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St. James's, Dec. 1. The following Address from the Borough of Tewkesbury was presented to Her Majesty by *Edmond Bray* and *Richard Dowdeswell Esqs;* their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Essex*, Lord High Steward of the said Borough.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bayliffs, Lord High Steward, Recorder, Representatives in Parliament, Burgesses and Inhabitants, of the Borough of *Tewkesbury* in the County of *Gloucester*.

WE beg Leave (most Gracious Sovereign) with the rest of Your Loyal Subjects, to Congratulate Your Majesty upon the glorious Victory obtained by Your Arms, and those of Your Allies, in Germany, under the Command of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, whose great Conduct, with the Gallantry of these Troops, have, and will (we doubt not) effectually convince Your Enemies, what we and all good Subjects always believed, that we cannot fail of Success in so just a Cause, under the Management of so wise and pious a Queen, whose Auspicious Reign we heartily pray to be long blessed with; and that Your Majesty may have the same Success in all Your Undertakings: *Who are Your Majesty's most Obedient and most Dutiful Subjects.*

The following Address has also been presented to Her Majesty.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bayliffs and Burgesses, of the Borough of *Berwick upon Tweed*, in Guild assembled.

May it please Your Majesty,

THE unparallel'd Success of Your Majesty's Arms, under the admirable Conduct of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, in Conjunction with Your Allies, over the French and Bavarian Forces at *Blenheim*, fills us, Your dutiful Subjects, with an inconceivable Joy.

We cannot but adore that Divine Providence, which favours Your just and generous Undertakings, and Smiles upon the watchful Care, wherewith Your Royal Breast is perpetually exercised, on behalf of the Liberties of Europe, and the Security of the Protestant Religion against the grand Aggressor of both, whose Hopes from our Divisions are utterly defeated by Your Majesty's Royal Intimation of an indulgent Disposition towards all Your Subjects without Distinction.

The Noble Exploits of Your Captain-General, and the undaunted Bravery of Your Forces in the Action of that memorable Day, whereby so great a Turn was given to the Affairs of Europe, not only secures the Empire in its most valuable Concerns, and reflects its benign Influence on the most distant Parts of the known World, but is also an happy Omen, That late Prosperity shall have no cause to be embroil'd in those bloody Struggles in future Wars, wherewith the Exorbitant Power of the French Monarch, and his boundless Designs, seem'd to threaten them.

Herein (Dread Sovereign) You have given an unexceptionable Evidence to the World of Your Capacity to maintain that Province of preserving the Balance of Europe, peculiar to those that sway the English Scepter.

From henceforth the haughty Monarch of France must boast no more that his Troops are Invincible, nor an Ambitious Elector (relying on them as such) entertain vain Hopes of the Imperial Dignity, whilst Your Majesty fills the English Throne, blessed with the Affections of Your People, and England can furnish such Generals and Soldiers as are Strangers to fear, but what they see of it in their Enemies Execution.

That Your Majesty may long live to be the Comfort and Delight of Your Subjects, the Refuge of the Oppressed, the Terror of Your Enemies, the Head of the Reformed Interest, and the Defender of the Protestant Succession as by Law Established; shall ever be the earnest Prayers of Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects.

In Testimony whereof, we have hereunto caused our Common Seal to be affixed, the Seventeenth Day of November, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's most Gracious Reign.

The following Address of the Bishop, Dean and Prebendaries, of the Cathedral Church of *St. Asaph*, was presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Lord Archbishop of *Yerk*.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bishop, the Dean and Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church, and the Clergy of the Diocese of *St. Asaph*. Most Gracious Sovereign.

ALTHO' we of this Diocese were not so happy as to be in the Number of the first who had the Honour of approaching Your Royal Presence with their just Acknowledgement of Your late unprecedented Benefaction to the Church and Service of God, this See being then void; yet now that You have been pleas'd, out of Your abundant Goodness, to fill it, we make bold to offer, and humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept of, our unfeigned Thanks for giving up so great a Branch of Your own Revenue, towards the Support of such of the Clergy as were not before sufficiently provided for: And likewise for Your doing it at that time, in the midst of an expensive War; thereby setting before Your Subjects such an illustrious Example also of trusting only in Almighty God for the Success of it.

And we humbly crave Leave to take this happy Opportunity of joining with Your Sacred Majesty, in admiring and celebrating the infinite Goodness and Truth which He, the supreme Disposer of all Things, hath accordingly manifested, in the signal Victories which he hath since given to Your Majesty's Forces, in Conjunction with Your Allies, under the Command of Your most Renowned Captain-General the Duke of Marlborough; and to Your Fleet, under the Conduct of Your Renowned Admiral Sir *George Rooke*.

That He would still be graciously pleas'd to continue His Protection of Your Sacred Person, His Direction of Your Councils, His Prospering Your Arms both by Sea and Land, and his Blessing upon all Your pious Designs and great Undertakings, for the Maintenance of His true Religion and Virtue in Your own Dominions, and for Restoring Peace and Tranquillity to all Europe; is the hearty Prayer of Your Majesty's most Dutiful and most Obedient Subjects.

The following Address from the County of *Suffolk* was presented by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Dyffert*, one of the Representatives in Parliament of the said County.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace and Gentlemen, of the County of *Suffolk*.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

THE many Blessings we enjoy under Your Majesty's most happy Reign; the great and signal Successes which have attended Your Majesty's Fleets and Armies, under the Command of the Duke of Marlborough and Sir *George Rooke*; Your Majesty's Piety and constant Zeal for the Church of England as by Law Established; highly oblige us to admire Your Majesty's Wisdom, congratulate Your Victories, and unanimously to pray Your Majesty's Reign may be long and prosperous over us.

The following Address from the Borough of *Dunwich* was presented by Sir *Charles Blois Bar.* and *Robert Kemp Esq;* their Representatives in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bayliffs, Recorder, Capital Burgesses and Freemen, of the ancient Borough of *Dunwich* in the County of *Suffolk*.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

GIVE us Leave to join, with the rest of Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects, in our sincere and hearty Congratulations of Your Majesty, upon those great and glorious Victories and Successes obtained by the Arms of Your Majesty and Your Allies, against that insupportable Monarch the French King, and his ambitious and unhappy Acherent the Elector of *Bavaria*; which, as they have far exceeded the highest Degree of our Hopes, so we humbly beseech Almighty God, they may in the Event procure such an honourable and lasting Peace to Your Majesty, and all Your Dominions, and such a firm Settlement to the Liberties of Europe, as may equal, if not exceed, our very Wishes and Desires.

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