

Your constant continuing amongst us, from your first happy Arrival in Great Britain, to acquaint yourself with a People you were design'd to rule over: The perfect Knowledge and Love your Majesty had of the Constitution, both Religious and Civil, of these Kingdoms; and of their Interests, Domestick and Foreign: Your Majesty's prudent and wise Conduct upon nice and important Occasions; your known and experienced Abilities for Government, and other your Princely Virtues, had so delighted the People, that when they heard of your Majesty's Accession to the Crown, they were not satisfied with a bare Acquiescence in your just Right and Title, but expressed so hearty and universal Joy, as leaves no Room to doubt, but your Majesty will reign in the Hearts and Affections of your Subjects.

We your Majesty's good Subjects of this City, do most humbly congratulate you on this happy Beginning of your Reign: And in Return to those gracious Assurances which your Majesty has been pleased to give your People, that you will preserve and secure to them their Religion, Liberty, and Property; we will, to our Utmost, contribute in our Stations, to make your Government not only easy, but happy; and we wish it may be long.

Your Majesty and your Royal Consort did our City the Honour to make it the Place of your first Meeting in England: We are thereby more particularly put in Mind to wish, as we most heartily do, both your Majesties a long Continuance of the Blessings of Providence together: And pray, that there may never be wanting a Protestant Prince, descended from your Majesties (intrusted by your Majesty's Precepts and Examples) to love, protect, and defend these Kingdoms.

The following humble Address of the Provost, Baillies, and Town-Council of the Burgh of Stirling, representing the whole Community thereof, has been presented to His Majesty by Henry Cuninghame, Esq; their Representative in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Herbert Lord of the Bed-Chamber to His Majesty in waiting. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

May it please your Majesty,

THE good and special Providence of Almighty God, which has so remarkably taken Care of Britain, did most seasonably bring your Majesty's Royal Family to the Throne of your Ancestors, to confirm and carry further the great Things done for us by the happy Revolution under the Conduct of King William, of immortal Memory.

To our great Joy, we find Providence still propitious to us, when we see your Majesty fill the Throne on the Death of your Royal Father, our late gracious Sovereign: A Death which nothing but your Majesty's happy Succession could make up the Loss we thereby sustained.

Our firm and inviolable Attachment to the Church of Scotland by Law established, to our happy Civil Constitution, which secures our Liberties and Properties beyond these of any other People, fixes unalterably our Duty and Zeal for your Majesty's Sacred Person, Family, and Government; which God has raised up to be His great and glorious Instrument for the Preservation of our Religion, and of all our Earthly Enjoyments: Nor is the necessary and happy Connexion betwixt these and your Majesty's Government more evident, than is there absolute Inconsistency with all the Interests of the abjured Popish Pretender: In Opposition to whom, and all your other Enemies, we humbly beg Leave to assure your Majesty, that we will unalterably adhere to your Cause, which is indeed the Cause of God and of our Country.

May your Majesty's Reign over us be long and prosperous: May all the Blessings of God be heaped upon you and on your Royal Consort our gracious Queen; on his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and all your Royal Progeny: And may one of your Royal Protestant Family wear the Crown of Britain as long as the Earth endures, and render our Posterity as happy as we are under your Majesty. So pray with Cordial Affection and Truth,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Your Majesty's most faithful,
most dutiful, and most loyal
humble Subjects and Ser-
vants.

*Signed at Stirling this 30th Day of
June, 1727.*

An humble Address of the Bailiff, Burgeses and Inhabitants of the Ancient Borough of Chippenham, in the County of Wilts, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Sir John Eyles, Bart. Lord Mayor of the City of London and Member of Parliament for the said Borough, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord William Manners Lord of the Bed-Chamber to His Majesty in waiting.

Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

St. James's, July 22.

One of His Majesty's Messengers arrived here this Day from Paris, having been dispatched from thence the 19th Instant Express by Horatio Walpole, Esq; His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, with Advice, that the Ratifications in form of the Preliminary Articles for a general Pacification, by the Emperour, the King of Great Britain, the most Christian King, and the States-General, had been mutually exchanged by the respective Ministers of those several Powers: And this Messenger brought with him the Emperour's Ratification of the said Preliminary Articles.

This Day the three Regiments of Foot Guards passed in Review before His Majesty in Hyde-Park, and made a fine Appearance.

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