

Cabinet Minute

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at L<sup>d</sup> Sandwich's Novr 25 1780

Present

The whole Cabinet except L<sup>d</sup> Privy Seal who is not in Town

agreed that it be submitted to His Majesty as the opinion of this Meeting that the properest manner of carrying into execution the Expedition to the River Plate approved in a former Minute is by the addition of the Ships and Tones going to the East Indies which are to assist only in the first operations and are to proceed on their intended service whatever be the event of them.

L<sup>d</sup> Corke having signified through L<sup>d</sup>

Millsborough a wish to attend the  
Cabinet in order to state some Points  
relative to Ireland; <sup>It is</sup> agreed that  
L<sup>d</sup> Millsborough should say to Lord  
Castlereagh that it is unusual for the  
L<sup>d</sup> Lieut of Ireland to receive His  
Majesty's Commands any otherwise  
than through the Secretary of  
State for the Southern Department.