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AT the Court at St. James's the 21st Day of February 1745.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty in Council was this Day pleased to appoint the following Sheriffs, viz.

Devonshire,	Thomas Benson, of Northam, Esq;
Derbyshire,	Robert Newton, Esq;
Gloucestershire,	William Baghott Delabere, Esq;
Staffordshire,	Charles Bosvile, of Biana, Esq;

Prince's Council Chamber at Somerset House, the 18th Day of February 1745.

This Day his Royal Highness was pleased to appoint

John Tremayne, of Heligan, Esq; to be Sheriff of the County of Cornwall.

St. James's, February 22.

The following Address of the Magistrates and City Council of Glasgow, having been transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Argyll, has by him been presented to his Majesty: Which Address his Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Magistrats and City Council of Glasgow, in Common Council assembled.

WE the Magistrats and City Council of Glasgow in Common-Council assembled,

( Price Four-pence. )

beg leave in the humblest Manner to approach your Throne, with the warmest Sentiments of Gratitude and Zeal, to acknowledge your Majesty's tender and fatherly Care of our Country, in sending down his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, and to congratulate the Success of your Majesty's Arms under his Command, over the Pretender's Son and his rebellious Adherents.

We lament this unnatural Rebellion, begun and chiefly carried on by our Countrymen; we detest such as would exchange your Majesty's mild and lawful Government, for a merciless despotick Tyranny under a Popish Pretender.

This Corporation has at all Times been remarkable for their firm Attachment to the happy Revolution and the Protestant Succession in your Royal House; and it gives us unspeakable Joy to reflect, that in our Zeal for your Majesty's happy Government, we have not come short of our Ancestors. We at this Time had the Honour to levy, in Pursuance of your Royal Approbation, two Battalions, of Six hundred Men each, for your Service; one of which Battalions, after assisting for some Time to guard the Pass at Stirling, marched to Edinburgh to defend the Capital, and lately made no bad Appearance in the Action near Falkirk.

These Things indeed did not fail to draw upon us the Resentments and Fury of the Pretender and his merciless Army, and which we severely felt by two exorbitant Fines that were rigorously exacted; but tho' they have thereby greatly impaired the Publick Funds of our Corporation, and at the same Time almost ruined many of our Members in their private Fortunes, by a total Stagnation of Trade, and by living on us with their whole Army at Free Quarters; yet it gives us the greatest Comfort, that all their Cruelties and our Sufferings have not been able to shake our Zeal for your Majesty's Service, or our steady Adherence to the Protestant Succession