

Eq; 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 Magistrates and Town-Councils of the Royal Boroughs of Kinghorn, Dyfart, Kirkaldy, and Burntisland.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Councils of the Royal Boroughs of Kinghorn, Dyfart, Kirkaldy, and Burntisland, most humbly beg Leave to address your Majesty, in order to express our Indignation at that Spirit of Sedition which designing Men have, by false Suggestions, propagated too successfully among some Part of your Majesty's Subjects.

We most humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we shall always be ready to support, at the Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes, that Government, and the Execution of those Laws, under which we and our Fathers have enjoyed so much Happiness and Security.

Signed in Name and by the Appointment of the respective Boroughs:

Robert Hamilton, Provost of Kinghorn.

Tho. Spittal, First Baillie of Dyfart.

Robert Whyt, Provost of Kirkaldy.

Alexander Ritchie, First Baillie of Burntisland.

Stockholm, April 7. There was Yesterday a public Thanksgiving for the Recovery of the Royal Family from the Small-Pox. Their Swedish Majesties went to the Great Church, when a solemn Te Deum was sung, and in the Evening there was a Gala at Court.

Florence, April 8. The Great Duke left Rome on the 3d Instant, and arrived here on the 6th, though, by the excessive bad Weather, and the Swelling of some Torrents, his Royal Highness was obliged to stop many Hours on the Road. The great Entertainments, which the Nobility of Rome gave to the Great Duke, were continued to the last Day of his Royal Highness's Stay there. That of Prince Doria is said to have greatly exceeded all the others in Magnificence; for, though his House (known by the Name of the Palace Panfilii) is one of the largest in Rome, he raised a Flooring over the great Court-yard, level with the Apartments, and by that Means formed a great Hall; into which, by cutting down the Windows, and converting them into Doors, the Company entered: All this, and the Furnishing of it, was performed under the Direction of Van Vitelli, an ingenious Architect, in the Space of two Days. Prince Doria had before given one great Entertainment to the Great Duke.

Copenhagen, April 8. The Palace of Fridiricksborg, in this Neighbourhood, is now fitting up for the Reception of their Danish Majesties, who propose removing to it the Beginning of next Month. This Court goes into Mourning To-morrow for the late Dutchess of Anhalt Bernbourg.

Copenhagen, April 15. Baron Bulow, who had the Honour of accompanying his Danish Majesty in his late Tour, has been just invested with the Order of Dannebrog.

Hamburg, April 14. The Marquis de Blausset, the French Minister at the Court of Denmark, arrived here last Tuesday, and set out the next Morning on his Return to Copenhagen.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,
February 25, 1769.

Whereas several Persons, who were appointed Agents for the Sale of Prizes taken from the Enemy by His Majesty's Ships during the late War, and for the Distribution of Bounty-Money to the Companies of such of the said Ships as were entitled thereto, have neglected to transmit to the Treasurer of this Hospital, or to his Deputy, an Account of the Produce and Pay-

ment of such Prizes and Bounty-Money, and to pay over the forfeited and unclaimed Shares thereof, agreeable to the Acts of Parliament in that Case made and provided: This is therefore to give Notice, that the Directors of this Hospital are determined to proceed, with the utmost Severity of the Law, against all such Persons as shall any longer neglect or refuse to send in their Accounts to the said Treasurer or his Deputy, and to pay over the Amount of such forfeited and unclaimed Shares, as aforesaid.

Jn^o. Ibbetson.

Whitehall, April 15, 1769.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that an anonymous threatening Letter was received by Mr. William Shepherd, Baize-maker, at Cocksidge near Plymouth in the County of Devon, on Sunday the 9th Instant, directed as hereunder, containing the Words and Letters following.

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" Mr. William Shepard

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" Plymouth.

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" Mr Shepard

" Sir,

" We your humbel servants do most humbly and devoute-beg- of you this favour Sir, Please to put the sum of ten Guineas or ten Pounds ten shillings, in a hole in the Wall Right againts Mr brents Prison dore or otherwise Giff as you come up the Lane from your houfe, a littel way up there is Big itone put for your Mark. Right up over the stone is a lock of hay, put the money in there—Put the money in there and put the hay in to the hole again wiht the mony this Knight—bening funday night or Els fir your horses shall be shot or Poifened and we will set fire to your houfe and all belonging to you and every thing you have we will Barn or Destroy in time if not soon your horses shall be Destroyd we will shote them or Poifen them. So I desire you will Put the Money there to nigh

We remain your undon Friends

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" By God we will Do as we have Writ if you dont do us this favour

" K. K. "

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in Writing or Sending the said anonymous threatening Letter, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any Person or Persons concerned, (except the Person or Persons who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And, as a farther Encouragement, the said William Shepherd does hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person or Persons, (except he before excepted) who shall make such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by

Tho. Bell, Bermoudsey-Street.

Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office.

The Directors give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Members of this Society will be held at their Office in Angel-Court on Snow-Hill, on Thursday the 17th Day of May next, at Three in the Afternoon.

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