

Ld. North  
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Lord North has the honour of informing  
his Majesty that the Duke of Arcaster died  
on Wednesday last. Mr Richard Jebb & Mr Brom-  
field who were sent for were met upon the  
road with the account of his death. The  
Dutchess desired Lord North to acquaint  
his Majesty of it, & Lord North has this instant  
received from him the inclosed note.

Friday morn<sup>g</sup> Aug: 14. 1778

*[Faint, illegible handwriting on aged paper, possibly a letter or document fragment.]*