

by the Misrepresentations of the Duty and Loyalty of your well-affected Subjects.

And here we most humbly beg Leave to make a Tender unto your Majesty of our Lives and Fortunes, with the greatest Sincerity our Hearts are capable of, for the Preservation of your Majesty's Just and Royal Rights, and for the opposing all those who may attempt to disturb your Majesty's Reign, or obstruct the Interest of your People.

The following humble Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Burgh of Stranrawer, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Stair, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Albemarle Lord of the Bedchamber to His Majesty in waiting. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Burgh of Stranrawer, with Hearts full of the greatest Affection to your Majesty, congratulate your happy Accession to the Throne of your Royal Father, whose Loss we most sincerely condole: We have been always made to hope by one of our Number, (who has ever been distinguished by his Attachment to your Royal Family) that whatever Grief might at first fill our Hearts for the losing so good a King, as was his late Majesty of glorious Memory, inexpressible Joy would succeed as soon as you should mount the Throne.

The Declarations you have been pleased to make, and the wise Steps already taken, sufficiently convince us of your Majesty's consummate Wisdom, your Love to your People, and that our Hopes were not vain.

We have now no more to wish, but that it would please God to bless your Majesty with a long and prosperous Reign, exceeding that of the best and greatest of your Ancestors; the Queen your Royal Consort with long Life; and that He would preserve your Royal Issue; that these Nations may never want a Prince of your illustrious Family to rule them, even to the latest Posterity: These are the ardent Wishes of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most loyal, most faithful and dutiful Subjects and Servants,

The Magistrates and Town-Council of your Burgh of Stranrawer.

Signed in their Presence, by

John Dalrymple, *Provost.*

The following humble Address of the Bailiffs, Recorder, Capital and Inferior Burghesses, and all the rest of the ancient Corporation of Aldeburgh, in the County of Suffolk,

has been presented to His Majesty by Samuel Lowe, Esq; and Thomas Betts, Esq; their Recorder, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Albemarle Lord of the Bedchamber to His Majesty in waiting. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE humbly crave Leave to approach your Sacred Majesty, and to express our great Grief and Concern for the Death of your late Royal Father, of blessed Memory; and we also, with Hearts full of Joy and Zeal, congratulate your Majesty, and our most gracious Queen Caroline, on your happy Accession to the Throne of Great Britain. When we take a View of your early Bravery in the Field, and of your Clemency and Lenity of your Government when Regent of these your Dominions; and when we read your tender Declaration of the Preservation of our Religion, Laws and Liberties, both in Church and State, and your affectionate Speech to your Parliament of lessening the Expence of this Nation, our Hearts are filled with Admiration: And these claim from us an humble and dutiful Acknowledgement of Thanks for all these gracious Favours bestowed upon us; and we, in the most humble Manner, take this Opportunity to assure your Majesty of our Loyalty, Duty, Allegiance and Obedience to you, and your Royal Family: And we heartily pray, that God of his infinite Goodness and Mercy may give you Health and Length of Days to reign over us; and that you and your Posterity may ever enjoy these Realms in perfect Peace and Tranquility.

Given under our Common Seal, in our Town-Hall, this 17th of July, 1727.

Whitehall, September 19.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint His Grace the Duke of St. Albans to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Berks.

His Grace the Duke of Chandos to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Counties of Hereford and Radnor.

Members chosen for the ensuing Parliament.

Pontefract, Sir William Lowther, John Lowther, Esq;

Castle-Rising, Lord Montroth, Col. Charles Churchill.

Great Grimsby, --- Page, George Munson, Esqrs.

New Radnor, Thomas Lewis, Esq;

Newcastle under Line, Baptist Levison Gower, William Ward, Esqrs.

Staffordshire, William Levison Gower, Esq; Sir Walter Wagstaff Bagot.

Derby County, Sir Nath. Curzon, Godfrey Clark, Esq;