

Ld. North

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Lord North was prevented by an indis-  
-position from paying his duty yesterday  
at St James's, & taking his Majesty's pleas-  
-ure upon the request of the Lord Lieu-  
-tenant of Ireland that Mr Flood might  
be removed from his office of Vice Treasur-  
-er of Ireland & Lord Shannon appointed  
in his room; He, therefore, has the honour  
of sending a warrant for the appointment  
of Lord Shannon, to be signed by his  
Majesty, if approved. He is encouraged

to take this liberty by Lord Hillsborough, who  
mentioned <sup>the</sup> Lord Lieutenant's proposition to  
his Majesty, & has inform'd Lord North  
that it was with his Majesty's ap=  
=probation.

Downing Street. Nov: 10. 1781.