

Voluntary and Early Association, as from the great Obligations of Duty and Loyalty do now humbly beg Leave, among the most truly Affectionate Subjects, to Congratulate Your Majesty's Happy Return amongst us, after having Re-established these Your Nations and all Europe in Peace.

Your Majesty came over at first to restore us to our Religion, Liberties, and Properties, You have ever since undergone the Innumerable Dangers of a tedious War to defend them for us; And tis, under God, by Your Majesty's Indefatigable Valour and Conduct they are now secur'd to us.

These being the greatest Engagements and Blessings Subjects can receive from, or Enjoy under, the best of Princes, We do now, in all Gratitude and humble Sincerity, assure Your Majesty of the utmost Return we are Capable of, by the repeated tender of our Lives and Fortunes in Your Majesty's Service, Earnestly praying God Almighty, that, as he hath Protected Your Majesty in the days of Battel, and Enabled You gloriously to overcome all Your open Enemies, He wou'd now also carefully preserve Your Majesty's Person from Your and our Countrys, more Treacherous and Barbarous, Secret ones; Long continuing to us the great Blessings of Your Majesty's Life and Happy Reign over us, with all Opportunities of expressing our felices Your Majesty's most sincerely Faithful, Loyal, and Affectionate Subjects.

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgesss of the Town and County of Nottingham, was presented to His Majesty by Richard Lister, and John Tombsough. Introduced by his Grace the Duke of Devonshire Recorder of the Town.

The Humble Address of the High Steward, Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, and other the Principal Inhabitants of the Bur-ough of St. Albans in the County of Hertford, was presented to His Majesty by Sir Sam Grimston Bar. and George Churchill Esq; being introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Marlborough.

The Humble Address of the Bayliff, Recorder, Aldermen, Common Council, Burgesss, and Inhabitants of the Corporation of Brecon in South-Wales, was presented to His Majesty by Jeffrey Jeffreys Esq; their Representative in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Portland.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Common-Council of the City of Durham, was presented to His Majesty by the Honourable Charles Mountague and Sir Henry Liddell Bar. their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Scarborough.

The humble Address of the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, High Sheriff, and Justices of the Peace of the County of Northumberland; As also the humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Common-Council of the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne, were both presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Scarborough.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Deputy Recorder, Aldermen, Burgesss, and Principal Inhabitants within the Corporation of Tunton, was presented to His Majesty by Edward Clarke Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council, with the Clergy and Gentry of the Corporation and Borough of Leicester, was presented to His Majesty by Lawrence Carter Esq; their Recorder, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Stamford.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Burgesss a d other Inhabitants of the Ancient Corporation and Bur-ough of Macclesfield in the County of Chester, was presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Rivers and Sir John Manwaring.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common-Council, Burgesss and Gentlemen of the Borough and Corporation of Ripon, was presented to His Majesty by John Ashby and Jonathan Jennings, Esquires, their Representatives in Parliament.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Capital Burgesss, Freemen, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of Lyme-Regis in the County of Dorset, was presented to His Majesty by Robert Henly Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Burgesss, and other Inhabitants of the Corporation and Borough of Pontefract in the County of York, was presented to His Majesty by Sir William Lowther and Robert Monteton Esq; their Representatives in Parliament.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Burgesss, Gentlemen, and other Inhabitants of the Corporation of Doncaster, was presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Lord Fairfax and Sir John Kay.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesss of the Corporation of Portsmouth, was presented to His Majesty by Col. Gibson and W. Stbrock Esq; Recorder, their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by Major General Estle.

The humble Address of the Dean and Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church of Winchester, was presented to His Majesty by the Dean and several of the Prebendaries.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Justices, Bayliffs, Burgesss, and other the Inhabitants of the Town of Berwick upon Tweed, was presented to His Majesty by the Honourable Ralph Gry, and Samuel Ogle, Esquires, their Representatives in Parliament.

Which Addresses His Majesty received very Graciously.

London, Dec. 4. This day at an Admiralty Sessions held at the Old-Baily, John Williams, John Allen, William Marsh, and John Jones, being 4 of the Ship's Crew that seized and carried away the Hamble, near the Coast of Guinea, were tried and found Guilty of Piracy, and received Sentence of Death as is usual in such Cases.

Kennington, Dec. 2. This day the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge presented to His Majesty a Book of Verse, in the Name of the University, upon the happy Conclusion of the Peace.

Kennington, Dec. 5. His Majesty has been pleas'd, upon the Resignation of Mr. Secretary Trumbull, to make choice of the Right Honourable James Vernon Esq; to succeed him in the Office of One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; who accordingly this Evening in Council took the usual Oaths of Secretary of State, and Privy-Councillor.

The Mail from Holland is not yet come in.

The Court of Directors of the Government and Company of the Bank of England give notice, That a General Court of the Members of the said Company will be held at the Bank on Wednesday the first day of December Instant, at Ten in the morning; And that the Transfer Books will be shut up from the 22th Instant to the 7th of January next; That from the said 7th of January to the 25th Ditto Transfers will be made only on two days in a week, viz. on Tuesday and Thursday mornings; And from and after the said 25th of January, the Transfers Books will be open as usually.

Whereas Information hath been given, That one Tho. Home, Joseph Lynes, and William Lane now in Custody, together with one John Edmonds, who goes by the Name of Great Jack; a tall big well-set black Man, late a Bayliff in the County of Cambridge, John Quarrington late of Wington in the County of Bucks, a middle sized raw-brow'd Man, and of a fresh Complexion, and Will. Lynes, late of Great Goddessen in the County of Hertford, a middle sized thin black Man, a Smith by Trade, who are withdrawn from their usual Haunts, have been (with some others) concern'd in divers Robberies, particularly in a Robbery committed about Michaels last near Uxbridge in the Counties of Middlesex and Bucks, another about six Weeks since near Rickling in the County of Bucks; and another about a Week since near Dunstable in Bedfordshire; and another robbery about a week ago upon the Road between Cambridge and New-Market; and also in stealing several Horses, some whereof have been found in their Custody; They are to give Notice to all Persons, who have been so rob'd or lost any Horses, that they may see the said Home, Lynes, and Lane in New-Gate, and the Compters in London, that so by their Evidence they may be prosecuted according to Law.

Advertisements.

A Perpetual Adrowson, being of the yearly value of 350 l. in a pleasant Country and very good Air, is to be sold. Enquire of Samuel Heyrick at Grays Inn Gate in Molborn, Stationer, and you may be better inform'd.

THE Instrument of Agreement between the Creditors and the Relations of Edward Backwell Esq; deceased, is lodged with Mr. Symms at Mr. Snaggs at the Flying Horse in Lombardstreet, and with Mr. Balfour, Bookseller, at the Miner within Temple-Bar; Where all Creditors of the said Edward Backwell, that have not yet subscribed, or some appointed by them, are desired to repair and subscribe the same, in order to their speedy receiving the Benefit of the said Agreement.

All Persons who have any Plate, Jewels, or other things at Pawn in the hands of Joseph Fells, Goldsmith, or are otherwise indebted to his Estate, are to take notice, that unless they pay such Money to Mr. Christopher Rednapp, Upholsterer, at the Cock in Wincloster, by the 21st Instant, such Plate and Jewels will be disposed of, and the Debt proceed against according to Law for recovery of the said Debt.

The Song Composed by Mr. Jeremiah Clarke, and Sung on St. Cecilia's-Day, will be performed on Thursday next the 9th Instant, at Mr. Mickford's Dancing-School in Pantons-Court, or in James-street over-against the Tennis-Court, just by the Blue-Post, there being a Door out of each Street to the Room, and for the Benefit of the said Mr. Clark and Mr. Le Riche late Steward of the said Feast. The Music begins at Eight.

Lost on Tuesday night last between the Maypole in the Strand and St. James's, or between that and Marsham Street, Westminster, 4 Lottery Tickets of 5 l. each, viz. dated 25 March 1696, N. 516. 29 Sept. 1696, N. 516. 25 March 1697, N. 516. and 29 Sept. 1697, N. 516. whereof notice has been already given at the Office where Payment of such Ticks is made, and entered in their Books. Whoever brings them to Mr. Barnes, Bookseller, in the Pall-Mall, shall have 20 s. Reward.

Lost on Thursday the 2d Instant in the Pall-Mall, a Pocket Book, having a Velium Cover, wherein is some Account and Bills, of little use to any but the Owner. Whoever brings it to Mr. Balfour at his Coffee house in Cornhill, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Lost Two Exchequer Bills for 10 l. each, both dated June 4. 1697. N. 57563, 57564, with Indorsements on each of them, and two of 5 l. each, one dated Aug. 6. 1697, N. 11959, the other Aug. 10. 1697; N. 80301, and one Guinea inclosed in a Letter directed to Mr. Williams, Merchant, at Worcester, the 20th past. Whoever brings the said Bill to Stephen Thompson at the bottom of Queenstreet, London, or to Will. Hart at Worcester, shall have 3 Guinea's Reward.

Lost or left in a Hackney Coach the 29th past in the Evening, going from Princes Street, Leicestersfields, to the Royal-Exchange, a Money Bag mark'd M. R. in which were 5 Writings, 3 of which were Leaves of the Earl of Leicester at d Vicounts Life of Ground-Rent, one to Rob. Drinkwater, and another to John Blondell; and the other a Reversion Lease of the same Parcel to Michael Rolls, and the other 2 relating to the same Estate. Whoever brings the same to Michael Rolls at his House in Threadneedle-Street, shall have a Guinea Reward.