

the same to Foreign Parts, and all Custom-house Officers suffering an Entry to be made thereof, are respectively liable to the like Penalties as are above-mentioned, in the case of Tools and Utensils used in the Woollen and Silk Manufactures.

Whitehall, March 18, 1806.

*W*HEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that Lieutenant George Rutherford stands charged with the Murder of Three of the Seamen of His Majesty's Ship the Trident, at Butcher Island, near Bombay, in the East Indies, on the 31st of March and 1st of April 1801, which said Three Seamen are stated to have died through excessive Punishment inflicted on them by order of the said Lieutenant George Rutherford, then Acting Captain of the said Ship Trident; and whereas the said Lieutenant George Rutherford, did, on the Evening of Wednesday the 12th Day of March instant, jump overboard from His Majesty's Ship the Salvadore del Mundo, lying at Plymouth, and is supposed to have effected his Escape;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the said Lieutenant George Rutherford, is hereby pleased to require and command all His loving Subjects to discover and apprehend the said Lieutenant George Rutherford, and to carry him before some of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, or Chief Magistrate of the County, Town, or Place where he shall be apprehended, who are respectively required to secure him, and to give Notice thereof to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, to the End he may be forthcoming and may be dealt withal and proceeded against according to Law.

And, as a further Encouragement His Majesty is hereby pleased to offer a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS to any Person who shall discover and apprehend the said Lieutenant George Rutherford, to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

SPENCER.

Lieutenant George Rutherford is about Forty Years of Age, upwards of Five Feet Ten Inches high, of a dark swarthy Complexion, slender Person, but well made, and of a long thin Face, with dark Eyes and Black Eyebrows.

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place,
March 22, 1806.

*W*E, His Majesty's Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties, duly authorized by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, to let to farm the Duties granted by an Act of the Forty-fourth Year of His present Majesty, on Horses let to Hire for travelling Post, and by Time, do hereby give Notice, that we intend to let, at our Office in Somerset-Place, the said Duties to farm, on Tuesday the 22d of April next, between the Hours of One and Two in the Afternoon, within the District under-mentioned, for the Term of Two Years and Three Quarters, from the 1st Day of May next, to such Person or Persons as may be willing to contract for the same. All Persons intending to farm the said Duties are to deliver in their Proposals to us at the Stamp-Office, in Somerset-Place, at least Three Days previous to the said 22d Day of April next, signed with their Names, stating the Place of their Abode, and that they intend to bid for the said District, or their Proposals cannot be proceeded on.

No. 15903.

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No Persons licensed to let Horses for the Purpose of travelling Post, nor any Persons for their Use, can be admitted to contract for the said Duties.

No. District to be let to Farm:
12. Middlesex, including London and Westminster } £. 28,000

All Persons intending to bid for this District are desired to take Notice, that, in pursuance of the particular Instructions of their Lordships, it will be put up at the Sum specified above, which will be gradually abated until a Bidding shall be made; and, upon such Bidding, any Person may advance, and the highest Bidder will be declared the Farmer, and will be required to pay-down immediately, in Bank Notes, One Eighth Part of the Annual Rent thereof as a Deposit. But, in case the District shall not be accepted at a Price which shall be deemed the proper Value thereof, it will be withdrawn, and otherwise disposed of.

G. N. NEYLE.
J. BINDLEY.
L. JENKINS.
W. R. SPENCER.
W. LAKE.
ED. F. HATTON.
H. HALLAM.

Navy Office, March 24, 1806.

*T*HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Thursday the 3d of April next, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's several Dock-Yards, and this Office, with Coals.

A Form of the Tender, with the Quantity of Coals wanted, may be seen at this Office.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock on the Day of Treaty, nor any noticed, unless the Party, or an Agent for him attends.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

OFFICE FOR TAXES, SOMERSET-PLACE. March 24, 1806.

*P*URSUANT to an Act passed in the Forty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, Notice is hereby given, That the Price of the Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England on this Day, was £.60 and under £.61 per Centum.

By Order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes,
Matthew Winter, Secretary.

East India-House, March 14, 1806.

*T*HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That the Quarterly General Court of the said Company appointed to be held at their House, in Leadenball-Street, on Wednesday the 26th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, is to be on special Affairs.

William Ramsay, Secretary.

East India-House, February 5, 1805.

*T*HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Tuesday the 4th March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 10th April following.