

commanding Two Spanish Ships of War at Nootka Sound, on the North-West Coast of America, the Seizure of their Cargoes, and the Imprisonment of their Officers and Crews in a Spanish Port.

We acknowledge the Wisdom of your Majesty's Counsels, which has directed your Minister at Madrid to claim such full and adequate Satisfaction as is evidently required by the Nature of this Transaction, and which, in consequence of your Majesty's receiving Information that Armaments were carrying on in the Ports of Spain, has induced you to order such Preparations to be made as may enable your Majesty to support the Honor of your Crown and the Interests of your People with Dignity and Effect.

We sincerely hope that your Majesty's ardent and benevolent Desire for the Maintenance of Peace, upon just and honourable Grounds, will be successful; but if your Endeavours to this End should unfortunately fail, your Majesty may be assured of our cordial and effectual Support. We shall adhere to the repeated Declarations of this Country, to stand and fall with Great Britain; and we shall cheerfully concur in such Measures as will uphold the Honor of your Majesty's Crown, the essential Rights of all your Subjects, and the common and inseparable Interests of Great Britain and Ireland.

Robert Thornton, Cler. Parl. Dom. Com.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

I Will forthwith transmit this dutiful and loyal Address, to be laid before His Majesty.

To his Excellency John Earl of Westmorland, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

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

May it please your Excellency,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, beg Leave to offer your Excellency our cordial Thanks for your excellent Speech to both Houses of Parliament, which, by His Majesty's Command, you have been pleased to make us from the Throne.

The Representation which His Majesty has directed, in consequence of the Capture of British Vessels by the Commander of Two Spanish Ships of War; we flatter ourselves will effect His Majesty's gracious Purpose to secure the Blessings of Peace upon just and honourable Grounds. Should, however, His Majesty's benevolent Endeavour for the Attainment of this Object not prove successful, we will, with the utmost Alacrity, concur in such Measures as we shall deem most effectual to support the Dignity of His Crown, and to protect the essential Rights of all His Subjects, and the common Interests of the whole Empire.

We thank your Excellency for the just Opinion you have formed of our affectionate Attachment to His Majesty's Person, Family and Government; and we shall be peculiarly anxious to manifest upon this important Occasion, the Sincerity of our Loyalty and Zeal.

*W. Watts Gayer, }
Edw. Gayer, } Cler. Parliamentor.*

His Excellency's Answer.

I Return you my sincere Thanks for this Address, and will faithfully represent to His Majesty the Sentiments you have manifested of affectionate Loyalty and Attachment.

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To his Excellency John Earl of Westmorland, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland,

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

May it please your Excellency,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament assembled, request your Excellency will accept our sincere Thanks for your most excellent Speech from the Throne.

Whilst we entertain a sincere Hope that His Majesty's Representations at the Court of Madrid will be attended with the desired Success, we acknowledge the Wisdom of making such Preparations as may enable His Majesty, should Necessity require it, to act with Vigour and Effect; and if His Majesty's Endeavours for the Maintenance of Peace should not prove successful, your Excellency may be assured that we shall cheerfully stand forward in supporting the Honor of His Majesty's Crown, the essential Rights of all His Subjects, and the common Interests of the whole Kingdom.

We return your Excellency our cordial Acknowledgments for the Confidence you justly repose in our Zeal and Loyalty; and we shall endeavour to evince, by our Conduct at this important Crisis, our affectionate and dutiful Attachment to His Majesty's Royal Person, Family and Government, and our Determination to support the united Interests of His Crown and People.

Robert Thornton, Cler. Parl. Dom. Com.

His Excellency's Answer.

I Return you my Thanks for this obliging Address, and shall not fail to represent to His Majesty the Zeal and affectionate Duty which directs your Conduct at this important Crisis.

Dublin, July 3.

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