

in the West Riding of the county of York, was returning home from Milnsbridge in the said Riding, in an inclosure called Rycroft Edge, he saw three or more people near the road, and upon his going towards them, one of them presented a gun or other fire-arms, and discharged the contents thereof at him, that he heard something whistle past him, and upon getting home found that a ball or some such substance had passed through his hat;

His Royal Highness for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually fired off the said gun or fire-arms) who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

R. RYDER.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS 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 Joseph Radcliffe, Esq; of Milnsbridge House.

Whitehall, May 1, 1812.

**W**HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on Tuesday evening the 28th of April last, between the hours of six and seven o'clock, Mr. William Horsfall, of Marsden, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, cloth-merchant, was shot at, as he was returning from Huddersfield market, by some one or more of four villains, who were seen lurking behind a wall in the plantation of Joseph Radcliffe, Esq; on Crosland Moor, and four slugs entered his body; since which the said Mr. Horsfall has died of the wounds he received;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said murder, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually fired at the said Mr. Horsfall) who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

R. RYDER.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of TWO THOUSAND POUNDS 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 Mr. John Peace, of Huddersfield.

Whitehall, May 1, 1812.

**W**HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that as Mr. William Trencham was knocking at his house-door, in St. Mary's Church-Yard, in the town of Nottingham, on Monday evening last, the 27th of April, about a quarter past ten o'clock, two men (whom he saw standing very near) stepped

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up to him, and one of them instantly, and without a word being uttered, shot him through the breast with a large horse pistol;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said atrocious act, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually fired off the said pistol) who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

R. RYDER.

And as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to whomsoever will give such information as shall lead to the apprehension of both or either of the two men concerned in the said felony; and a still further reward of FIVE HUNDRED GUINEAS, to any person who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein (except as before excepted), to be paid on the conviction of any one or more of the offenders.

CONTRACTS FOR NORWAY HAND MASTS AND SPARS, AND CANADA HAND MASTS.

Navy-Office, May 1, 1812.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 13th instant, 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, or any one or more of them, with the following articles, or any of them, viz.

Norway Hand Masts and Spars, and Canada Hand Masts.

A distribution of the articles, and a form of the tender, may be seen at this Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

Every tender must be accompanied by a letter addressed to the Navy Board, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of 4000*l.* for the due performance of the contract for the Norway articles, and 1900*l.* for the due performance of the contract for the Canada masts

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

CONTRACT FOR BUILDING A FIFTY-GUN SHIP.

Navy-Office, April 17, 1812.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for

Building a Fifty-Gun Ship.

A draft of the ship, and a form of the tender, may be seen at this Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

