

Lord Sandwich
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Lord Sandwich takes the liberty to inform His Majesty, that the Earl of Stair cordially & gratefully accepts the honour done him.

Lord Sandwich says L^d Weymouth immediately after he left S^t James's, & found him thoroughly sensible of your Majesty's goodness, he thought it must make the same impression on L^d Dysart, and wrote his opinion to him on that head; your Majesty will receive herewith his Lordship's very extraordinary answer; which however is of very little consequence, as L^d Weymouth entirely disavows him, & feels himself still under additional obligations, for this last mark of your Majesty's kindness.

Letters to all the Scotch Peers were dispatched
last night from my office, soliciting
their votes in behalf of L^d Stair.