

the same Time, that no Kingdom can rise to Prosperity but through the Establishment of internal Peace, we are determined to check the Progress of Disorder by every Means in our Power. No Effort of Combination or Force shall divert our decided Resolution to secure the Rights of all our Fellow Subjects, and effectually to maintain the Civil and Religious Constitutions of the State. The Support of the Established Church, and of the respectable Situation of it's Ministers, is an Object of the most essential Importance, and inseparably connected with the Security of all our dearest Interests: We can never, therefore, be wanting either in Attention or Zeal to defend them, by investing your Majesty's Government with every requisite and adequate Authority, relying upon the Prudence and Humanity of a Chief Governor, whose amiable and steady Virtues have entirely engaged our Attachment and Confidence.

We shall cheerfully make the necessary Provisions for the Exigencies of the State, and the honorable Support of your Majesty's Government.

We shall lose no Time in investigating those Advantages which may be derived from our enacting of Laws for the further Increase of Shipping and Navigation.

We humbly offer our Acknowledgments to your Majesty for your gracious Communication of the Treaty of Navigation and Commerce, which your Majesty has concluded with the Most Christian King: We have no Doubt of the Attention, which has been shewn therein, to our particular Situation and Interests; and we must be naturally anxious to adopt any Measure which, by engaging the Nation in new Objects of Emulation and Industry, promises thereby to open another Source of Wealth and Prosperity.

We shall not neglect a judicious Encouragement of our Linen and other Manufactures. The Protestant Charter Schools and other public Institutions for charitable Purposes will command our Attention, and we shall not fail in applying ourselves to the important Object of a general Improvement of Education.

Encouraged in our Endeavours for the Public Good by your Majesty's auspicious Recommendation and Patronage, we shall omit no Exertion in furthering the great Purposes for which we are assembled, and consulting the Glory of your Majesty's Reign by securing the Peace of your Kingdom and exalting it's Prosperity.

E. Cooke, Cler. Parl. Dom. Com.

His Grace the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

*I Will immediately transmit this dutiful and loyal Address to be laid before His Majesty.*

To His Grace Charles Duke of Rutland, Lord Lieutenant General, and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled.

*May it please your Grace,*

**W**E, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, beg Leave to return your Grace our sincere Thanks for your Speech from the Throne, and to express our Gratitude to His Majesty for continuing to us a Chief Governor, whose Spirit, directed by the Laws, and whose Justice, tempered with Humanity, render him peculiarly, under the present Circumstances, the Object of our warmest Attachment and Confidence.

We have seen with Indignation the violent and iniquitous Proceedings of a deluded Multitude, who in some Parts of the Kingdom have invaded the Property of the Subject and insulted the Authority of the Laws. Our Zeal for Religious and Civil Liberty will necessarily direct our Attention to suppress, by vigorous and decisive Councils, that Spirit of Outrage and Disobedience, which strikes at the Foun-

ation of all Property and personal Security, and threatens alike the Constitution of our Church and State. Your Grace's earnest Endeavours to restore and maintain the Publick Tranquillity deserve our warmest Thanks, and your Grace may depend upon our ready Concurrence in every Measure which may be requisite effectually to vindicate the Laws and protect Society.

We shall immediately take into Consideration what Measures may be proper to confirm to this Country the Advantages to be derived from a further Increase of Shipping and Navigation. We are confident that His Majesty's gracious Regard to the Interests and Welfare of this Kingdom will appear manifested in the Treaty concluded by His Majesty with the Most Christian King, and we shall apply ourselves to prepare such Laws as may be necessary to give it Effect, trusting that the Advantages it offers will powerfully excite the National Emulation and Industry.

The Trade and Manufactures, and especially the Linen Manufacture of this Kingdom, as well as the Protestant Charter Schools, and other public Institutions for charitable Purposes, shall be the Object of our Care, Protection and Encouragement; and we shall gladly forward a liberal and extensive Plan for the Improvement of Education.

The Experience which we have had of your Grace's Government excites our grateful Acknowledgments, and we shall endeavour to prove our Sense of Obligation by studying in all Things the Ease and Honor of your Grace's Administration.

Wm. Watt, Gayer, } Cler. Parliament.  
Edw. Gayer, }

His Grace's Answer.

*I Request you to accept my sincere Thanks for this obliging Address. It shall be the constant Object of my Ambition to merit a Continuance of your Approbation by suppressing, as far as the Laws enable me, every Attempt against the Peace and Security of Society, and by strenuously protecting and preserving the Constitution in Church and State.*

To His Grace Charles Duke of Rutland, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens, and Burghesses, in Parliament assembled.

*May it please your Grace,*

**W**E, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg Leave humbly to return your Grace our sincere Thanks for your Speech from the Throne.

It is with the most sincere Pleasure we embrace this fresh Opportunity of renewing to your Grace our most cordial Assurance of Duty and Attention to your Person, and of repeating our high Sense of your Virtues, our warm Approbation of your Grace's Administration, and the Gratitude we owe to His Majesty for continuing in the Government of this Kingdom a Nobleman who has rendered himself so deservedly beloved by the Nation.

With equal Concern and Indignation we have observed the Continuance of those Commotions and Outrages in some Parts of the Kingdom, which tend to disgrace the Character and injure the Credit of the Nation, and are so destructive of all the Benefits which might arise from the Blessings of internal good Order, and the Spirit of honest Industry. Your Grace may rest assured of our determined Resolution to vindicate the Laws from insult and Violation, and to insure an effectual Protection to Society. Our uniform Regard for the Rights of all our Fellow Subjects, and our zealous Attachment to the Religious and Civil Constitutions of our Country, convince us of the strong Necessity to guard and protect