

principal Care of his Life to promote the Happiness of his Subjects, and to protect them in their just Rights, whose deep Penetration happily discovered the secret Intrigues of his Enemies, and who in his consummate Wisdom has taken such timely and effectual Measures to prevent them, and since we see your British Parliament inspir'd with Resolutions so worthy of them, to stand by your Majesty in the present critical Juncture; we doubt not but these new Schemes of your Adversaries will be, by the over-ruling Providence of God, attended with the same Fate that all their unrighteous Projects against your Majesty's Crown and Kingdoms have hitherto met with; and that the outrageous Insults offer'd to your Majesty, of which your People every where express the utmost Abhorrence, will be so far from answering the safe Ends propos'd by them, that they will in due Season turn upon the Authors of them.

By the Principles of Religion, Loyalty and Gratitude, we are inviolably attach'd to your Majesty's Person and Government, and to the Succession in your Royal Family; we do therefore, in the greatest Sincerity and with the most perfect Unanimity assure your Majesty, that in our several Stations we shall be ready to hazard all that is dear to us in this World, in your Service, in Opposition to all your Enemies, particularly, an abjured Pretender, and his Adherents.

That our Gracious God may long preserve your Majesty's most precious Life, and continue the happy Harmony between you and your Parliament; that you may still reign in the Hearts of your Subjects, and the Crown flourish on your Royal Head; that God may prosper your Arms by Sea and Land, and make your Majesty the powerful Guardian of Religion every where; that after you have finished your Reign on Earth, you may forever possess a Crown of Glory that fadeth not; and that your august Family may sway the Scepter of these Realms till Time shall be no more; these are the constant and most affectionate Prayers of,

May it please your Majesty,  
Your Majesty's most faithful and  
obedient Subjects.

The following humble Address of the Right Honourable Cadwalader Lord Blayney Governour, the Deputy-Governours, High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury, and Gentlemen of the County of Monaghan, has been presented to His Majesty by his Excellency the Lord Carteret, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Which Address His Majesty was pleas'd to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Right Honourable Cadwalader Lord Blayney Gover-

nour, the Deputy-Governours, High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury, and Gentlemen of the County of Monaghan, at the Assizes held for the said County at Monaghan the 27th Day of March 1727

*Most Gracious Sovereign,*

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, beg Leave to assure your Majesty of our sincere Fidelity at this Time when the Trade of your Kingdoms and Possessions of your Crown are struck at (contrary to solemn Treaties) by Powers who owe their Crowns and Dignities to the Counsels, Arms, and Treasure of Great Britain. All Mankind must see your Majesty's Conduct and Foresight in the Expeditious employing the Naval Power of Great Britain in preserving our Trade, and disappointing the Hopes of the Pretender, and those Powers who have combined to de-throne your sacred Majesty, in order to facilitate their unjust Invasion of all that is dear and valuable to us. As in the worst of Times we always had a just Abhorrence and Detestation of the ungrateful Contrivances of your Majesty's Enemies, so we now beg Leave to assure your Majesty we will exert ourselves on this and all other Occasions, and sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes in Defence of your Majesty's Person; your Right and Title to these Realms, and the Continuance of the Crown in your Royal Family, in Opposition to all your Majesty's Enemies both at Home and Abroad.

The following humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Clergy, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, and Freeholders of the County of Downe, has been presented to His Majesty by his Excellency the Lord Carteret Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Which Address His Majesty was pleas'd to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Clergy, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, and Freeholders of the County of Downe, assembled at a General Assizes held in and for the said County, the 15th Day of March 1726.

**W**E your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, are filled with the greatest Resentment and Indignation at a War most injuriously brought on your Majesty by a manifold Breach of Faith and solemn Treaties by Spain, but much more by the unparalleled Ingratitude of the Emperour, who owes every Thing to the powerful Assistance of your Majesty and Great Britain.

The Justice of God will not permit us to apprehend ill Consequences from a War brought upon us by such a notorious Breach of Faith and flagrant Ingratitude.

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