

ry of the late William Pitt, earl of Chatham, as truly expressed by the resolution of the commons of Great-Britain, in parliament assembled.

And we humbly hope for your majesty's most gracious indulgence, when the testimonies, thus paid to the public virtues of this illustrious statesman, encourage your most faithful corporation to intreat, that the metropolis of your empire may be admitted to a share in the expressions of public veneration to a minister, so exemplary for his integrity, ability, and virtue. For this purpose we humbly beseech, that your majesty, in your royal condescension, would give permission, that the remains of the said earl of Chatham be deposited in the cathedral church of St. Paul, in the city of London,

We hope that we are not guilty of unwarrantable presumption in conceiving, that our wishes on this subject are not inconsistent