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THIS Day the Lord Mayor, with the rest of the Commissioners of the Lieutenancy for the City of London, waited in a Body on His Majesty, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Grafton Lord Chamberlain; and the Lord Mayor presented the following Address to His Majesty.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, and the rest of the Commissioners of the Lieutenancy for your City of London.

May it please your Majesty,

THE sudden and unexpected Death of your Royal Father our late most Gracious Sovereign, is a Subject of Grief too sensibly affecting us to be conceal'd; but when we consult our Reason, and reflect on our Happiness, that your Majesty is now so quietly seated on the Throne, the joyful Scene abates our Sorrow, altho' the Remembrance of his benign Reign will be ever dear to us.

The early Proofs of your Valour and Conduct in Support of the Protestant Cause, your gracious and mild Disposition in the Exercise of Power during your Regency, and the Deference you have ever paid to the Laws of the Land, are so many Foundations for that Assurance we have always had, that your Majesty would be a steadfast Preserver of our Constitution in Church and State, and a tender Father of your People; and the most agreeable Declaration you was pleased to make to your Subjects the Moment you ascended the Throne, convinces us, that we did not in vain entertain so great Expectations.

We therefore, with the utmost Zeal, congratulate your Majesty's Accession to the

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Throne, and with all Duty and Affection to your Sacred Person, we truly wish and sincerely pray, that your Reign may be long and prosperous; that your Royal Comfort, and those Blessings your Royal Issue, in whom we have the comfortable Prospect of Happiness to our Posterity, may give constant Delight and Satisfaction to your Majesty.

And we beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that the Arms wherewith we are entrusted, shall be resolutely employed in Defence of your Majesty, and the happy Establishment of your Kingdoms, against any who shall be audacious or ungrateful enough to disturb your Quiet and Repose.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to give the following most Gracious Answer.

I Thank you for this Loyal Address, in which you express so much Duty and Affection to my Person and Government.

His Majesty was pleased to receive them very graciously, and they had all the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

The following humble Address of the Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and High Constable for the City and Liberty of Westminster, assembled in General Quarter Sessions, has been presented to His Majesty by William Cowper, Esq; the Chairman, attended by several of the Justices, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Herbert. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously, and they had all the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Justices of the Peace, Grand

