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Westminster March 21.

HIS Majesty came this Day to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes, seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton, Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for granting and continuing the Duties upon Salt, and upon Red and White Herrings, for the further Term of seven Tears, and for licensing the erecting new Refineries of Rock Salt in the Counties of Essex and Suffolk.

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army and their Quarters.

An Act for exhibiting a Bill in this present Parliament, for naturalizing his Highness the Prince of Orange.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted by an Act passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the First, intituled, An Act for laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, or one Sixth Part of a Penny Sterling, upon every Pint of Ale or Beer that shall be vended or sold within the Town of Montrose and Privileges thereof, for supplying the said Town with fresh Water, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

And to Three Private Bills.

AT the Court at St. James's, the 20th Day of March, 1733.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Anthony Ashley Earl of Shaftesbury, to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset and Town and County of Poole; his Lordship this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

St. James's, March 21, 1733.

• The following humble Address of the Mayor, Burgeses, and Commonalty of the

City of Bristol, was this Day presented to His Majesty by John Scrope, Esq; and Sir Abraham Elton, Bart. their Representatives in Parliament; which His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously, and they had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,
The humble Address of the Mayor, Burgeses, and Commonalty of the City of Bristol.

May it please your Majesty,

WE the Mayor, Burgeses and Commonalty of the City of Bristol, in Common Council assembled, do congratulate your Majesty on the happy Nuptials of her Royal Highness the Princess Royal with the Prince of Orange.

We have constantly experienced your Majesty's Care for the Good of all your People in your mild and just Government over us; and the Consummation of this auspicious Marriage, is a shining Instance of your Royal Regard for the Welfare of your Subjects, as it is an additional Security to all the Blessings we enjoy. In this Scene of universal Satisfaction, permit us humbly to assure your Majesty, that our Share of the publick Joy, is equal to our Interest in the publick Advantage; and we, who have so much at Stake (as a trading City) can never too warmly acknowledge what tends to secure us a free People.

With the utmost Veneration we remember that Great Prince, who by the Revolution restored our Liberties; and our Gratitude to him still rises, when we consider that he made the glorious Work compleat, by transmitting the Crown to your Majesty: Our Zeal for the Memory of King William, has always been expressed in the most early and affectionate Manner; and the same Love of Liberty which has ever engaged us to acknowledge and vindicate his Services to the British Constitution and the Protestant Interest in general, obliges us in like Manner to acknowledge your Majesty's Wisdom and Goodness in marrying your eldest Daughter to a Prince of Orange, who by all the endearing Ties of Descent and Alliance, as well as his own Inclination, must continue firmly attached to the Interest of these Kingdoms, the Support of Liberty and the Protestant Religion.