

Ld. North

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Ld North has the honour of send-
-ing his Majesty several papers
which have been just received
from New York, together with
some intelligence respecting the
^{designs} ~~desires~~ of France & Spain

Ld Sandwich has been with
Ld North today, & has insisted upon the
absolute necessity of a Bill, & that
it ought not to be brought into
the House till Thursday
may there ever

Lord North was so ~~overwhelmed~~ with
his Majesty's goodness & with the
subject of his conversation that he
had not time to explain to him
a circumstance to which he
believes Lord Chancellor ^{might} allude.
Lord North has great reason to
believe that a considerable coalition
might take place if Lord Gower
were put at the head of the
Treasury in the room of Lord

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North, & is of opinion that a
Coalition at this time would
be every beneficial. Ld North
who ~~feels~~ himself perfectly unequal
to the present circumstances of the
Country; recommends to His Majesty
to consider the proposition, & to see
how far, abler hands, an acquisition
of strength; returning the best part
of the present ministry may go
to save the Country. W Ld

North should be authentically
informed that he & he alone
obstructs so desirable a measure
He would be very uneasy at the
thought, & would conceive it to be
his duty - to remove the obstacle.

Jamieson Street
June 27.

Ed North
Downing Street June 27/77
had papers received from
the post and including some copies
of the original of the
- about a condition and I found
being to be made part of the
of the Secretary