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From **Monday April 30.** to **Thursday May 3. 1688.**

**T**HE following Addresses have been Presented to the King, which His Majesty received very Graciously.

*To the King's most Excellent Majesty,*  
The humble Address of Your ever Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Bailiffs and Burgesses of Your Ancient Borough of Droitwich in Your County of Worcester.

Great SIR!

**W**E being highly sensible of Your Majesties most happy and unparalleled Government, do, with all Humility and Duty, implore Your Sacred Majesty's acceptance of our unfeigned and sincere Thanks for Your Majesties Princely Care and Affection, (by Your late Gracious Declaration, extensive not only to the Church of England, but to all other Your peaceable Subjects in their Religious Worship,) whereby we are obliged and resolved, that when Your Majesty, in Your Princely Wisdom, shall think fit to call a Parliament we can and will elect such Members as shall answer Your Majesties Expectations. And we do further pray for Your Majesties long Life and happy Reign over us, and the long continuance of them both. As a Testimony whereof, we have hereunto affixed the Common Seal of the Your Majesties said Corporation, the Six and Twentieth day of March, in the Fourth Year of Your Majesties most Auspicious Reign, Annoq; Domini 1688.

*To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Newbery in the County of Berks.

Most Dread Sovereign!

**A**s we, not long since, prostrated our selves at Your Royal Feet, with our most humble and unfeigned Thanks for Your late Royal Declaration of Indulgence, so we are now come to render our hearty Thanks to Your Sacred Majesty, for Your more particular and special Favour towards us, in admitting us to a share of Your Majesties Government in this Your Borough, which, with the greatest Faithfulness and Duty to Your Majesty, we shall endeavour to discharge. And the Glory of Your Majesties Favours so much the more respects towards us, as much as we cannot be so immediately serviceable to Your Majesties Gracious Intentions, for the good of Your Subjects expressed in Your said Royal Declaration, being not in a Capacity to elect any Member of Parliament for this Your Borough; yet shall we not be wanting in using our utmost Endeavours to promote such Your Majesties Gracious Inclinations; and in Prayers to Almighty God, that he will dispose the Hearts of Your Great Council in Parliament (when Your Majesty shall be pleased to call one) to answer Your Majesties Purposes for the good of Your People. That God may lengthen out Your Majesties Reign over us, and grant unto Your Majesty eternal Life and Glory in the World to come, are, and shall be, the Prayers of Your Majesties most obliged and devoted Subjects. In Testimony whereof, we have caused our Common Seal to be affixed this Seventeenth day of April, Anno Dom. 1688. And in the Fourth year of your Majesties Reign.

*Venice, April 23.* The Consoy of which we made mention in our last is now ready to sail, being composed of 8 great Ships, on which are embarked 1500 Men of the Regiment of *Wurtemberg*, and 1000 Switzers: The rest of the new Levies will be likewise sent away as fast as they arrive at the *Aden*. The last Letter from the *Levant* gave an account, that the *Doge Morosini* had appointed the general Rendezvous of the Fleet to be near *Acheru*: and that he had distributed Arms and Ammunition among the People of *Negropont*; upon the Assurances they had given him of their Resolution to cast off the Ottoman Yoke, and to put themselves under the Protection of the Republick. We are told from *Dalmacia*, that the *Turks* had made an Inroad into the Province of *Zara*; but that the *Morlaques*, who had notice of their march, had so well received them, that many of the Enemy were killed and taken, and the rest put to flight. They write from *Ragusa*, that they had received advice by the way of *Belgrade*, that the disturbances at *Constantinople* instead of being appeased grow daily greater: That the *Spahis* and *Janisaries* were fallen out among themselves, and that their quarrel went so far that betraying themselves to their Arms, above 2000 were killed, and many wounded; That their Animosities still continued, and that the *Sultan* and his Ministers were so taken up to quiet these intestine disorders, that the preparations for the War were quite neglected: This is so considerable news that we cannot but with some impatience expect the confirmation of it.

*Florence, April 20.* The Senate of *Venice* have sent one of their Secretaries to congratulate their new *Doge* upon his Election, and to carry him the Ducal Cap, with the addition of 11 thousand Ducats to his Pension as Captain-General of their Forces in the *Levant*, from whence he may not return without the consent of two thirds of the Great Council. The *Doge* according to our last advices from those parts intends to attack either *Gandia* or *Negropont*.

*Leghorne, April 20.* The freshest Advice from the *Levant* confirm the former accounts we had of the great Confusion things were in at *Constantinople*. And add, that the Party which would set up *Mustapha* the Son of *Sultan Mahomet*, encreases daily.

*Warsaw, April 7.* The Council that was assembled at *Grado* being separated, after having resolved, That the Contributions of the *Palatinates* should be continued for the carrying on the War: And that another Diet should be call'd to meet here in *November* next. The Court parted from thence for *Montepassi*, to visit the new Church and Convent that was built there by the late *Chancellor of Lithuania*; after which the King intended to continue his Journey to *Vilna*; and the Queen would return hither. It was said that his Majesty had thoughts of going afterwards as far as *Moscow*, on the Frontiers of *Moscovy*; but that was not yet resolved on. Colonel *Baranowsky*, who had been several years a Prisoner at *Caminiec*, having paid his ransom, is lately come from thence, and reports, that the *Tartars* were drawing all their Forces together, to make a new Incurfion into the Territories of this Crown, designing to waste all the Country