

Cabinet Minute
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at St James's Palace June 24 1750

Cabinet Meeting

Present

The whole Cabinet except the Chancellor who is indisposed

agreed that upon the authentic Information received from Commodore Johnston of two Squadrons cruising upon particular Stations to intercept our outward and Homeward bound Trade it be submitted to His Majesty to order admiral Geary to detach one or more of the admirals under his Command with a Squadron of Ten sail of the Line ^{with a} ~~with~~ proper number of Frigates on a cruise of not more than a Month from the time of their leaving the Fleet, to look for the said Squadrons. These orders to be peremptory unless admiral Geary shall have received some Information of which we are not in Possession of the Strength & Motions of the Enemy which make the Measure unadvisable.

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a letter of the 24th date from Ed Meyer to
the Lord President was read and it
was not thought expedient that
any answer was necessary.