

August the 2^d 1782.

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Lord Shelburne

Duke of Richmond

Lord Sheppel

Mr Pitt

General Conway

Mr Townshend

Minutes of Cabinet
second of August
1782

It is humbly represented
to your Majesty, that Sir Guy Carleton
should prepare his Garrison for em-
barcation against the arrival of Admi-
ral Pidge at New York: that part of
it which is capable of serving in the
West Indies should go to Barbadoes,
where they will be to receive further or-
ders

done from home: the other part to go to the
Lifas according to former orders.

It is further recommended to your
Majesty, that the Island of Providence
should be attacked by such a Detachment
of Land & Sea Forces as shall appear to
Sir Guy Carleton & Admiral Digby to
be sufficient for that service.