

be the peculiar Objects of your Majesty's Royal Care.

May your Subjects, on all Occasions, express their Gratitude and Sense of the manifold Blessings we enjoy under the present happy Administration, by their Loyalty, Zeal, and Affection for your Majesty's Person and Government: May your Reign be long and prosperous, and may there never be wanting one of your Royal Family to sway the Sceptre over us to latest Posterity; this is the most sincere and hearty Prayer of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most loyal, most faithful and dutiful Subjects and Servants, the Annual Committee of the Convention of the Royal Burrows of Scotland.

Edinburgh April 9, 1734.

Signed in their Presence, and by their Appointment, by *P. Lindesay*, Preses.

The following Address of the French Protestant Refugees has been presented to his Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

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S I R E,

*LES Protestants François Réfugiés, vos très fideles Sujets, demandent, avec le plus profond Respect, à votre Majesté la permission de lui témoigner la joye dont leurs cœurs sont pénétrés pour l'heureux Mariage de son Altesse Royale avec Monseigneur le Sérénissime Prince d'Orange. Ce choix si digne de la Sagesse et de la Religion de votre Majesté, fait l'applaudissement de l'Eglise Protestante, et nous fait révéler de plus en plus en vous le Defenseur de la Foi. Nous partageons, Sire, avec vos autres Sujets les avantages inestimables de votre heureux et juste Gouvernement: Et nous recevons des marques particulières de la bonté de votre Majesté. La Religion, la Reconnoissance, et notre propre Interest nous attachent au service de votre Majesté, par des liens indissolubles. Nous ne cessons jamais de demander à Dieu, par nos prières les plus ardentes, la conservation de votre Personne sacrée, et la prospérité de votre auguste Famille, et de votre Regne.*

The following Address of the City of St. Andrews has been presented to his Majesty by John Drummond, Esq; Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty, The humble Address of the City of St. Andrews.

May it please your Majesty,

WE the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of your ancient City of St.

Andrews, in Common Council assembled; do humbly beg Leave, upon this most joyful Occasion of the happy Marriage of the Princess Royal to his Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, to express our utmost Satisfaction with an Alliance so very agreeable to all your Majesty's good Subjects. The Thoughts of being once more united with a Prince of the illustrious House of Nassau, equally famous by their Valour and Wisdom in the Defence of publick Liberty, and Support of the Protestant Interest in Europe, raises in us the highest Esteem of your Majesty's Goodness, by whom this Event is happily brought about.

We also most humbly beg Leave to embrace this Opportunity to express and testify the most grateful and just Sense of our own Happiness under your Majesty's most benign and most auspicious Reign; and that by the Establishment of the Crown of these Realms in your Majesty's Royal Family, these Blessings deriv'd to our Country by the glorious King William the Third, are secured to us and our Posterity; and when it so fully appears, that every Act of your Majesty's Administration tends so much to the Happiness of your People, we cannot but entertain a most grateful Sense of the Blessings we enjoy under a Sovereign so good and gracious.

That the God of Heaven may continue to bless your Majesty, and direct your Councils; that your Majesty's Reign may be long and prosperous; that your Subjects may ever be loyal and dutiful, becoming the Sense of so many Mercies; and that there may never be wanting one of your Royal Family to reign over us, is the earnest and fervent Prayer of,

May it please your Majesty,

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

Wakefield, the 10th of April, 1734.

WE the Dissenting Ministers in Yorkshire, think it expedient at this critical Juncture to declare for ourselves and our respective Congregations, that we are firmly attach'd to his Majesty's Person and Government, in Opposition to all the avowed Enemies of both, and to the crafty Insinuations of Malecontents, who would propagate a groundless and dangerous Distinction betwixt a Court and Country Interest; and that we shall exert ourselves for the Choice of such Gentlemen to represent us in the ensuing Parliament, as are well affected to the King and his Royal House, and true to the civil and religious Liberties of their Country.

Signed by Forty Ministers.

Whitehall, April 1735

His Majesty has been pleased to grant unto the Right Honourable Arthur Onslow, Esq; the