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THE following humble Addresses having been transmitted to his Excellency the Lord Carteret, Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, have by him been presented to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive them very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

May it please your Sacred Majesty,
WE the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Dublin, at a General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Kilmainham, the 13th Day of July, 1727, humbly beg Leave to condole with your Majesty on the Death of his late Majesty, of glorious Memory, and at the same time to express our Joy on your happy Accession to the Imperial Crown of these Realms.

Your Majesty, at the Hazard of your Royal Person, has long since convinced the World of the Regard you have to the Protestant Religion and to the Welfare of Europe; and your Subjects must with the utmost Gratitude acknowledge, that during the Time you ruled over us in your late Royal Father's Life, you were pleased to give us undeniable Proof, that you had nothing more at Heart than the Welfare and Happiness of your People: From hence it is that your Subjects rest assured that they shall, during your auspicious Reign, enjoy every Blessing that flows from consummate Wisdom and experienced Goodness.

We on our Parts do with the greatest Truth and Zeal beg Leave to make a Tender of our Duty to your Majesty, and to assure your Majesty, that we shall with the greatest Readiness devote our Lives and Fortunes in the Defence of your Person and Government; being truly sensible how much our Happiness, and the Happiness of our Posterity, depend on our being govern'd by your Majesty and your Royal Issue.

To the King.

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County

of Catherlogh in Ireland, signed the First of August, 1727, at the Summer Assizes held in Carlow, for the said County.

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WE your Majesty's faithful Subjects, now first generally assembled since the Demise of our late gracious Sovereign, and the Accession of your Majesty to the Throne of your Royal Ancestors, humbly beg Permission to present our Condolance and Congratulation on those great Occasions.

Your Majesty's pious Expressions of filial Grief, are to us an Example not to resist and suppress, but to indulge and declare our reasonable Sorrows for so publick and unexpected a Calamity as the Death of our Country's loving Father, the World's great Benefactor, whose unwearied Endeavours, successful Influences, and unparell'd Fatigues at the last Period of Life, for the Welfare and Glory of these Kingdoms, and Peace of Europe, must render his Memory honour'd and precious, where-ever Gratitude shall be found among Men.

Though these Reflexions imprint in our Minds the deepest Concern, yet we cannot but be truly sensible of our Safety and Happiness in your Majesty's immediate and peaceful Succession to the Imperial Throne of these Realms. This peculiar Instance of Divine Protection has intirely dissipated all those Apprehensions which naturally spring from the Decease of a great and good Monarch, and has so amply repaired the Loss, that with the utmost Sincerity we do assure your Majesty, our Satisfaction and Joy in your Reign are without Mixture of Doubts or Fears.

For what in Reason may we not promise ourselves from the auspicious Government of a Prince, who has shin'd and distinguish'd himself in War and Peace, in Ruling and Obeying, and has given many repeated Proofs of true Piety and Love to our happy Constitution in Church and State? And what may we not surely expect from your Majesty's most gracious Declaration in Council, and Speeches in Parliament, since the Credit of Assurances from your Throne has been happily restored, and we are confident will ever be inviolably maintain'd in your Royal Family.

Induc'd by such mighty Encouragements, and countenanc'd by the full Streams of Addresses universally flowing from Fountains of pure