

to your Majesty's domestic Happiness, is truly interesting to us, and cannot fail to diffuse universal Joy throughout that Empire, which has experienced for many real and substantial Benefits under the mild and happy Government of the illustrious House of Hannover.

We humbly return our Thanks to your Majesty for your paternal Attention in appointing to the Government of this valuable Island a Nobleman of distinguished Abilities, eminently adapted to fill, at this critical Period, the arduous and important Office committed to his Charge; whose Zeal and Activity for the Preservation and Prosperity of the Island endeared him to it's Inhabitants before their Representatives had an Opportunity of meeting him in Assembly; who, by the Vigour and Promptitude of his Measures, in detecting and resisting a most unnatural, unprovoked, and unexpected Rebellion of the Maroon Negroes of Trelawny Town, has saved the Country before he could well be said to have seen it; but which essential Services could not, in our Opinion, have been effected, without the immediate Application of the Forces then embarked for Saint Domingo, as well as of those in the Island, to the Attack of the savage and ferocious Enemy with which we have to contend; and who has opened his Administration with such strict Purity and Disinterestedness in Office, that it is with heartfelt Satisfaction your Majesty's faithful Council and Assembly augur the most auspicious Consequences to the Militia, and to the general Interests of the Island.

With Gratitude we assure your Majesty, that it is our most fervent Prayer, that you may long live to confer Marks of your gracious Favor and Condescension on a loyal, faithful and attached People.

Passed the Assembly this 26th Day of September, 1795.

*N. Blake*, Speaker.

Passed the Council, September 28, 1795.

*G. Atkinson*, Cl. Con.

[Transmitted by His Excellency the Earl of Balcarras.]

BARBADOES.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Governor, Council and Assembly of this your Majesty's most ancient and ever faithful Colony, humbly beg Leave to offer our united Congratulations to your Majesty on the Marriage of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales with a Princess of the most amiable Character, and of the illustrious House of Brunswick; an Event which, as it insures the greatest Happiness to His Royal Highness, must, in a proportionate Degree, augment your Majesty's domestic Comforts, and spreads an universal Joy through every Part of your Dominions in the Hearts of Subjects, long accustomed to participate in all the tenderest Sensibilities of your Royal Bosom, as the Father of your People; nor is your People's Joy confined upon this eminent Occasion to the Emotions of the present Hour; they indulge the fondest Hope, that, under a benign Influence from Above on these auspicious Nuptials, the brightest Prospect opens to their View of having all these inestimable Benefits, the peculiar Rights of Britons, perpetuated to the Realm under a Race of Monarchs, who, formed by your Majesty's great Example, may found their chief

Glories on the unbounded Love and Attachment of a free and happy Nation.

*G. Poyars Ricketts*, Governor, Sec.

*W. Byrge*, President of the Council.

*J. G. Atiyue*, Speaker of the Assembly.

[Transmitted by *John Brathwaite, Esq;* Agent for the said Island.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Members of your Majesty's Council of the Island of Grenada and its Dependencies, and of the Representatives of the People thereof, in General Assembly convened.

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Council and Assembly of the Island of Grenada and it's Dependencies, beg Leave to take the earliest Opportunity to approach your Majesty with our most sincere and dutiful Congratulations on the Marriage of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Though far removed from your Royal Presence, and labouring at this unfortunate Moment under all the Horrors of internal Rebellion, yet partaking of your Majesty's paternal Care and Goodness, and, firmly attached to your Person and Family, we participate in the general Joy which has been diffused, by this happy Event, through every Part of the British Empire; and we sincerely hope, that through the Divine Goodness, which has been so far extended to your Majesty, your Royal and beloved Consort, and your numerous and accomplished Offspring, that this Addition of a Princess, with such bright and amiable Accomplishments, descended from the ancient Stock of the illustrious House of Brunswick, may add still new and lasting Splendour to your Majesty's Dominions, and transmit to future Ages a Record of that mild yet firm Establishment which is the Boast and Glory of every Briton.

That your Majesty may long reign the Head of the freest and best Governments in the Annals of Mankind, that your Reign may be glorious and happy, that the Restoration of Peace on a firm and lasting Basis may be added to all the Domestic Comforts which your Majesty now enjoys, and that your Throne may descend, through a long Succession of Princes of your Royal Race, enulous of your Virtues, and, like yourself, enthroned in the Hearts of the People, of which His Royal Highness promises to be an illustrious Example, is the sincere Prayer of your Majesty's most dutiful and faithful Subjects.

*S. Mitchell*, President of the Council.

*G. H. Horsley*, Dep. Clerk of the Council.

*Ben. Webster*, Speaker.

*J. Davis*, Clerk of the Assembly.

[Transmitted by *W. Lubington, Esq;* Agent for the said Island.]

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

*May it please your Majesty,*

IMPRESSED with the most lively Attachment to your Majesty's illustrious Race, we your Majesty's loyal and obedient Subjects, the Council and General Assembly of Tobago, beg Leave to offer our dutiful and sincere Congratulations to your Majesty on the late Event of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales's Marriage.

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