so completely crowned the Wishes of our most August Sovereign, and the Desires of His People, in this Auspicious Earnest of a long Continuance of their Happiness under his Majesty's Illustrious House.

As we firmly trust, that the Divine Goodness will long preserve this valuable Blessing to us, we think it our indispensable as well as most interesting Duty, to offer up our most fervent Prayers to Almighty God, that He will crown your Majesty's inestimable Life with the choicest of His Heavenly Bounties, as well as with all temporal Prosperity, and extend your happy Union, with our Gracious King, to the longest Date; that so, the World may long enjoy the Benefit of your Illustrious Example, and your Majesty prove a lasting Blessing, and Support to the whole Protestant Church, and all the Nations under His Majesty's most gracious Sway.

The following Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burrow of Kirkcudbright, has been presented to Her Majesty: Which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty,

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

MAY it please your Majesty to permit us, your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects, with all due Veneration and Humility, to approach your Majesty's most Sacred Person, and express the great Joy and hearty Satisfaction we very sensibly feel upon our Royal Sovereign the King's Majesty's being happily joined to a Princess, endowed with all the amiable and virtuous Qualities which can adorn the Sex, and descended of Princely Ancestors, ever inviolably attached to the Protestant Religion and Liberties of their Country.

That your Majesty and our Royal Sovereign the King may live long together in all Manner of Happiness, and may, along with these Kingdoms, be blessed in a numerous and hopeful Issue to govern these Nations, an happy and loyal People; to latest Posterity, is, and ever shall be, the most earnest and hearty Prayer of,

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

Subscribed in Presence of }
the Council, at their } by *Will. Gordoun, Provost.*
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Leicester House, December 26.

The following Address of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Norfolk, has been presented to her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales by the Right Hon. the Earl of Orford, Lord Lieutenant of the said County: Which Address her Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously.

To her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales.

May it please your Royal Highness,

TO accept the humble Congratulations of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Nobility, Gentry, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Norfolk, on the Marriage of their most gracious Sovereign. It is with the sincerest Gratitude they look up to your Royal Highness as the Source, from whence they derive the greatest Blessing any Nation can enjoy; a Patriot King, reigning in the Hearts of all His Subjects; it is therefore with the greatest Joy they address your Royal Highness, on seeing

that King allied to, and rewarded with so amiable a Princess, as cannot but afford the most pleasing Prospect for His Happiness, as well as of the Continuance of theirs.

Long may your Royal Highness live to see and enjoy the happy Effects of your parental Care; and may the Giver of all good Gifts bless this auspicious Alliance with a Succession of Princes, to inherit their Majesties Crown and Virtues, and to transmit these, together with the Felicity of their grateful Subjects, to all succeeding Ages.

The following Address of the Justices of the Peace, and other Gentlemen of the County of Drumfries, has been presented to her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales by Major General Douglass, their Representative in Parliament: Which Address her Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously.

To her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of Wales,

The humble Address of the Justices of the Peace, and other Gentlemen of the County of Drumfries.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE His Majesty's most loyal 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 congratulate your Royal Highness on the happy Nuptials of your Illustrious Son, our most Gracious Sovereign.

The Virtues and Accomplishments of their Majesties, which have made them happy in each other, at the same Time that they afford the highest Satisfaction to your Royal Highness, have opened to us a Source of inexpressible Joy, in the Prospect of our present Happiness, and Security being perpetuated.

May their Majesties long continue to reap the Fruits of their Virtues, in an uninterrupted Course of conjugal Felicity: May they be blessed with a numerous Offspring; and may your Royal Highness's Maternal Care be rewarded by your participating, during the Course of a long and happy Life, the Glories of the Reign of your Illustrious Son, and beholding the Virtues of His Progeny.

Signed in our Presence and by our Appointment,
by *William Maxwell, Præses.*

St. James's, December 26.

The following Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Fortrose, has been presented to their Majesties by Sir Alexander Grant, Bart. their Representative in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Address Their Majesties was pleased to receive very graciously.

To their most Excellent Majesties the King and the Queen.

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Fortrose, in Council assembled.

May it please the King and the Queen,

GRACIOUSLY to receive our warmest and most dutiful Congratulations, upon the late very interesting and joyous Event of the Marriage of our Sovereign, with the illustrious and accomplished Princess, now the Queen Consort; an Event, which gives the most sensible Pleasure to Britons; especially, as it contributes so much to the domestic Happiness of their beloved Monarch, in whom they glory, as having been the Son and darling Charge of Great Britain, ere He became the Sovereign and Father of His Country; over which He rules not more by

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