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at L<sup>d</sup> Stormont's office June 6<sup>th</sup>  
4<sup>5</sup>/<sub>m</sub> p. Eleven. P.M.Minute of Cabinet  
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The Disorders are running to such a Degree and the outrages committed are of such a Nature that it is the humble but unanimous opinion of Your Majesty's servants underwritten that where the Civil Magistrate declines to direct the Soldiers to act with effect, other Methods must be taken to preserve the Peace and protect the Lives & Properties of Your Majesty's Subjects.

and it is also humbly submitted to Your Majesty that in this dangerous crisis it appears to us absolutely necessary that during the continuance of these Disorders the whole Military Force should be under one Command. The manner of doing this is submitted to Your Majesty's wisdom, but our humble opinion is that the appointment should be made immediately.

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