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Mr Swan's proposals for improving the mill

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Woburn Paper Mill 27th Mar
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There being at this Mill a power of Water more than adequate to the works now upon it, and the Proprietors of the Clarendon Press Oxford being desirous of engaging a larger supply of Paper than can ⁱⁿ its present state be manufactured at it. The Tenant begs leave to submit to His Grace the Duke of Marlborough the following proposal.

He will undertake to increase the Manufactory from a two, to a four Vate Mill, on having a lease granted for Thirty one years, and rough Timber found for the alteration. The Timber necessary will be Sixty Loads, and the Tenant will engage to expend the sum of Nine Hundred Pounds upon the Premises, and give security (if required) for the due payment of the Rent: —

