'About' £39,281 worth of plate was received on 11, 12 and 14 May combined, besides some £6,000 worth yet to be assessed.

Author: Isaac Newton

Source: MINT 19/2/517, National Archives, Kew, Richmond, Surrey, UK

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May it please your Lordships

The plate taken in yester day, after the rates of 5^s 5^d & 5^s 8^d per ounce, amounts to about 9760 pounds: which with 29521 pounds worth taken in on friday & saturday makes the whole value about $39281^{\overline{l}i}$, I cannot yet be exact in the summ because our Clerks differed a little in their ecconing. The uncertain plate may further amount to about $\{4000\}^{\overline{l}i}$, & some parcells of markt plate which were lodged in the Mint but not yet weighed because the parties were absent when it came to their turn, may amount to about $1000^{\overline{l}i}$. besides some parcels brought in last night after we had done weighing which I think do scarce amount to $1200^{\overline{l}i}$

What shall be done thereupon i{s} most humbly submitted to your Lordshipsgreat wisdome.