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ON Tuesday the 23d Instant the Parliament having met according to the Prorogation, his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the House of Peers, and being seated on the Throne with the usual Ceremony, his Excellency sent for the Commons, and made a Speech to both Houses, who unanimously Resolved upon humble and dutiful Addresses to his Majesty, which were this Day presented to his Excellency.

His Excellency John Lord Carteret, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governour of Ireland, his Speech to both Houses of Parliament, on Tuesday the Twenty Third Day of September, 1729.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

IT was with great Pleasure I received His Majesty's Commands to meet you again in Parliament; having already experienced your Duty and Affection to His Royal Person, and your Regard to the Honour of His Government. His Majesty's constant and unwearied Care to promote the Ease and Happiness of His People, and the tender Concern He has shewn for the Prosperity of this Kingdom, give me good Reason to hope, that this Parliament, which, at the Beginning of His Reign, acted with so much Zeal for His Service, in a just Expectation of that Security and Protection which they have since enjoyed, will now exert themselves in the most effectual Manner to express the due Sense they have of His mild and gracious Government.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I have ordered the Accounts and Estimates to be laid before you, by which you will observe, the Revenue has fallen short of what it produced in the two former Years, and thereby a considerable Arrear is become Due to the Establishment. And I have not the least Reason to doubt, but that you will grant such Supplies as will be necessary to answer the Exigencies of the Government, in such Manner as shall be most expedient, and may be least burthensome to the People.

His Majesty has been pleased since your last Meeting, to send three of those Regiments to this Kingdom, which the publick Service had required to be employed Abroad: And I can assure you from His Majesty, that the rest shall be ordered back as soon as the Circumstances of Affairs will permit.

[Price Two Pence.]

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The plentiful Harvest with which the Goodness of Providence has this Year blessed us, will, I hope, put an End to the Disturbances and other ill Consequences that may have arisen from a general Scarcity of Corn. It will however deserve your Consideration, whether some new Laws may not be requisite to prevent the pernicious Practices of Engrossers, Foresters and Regrators, and all tumultuary and riotous Proceedings for the future, and to provide for the Peace of this large and populous City, and for the Employment of the Poor of this Kingdom.

It is with great Satisfaction I observe the Success with which the Linnen Manufacture is carried on in this Kingdom. And I have His Majesty's Commands to assure you, that, in promoting a Trade so beneficial to this Nation, you may depend upon His Royal Favour and Protection.

I must earnestly desire you to shew, on this Occasion, such Temper and Unanimity in all your Proceedings, as appeared during the whole Course of the last Session. That will certainly be the most effectual Method of serving the Kingdom, and of recommending yourselves to His Majesty's Royal Favour.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, humbly beg Leave to congratulate your Majesty on your happy Return to Great Britain, and to assure your Majesty, we are truly sensible that your Majesty has, during your whole Reign, shewn the utmost Regard for the Prosperity of your People; and that your Majesty could not have given a more manifest Instance of your tender Concern for the Safety and Welfare of these Kingdoms, than by committing the Government, during such Time as the Peace and Tranquility of Europe required your Absence, to your Royal Consort, whose Wisdom and Goodness are equally admired by your Subjects and by the whole World.

As every thing which relates to your Royal House does, in the most sensible manner, affect your faithful Subjects of Ireland; we beg Leave to take this Opportunity of expressing the great Share we have had in the universal Joy of your Royal Family, and your People of these Kingdoms, upon the

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