

Lord Sandrich

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Lord Sandrich has the honour to forward to your Majesty the letters received from ^{L^d} Shuldham, with intelligence brought by the Captain of the *Trimmer* Privateer, which describes the two fleets as being likely soon to meet.

Your Majesty will also find a letter giving an account of a fire at the Bakehouse at Plymouth, which however is happily extinguished (it is to be hoped) without doing much mischief.

Lord Sandrich also sends a letter from Mr Hatton by which your Majesty will perceive that the idea of our being able to borrow his house had not the least

Foundation. every measure that can be thought
of is in movement for the removal of the
prisoners into the inland parts of the
Kingdom, but many difficulties occur,
which (if possible) your Majesty may be
assured shall be removed.

Admiralty

July 26th 9. a. m.