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The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of the City of London.

To Her most Excellent Majesty the QUEEN of Great Britain, France and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of Your Majesty's City of London; in Common-Council assembled.

May it please Your Majesty,

As we do, with the utmost Gratitude to Almighty God; and in Your Majesty, (His Vicegerent over us) seriously reflect upon the many great and signal Blessings that have attended Your Majesty's pious Endeavours at Home throughout Your Reign; and upon the wonderful Successes of Your potent Arms; to establish the Rights of Princes Abroad; and a lasting Peace in Europe: We humbly beg Leave most heartily to congratulate Your Majesty upon those, and all other the Blessings we now enjoy, under Your Majesty's Wise and Gracious Government; and particularly upon the happy Union of Your Majesty's Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland into One entire Monarchy of Great Britain: A Blessing (tho' often attempted) yet too great to be desired by Your Royal Predecessors; but reserved by Heaven to be accomplish'd by Your Sacred Majesty, the true and sincere Love of Piety, Unity and Concord.

We beseech Your Majesty, That we will endeavour, to the utmost of our Power, to render this Blessing most Effectual; and And we pray, That Your Majesty may live long to enjoy the Blessing and Glory thereof.

By the Recommendation of his Royal Highness; The following Address from the Town of Portsmouth was presented to Her Majesty by, Nath. Harford Esq; Mayor of the said Town; introduced by Sir William Gifford Kt. one of her Representatives in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses, of Your Majesty's ancient Corporation of Portsmouth.

WE Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses, of Your Majesty's ancient Corporation of Portsmouth, humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty for the great Blessing, the Union of England and Scotland; and to assure Your Majesty, That we will not only stand by, but oppose, all Hears and Animosities, which divide and weaken Your Majesty's Interest, and the Good of Your People. We have determined to continue in such a State of Amity, Peace and Charity, towards all Your Subjects, as the Obligations of our Religion, established in the Church of England, do require: And we will demonstrate on every Opportunity a true Zeal for Your Majesty's Service; and pray to Almighty God, (whose Vicegerent You are) That Your Enemies may be clothed with Shame; and that on Your Royal Head, the Crown of Great Britain may long flourish. In Testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our Hands, the First Day of May, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the Borough of Maidstone was presented to Her Majesty by Sir Thomas Colepeper Bar. and Thomas Bliss Esq; their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Rockingham, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

To Her Most Excellent Majesty ANNE, Queen of Great Britain, &c.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Jurats, and Commonalty, of Your Majesty's Town of Maidstone in the County of Kent.

Permit us, most Gracious Sovereign, among the Throng of Addresses that have been laid at Your Royal Feet, to offer our humble and sincere Thanks for Your Majesty's most wonder-

ful Vigilance and Care of the Tranquility, Safety, Honour and Wealth, of Your Subjects and Kingdoms, which have given us frequent Occasions of approaching Your Royal Presence.

We are so sensibly touched with the Glory which God has added to Your Majesty's Reign, and the Strength, Wealth and Security, which Your Subjects of Great Britain may reasonably expect from the happy Union of Your Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland, that we presume once more to lay our selves at Your Royal Feet, unanimously to congratulate Your Majesty upon this most happy Occasion.

We beg Leave humbly to assure Your Majesty of our utmost Endeavours, in our several Stations, to improve the Valuable Consequences of this Great and most Memorable Work of Your illustrious Reign; and pray, That nothing may be wanting to make You the Happiest, as most deservingly You are the best beloved, Monarch upon Earth.

In Testimony whereof, we have caused our Common Seal to be hereunto affixed, the First Day of May, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the Town and County of Haverford-West was presented to Her Majesty by John Laugharne Esq; their Representative in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and others, Gentlemen and Inhabitants, of the Town and County of Haverford-West,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Permit us, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects of Your Majesty's ancient Corporation and Town and County of Haverford-West, to congratulate Your Majesty upon the Union of the Two Kingdoms that has been so long wish'd for, and so necessary for the Good of the whole Island.

We beg Leave to tell Your Majesty, That it's a Grief to us to live in a Place situated the most remote of any from Your Majesty's Royal Person: It occasions our being the latest in hearing, and consequently the latest in letting Your Majesty know the Satisfaction we have at any Good that happens in Your Majesty's Reign.

But happy may we think our selves to be, to live in a Reign where Matters are so well concert'd, and to see this that in former Ages was in vain attempted, (and of it self so nice) in that of Your Majesty so well concluded.

Wonderful had it been in any other Reign than that of Your Majesty; for Demonstration tells us, that Difficulties for the Good of Great Britain were left to be compleated in the Reign of so great, so good, and so gracious a Queen.

And that Your Majesty may live to see the Effects of so great a Work; and that Your Reign may be long and prosperous, shall be the constant and hearty Prayers of, May it please Your Majesty, Your Majesty's most humble, most obedient, and most faithful Subjects.

All which Addresses Her Majesty received very graciously.

Lisbon, May 4. N. S. The Portuguese are in a readiness to act with Vigour; and their Forces, when assembled at Ciudad-Rodrigo, will consist of about 8000 Foot and 2000 Horse complete. The Troops of the Province of Almeida are in a very good Condition; and those that are to join 'em from Alentejo are on their March thither. The Cavalry from Lisbon, consisting of 340 Horse, are gone towards the Frontiers; and the Duke of Cadaval, who expects every Day the Arrival of the Regiments from Ireland, has fix'd his Departure to the 10th Instant.

Turin, May 4. The Hereditary Prince of Hesse-Cassel arrived here from Genoa on the first Instant; and it is believed he will stay with us till the opening of the Campaign. All our Advices from France say, That the Enemy have countermanded 12 Battalions of their Troops, which were on their March for Spain, to reinforce their Army in Dauphine. His Royal Highness being somewhat weak after his late Indisposition, designs to go to-morrow to one of his Country Seats, with the Dutchess Consort, and the two young Princes, for the Benefit of the Air, and Recovery of his Strength.

Berlin,

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