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Canterbury, Nov. 15.

Yesterday about four in the Afternoon His Majesty arrived here from Margate, being met by the Principal Gentlemen of the County several miles out of Town, and the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common-Council-Men, and the Officers of this City, attended His Majesty at the Gate, where the Recorder made a Speech to congratulate His Majesty upon his safe Return, and upon the Peace; and from thence they waited on His Majesty to his Lodgings at the Deanery, where the Vice-Dean, with the Clergy, made a Congratulatory Speech; The Train-Bands of the City were in Arms; and the Night concluded with Bonfires, ringing of Bells, Illuminations in every House, and all other Demonstrations of Joy imaginable. This Morning His Majesty went hence to Greenwich, the Mayor and Aldermen walking through the City before His Majesty's Coach, as yesterday

Whitehall, Nov. 16. His Majesty having been pleased graciously to accept of the Humble Request made to Him by the City of London, to Honour them by passing through the same publickly in his Return from Flanders, upon the Conclusion of the Peace with France; And the City having adjusted every thing on their Part in the most Splendid and Honourable manner for His Majesty's Royal Reception, His Majesty did this Day about Noon set forth in his Coach from Greenwich, accompanied by his Royal Highness Prince George, and attended by the Great Officers of State, and a Numerous Concourse of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, the Privy-Council, Judges, and divers other Persons of Quality of the Three Kingdoms, all in Coaches with 6 Horses; And being come to St. Margarets-Hill in Southwark, was there received by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities on Horseback: And his Lordship alighting, and presenting to the King the City Sword, and receiving it back again with His Majesty's Directions to carry it before him, and the Recorder also alighting, and in a short Speech Congratulating His Majesty's happy Arrival; the Proceeding from thence to Whitehall was in manner following.

First, a Detachment of about 100 of the City Trained-Bands, all in Buff Coats, led the way from the Bridge to Charing-Cross; then followed two of the King's Coaches, and one of Prince George's; the two City-Marshals, with their Men; the Sheriffs Officers with Javelin's, preceded by

two of the City Trumpets; next the Lord Mayor's Officers in Black Gowns; the City Banner borne by the Water-Bay'iff, preceded by two more of the City Trumpets; next the City Officers on Horseback in their proper Gowns, each attended by a Servant in Livery; then the King's Banner borne by the Common Hunt, preceded by three more of the City Trumpets; the Common Crier, and Sword-bearer, the last in his Gown of Black Damask and Gold Chain, each with a Servant; Then the Aldermen, Recorder, and Sheriffs, and such as had served or fined for Sheriff or Alderman, the Juniors first, all on Horseback in Scarlet Gowns, each Alderman below the Chair attended by his Beadle and two Footmen, and those above the Chair with four Footmen each; the Messengers of the Chamber and Knight-Mareschal's Men attending the Proceeding in their proper Stations.

Then the King's Trumpets and Kettle-Drums, followed by the Sergeant-Trumpet with his Mace; the Heralds of Arms according to their several Classes between the Sergeants at Arms with their Maces, all bare-headed, and each attended by a Servant; Then the Lord Mayor of London on Horseback in a Crimson Velvet Gown, with his Collar and Jewel, bearing the City Sword, in the middle between *Clareux* King of Arms on the Right Hand, supplying the Place of *Garret* King of Arms, and one of the Gentlemen-Ushers on the Left Hand, supplying the Place of the Usher of the Black Rod; the Lord Mayor attended by four Servants, and each of the other by two Servants.

Then the King in a rich Coach of State, accompanied by Prince George, with the Gentleman of the Bedchamber in waiting, and attended on each side by His Majesty's Equeries, Footmen, and the Yeomen of the Guard, led by their Officers, and followed by His Majesty's Life-Guards, and a long Train of Coaches with six Horses of the Great Officers, Nobility and others, according to their respective Degrees, Ranks and Qualities, in the same Order as they came from Greenwich.

The Streets were lined and guarded in Southwark by the Militia of Surrey; assisted by the Militia of the Tower Hamlets; from the Bridge to Walbrook by three Regiments of the City Militia; From thence to St. Paul's Churchyard by the Liveries of the several Companies with their Banners and Ensigns displayed; and from thence to Temple-Bar by the other three Regiments of the City; and thence to Whitehall by the Militia of Middlesex, and His Majesty's own Guards; the City Conduits running with Wine all the while.

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