

*a due sense of your Majesties Goodness, our own Loyalty, and the manifold Blessings we now enjoy under your prudent Government, We do with all Sincerity imaginatively declare to the World, how much we detest those wicked Practices, which brought the best of Kings, your Royal Father, to the Block; And our unfeigned Readiness to defend with our Lives and Fortunes, your Majesty as Sacred Person, the Prerogatives of the Crown, your Heirs, and Lawful Successors, and the true Protestant Religion, as it is by Law established, against all Opposition whatsoever.*

*We do further, with all Gratitude and Hearts full of Duty to your Majesty acknowledge your late Princely Grace, and Favour extended in particular to this County, in being Graciously pleased to pass an Act for preventing of Theft, and Rapine, in the Northern Borders, as also an Act prohibiting the Importation of Irish Cattle, being both of great Advantage to us your Loyal Subjects. And we do heartily pray, that your Goodness may affect the hearts of your People, and that they may be truly sensible of the happy Influences of your Government that your Life may be long, your Reign Glorious, and the Church of England flourish under your Protection. Your Majesties Loyal, Dutiful, and Obedient Subjects.*

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address and Acknowledgment of the Grand Jury of the County of Carmarthen, at the General Sessions of the Peace held for the said County, on Tuesday the twelfth day of July, in the three and thirtieth year of your Majesties Reign.*

**W**E your Majesty lies most faithfully, devoted Subjects, the Grand Jury at the said Sessions, in the name of our selves and the whole County of *Carmarthen*, a County not stained with the least Tincture of Rebellion or Faction (that abundantly smarted by both) having not afforded one Committee-man for executing Injurious Traiterous Ordinances in the late times of dismal Usurpations; do with Cordial Gratitude present this humble Acknowledgment of your Majesties Zeal in Defending the Protestant Religion, as it is Legally settled in the Church of *England*, against the restless Machinations of the Jesuits and Seculars in opposite Extremes: We most thankfully recollect your Majesties pious prudence Government, in preserving the Peace and Tranquility of the Kingdom, whilst other Countreys have been involved in the Calamities of War, Depopulated, Riddled, *Enemies* reduced to Desarts.

Though we never entertain'd the least Jealousie of any Oppression under your Gracious Reign, yet we interpret it a singular Candor and inestimable Obligation, that your Majesty hath declared your solemn Determination to make the Law the rule of your Sovereignty, and indisposably to prescribe it to others, that your People may be secured from all Arbitrary Irregularities in any station; and that it is your Majesties Royal Resolution to have frequent Parliaments, wherein we submit for the properest times to your Mature Wisdom, not presuming to encroach upon your Royal Prerogative. For the continuation of the Monarchical Preheminence to your self, and your lawful Successors, the utmost dutiful Assistancess of our Lives and Fortunes shall be readily exhibited. And we do humbly pray the Concurrence of this Honourable Court in promoting this our humble Address to your most Sacred Majesty.

May it please your Majesty, we your Majesties Justices of the Peace, present at the said Sessions, do hereby heartily joyn with the Gentlemen of the Grand Jury in this their humble Address and Acknowledgment to your most Sacred Majesty.

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

*The Humble Address of the Mayor, Furats, and Commonalty of Your Majesties ancient and Loyal Corporation of Everetl and, in the County of Kent, and others the Gentlemen, Freemen, and Inhabitants of the same Town.*

**W**E Your Majesties most Loyal, Dutiful and Obedient Subjects, having hitherto given way to, and rejoiced

in the numerous Examples of more eminent and greater Societies of Your Majesties good Subjects, in their humble and thankful Addresses to Your Majesty, in a serious Contemplation of the miseries we endured in your absence; and of the Blessings and Tranquility we have enjoyed ever since Your happy Restauration; and in admiration of Your many Royal Virtues, especially Your Justice, Wisdom, and merciful Conduct towards all your happy Subjects, can no longer refrain, but in our best Meaning, and Religious sincerity of Heart, with all submission, mult now present unto Your Majesty our most humble and hearty Thanks for all Your Royal Favours to us and all other Your Subjects, for the continued Care and Defence of our Religion (as by Law established) for the preservation of our Laws and Liberties, by maintaining and reserving your good Laws for us, for your admirable Patience, under your so great Provocations; for Your unparell'd Condescensions, and Royal Resolutions, so fully manifested in your late Gracious Declaration, to the comfort of all your good Subjects, and Defeat of your slyest Enemies; and for the man. Immunities and Priviledges you have confirmed and continued to us in particular. And though we are inconsiderable in our selves, and unworthy to make any application to your sacred Majesty, yet inflamed by the Zeal of our Loyalty and Gratitude, and encourag'd by the remembrance of your former most Princely Favour, once in Person to visit this your Town; we are embolden'd to lay our selves at your Majesties Footstool, to be Commanded at your Royal Pleasure in our Lives and Fortunes for the service of your Majesty, your Heirs and lawful Successors; and as we are satisfied in our Conscience, that to you and them belongeth the Supreme Government of these your Majesties Realms (as well in all Spiritual things or Causes, as Temporal) and that neither the Pope, nor yet any other, hath any right to dispose of your Majesties Crown, or any of your Kingdoms, contrary to your Royal Will, and the known Laws of the Realm; so we now renew our Oaths and Promises of Defending you and them, to the uttermost of our Abilities, against all his or other mens Factions, Designs, Conspiracicks, and Attempts whatsoever, against this ancient, most excellent, and well-established Monarchy. Imploing the God of Heaven to send down his Showers of Blessings and Mercies upon your Majesty, and all your Royal Family; to prefer a and prosper your Majesty, in the pursuance of all your most excellent Councils, and Resolutions made known to us; to maintain, support and continue to your Sacred Person, a long and prosperous fruition of your Crown and Dignity, and all your Royal Rights and Prerogatives, and your just Title thereunto, in the due, usual, and legal way of Succession after you; and to confound the Devices of all such as would disturb it: And that we may never want one of your Royal Family to sway the Scepter over us, is the unanimous, hearty, and devout Prayer of

May it please your Majesty, Your Majesties most Humble, Dutiful, Loyal and Faithful Subjects.

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

**W**E Your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Citizens, Burghers, and Inhabitants of Your City of *Peterborough*, in the County of *Northampton*, ever Humbly admiring Your Royal Wisdom, in managing the Government of this Kingdom, with a tender care of our Religion by Law established, the undoubted Rights of the Crown, the Property and Peace of the Subject; do think our selves bound in Duty thankfully to acknowledge Your Majesties Gracious Condescension in Your late Royal Declaration, wherein You dispel the Fears and Jealousies, and satisfy the Minds of all; concerning Your Resolved frequent use of Parliaments, Your constant and vigorous Endeavours, to extirpate Popery, to redress all the Grievances of Your Majesties good Subjects, and to Govern according to the Laws of the Realm. For which Your Royal Bounty, suffer us to give Your Majesty assurance that we shall ever, not only with our Prayers, but with our Lives and Fortunes, assist Your Majesties most Sacred Person, in prosecution of these pious Resolutions; which Loyalty of our hearts we unanimoously testify with the Subscription of our Hands this 8th day of *July*, 1681.

*To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.*

*The humble Address of Your Majesties most Loyal and most Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common Council, and Commonalty, of Your ancient Burrough of Appleby, in the County of Westmorland.*

**W**E Your Majesties most Loyal Subjects, do hold our selves in Duty and Allegiance bounden,