

Paris, May 12. This Day His Most Christian Majesty declared the Marquis de Noailles His Ambassador to His Britannick Majesty, in the Room of the Count de Guines, who was at the same Time created a Duke, by the Title of Duke de Guines.

**AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,**  
From May 6, to May 11, 1776.  
By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	4	7	3	0	2	4	2	0	3	0
<b>COUNTIES INLAND.</b>										
Middlesex,	4	11	—	—	2	10	2	4	3	2
Surry,	4	9	—	—	2	9	2	3	3	10
Hertford,	4	8	—	—	2	10	2	2	3	6
Bedford,	4	6	3	4	2	7	2	0	3	2
Cambridge,	4	2	2	11	2	7	2	0	2	7
Huntingdon,	4	4	—	—	2	6	1	10	2	10
Northampton,	4	4	2	6	2	2	1	9	2	9
Rutland,	4	5	—	—	2	3	1	10	—	—
Leicester,	4	7	3	6	2	3	1	9	3	3
Nottingham,	4	4	3	6	2	8	1	9	3	6
Derby,	5	1	—	—	2	7	1	7	3	4
Stafford,	4	9	3	4	2	8	1	7	3	5
Salop,	4	7	3	5	2	3	1	7	4	0
Hereford,	4	0	—	—	2	8	1	10	—	—
Worcester,	4	5	2	9	2	5	2	0	3	3
Warwick,	4	5	—	—	2	5	1	6	3	5
Gloucester,	4	5	—	—	2	5	1	10	3	4
Wilts,	4	6	—	—	2	5	2	0	3	10
Berks,	4	3	—	—	2	3	1	11	3	1
Oxford,	4	7	—	—	2	5	2	0	3	0
Bucks,	4	7	—	—	2	6	2	0	2	11
<b>COUNTIES upon the COAST.</b>										
Essex,	4	5	2	10	2	10	2	2	3	2
Suffolk,	4	4	2	10	2	6	2	0	2	8
Norfolk,	4	2	2	12	2	1	1	11	—	—
Lincoln,	4	2	3	6	2	4	1	10	3	4
York,	4	6	3	1	2	9	1	8	3	7
Durham,	4	4	—	—	—	—	1	9	3	8
Northumberland,	4	2	3	3	2	4	1	7	2	11
Cumberland,	4	11	3	8	2	8	1	8	3	6
Westmorland,	5	5	—	—	—	—	1	7	3	2
Lancashire,	5	3	—	—	3	0	1	9	3	6
Cheshire,	5	3	—	—	2	9	1	10	—	—
Monmouth,	4	11	—	—	2	5	1	9	—	—
Somerset,	4	8	—	—	2	7	1	10	2	9
Devon,	5	2	—	—	2	8	1	6	—	—
Cornwall,	4	10	—	—	2	8	1	8	—	—
Dorset,	4	10	—	—	2	5	2	2	3	6
Hampshire,	4	4	—	—	2	9	2	2	3	1
Suffex,	4	4	—	—	2	10	2	3	3	1
Kent,	4	10	—	—	3	0	2	3	3	0

From April 29, to May 4, 1776.

**W A L E S.**

North Wales,	5	2	3	11	2	7	1	6	3	8
South Wales,	5	0	3	11	2	11	1	5	2	11

**Part of S C O T L A N D.**

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Fig.					
	4	0	—	2	2	1	7	2	2	1	9

Published by Authority of Parliament,  
Will<sup>m</sup> Cooke.

St. James's, May 18, 1776.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on Tuesday Night last, about Nine o'Clock, Mr. William Philips was attacked near Little Chelsea, by Two Footpads, and on his refusing to deliver them his Money, one of the Villains fired a large Horse Pistol at him, whereby he received two mortal Wounds, of which he languished a short Time, and then died: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the said Offenders, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually fired the Pistol) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; and also a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

**WEYMOUTH.**

And as a farther Encouragement, Mr. James Bevill, at the Earl of Harrington's, does hereby promise a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before

excepted) to be paid by him upon the Conviction of any one or more of the said Offenders.

James Bevill.

Office of Ordnance, Tower, May 10, 1776.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready, at their Office in St. Margaret's-street, Westminster, on Tuesday the 21<sup>st</sup> Instant, to receive Proposals from all Persons that may be willing to supply such Barrack Beds, Bolsters, Sheets, Blankets, and Coverlets, as may be wanted for His Majesty's Service, agreeable to Patterns which may be seen at this Office in the Tower.  
By Order of the Board,  
John Boddington.

Admiralty-Office, May 16, 1776.

HIS late Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10<sup>th</sup> Day of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. B. Ison, at the Admiralty-Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea-Officers who died before the 30<sup>th</sup> of August, 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31<sup>st</sup> of May instant; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows, whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, as soon as possible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

**IRON TRADE.**

April 25, 1776.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership lately subsisting between Jonathan Kendall, Henry Kendall, John Hopkins, and Thomas Hopkins, in the Iron Trade, at Dodington Furnace, and at Cranage, Warmingham, and Lea Forges, in the County of Chester, at Rugeley Slitting Mill, Rugeley, Cankwood, and Winnington Forges, and Mearheath Furnace, in the County of Stafford, and at Dovey Furnace in the County of Cardigan, was this Day dissolved by mutual Consent; and that the Trade will for the future be carried on by the said Jonathan and Henry Kendall in Partnership; at all the said Works except Rugeley and Cankwood, which will be carried on by the said John Hopkins and Thomas Hopkins in Partnership, and except Winnington Forge, which is to be worked for One Year from Lady-day 1776 by the said John and Thomas Hopkins, and afterwards by the said Jonathan and Henry Kendall. All Persons indebted to the late Copartnership are requested to pay such Monies to the said Jonathan Kendall at Drayton in Shropshire, Henry Kendall at Ulverstone in Lancashire, John Hopkins at Rugeley in the County of Stafford, or Thomas Hopkins at Cankwood Forge in the same County.

Jonath. Kendall.  
Henry Kendall.  
John Hopkins.  
Tho. Hopkins.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of the Reverend Samuel Morton, late of Great Oxenden in the County of Northampton, Clerk, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Moore, late of Bourton on the Water in the County of Gloucester, and of North Newton in the Parish of North Petherton in the County of Somerset, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London.