

to his Person. He descends to the Grave amidst the Blessings of a grateful People, who will do Justice to his Memory by transmitting to posterity the Happiness they enjoyed during the Course of his Reign. It may with Truth be said of him, he has left no Foe in the British Empire, that was not so to his Country; that Humanity he professed in a very eminent Degree, having never signed a Warrant without feeling for the Man: Few of his Predecessors equalled him in Moderation; in Piety and Justice, none. His Reign was long and happy, and closed with a Series of glorious Events, such as will amaze posterity. In him were united the King, the Hero, and the Christian; which secured to him an unbounded Veneration thro' Life, and to be greatly regretted at Death, by a loyal and a grateful People; who would have still greater Reason to deplore his Loss, had we not the pleasing Hope, that his Crown is the least valuable Legacy he has left. He is succeeded on the Imperial Throne of these Realms by his Royal Grandson, our present Gracious Sovereign, George the Third, to whom, God grant Length of Years, and a prosperous Reign over a happy and contented People.

The two Archbishops having viewed the Body of his Majesty, reported the same to the Hon. the Privy Council. *London Gaz.* Oct. 26.

On this melancholy Occasion the Privy Council met at St. James's, and gave necessary Orders for proclaiming his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, King of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, at Charing Cross, Temple-Bar, and the Royal Exchange; and the same will be done in all the Cities and Corporation Towns in England, as soon as the Expresses arrive thereat.

And this Day, about Noon, his Majesty was proclaimed, first before Saville-House, where the Officers of State, Nobility, and Privy Councillors, were present, with the Officers of Arms, all being on Foot: Then the Officers of Arms being mounted on Horseback, the like was done at Charing-Cross: within Temple-Bar; at the End of Wood-street in Cheapside; and lastly, at the Royal Exchange; with the usual Solemnities: The principal Officers of State, a great Number of the Nobility, and of other Persons of distinction, attending during the whole Ceremony.

WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God, to call to his Mercy, our late Sovereign Lord King George the Second, of blessed Memory, by whose Decease the Imperial Crowns of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, are

safely and rightfully come to the High and Mighty Prince, George Prince of Wales; We therefore, for the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of this Realm, being here assembled with the rest of his late Majesty's Privy Council, with Numbers of other principal Gentlemen of Quality, with the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of London, do now hereby, with one Voice and Consent of Tongue and Heart, publish and proclaim, That the High and Mighty Prince, George Prince of Wales, is now, by the Death of our late Sovereign, of happy Memory, become our lawful and rightful Liege Lord. George the Third, by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, and so forth: To whom we do acknowledge all Faith and constant Obedience with all hearty and humble Affections, respecting God, by whom Kings and Queens do reign, to bless the Royal Prince George the Third with long and happy Years to reign over us.

Given at the Court at Carleton-House this Twenty-Fifth Day of October, 1760.

G O D save the K I N G.

WILLIAM.

Andrew Stone	Tho. Cant.
J. Cleveland	Leeds
Jn. Ranby	Holderness
Maj. Gen. B. Noel	Cholmondeley
John Boscawen	Holles Newcastle
J. West	Falmouth
John Pownall	Mansfield
Edward Godfrey	Waldegrave
T. Townshend	Gower
James Peachy	Anson
Fr. Ramsden	Barrington
James Cresset	Ligonier
Rich. Potenger	W. Pitt
W. Wentworth	W. Finch
Ja. Dunne	T. Robinson
G. Pocock	H. Fox
Jn. Brair	T. Chitty, Mayor
Haney Palmer	C. Pratt
Vincent Mathias	Dartmouth
P. Fenouillet	Rob. Bertie
Simon Parry	Southwell
T. Penn	Delamer
Jn. Andrews	J. Brudenel
F. Vernon	E. Wilnot
S. Cottrell,	Geo. L. Scott
	Gilb. Elliot

The Manner of the Procession was as follows. A Party of Horse Grenadier-Guards, preceded by two Pioneers to clear the Way; Beadles of Westminster with Staves, two and two; Constables of Westminster; High Constable of Westminster with