

Lord North

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Lord North was obliged to  
go to dine at Lord Hertford's as  
soon as he left the House of  
Commons, which prevented his  
writing to his Majesty immediately.

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Mr Philip Jennings's motion  
for leave to bring in a bill  
for excluding the Contractors

from a seat in Parliament  
or rather for preventing a  
member of the House of  
Commons from holding any  
contract with Government  
unless it <sup>is</sup> made by advertisement  
& granted to the lowest bidder,  
was carried this day by a  
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Comments upon a motion so personal to the first Lord of the Treasury, it is become too clear that they no longer wish to see Lord North in that situation. Lord North will endeavour to prevent the Bill's passing, but if it should pass, Lord North hopes that His Majesty will not wish him to continue after such mortifying declarations.

of the H<sup>o</sup> of Commons. Indeed, he  
believes, it will not be published,  
for the House having conceived  
their opinion in this gentle  
manner will do it in a more  
violent way, if their hints are  
not attended to.

Lord North has the honor  
of inclosing a letter he received  
from Mr Robinson at L<sup>ondon</sup>