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St. James's, August 26.

THE following Address of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of the Colony of New York, having been transmitted by Sir Henry Moore, Bart. Governor of New-York, has been presented to the King by the Earl of Shelburne, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble and dutiful Address of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of the Colony of New-York.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majesty's faithful Subjects, the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of your Colony of New-York, ever anxious to give the highest Demonstration of their Loyalty and Affection to their gracious Sovereign, beg Leave to approach the Throne, and with the greatest Humility to express those Sentiments of Gratitude, excited in all your American Subjects by the late and distinguishing Mark of Royal Tenderness and Clemency, so conspicuous in your Majesty's Assent to the Repeal of a Law, replete with Consequences the most distressing to the Inhabitants of these your Colonies.

With Joy undisssembled we reflect on an Event so happily tending to dispel every Jealousy between your Majesty's British and American Subjects; to revive their Commercial Inter-course; to confirm their wonted Confidence; and to strengthen that Union, which must continue indissoluble while supported by an equal Distribution of Rights, a just Dependence upon, and a due Subordination of the Colonies to the Mother-Country.

Permit us, most Gracious Sovereign, while we exult in your Paternal Protection, to testify, at the same Time, our Veneration and Gratitude to your Majesty's Parliament; and to offer those dutiful Acknowledgments, which the Wisdom, Justice, and Moderation of that August Body, displayed on this memorable Occasion, so justly demand.

Could any Thing augment our Zeal for your Majesty's Person and Family, it must be this recent and affecting Proof of the Royal Benefi-

cence—Animated with a lively Sense of Duty to the best of Kings, we shall use our utmost Influence to support and strengthen your Majesty's Government, and set an Example to the People of an unremitting Exertion in the Defence of your Sacred Person, and in the Maintenance of the Protestant Succession; most ardently wishing, that there never may be wanting a Prince of your Majesty's Illustrious Line to reign over your extensive Dominions.

New-York, June 24, 1766. *H. Moore.*

By Order of the Council,
Dan. Horsmanden, Speaker.
By Order of the General Assembly,
W. Nicoll, Speaker.

Florence, August 2. On Friday last the Nobility and Foreign Ministers were admitted to pay their Compliments of Condolence to the Great Dutchess on the Death of the Queen Dowager of Spain.

The Great Duke has ordered an Apartment to be prepared in one of his Palaces in Town, for the Reception of the Hereditary Prince of Brunswick, in Case his Serene Highness should come hither.

Sir James Macdonald died at Rome the 26th past, after a tedious Illness.

Marine Pay-Office, Craig's-Court, Charing-Cross, August 26, 1766.

In Pursuance of the Direction of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the Paymaster of His Majesty's Marine Forces hereby gives Notice, that on Monday next, being the 1st of September, will be issued at this Office Six Months Half-Pay due to the Reduced Officers of the said Forces, from the 1st of January to the 30th of June last inclusive.

Dovor Harbour.

Pursuant to an Order of the Honourable Warden and Assistants of the Harbour of Dovor, Notice is hereby given, that from and after the 10th Day of September next, for the Convenience of Ships passing and repassing, and coming into the said Harbour, Two Lights (instead of one as at present) will be fixed on the South Head of the said Harbour, at the Distance of Ten Foot one above the other, in order that they may be more easily distinguished from the Lights in the Town. Dated the 21st Day of August, 1766.

Jeg^a Wellard, Receiver.