

Duke of Grafton

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Grosvenor Square Dec<sup>r</sup>. 20<sup>th</sup> 1763  
10 past 7 P.M.

The Duke of Grafton presumes to acquaint  
his Majesty that by the Acceptance from  
Mr. Dyson of the Board of Treasury, a  
Seat at that of the Board of Trade will  
become vacant, so that it may be of  
Consequence to the Successor to have his  
Writ moved before the Holidays. Lord  
Lisburne was apprized of his Majesty's  
favorable Intentions previously to the  
Junction of the Duke of Bedford's friends  
to the Administration; the Duke of Grafton  
humbly submits to his Majesty's Determination  
whether the present is not a proper Season  
to reward a Year which the Disappointment  
of that time did not alter, & whether it  
would be agreeable to the King that those offices  
should be filled up at the same tomorrow.

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