

Excellency's Recommendation of our Charter-Schools will be an additional Incitement to us to promote and encourage those useful Seminaries of true Religion and Industry: We shall co-operate with your Excellency, with equal Zeal, in maintaining the Honour and Dignity of the Crown, as in promoting the Good of this Kingdom, sensible that those Objects equally tend to the Happiness of the People.

Our future Conduct will, we hope, confirm the Approbation which you Excellency has expressed of our Attachment to His Majesty, and of our Zeal in the Publick Service; and we have every Reason to expect, that your Excellency's Administration will demonstrate that you have nothing more sincerely at Heart than the Welfare and Prosperity of Ireland.

E. Sterling, } Cler' Dom' Com'
H. Alcock, }

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Answer.

I Return the House of Commons my best Thanks for their very kind and obliging Address. I shall endeavour, by an earnest Attention to my Duty to the King, and to the Prosperity and Service of this Country, to deserve the Continuance of their good Opinion.

Naples, September 28. Their Sicilian Majesties returned from the Island of Procita on Saturday last in the Afternoon, remained here that Night, and removed early the next Day to Portici. The Day of their Majesties Return to this City an Account was brought from Sicily of a Revolution at Palermo, the People having been discontented at the high Price of Provisions, (some essential Articles of which, at Times, were totally wanting) owing to Monopolizers, one of whom had loaded two Ships with Cheese for Naples, which produced a great Scarcity of that necessary Article at Palermo; which Ships, however, were stopped just without the Harbour, and the Cargoes sold at the Market Price to the People, by Order of the Prætor Prince Cassaro, who was soon after seized with the Strangury, and died on the 20th Instant. This Nobleman having been attended during his Illness by the Viceroy's (the Marquis de Foglianis) Surgeon, a Suspicion arose amongst the Rioters, that the Viceroy wished his Death; whereupon they proceeded, to the Number of about Thirty Thousand, to the Viceroy's Palace, where the Prince Pierra-Pa-fia, Son of the Prince of Buttera, a young Sicilian Nobleman about Twenty Years of Age, happened to be with the Viceroy. This young Nobleman seeing them enter the Apartment, resolutely asked what they would have, and, upon being answered, The Life of the Viceroy, and finding they proceeded to Acts of Violence, threw his Arms round the Viceroy, and in a firm Tone demanded, in the Name of his Family, that they should forbear, saying, Spare the Life of this innocent old Man, or first take mine. This spirited Conduct checked their Fury, and they agreed to spare the Viceroy's Life on his Account, but insisted that he should instantly quit the Kingdom; upon which the Prince attended the Viceroy to the Water-side, where a Genoese Vessel was prepared to receive him. Three of the Monopolizers Goods, Furniture, Plate, &c. were thrown into the Fire, and the Rioters, having detected one of their Number secreting some of the Effects, immediately put him to Death, which was the only Life lost during the Tumult. After this the Rioters proclaimed the Archbishop for their viceroy.

AVERAGE PRICES OF CORN.

From October 11, to October 16, 1773.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London,	6 0	3 3	3 6	2 4	3 6

COUNTIES INLAND.

Middlesex,	6 5	—	3 8	2 9	3 9
Surry,	6 3	3 1	3 6	2 5	4 4
Hertford,	6 8	—	3 7	2 4	4 4
Bedford,	6 10	4 7	3 10	2 2	3 7
Cambridge,	6 3	3 5	3 4	2 1	3 4
Huntingdon,	6 8	—	3 9	2 3	3 8
Northampton,	7 1	4 11	4 0	2 6	4 1
Rutland,	6 9	4 9	4 3	2 1	3 6
Leicester,	7 2	5 1	3 11	2 0	4 4
Nottingham,	5 10	3 8	3 5	2 0	4 3
Derby,	6 4	—	3 9	2 3	4 8
Stafford,	6 8	4 7	4 0	2 3	5 1
Salop,	6 4	4 8	3 9	2 1	5 4
Hereford,	6 1	—	4 0	2 2	—
Worcester,	6 3	4 0	4 1	2 2	4 4
Warwick,	7 2	—	4 0	2 8	4 10
Gloucester,	7 4	—	3 11	2 5	4 11
Wilt,	6 5	3 11	3 5	2 4	4 11
Berks,	6 11	3 6	3 7	2 7	4 2
Oxford,	7 3	—	3 5	2 6	4 7
Bucks,	6 9	—	3 10	2 4	4 3

COUNTIES upon the COAST.

Essex,	5 6	2 11	3 4	2 3	3 6
Suffolk,	5 8	3 0	3 1	2 1	3 0
Norfolk,	6 2	3 1	2 11	2 0	—
Lincoln,	6 3	4 1	3 4	1 11	3 11
York,	6 1	3 11	3 5	2 1	3 11
Durham,	5 9	4 1	3 11	2 1	4 3
Northumberland,	5 11	4 3	3 3	2 2	3 9
Cumberland,	6 4	4 0	3 2	2 2	—
Westmorland,	6 6	4 3	3 4	2 0	—
Lancashire,	6 3	—	3 0	2 1	3 7
Cheshire,	5 11	4 7	4 1	1 11	—
Monmouth,	6 2	—	3 7	1 7	—
Somerset,	6 4	4 0	4 11	2 1	4 1
Devon,	5 6	—	2 8	1 6	—
Cornwall,	5 6	—	2 6	1 6	—
Dorset,	6 1	—	2 11	2 2	4 5
Hampshire,	5 9	—	3 0	2 2	4 10
Suffex,	5 4	—	2 11	2 2	3 1
Kent,	6 2	—	3 2	2 2	3 3

From October 4, to October 9, 1773.

W A L E S.

North Wales,	5 11	4 1	3 4	1 7	5 3
South Wales,	5 6	4 4	3 6	1 5	3 4

Part of S C O T L A N D.

Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Big.
5 5	3 5	2 10	2 2	3 3	2 4

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Navy-Office, October 19, 1773.

THE Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half-Pay to Sea Officers, from the 1st Day of January to the 30th of June, 1773, according to His Majesty's Establishment in that behalf; These are to give Notice, that the said Payments will begin to be made at the Office of the Treasurer of the Navy in Broad-Street, on Monday and Tuesday the 5th and 9th of next Month, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, viz. To Captains and their Attorneys, and other Officers appearing themselves, on the Monday; and to Attorneys of Lieutenants, Masters and Surgeons, on the Tuesday, (after which the List will be recalled once a Month) that all Persons may then and there attend to receive what