

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Grand Jury and Justices, at the Assizes held at Chelmsford; the eighteenth day of July 1683.

May it please your Majesty,

WE being struck with Horror and Astonishment at the still continued wicked Conspiracies of the Dissenters from the Church of England, who after their having actually murdered your Majesties Royal Father, (of most Blessed Memory) do Traiterously continue to Conspire to raise Rebellion, and to Murder the Persons of your most Sacred Majesty, and your Dearest Brother the Duke of York, in pursuance of their old Design of extirpating the Race of Kings, and to set up themselves Insufferable Tyrants, over the Lives, Liberties, and Consciences of your Majesty's Loyal and Peaceable Subjects. Upon a due Consideration of the Premises, we esteem our selves bound in duty, to declare all Hatred and Abhorrence of all such impious Villanies, and we bless and praise Almighty God for your Majesties and his Royal Highness's Deliverance from this present Wicked and Horrid Conspiracy, which we hope will be fully detected, so that Justice and due Punishment may reach the Conspirators and their Adherents. And we humbly present to your most Gracious Majesty, our Lives and Estates for the defence of your Sacred Person, your Crown and Dignity, and the right and legal Succession thereof, against all Conspiracies, Associations, and Attempts whatsoever.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty;

The humble Address of the Deputy Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, the Grand Jury, and other Gentlemen of the County of Merioneth Assembled at a Quarter Sessions and General Muster at Dolgelly, the Eleventh day of July, 1683.

Most Dread Sovereign,

UPon the sad and astonishing report of so Black and Execrable a Villany, of so Bloody and Traiterous a Design against your Sacred Person, and that of your Royal Brother. May we have leave to congratulate these Deliverances, making Applications to that Power that hath so often, so miraculously preserved you, that you both may always be the dear Charge of that Providence which hath so signally appeared in yours as well as your Kingdoms Protection.

May their Devices be Confounded, that endeavour to interrupt our Felicity; Their Plots and Associations be their own Ruine, and your Majesty for ever Happy and Triumphant. May the Sons of Violence be never able to harm you; And may you be as safe as an Angel, under whose Wings we cannot otherwise expect, than to find a most sure and certain Refuge.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE the High Sheriff and Justices of the Peace for the County of Salop, whose Names are subscribed, finding by two several late Proclamations, that there hath been a Happy Discovery of a most Horrid and Treasonable Conspiracy for the Assassination of your Sacred Person and your Dearest Brother, contrived by a sort of men whose Principles are the same with those who formerly involved this Happy Nation in Blood and Ruine, do most heartily give our humble Thanks to Almighty God, for this his Miraculous Preservation of your Sacred Person and Royal Brother, beseeching the Divine Protection still to guard his Anointed. And humbly beg your Majesty to believe that we will cordially and readily expose our Lives and Fortunes in defence of your Majesties Person, your Heirs and Successors, and your Government as now by Law established both in Church and State.

Dated at the General Quarter Sessions holden for the County aforesaid 10, July 1683. Anno Regni Regis Car. II. 35.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

WE Your Majesties Loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Bailiffs, Aldermen, Capral Burgeses, Common-Council, and other Inhabitants of your Majesty's Borough of Dorchester, in the County of Dorset, at the Guildhall of the said Borough on the Thirteenth day of July, 1683. Do most humbly and heartily Congratulate Your most Sacred Majesty's great and happy Deliverance which the great King of Kings hath most miraculously vouchsafed your Majesty, not only at several times heretofore, but more especially now lately from the Cruel and Bloody hands of such who (styling themselves True-Protestants; when indeed the very Scandal of the Reformation) had Diabolically and Traiterously intended the Destruction of the Your Majesty's Sacred Person, Your Royal Brother, and once again the Subversion of that Church, of which your Majesty and your Famous Predecessors, of Blessed Memory, thought it the greatest Honour to be Defenders.

We therefore do humbly return our Thanks to God Almighty for his great Merc: to your Majesty, your Royal Family, and all your Loyal Subjects. And we do hereby assure your Majesty, as we hate and abhor from our Hearts (such wicked, horrible, and Treasonable Practices, so with one Heart and Mouth, we do hereby declare before God and the World, That we will constantly be true, faithful, and Loyal Subjects to your Majesty, your Majesties Lawful Successors, and the Government in Church and State, as now by Law established.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of Your Majesty's Ancient and Loyal Corporation of Appleby in the County of Westmorland.

May it please your Sacred Majesty,

WE Your most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, through the great Sense of those Miraculous Deliverances, which the Propitious Eye of Providence, hath in so many former Circumstances declared your Protection, from the hands of those bloody Instruments of Malice and Iniquity, that would have put out the light of this our Israel, under whom we sit so Peaceably; and transcendently Happy, in the enjoyment of those Blessings, which by your Pious, Just, and Merciful Government is Conferred unto us: And having with Anticipation received the Discovery of a most Horrid and Barbarous Design against Your Majesties Royal Person, and your Dearest Brother James Duke of York; We thought it our bounden Duty, (next and immediately to our humble Thankfulness to Almighty God for your Majesties gracious Preservation from those wicked Attempts and horrid Contrivances) humbly to offer to your Majesty that we do with all Sincerity and Loyalty, declare our Abhorrence of such execrable Mischicians. And through our deep Resentment thereof do also humbly give your Majesty this assurance that we will be always ready with our Lives and Fortunes, in defence of your Majesties Royal Person, your Heirs and Successors, for defeating all wicked and detestable Attempts whatsoever, which can or shall be made against your Majesty and Government, as it is now established in Church and State. L. Fellowship whereof we have hereto subscribed our Names, and affixed the Common Seal of this Borough, the Tenth day of July, in the Thirty fifth year of your Majesties Reign, Anno Domini 1683.

Malaga, July 27. The Spanish Armada arrived here the 23d instant, and having taken on Board a Regiment of Foot, and some Provisions, sailed against the day following for the Coast of Italy

Linz, Aug. 3. The Letters we receive from the Imperial Camp, gives us an account that the Duke of Lorraine having advice, That Count Teckley marched with an Army of 25000 Men, as well Turks as Hungarians, towards Presbourg, do possess himself of that place by means of the Intelligence he had there, his Highness immediately Decamped from Krems, and arrived the 30 pass near Presbourg and the next day advanced towards the Enemy to give them Battle, but they nor having the courage to haard it, presently turned their backs and retreated in the best order they could: The Imperialists fell upon their Rear and cut off between 6 and 700 Men,