

tion, but also to facilitate the Discharge and passing away of the Floods in the said River Dun, and to prevent the Damages frequently occasioned thereby to the adjacent Lands and Grounds; and which said several Cuts or Canals, and Alterations, are intended to be carried, or go in, to, or through the several Parishes and Townships, or Places of Cadeby, Sprotbrough, Doncaster, Kirk Sandall, Barmby Dun, and Stainforth, all in the West Riding of the County of York; and it is intended also by the said Bill to make Provision for appointing new Commissioners in the Place of such as are dead, have removed, or refused to act, who were appointed under and by several Acts of Parliament passed in the Twelfth and Thirteenth Years of the Reign of King George the First, and the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, relating to the Navigation of the said River Dun; and also to alter, change, modify, and regulate the Tolls, Rates, and Duties payable to the said Company of Proprietors, under and by virtue of the said several Acts of Parliament; and for other Purposes relating to the said Navigation. Dated this Ninth Day of December, in the Year of our Lord One thousand and eight hundred.

*William Hoyle*, Clerk to the said Company of Proprietors.

N. B. A Map or Plan of such intended Cuts or Canals will be deposited for public Inspection at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the West Riding of the County of York, on or before the 15th Day of January next, together with a Book of Reference, containing a List of the Names of the Owners, or reputed Owners and Occupiers of the Lands through which the same are intended to be carried respectively.

Whitehall, December 9, 1800.

*W*Hereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that on the Night of Tuesday the 18th Ultimo, or early in the following Morning, One Ewe Sheep and One Weiber Sheep, the Property of John Whitmarsh, of Ditchampton, in the County of Wilts, Farmer, were feloniously stolen from his Sheep Fold at Ditchampton aforesaid;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the Felony above-mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to of any One them, (except the Person or Persons who actually stole the same,) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of TWENTY GUINEAS is hereby offered to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted,) to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by me

John Whitmarsh.

Whitehall, December 12, 1800.

*W*Hereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that an anonymous threatening Letter has been sent to Isaac Coffin, Esq; Commissioner of His Majesty's Navy, at Sheerness, in the County of Kent, of which the following is a Copy, viz.

Blue town Mondays

Mr. Coffin

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We Can no longer delay taking the Liberty of sending you these few Lines we are been informed

that you have made youse of such horrid expressions to the People belonging to your Dock Yard a enough to make them hate you and put an end to your existence your Conduct in Stopping me and others going to the Chatham boats and your Blargard behaviour will no longer be suffered by us (and the Men of thy Yard are fools they dont take it up) I am delellagated by the Committeay to fend you this Letter to acquaint you that if you do not leave this place your Life will be taken in a short time which will be of great utility to the Public Service and the Community at large we now give you a fair Chance for your Life *the instrumens are prepared for to put an end to your existence*, so you may leave the place or stop which you please, but be cautious how and where you walk) we are sorry the People belonging to the Dock Yard have not broke your Neck it was their Duty so to have done before now, but they are all without exception a dam'd sett of quiet easy fools and a fraid of your own and their shadow, but we are independent of your *dam'd Yard* and we will let you know it in a short Time, so make your Peace with God, or unless you sincerely repent Hell will be your due damm you) you have turn'd us all out of Old Ships and we have raise a Subscription for them that *stands Butcher*

To Mr Coffin cursed  
and Dam'd to all eternity

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing the said Letter, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of the Parties (except the Person who actually wrote the same) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby promise a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS to any one of the Parties making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted,) to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders.

Whitehall, December 13, 1800.

*W*Hereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that some Time in the Night between the 27th and 28th Ultimo, an inflammatory, seditious, and treasonable Paper was stuck upon the Town Hall in Bridgnorth, in the County of Salop;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sticking up the said Paper, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them, (except the Person who actually wrote the same,) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of TWENTY GUINEAS is hereby offered by the Bailiffs of the said Town of Bridgnorth, to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted,) to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders.

East India-Houfe, November 20, 1800.

*T*HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies having, on the 19th Instant, consented by Ballot to re-