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S. James's, April 23. The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by His Grace the Lord Archbishop of York.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Dean and Chapter of the Collegiate Church of Ripon.

May it please Your most Excellent Majesty, To permit us Your most loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Dean and Chapter of Your Majesties Collegiate Church of Ripon, to express the deep Sorrow that possessed our Hearts upon the Death of our late most Glorious Sovereign, King William the Third, and at the same time to Congratulate Your Majesties rightful and peaceable Accession to the Throne.

The Executives of our Church and State will have no reason to triumph upon our unspokeable Loss of Him, since God hath so happily repaired it by the Succession of Your Majesty, whose eminent Virtues, and most exemplary Piety, will (we doubt not) derive a Blessing upon Both, rising Success and Victory to Your Arms, and be a strong Defence and Security for all Your People.

Your Majesties known Zeal and Affection for the Church of England gives us a joyful Prospect of the Continuance of its Stability and Prosperity under Your auspicious Reign.

May Almighty God bless Your Majesty with a long and happy Reign ever us; and may all Your Subjects most devoutly and cheerfully contribute their utmost (as we our selves shall always do) to make the Burthen of Your Government easy to Your Majesty.

May Your Majesty reign in the Hearts of Your People, and triumph over all Your Enemies; may You be the Glorious Instrument (under God) of promoting the Welfare and Happiness, not only of all Your Kingdoms, but of all Europe; and last of all, may you attain the Inheritance of an Inconceivable and Eternal Crown of Glory!

For all which Blessings upon Your Majesties Person and Government, we shall not cease to put up our ardent Prayers to the Throne of Grace.

The following Addresses from the Boroughs of *Badmyn* and *Westflowe* were presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Rev. *Jonathan* Lord Bishop of Exon, and the Hon. Major-General *Trelawney*, introduced by the Rt. Hon. Sir *Edward Seymour* Bar. Comptroller of Her Majesties Household.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Ministers, of the Borough of *Badmyn* in the County of *Cornwall*.

May it please Your Most Sacred Majesty,

WE most humbly beg Leave to express our Sorrow for the Death of our late Sovereign Lord King *William* the Third, but at the same time most cheerfully to Congratulate Your Majesties happy and rightful Accession to the Throne of your Ancestors; and we most heartily pray, your Majesty may Reign a Series of years exceeding those of your Glorious Predecessor, our *English* Queen *Elizabeth*; and be for ever Victorious over all your Enemies, and Absolute in the Hearts and Affections of all your People. And we most dutifully assure your Majesty, who is the Head and Defender of the Church and Constitution of *England*, that we who have always been True Sons of that blessed Church, will constantly adhere to her Principles with unfeigned Loyalty to your Majesties Person and Government, and to our utmost assist and defend your Majesty against the *French* King, the pretended Prince of *Wales*, and all other your Majesties Enemies.

To the Queen's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Magistrates, Freemen, and Inhabitants of Your Majesties ancient Borough and Corporation of *Portpig-ham* alias *Westlow*, in the County of *Cornwall*.

Most Gracious Sovereign, Seeing it hath pleased Almighty God, to take to his mercy the Great and Mighty Prince our late Sovereign Lord King *William* the Third: We cannot sufficiently adore the Divine Providence towards us in preserving your Majesty, to continue an Encourager of Piety and of the present established Government in Church and State to succeed on the Throne, which we pray God your Majesty may enjoy with long Life and Prosperity.

Wherefore we humbly crave leave with the rest of Your Majesties Good Subjects, not only to Congratulate Your Majesties Accession to the Imperial Crown of these Realms, but to Assure Your Majesty, that on all Occasions in defence of Your Majesties Royal Person and Government, we will not fail most loyally and readily to expose our Lives to the utmost hazards, against the pretended Prince of *Wales*, and all other Your Majesties Enemies, their Aiders and Abettors, whatsoever.

The following Address from the Borough of *Eastlowe* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Henry Seymour* Bar. and *George Courtenay* Esqs; their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. Sir *Edward Seymour* Bar. Comptroller of Her Majesties Household.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Magistrates, Freemen, and Inhabitants, of Your Majesties ancient Borough and Corporation of *Eastlowe* in the County of *Cornwall*.

Most Gracious Sovereign, WE Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects most humbly beg Leave to Condoile with you the Death of his late Majesty, King *William* III. of Glorious Memory; and to shew our selves at your Majesties Feet full of exceeding Joy for your Majesties happy, rightful, and quiet Accession to the Throne of your Royal Ancestors: by the

special Providence of God, to give new Life to the on every side assaulted Interests of the Monarchy, Church, and Liberties of *England*.

It is no *English* Hand which will nor be ever ready to second the declared Intentions of your Royal Heart, for the giving of an effectual Check to those Domestick Corruptions, and those Foreign Encroachments which have made Haycock of the Wealth of your People on the one hand, and the disturbed Peace of *Europe* on the other.

Give us Leave, Madam, to assure your Majesty of our true and faithful Allegiance, in opposition to the pretended Prince of *Wales*, and all other Enemies of your Person or Government: And to beg of God, not only to continue the blessings to us by the length of your Reign, which our Hearts are full of upon the auspicious Beginning of it, but by granting to your Majesty a numerous Issue, bred up and rooted in your Majesties Principles and Virtues to perpetuate the Glory and Happiness of the *English* Church and Nation.

The following Address from the Borough of *Wilton* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Henry Ashurst* Bar. one of their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Pembroke* Lord High Admiral of *England*, Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Wilt*.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of Your Majesties Ancient Borough of *Wilton* in the County of *Wilt*.

May it please Your Majesty, WE Your Majesties most Loyal, Obedient, and Dutiful Subjects, having a deep Sense of the unspokeable Loss this Nation hath sustained by the Death of His late Majesty, our Sovereign Lord, King *William* the Third, of Glorious Memory, our deliverance from Popery, and Slavery; cannot but with Hearts full of Grief express our unfeigned Sorrow on this sad Occasion.

And at the same time, we in all Humility presume to Congratulate Your Majesty happy Accession to these your Crowns, as Lawful and Rightful Heir thereof; and do sincerely wish you with the rest your good Subjects, in our Sincere, and hearty Thanks, for the Declaration of your great Care, and the Assurance that have been pleased to give, for the preservation of our Religion, the established Government in Church and State, the maintenance of our Laws and Liberties, and of the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line.

We also beg Leave to assure Your Majesty, That we will, to the utmost of our Power and Abilities, assist and support Your Majesty in all Your Alliances, and against the Pretended Prince of *Wales*, the *French* King, and their Adherents and Abettors, and all other Your Majesties Enemies whatsoever; Humbly imploring the Divine Goodness to protect your Royal Person, and to grant Your Majesty a long and prosperous Reign over us. Given under our Common Seal the fourth day of April, in the First Year of Your Majesties Reign, Anno; Dni. 1702.

The following Address from the Borough of *Penzance* was presented to Her Majesty by the Hon. *John Granville* Esq;

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Steward, Custom-House Officers, and Commonalty of the Town of *Penzance* in the Cotinry of *Cornwall*.

May it please Your Majesty, WE humbly beg leave with the rest of Your Majesties Loyal Subjects, to Condoile the great Loss we have sustained by the Death of our late Sovereign King *William*, our grief for which nothing but Your Majesties Accession to the Throne could have moderated. The Almighty God, exercising one of his great Mercy preserved Your Sacred Majesty, for the Defence of our Rights, Laws, and Properties; that hath given us so Good and Gracious a Queen to Reign over us, whose great Care and Concern for the happy Government of these Kingdoms, we and all your Majesties Subjects have so great an Assurance of, both by what your Majesty hath said and done since your Accession to the Throne, that it fills our hearts with Joy.

We therefore crave leave to Assure your Majesty, that we shall by Gods Assistance with all Fidelity and Zeal, endeavor to our utmost Power, to Support and Defence of your Majesties Person and Government; against the pretended Prince of *Wales*, and all other Opposers. And we humbly beseech Almighty God, who hath blessed you in Peace on the Throne of your Ancestors; to prolong your Majesties happy Reign over us, as well for the good of these Kingdoms as of all Europe. In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our Hands, and affixed the Common Seal of our said Town, the tenth day of April, in the first Year of your Majesties Reign.

The following Address from the Borough of *Braiford* was presented to Her Majesty.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Capital Burgesses, Merchants, and other chief Inhabitants of Your Majesties ancient Borough of *Braiford* in the County of *Devon*.

Most Gracious Sovereign, WE Your Majesties most Dutiful and Faithful Subjects, out of a deep Sense of the great Loss these Kingdoms have sustained by the death of our most Excellent Sovereign Lord King *William* the Third, the Preserver of our Laws and Liberties, humbly beg leave to Condoile with Your Majesty for the Loss of so great a Prince. Permit us likewise Great Princes, gracefully to retire our share in the National Joy, for your Sacred Majesties Accession to the Crown of your Renowned Ancestors, (whose undoubted Right it is) a Blessing so transcendently great, as to remove all Impressions of our late Sorrow: And we take Oration to repeat our Unfeigned Thanks to your Sacred Majesty, for your gracious Assurances to Protect and Maintain our present Constitution both in Church