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Whitehall, May 1.

**T**HIS being the Day appointed for the General Thanksgiving for the happy Union of the Kingdoms of England and Scotland, Her Majesty went in a Coach of State to the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, attended by a magnificent Appearance of the Nobility and Gentry of each Nation, to return Thanks to Almighty God for that great Blessing.

The Streets were lined from St. James's to Temple-Bar by the Militia of Westminster; from thence to St. Paul's by the City Trained Bands, the several Companies in their Gowns being placed on Scaffolds erected for that purpose; and a Battalion of Her Majesty's Two Regiments of Foot-Guards made a Lane from the Entrance into the Church to the Choir. The Balconies and Windows of the Houses were hung with Tapestry, and crowded with Multitudes of Spectators.

Her Majesty was met at Temple-Bar by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities: The Lord Mayor presented to Her Majesty the City Sword; which, the Queen being graciously pleased to return to him, he carried it before Her Majesty to the Church.

Her Majesty was received at the Entrance into the Church by the Peers: The Sword of State was carried before Her Majesty by the Earl of Seafield. The Lord Bishop of Oxford Preached; and the Te Deum, with proper Anthems, was Sung by Her Majesty's Choir and Mutick.

Divine Service being ended, Her Majesty returned to St. James's. The Great Guns of the Tower and those in St. James's Park were thrice discharged; the first time when Her Majesty parted from St. James's, the second at the Singing of the Te Deum, and the third when Her Majesty came back to the Palace.

The Publick Demonstrations of Joy were suitable to so great an Occasion, and the Day was concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Expressions of a General Satisfaction.

*Kensington, May 4.* The following Address from the Borough of St. Albans was presented to Her Majesty by Henry Kingrew Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Chamberlain.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen, Freemen, and Inhabitants, of Your Majesty's ancient Borough of St. Albans in the County of Hertford.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**T**HE many and unparalleled Successes which have hitherto attended Your Majesty's happy Reign, call for the utmost Gratitude of all Your Subjects to God and Your Majesty.

In particular we have our selves in Duty bound to render thankful Acknowledgments for the finishing of that great Design of Uniting all Britain into one Kingdom, which next to God, must be attributed to Your Majesty's matchless Wisdom in taking proper Measures, and making Choice of such wise, faithful and diligent Commissioners; since other Princes have hertofore so long and so often wished for, and attempted the same thing in vain.

May the End answer Your Majesty's Royal Intentions and Desire, and prove a lasting Addition to the Strength, Peace, and Prosperity of the whole Island; and may all Your People sincerely join Hearts and Hands for the Glory and Safety of Your Majesty's Sacred Person and Government, and for the Supporting and Strengthening of the Protestant Interest through the whole united Kingdom.

And we rest well assured, it will be Your Majesty's Care, that the Religion as by Law established, in this Part of Great Britain, may be supported and maintained, not only during Your own Life, which God long preserve, but that the same shall be so transmitted to our Posterity for ever.

The following Address from the County of Kent was presented to Her Majesty by John Brewer Esq; Chairman of the Quarter-Sessions; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treasurer.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace and Gentlemen, assembled at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace, held for the County of Kent at Maidstone, on Tuesday the Two and twentieth Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

**W**E Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful Subjects, having frequent and just Occasions given us for our grateful Acknowledgements of the many great Blessings we enjoy, under Your Majesty's wise and happy Administrations; by which the English

Honour shines with the brightest Lustre in Your Arms abroad and Councils at home.

We have now a fresh Instance of Your Majesty's great Wisdom and Concern for the Welfare of Your Subjects, by the uniting Your Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland; a Work of the greatest and happiest Consequence for the Security of our Religion and Liberties; a Work reserved for, and worthy the Honour of Your Majesty's Reign; a Reign full of Blessings to the present Ages, and will be of the greatest Remembrance in Ages to come.

We therefore take Leave to congratulate Your Majesty in the Success of this Your great Undertaking, and that Your Majesty may long enjoy the desired Effects of it; and that all Your Subjects may be united in their Duty to Your Majesty, and in mutual Affections to one another; and thereby Your Majesty's Reign may be continued Happy and Long over us.

The following Address from the Town and Port of New Romney was presented to Her Majesty by John Brewer Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treasurer.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Jurats, and Commonalty, of the Town and Port of New Romney in the County of Kent, one of Your Majesty's Cinque-Ports.

**T**HOUGH in former Reigns of Your Majesty's Royal Predecessors (Kings of this Realm) an Incorporating Union of England and Scotland hath often been attempted, yet the great Work appeared so nice and difficult in its Nature, that in those Times it was ever left impracticable, or unsuccessful:

But this being the Time (the Time of Your Majesty's happy Reign over us) when all Your Subjects of both Kingdoms, by Inclination and Duty, gladly become united in their Loyalty and Zeal to Your Majesty's Person and Government.

We beg Leave to acknowledge, it seems not wonderful to us that a People so disposed and affected, should mutually give into Measures for such an Incorporating Union, by which their Wealth, Strength and Safety, are not only united, but thereby the more effectually secured and established in the great Body of Great Britain.

In which Felicity we take Leave to congratulate Your Majesty (whose Happiness so much depends on the Security and flourishing Estate of Your People); And may Your Majesty long enjoy the Fruits of this National Blessing; for the Accomplishment of which Your Majesty's great Wisdom contributed so much.

Given under our Common Seal at the Town and Port of New Romney aforesaid, this One and twentieth Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Reign, Annoq; Dom. 1707.

The following Address from the City of Bath was presented to Her Majesty by their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treasurer.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council, of Your Majesty's ancient and loyal City of Bath, and of their Representatives in Parliament.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**W**E Your Majesty's most loyal Subjects, having received great and peculiar Advantages by Your Royal Presence and Bounty, as well as our common Share in the Pubick Blessing; do most humbly beg Leave to express our greatest Joy for the Accomplishment of the happy Union of Your Imperial Realms of England and Scotland; and to render our Thanks to Your Majesty, in a most dutiful manner, for so signal a Benefit, procured by Your Majesty's tender Care for the general Good of both Nations; whereby their mutual Security, in the Settlement of the Protestant Succession, and of our Religion, Liberties and Properties, has been so firmly established, that we have no reason to doubt of the Continuance of so great a Happiness, which, after many successful Endeavours of Your Predecessors, has been brought to Perfection by Your own Hand, and unbounded Wisdom.

This, with Your other Achievements, will eternize Your Royal Name in the Annals of Great Britain, as having entirely thrown down, by so glorious a Work, even the last Remains of that Wall of Separation that divided the two Kingdoms.

Therefore now, Madam, we devoutly offer up our Prayers to God, and humbly crave Leave to return our Thanks to Your Majesty for this great and publick Blessing, which provides for the Peace and Prosperity of this whole Island, and for the Security of our Religion, by a more firm Establishment of the Protestant Succession to the Imperial Crown of Great Britain.

Under a grateful Sense of these Mercies, we do most earnestly pray, That Your Majesty (by the continuance of God's blessing upon Your Arms, and those of Your Allies) may be as successful in Your Designs, for the universal Good and Happiness of Christendom; And by the length of Your pious and prosperous Reign here

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may work for Your self a more exceeding and eternal Weight of Glory. In Testimony whereof we have caused our Common Seal to be hereunto affixed, this Six and twentieth Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's most glorious Reign, Annoq; Dom. 1707.

The following Address from the East-Riding of the County of York was presented to Her Majesty by William Strickland Esq; Introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Privy-Seal, and Lord-Lieutenant of the East-Riding of the County of York.

May it please Your Most Excellent Majesty,

**WE** the Justices of the Peace, Deputy-Lieutenants, and Gentlemen, met at our General Quarter-Sessions holden at Beverley, for the East-Riding of the County of York, desire Leave to lay hold of this Opportunity to assure Your Majesty, That none of Your Loyal Subjects can rejoice more than we do at the Great Victories obtained by the Council and Valour of Your Arms Abroad, or of a much Greater Victory obtained by the Indefatigable and most Wonderful Management of the Union of the Kingdoms of England and Scotland, which hath been for many Ages endeavour'd in vain: But, to the Eternal Glory of Your Majesty's most Auspicious Reign, now accomplished; to the great Joy and Satisfaction of all People, who have any regard either to the Protestant Religion, or Succession of the Crown, as by Law established.

Our Hand now is become so united both in Government and Interest, that all True Protestants must rejoice as it: And there can be no Mourners left in this our Happy Isle, but the Friends of Popery; and they that would have introduced the Pretended Prince of Wales, to this utter Destruction both of Church and State. Scotland, that formerly hath been a Back-door, by which England hath received great Damage, is now become a strong Bulwark of Defence: And we have nothing left to hope or wish for, but a Long Continuance of Your Majesty's Life, who hath so gloriously defended us and all Christendom (against the Furious Insults of the French King, who for so many Years hath been the Disturber of our Peace and Quiet), and united us at Home in such a manner, as must render us safe to all Posterity.

The following Address from the Town of Kingston upon Hull was presented to Her Majesty by Sir William St. Quintin Bar. one of their Representatives in Parliament: Introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Privy-Seal, and Governor of the said Town and Fort of Hull.

### To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriff, and Burgeses, of the Town of Kingston upon Hull.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**WE** did presume to Address Your Sacred Majesty upon the Glorious Successes of Your Victorious Arms, under the Conduct of Your Great and Valiant General. We then had in Just Admiration Your Majesty's Great Wisdom and Goodness, and Reason to think our selves a most Happy People under such Surprising Events as have continually attended Your most Glorious Reign.

But when we reflect upon the Union, brought by Your Majesty to a Happy Conclusion, we are at a Loss how to express our selves; it being a Work in vain attempted by former Ages; and would have our had the same Fate, had not You, Madam, been ordained by Heaven for the Accomplishment thereof: And no Ministry, but One inspir'd by the Example of Your Majesty's Pity and Indefatigable Care for the Good of Your People, in all their Religions and Civil Rights, could have effected it.

All that is near and dear to us is now secur'd from Oppression and Tyranny: The Rays of Peace and Concord shine upon Great-Britain; and every Good Subject is full of Zeal and Vigour to improve the Consequences of this Great Blessing. And may the Great God of Union long protect Your Precious Life, that You may with Satisfaction see the Happy Effects of the Wonders you have done for the Good of Mankind.

The Prayers, is the Unfeigned Prayer of us Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects and Servants. In Testimony whereof we have hereto set our Common Seal, this 24th Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Happy Reign.

The following Address from the County of Nottingham was presented to Her Majesty by the Hon. James Sanderson Esq; Introduced by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Privy-Seal, and Lord-Lieutenant of the said County.

### To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and other Gentlemen and Freeholders, assembled at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace held at Nottingham, for the County of Nottingham, and other Places, by Adjournment, in and for the said County, Easter Sessions, 1707.

May it please Your Most Excellent Majesty,

**WE**, Your Majesty's most Dutiful and most Obedient Subjects, do presume to approach Your Majesty with Hearts truly sensible of the Innumerable Blessings we enjoy under Your Majesty's most Auspicious Reign. Such is Your Majesty's Wisdom in the Administration of Your Great Affairs, that every True Protestant Subject for a new Congratulation. 'Twas for Victories obtained Abroad by Your Majesty's Arms and Your Allies, that we have had the Honour to Address Your Majesty so often: 'Tis now for the Great Success obtained at Home; a Conquest over

these Difficulties which none of Your Royal Predecessors could (had so often attempted) ever accomplish, as the Uniting Your Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland. This seems to have been a Work reserved to Your Majesty by Divine Providence, to add a new Lustre to Your Reign; (so productive of Wonders) as a Reward of Your Transcendent Piety and Clemency; by which You have not only defeated the Hopes of the Enemies of Your Majesty and our Holy Religion, but have laid a lasting Foundation for the Security of the Crown in the Protestant Line, and the Preservation of our Religion, Laws, and Liberties.

May we, and all Your Subjects, acknowledge our Gratitude to Your Sacred Majesty, by a Constant Zeal for Your Majesty's Service, and by endeavouring to follow that Admirable Example, which we have so often received from the Throne, of Love, Charity, and Moderation, one towards another; that, as Nations, so Hearts may be united, and all join together to implore the Almighty for Your Majesty's Long and Prosperous Reign over us.

The following Address from the County of Bedford was presented to Her Majesty by Sir William Gifford Bart. one of the Knights of the Shire: Introduced by his Grace the Duke of Bedford, Lord-Lieutenant of the said County.

### To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and other the Gentlemen assembled at the Quarter-Sessions for the County of Bedford.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**WE**, Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, do in all Humility Congratulate the Great and Wonderful Success, as well of Your Majesty's Councils as Arms; among which, nothing can more contribute to make us Happy at Home and Powerful Abroad, than the Union of Your Two Kingdoms: A Work so Glorious to Your Majesty, and Beneficial to Your Subjects of both United Nations, that it seems to be referred by Providence to be accomplished in Your Unparalleled Reign, after the many Unsuccessful Attempts of Your Royal Predecessors; as does also that of Restoring the Exorbitant Power of France, and Reconciling the Just Balance of Europe; in which Your Majesty has made such a Progress, that we have Reason to hope that Great End will be attained in a short Time. May Your Majesty's Great and Pious Designs for the Good of Mankind continually succeed; that as You will for Ever entirely reign in the Hearts of all Your Good Subjects, so You may always be acknowledged the Patroness of the Christian World.

The following Address from the County of Southampton was presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Bolton, Lord-Lieutenant of the said County.

### To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and High Sheriff, of the County of Southampton, at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace holden at the Castle of Winton the 22d Day of April, 1707.

**WE**, Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and High Sheriff, assembled at this present General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for this County of Southampton, do most humbly adore the Divine Goodness in referring to Your Majesty's Happy and Glorious Reign, only by restoring the Balance of Europe, by abating the Exorbitant Power of France, and delivering us from the Great Oppressor; but that also, in Your Majesty's Reign, Your Wise Ministers, Prudent Councils and Councils, that which Henry the Seventh, the Wife of our Kings, foretold in his Time, when by chuse rather to marry his Daughter into Scotland than into France, is now perfected and completed in the Union of the Two Kingdoms.

We humbly hope also Heaven hath reserved to Your Majesty's Reign the Union of the Hearts and Minds of Your own Subjects, and that no unreasonable Hopes and Fears may continue any longer amongst us, and Your Majesty may long enjoy the Blessed Fruits of a Lasting Peace both at Home and Abroad.

The following Address from the Corporation of Saffron-Walden was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Binton, Deputy to his Grace the Duke of Norfolk, Earl-Marshal of England.

### To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Deputy-Recorder, and Aldermen, of Your Majesty's Corporation of Saffron-Walden in the County of Essex.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**THE** many Felicities we enjoy under Your Majesty's most Auspicious Reign, are so very great and surprising, that we want even Words to express our due Sense of them.

No sooner had we Address'd Your Sacred Majesty upon Your Unparalleled Victories obtain'd over Your Enemies, but Faith and Pleading Occasions offer themselves to us to Congratulate Your Majesty for overcoming a Work of a more difficult Nature: the Uniting of Your Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland: A Work so great for Your Royal Predecessors to accomplish, and referred by Divine Providence for the Genuine Honour of Your Reign.

The Happy Consequences of which Union, we are sensible will be the Securing the Succession, as by Law established, to future Ages, and the Strengthening and Enriching of Your People.

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of Your Great Ancestors; and that we and all Your Subjects may  
answer Your Just Expectations and Desires, in Uniting our  
Hearts and Affections in becoming One People.  
In Witness whereof, we have caused our Common Seal to be  
hereunto affixed, the Twenty fifth Day of April, in the Sixth  
Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the County of Westmorland  
was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of  
Wharton.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Justices of the Peace and Grand  
Jury of the County of Westmorland, at the General Quar-  
ter-Sessions held at Appleby, for the said County, upon Mon-  
day the 21st Day of April, 1707.

WE are so full of Wonder and Admiration at Your Majesty's  
Inimitable Virtues, and Glorious Successes Abroad, that  
we cannot sufficiently admire the Divine Goodness for so Great a  
Blessing, in giving us a Princess who excels all that ever came  
before.

It is not long since we congratulated Your Majesty for the Glo-  
rious Success of Your Majesty's and the Arms of Your Allies in  
several Parts of Europe; but now we have an Occasion which  
more immediately concerns us, upon the Happy Union of the Two  
Kingdoms of England and Scotland: And now the Happy Con-  
sequences attending this Work are visibly Advancing to us  
at Your Majesty's Subjects; yet none will have a greater Share  
in their Happiness than us, who will be effectually secured in our  
Lives and Estates from any Disturbance from that Quarter.  
This is a mighty Work, and only assigned by the Deity for Your  
Majesty to effect; which is a new Glory wherewith God crowns  
Your Majesty, that we may all behold You with greater Veneration.  
And that God Almighty would continue to pour down his Bless-  
ings upon Your Majesty, Your Royal Consort, and the Royal Fa-  
mily, and that they be the constant Habits and Prayers of Your  
Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

The following Address from the Borough of Southwark  
was presented to Her Majesty by Charles Cox Esq; one of their  
Representatives in Parliament: Introduced by his Grace the  
Duke of Northumberland.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of Your Majesty's Dutiful and Loyal  
Subjects, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, and  
Inhabitants, of the Borough of Southwark.

May it please Your Majesty,  
TO give us Leave to show our selves at Your Royal Feet  
with Hearts full of Joy and Gratitude for the Union of  
Your Two Kingdoms. The Reconciling such different Interests,  
after so many fruitless Endeavours of former Princes, was ca-  
pable of being accomplish'd only by Your Majesty: And after the  
repeated Successes of Your Arms against France; after humbling  
a Power so formidable to all Europe, after the Deliverance of  
so many other Countries from Oppression, and of Your own from  
their fears: This was the only Thing wanting to complete Your  
Glory, and the Happiness of Your whole People.

Secur'd by Your Arms from Foreign, and by this Blessed Union  
from Domestic Danes, the Tranquillity of this Island seems  
for ever establish'd: We are, from this Time, held together by  
Sacred, as well as Civil, Interests; and shall therefore join to-  
gether in the same Prayer, That You may long Reign, as You  
most Justly deserve, the Darling of Your Subjects, the Terror of  
Your Enemies, and the Arbitrator of all Christendom.

The following Address from the Borough of Appleby was  
presented to Her Majesty by James Grakne Esq; one of their  
Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon.  
Mr. Secretary Harley.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen,  
Common-Council, and other the Burghees and Inhabitants,  
of Your Majesty's ancient Borough of Appleby within the  
County of Westmorland.

MADAM,

THE Triumphs of Your Majesty's victorious Arms abroad, and  
the uninterrupted Peace and Tranquillity we enjoy at home,  
under Your Auspicious and Glorious Reign, have given us fre-  
quent Occasions of paying our most thankful Acknowledgments to  
Heaven and Your Self for such unspicable Blessings: And we  
are Leave to say, (MADAM) We have always done it with a  
true Zeal for God's Honour, and a hearty, loyal and sincere Af-  
fection, to Your Majesty's sacred Person. But, what shall we say  
upon this glorious Occasion? We are too sensible of the Miracles  
and Calamities this Part of Your Kingdom suffer'd in former  
Times, not to be truly thankful for this happy and advantageous  
Union, which hasst the Politics and Endeavours of former  
Reigns, and (though often attempted) would never pass into a  
Law, till it had the Honour to be teach'd with Your peaceful and  
successful Success.

We Reverence and adore the Divine Goodness for making Your  
Sacred Majesty the Glorious Instrument in bringing such mighty  
Things to pass: We faithfully promise our utmost Endeavours  
to preserve that Unity and good Understanding which Your  
Majesty pleased so graciously and affectionately to recommend

to us: And (as 'tis both our bounden Duty and our great Inter-  
est) we heartily pray, That this fortunate Island of Great Bri-  
tain may long enjoy the inestimable Blessing of Your wife, just  
and gentle Government; which we shall always be ready to De-  
fend at the Expence of our Lives and Fortunes.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto subscribed our Names,  
the Twenty eighth Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Ma-  
jesty's Glorious Reign.

The following Addresses have also been presented to Her  
Majesty.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of Your Majesty's Justices of the Peace,  
Deputy-Lieutenants and Militia Officers, for the County of  
Middlesex, together with the Grand Jury in Quarter Ses-  
sions assembled.

May it please Your Majesty,  
WE Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, amongst  
the many others that have address'd Your Majesty upon  
the happy Union of the Two Kingdoms, so often attempt'd by  
other Princes, but happily effected by Your Majesty, beg Leave  
upon this Occasion to congratulate Your Majesty, and assure Your  
Majesty, That nothing shall be wanting on our Parts to render it  
every way effectual, to the Advantage of the united Kingdoms.

That Your Majesty may long live to see the happy Effects of  
this, and all other Your unwearied Cares, for the good of Your  
People; and that they may every way answer Your noble Designs,  
shall be the constant Prayers of Your Majesty's most dutiful and  
loyal Subjects and Servants.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Lord-Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieuten-  
ants, Justices of the Peace, Gentry, Clergy, and Free-  
holders, of the County of Leicester.

May it please Your Majesty,  
THE Compleat Union of Your Two Kingdoms of England  
and Scotland, (which an whole Age attempt'd in vain)  
was a Peculiar Blessing reserved for Your Majesty's Auspicious  
and Victorious Reign.

Admit us therefore, Dread Sovereign, to Congratulate Your  
Majesty upon so Glorious and Surprising a Providence, so necessary  
for a Firm and Lasting Establishment of the Peace and Prospere-  
city of this Your Renewed Island of Great Britain; which, as  
it is a World within it self, so, by the United Hands and Hearts  
of Your Subjects of both Kingdoms, may it so prosper in Riches  
and Strength, under Your Majesty's most Happy Government,  
(which God long continue to us) as to be able, by such an United  
Interest, to preserve the Balance of Europe, and to give Peace  
and Tranquillity to Europe.

All which Addresses Her Majesty received very graciously.

Turin, April 23. N. S. On the Arrival of the Prince of  
Vaudemont with the Enemy's Troops in this State, the Duke  
of Savoy sent an Officer of his Guards to Compliment him,  
and offer what he might have occasion for in his March to  
Suza. The Prince returned the Compliment by one of his  
Aid-de-Camps; and sent at the same time a french Brien-  
dier to inform his Royal Highness, That the Forces of the  
Two Crowns had been obliged, by ill Weather, to halt one  
Day at Tiin; and that the Prince desired his Royal Highness  
to give him leave to canton his Troops, it being impossible  
for them to encamp, with some other Proposals for their  
Ease and Accommodation on their March: To all which his  
Royal Highness has given his Consent. Monsieur de Senectier  
having finish'd his Negotiation here about the Exchange of  
Prisoners, has received his Royal Highness's Orders to leave  
this Place, and he will be conducted to Suza to Morrow or  
next Day. General Slick went from hence Yesterday for  
Milan, from whence Prince Eugene and Count Daun came  
hitherto the same Day.

Berne, April 30. This Morning arrived here an Express  
from Zurich with an Account, That on Easter-Sunday a  
Congregation of Protestants in the Country of Tockensburg  
being assembled in one of their Churches, a Party of Roman  
Catholics broke in upon them, and in a tumultuous manner  
interrupted their Devotions, which the Protestants so zealous-  
ly defended, that it came to Blows, and several on both sides  
were killed in the Disorder. The Canton of Zurich, upon  
this Intelligence, ordered some Troops to march into those  
Parts to support the Protestants; and have written to this Can-  
ton to demand the like Assistance, according to their Agree-  
ment. The great Council is now in a Debate what Measures  
to take upon this Occasion.

Paris, May 6. The Marquis de Sully arrived at Marli on the  
5th Instant, with the News of a Victory which our Troops, in  
Conjunction with those of Spain, had gained over the Conde-  
rate Army in Valenta on the 25th of April. He says, That my  
Lord Galway having beat'd Villena, and the Duke of Berwick  
marching to its Relief, the two Armies came to an Engage-  
ment in the Plain of Almanza: Our Army was drawn up in  
two Bodies, the French were on the Right, the Spaniards on  
the Left. The Enemy were in the same Posture; one of  
their Bodies, consisting of Portuguese, the other of their Con-  
federates: They attacked us about Noon, with such extraor-  
dinary Fury, that the English and Dutch broke into our In-  
fantry on the Right; but our Horse and Dragoons coming up,  
and charging the Enemy's Sword in Hand, put them into Dis-  
order; and after an obstinate Dispute of two Hours, oblig'd  
them

them to retire, which they did towards Xativa, in some Confusion. We have taken Prisoners the Count d'Honn, Brigadier Felton, with six Colonels, and several other Officers and Soldiers. The Earl of Galway received a Wound in the Belly by a Musket-Ball; and the Loss on both sides it is thought cannot amount to less than 6000 killed on the Spot, among whom on our side are Monsieur de Polastron, a Marshal de Camp, with the Marquiss of Sillery, Clair Fontaine, Mornay, and many other Officers of Note. The Counts de Gaze and Medavi are made Marshalls of France.

**Brussels, May 9.** Our Letters from France mention a Battle in Spain, very much to the Advantage of the Enemy; but the Accounts are so general and confused, that we must suspend our Belief as to the Particulars, till we have a more exact Relation from Spain or Portugal. We hear from Mons, That the Elector of Bavaria returned thither on the 4th Instant, M. S. and that the Duke of Vendome, and the rest of the French Generals, were in the same Place. Monsieur d'Auvequerque is recovered of his late Indisposition. Mr. Stepeny is expected here with his Grace the Duke of Marlborough.

**Hague, May 10. N. S.** His Grace the Duke of Marlborough left Alt-Residant on the 29th of the last Month, very well satisfied with his Reception and Negotiations at the Court of Sweden. On the 30th he arrived at Charlottenburg; the King of Prussia having sent Monsieur Grumbow to desire his Grace would pass that Way. His Grace supped that Night with the King, and was lodged in the Apartments belonging to the Margrave. On Sunday, May the first, his Grace went to Divine Service with the King, who had given particular Orders to Monsieur l'Evantant to Preach in French on that Occasion. On the 2d his Grace left Charlottenburg, in order to proceed towards Hanover, where he arrived on the 3d; and the Day following, after a private Conference, he dined with his Electoral Highness; in the Afternoon set out for this Place, and returned thither on the 3th Instant, having received the highest Marks of Esteem and Distinction in the several Courts through which he passed, since his first Departure from hence. Yesterday Morning his Grace was Complimented upon his Return by the Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Quality; and in the Evening was in Conference with the Deputies of the States General. His Grace intends to set out to Morrow for Brabant, in order to draw the Troops together, and open the Campaign.

**Whitehall, May 4.** This Day Her Majesty in Council was pleased to declare the Rt. Hon. the Lord Cowper, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

*The Court of Assistants of the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword-Blades in England do hereby give Notice, That they will advance Money upon early Tallies, and Discount Foreign Bills, at 4. per Cent. and Exchange Inland-Bills and Notes, or lend Money upon Tallies or other good Security, at 5. per Cent. according to the Orders hung up at their House in Brixton-Lane, London.*

#### Advertisements.

**Dr. Mill's Edition of the Greek Testament in Folio,** collated with MSS. Scilicet will be published on the 9th of June next, and delivered to Subscribers at 30s. a Book in Quires, (which, the whole consisting of 267 Sheets, is very little above Penny Farthing a Sheet): Those in Royal Paper at 50s. according to the Editor's former Proposals, viz. 10 s. upon Subscription, and 20 s. for the Common, and 40 s. for the Royal, upon Delivery. Subscriptions are taken, and Books will be delivered, in Oxford, by the Editor at Edmund-Hall, Mr. Hearn, at the Public Library, Jo. Clerk, at the Theatre; in London, by William Rogers, at the Sun in Fleetstreet; Tim. Child, at the White Hart in St. Paul's Church-yard; Rich. Borrrough, at the Sun and Moon in Cornhill; and Paul Vaillant, over-against Bedford-House in the Strand; Booksellers: And in Cambridge, by Mr. Pindar, Under-keeper of the Public Library.

**This Day is publish'd, Times of War, Times for National Humiliation and Repentance.** A Sermon preach'd before the Queen, at St. James's Chapel, on Wednesday in Passion-Week: Being the Fast Day appointed for imploring the Continuance of God's Blessing and Assistance on the Arms of Her Majesty and Her Allies engag'd in the present War, &c. By Sir William Dawes Bar. D. D. and Chaplain in Ordinary to Her Majesty. Publish'd by Her Majesty's Special Command. Printed for Thomas Speed, at the Three Crowes over-against Jonathan's Coffee-house in Exchange-Alley in Cornhill.

**A Parcel of Papers tied with a Red Inkle,** suppos'd to be dropp'd in Holborn, of 60 Use but to the Owner: Whoever brings them to Mr. Turner, at the Prize Office in York Buildings, shall be well Rewarded.

**Whereas** some Person hath (through Mistake) taken out of the Exchequer two Tallies, the one for the last Payment of the Annuities in 1706, for 20l. a Year, to Mr. Andrew Stone, the other for the last Payment of 10l. a Year to Mr. Tho. Martin. Whoever brings the said Tallies to Messieurs Stone and Martin, at the Grapshopper in Lombard-Street, or to Mr. William Davies, Surgeon, in Wapping, shall have any reasonable Satisfaction.

**Ran away from Lieut. Col. Spencer, near Prestwold in Nottinghamshire,** Thomas Wilson, well set, aged 23 Years, brown Complexion, long dark Hair, slow in Speech, a Scar under his Chin, born

near Crumchurch in Lancashire, with a White Mare, 14 Hands high, a Portmanteau full of Linen, and other Things of Value. Whoever secures him, and gives Notice at the Feathers in Nottingham, at the Post-Office in Chester, or at the Bear Tavern in the Strand, London, shall receive Five Pounds Reward.

**THE** perpetual Advertiser of the Registry of Brands Burton in Holborn in the County of York, of about 180l. per Annum, is to be sold. Enquire at Mr. Thomas Stone's, Hat-maker, near the Bars in Bishopsgate street, or at Mrs. Burton's in King-street, Shoe, near St. Ann's Church.

**Whereas** the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper hath referred the Certificate of Thomas Merchant, Citizen and Merchant-Taylor of London, unto the Lord Chief Baron Wood and Mr. Justice Pows, in order for them to examine the same: These are to give Notice, That it will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless his Creditors shall on the 28th Instant, at 4 after Noon, at Serjeant's Inn Hall in Fleetstreet, shew Cause to the contrary.

**Whereas** the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper hath referred the Certificate of James Beverly, late of London, Tailor, unto Mr. Baron Smith and Mr. Justice Pows, in order for them to confirm the same: These are to give Notice, That it will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless his Creditors shall on the 15th Instant, at 4 after Noon, at Serjeant's Inn Hall in Fleetstreet, shew Cause to the contrary.

**THE** Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Samuel Chafe, of London, Sword-maker, intend to meet on the 6th Instant, at 3 after Noon, at Innholders-hall in Elbow-lane, London; where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and consent to, or dissent from, the Allowance of Chafe's Certificate, according to the late Act of Parliament.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Ralph Aytough, of St. James's Westminster, Toyman; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 9th and 16th Instant, and 4th of June next, at 3 after Noon, at Guildhall, London; in the first of which Meetings the Creditors are to come prepared to pay their Contribution-money, prove their Debts, and choose an Assignee.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Matthew Weston, of London, Merchant; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 7th and 15th Instant, and 6th of June next, at 10 before Noon, at Innholders-hall in Elbow-lane, near Dowgate-hill.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Henry Stevens, of Honey-lane Market, Butcher; and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 6th and 13th Instant, and on the 5th of June next, at 4 after Noon, at Innholders-hall in Elbow-lane, near Dowgate.

**Whereas** Edward Greenstreet, of St. Paul's Covent-Garden, Middlesex, Pastry Cook, hath been several times examined; the Commissioners intend to meet on the 20th Instant, at 10 before Noon, at Innholders-hall in Elbow-lane, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-money, and shew Cause why a Certificate should not be signed.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Martha Sherr, late of Bursell in Yorkshire, Widow and Grocer: These are to require her to surrender herself to the Commissioners, who will sit on the 15th and 20th Instant, and the 2d of June next, at 10 before Noon, at the House of Isabella Roberts in East Marton near Skipton in Yorkshire; when and where all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they'll be excluded.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against John Oliver, of St. Neots in Huntingdonshire, Butcher; and he being declared a Bankrupt, the Commissioners intend to sit on the 15th Instant, at the Saracen's Head in St. Neots aforesaid, at 3 before Noon; when the Creditors may prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money.

**THE** Creditors of Tho. Allen, late of London, Lighterman, are desired to meet the Commissioners on the 6th of June next, at 3 after Noon, at Needham's Coffee-house in Castle-yard near Hill-top-bar, to make Proof of their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they'll be excluded. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate, are desired forthwith to pay the same unto William Forster, of Love-lane, near Billingsgate, London, Merchant, Assignee, or they'll be prosecuted.

**THE** Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt against Edward Dobson, late of the New Exchange, Milliner, intend to sit at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, the 22d Instant, at 3 after Noon, in order to make a further Dividend of his Estate, where all Persons that have any Claim, are desired to appear and make out the same; and those that have not proved their Debts, are then to prove the same, or they'll be excluded the Dividend then to be made.

**Whereas** the acting Commissioners against Matthew Wesley, late of London, Apothecary, have certified to the Rt. Hon. the Lord Keeper, That he hath in all things conform'd to the late Act: This is to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirmed as the Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary by the 26th Instant.

**William Lawrence** went away from his Master, Abraham Wharley, on the 17th of April last. He is about 18 Years of Age, short, and pretty thick, fresh coloured, straight light Hair, light-colour'd Cloth Cloaths. Whoever discovers him to William Philips, Weaver, in Old Bridewel, London, or to his Master, Abraham Wharley, Butcher, at the Rye in Hertfordshire, shall have 40s. Reward, and reasonable Charges: Or if he will return, he shall be kindly received.

**Stolen or strayed on the 23d past at Night, out of Ham-Common, in the Parish of Kingston in Surrey, a dark brown Cart-Mare with a Star in her Forehead, mealy-mouth'd, a long black Mane and Tail, 14 Hands high, about 10 Years old, her Shoes are Stamp'd. Whoever gives Notice of her, to as far may had again, to Mr. William Soudly of Ham aforesaid, shall have a Guinea Reward and reasonable Charges.**