

Draft to E. of Shelburne
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If Ld. Shelburne can secure the Election of Westminster in favour of
Mr. Pitt I shall think that a sufficient reason to propose his Geo. Rodney
being an English Baron to an Irish Viscount, if he can at the same time
prevent his becoming too much shipped in with measures by representing
a popular place.

The draughts to Mr. Jourd and Dr. Franklin do honour to the
Pen that has framed them and do ample justice to his sentiments

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