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Notice is hereby given, That from and after the 31st of July, the London Gazette shall be Publish'd but twice a Week, viz. Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Kensington, July 22.

THE following Address from the City of Durham, was presented to Her Majesty by John Conyers, Esq; Her Majesty's Council at Law, sent down by Thomas Conyers and Robert Shafto, Esqs; their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Most Honourable Robert Earl of Oxford and Earl Mortimer, Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common-Council of the City of Durham, in Common-Council Assembled, with the Representatives, Gentlemen and Freemen of the said City.

May it please Your Majesty,

THE Power of making Peace and War, being the undoubted Prerogative of the Crown, we should think our selves wanting in our Duty to Your Majesty, if among others of Your Faithful Subjects, we did not return our unfeigned Thanks for Your great Goodness and Condescension in communicating the Terms on which an Honourable Peace may be made.

As we can never sufficiently acknowledge Your Majesty's tender Care and Concern which You have shewn upon all Occasions since Your happy Accession to the Throne, to secure the Church of England, the Protestant Succession as by Law Established in the House of Hanover, our Properties, and to promote the true Interest and Welfare of Your Subjects; so we think our selves under the greatest Obligations humbly to declare our entire Confidence in Your Majesty's Endeavours to compleat and finish so great and good a Work, as the restoring Peace to Europe, and preserving our Liberties from any exorbitant Power, which we hope is now near at Hand, by Your Majesty's prudent Care to have Dunkirk put into our Possession, which undoubtedly will be a very great Security to the Trade of Great Britain.

That Your Majesty may be the happy Instrument to bring these great Things to a good and speedy Conclusion against all Opposition, and long enjoy the greatest of Temporal Blessings, Peace; and we Your Subjects the Fruits of it, under Your Majesty's most easy and gentle Administration are the hearty Prayers of, Madam, Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

The following Address from the Towns of Kirkaldy, Dysart, Bruntisland, Kinghorn in the Shire of Fife, and from the Burgh of Haddington in the Shire of Haddington, were presented to Her Majesty by the Lord Lyon, being introduced by the Lord High Treasurer.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Provost, Bailiffs, and Remanent Members of the Town-Council of Kirkaldy, Dysart, Bruntisland and Kinghorn, with Concourse of Captain James Oswald, of Dunclier, our Representative in Parliament.

Most Gracious Sovereign!

WE in all Humility beg leave to approach Your Majesty with our hearty Thanks, for the great

Confidence You have placed in Your People, in condescending to communicate to them the Terms upon which a safe and honourable Peace may be made.

It is with Hearts full of Gratitude to Your Majesty, and Zeal for Your Service, that we behold the Steadiness wherewith Your Majesty pursues the true Interest of Your Kingdoms, the particular Care Your Majesty has taken to assure and secure the Protestant Succession thereto, to fix a real Balance of Power in Europe, to secure, restore and advance the Commerce of Britain, and to procure all due Satisfaction to Your Alleys.

May Your Majesty speedily perfect that great and good Work Your Majesty in Your Wisdom has so well begun; and so far advanced, notwithstanding the many Difficulties which arise from the Nature of the Affair, and which have been increased by Obstructions artfully contrived to hinder the same,

And may Your Majesty long live to reap the Fruits thereof, and to be a Blessing to Your Subjects.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The most humble and dutiful Address of the Provost, Bailiffs, Dean of Gild, Treasurers, Town-Council, and Deacons of Incorporations of Your Majesty's Burgh of Haddington, in that part of Your Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain called Scotland, for themselves and in the Name of the whole Community of the said Royal Burgh.

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects receive with unspeakable Joy and Satisfaction, the near View and Prospect you are pleased to give us of a Peace, wherof the Terms and Conditions are to our Conviction honourable to Your Majesty, and so advantageous to Your Dominions, that we cannot but abhor all the Artifices made use of by the Enemies of Peace to obstruct or Embarrass the same, and to hinder Your Majesty's gracious and generous Purposes of extending the Trade and Commerce of Britain beyond all its antient Limits and Bounds, and putting a Period to such a bloody and expensive War.

For the finishing of so glorious a Work, we entirely confide in Your Majesty's admirable Wisdom and Conduct, and in the Abilities and Fidelity of Your Ministry; and to the utmost of our Power we will assist Your Sacred Majesty's undoubted Prerogative of finishing as well as commencing a War.

Most Gracious Sovereign! Having this happy Opportunity to testify our Zeal and Affection for Your Majesty's Person and Government, we humbly presume likewise to return Your Majesty our humble and hearty Thanks for Your Gracious Toleration to the Episcopal Clergy in North-Britain.

May the God of all Peace bless Your Majesty with a long and prosperous Reign, and that all Faction may cease, and all Your Majesty's Subjects be as Dutiful and Loyal as we, is the constant and hearty Prayers of, May it please Your Majesty, Your Majesty's most Humble, most Faithful, and most Obedient Subjects and Servants.