

most barbarous manner. The robbers took from him about 30l. consisting of several 5l. Bank notes, a number of Greenock Bank guinea notes, and one Whitehaven bank note, also a red leather pocket book, containing several bills, and a pair of silver mounted spectacles in a red leather case:

James Crawford, servant to Mrs. Stuart, inn-keeper at Inverness, and a servant of Sir Michael Shaw Stewart's, at Ardgowan, were also attacked, knocked down and beaten, and the former, besides being most severely hurt, was robbed of eleven guinea notes, and fifteen shillings in silver:

These outrages were committed on different parts of the public road near Skelmorly, in the shire of Ayr, by a gang of seven or eight persons who spoke the Irish dialect;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said atrocious acts, is hereby pleased, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of the offenders (except the principal actors or ringleaders), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. **SIDMOUTH.**

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **FIFTY POUNDS** is hereby offered to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices concerned in beating and robbing the said Archibald Brown- ing, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and convict the said offenders, or any of them, or cause them or any of them to be so apprehended and convicted thereof; and a reward of **TWENTY POUNDS** is hereby offered to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices concerned in robbing the toll-house at Waterland, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and convict the said offenders, or any of them, or cause them or any of them to be so apprehended and convicted thereof.

The first mentioned reward of fifty pounds, to be paid by John Wylie, Procurator Fiscal of the county of Renfrew, and the latter reward of twenty pounds, to be paid on application to the Sheriff Substitute of Ayr.

**W**HEREAS by an Act, passed in the forty-third year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for permitting certain goods imported into Great Britain to be secured in warehouses without payment of duty," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the importer or importers, proprietor or proprietors, consignee or consignees of any goods, wares, and merchandise, enumerated or described in the table thereunto annexed marked (E), and which shall have been legally imported or brought into the port of London, to lodge and secure in a warehouse or warehouses, fit and proper for the reception and safe custody of such goods, wares, and merchandise, and wherein the same may be safely and securely deposited under the joint locks of the crown and the merchant, without payment, at the time of the first entry, of the duties of Customs,

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due on the importation thereof; and whereas it is further provided by the said Act, that if the Lord High Treasurer, or the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury for the time being, or any three of them, shall deem it expedient, that the provisions of the said Act shall be extended to any goods, wares, and merchandisc, not enumerated or described in either of the tables to the said Act annexed, and shall cause a list of such goods, wares, and merchandise, to be published in the London Gazette, then and from thenceforth all and every the provisions, regulations, and restrictions of the said Act shall extend, and be construed to extend, to such goods, wares, and merchandise, in every respect in as full and ample a manuer as if the same had been inserted and enumerated in the said tables respectively at the time of passing the said Act:

We the undersigned, Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the powers vested in us, do hereby give notice, that we have deemed it expedient, and do hereby direct, that the provisions of the said Act shall be extended to the article of, succus liquoritia, or liquorice juice, legally imported or brought into the port of London, and that the same shall be added to the list of goods, wares, and merchandises enumerated or described in the table annexed to the said recited Act marked (E), and permitted to be lodged and secured in such warehouse or warehouses, and under such rules, regulations, and restrictions as are in the said Act contained.

Witness our hands this 16th day of July 1814.

B. PAGET.

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C. GRANT, jun.

Whitehall, July 23, 1814.

*As several Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have, from Time to Time, gone into Foreign Countries to exercise their several Callings, contrary to the Laws of these Kingdoms, the following Abstracts of Acts of Parliament of Their late Majesties King George the First and Second, and of His present Majesty, for preventing such Practices, are published, for the Information of all Persons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Disobedience to them: And it will be observed, that such Penalties likewise extend to those who are any ways concerned or instrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of these Kingdoms, or in the Exportation of the Tools and Instruments used by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themselves.*

Statute 5 George I. Chap. 27.

**I**F any person shall contract with, entice, or solicit, any artificer in wool, iron, steel, brass, or other metal, clock-maker, watch-maker, or any other artificer of Great Britain, to go into foreign countries out of the King's dominions, and shall be convicted thereof, upon indictment or information in any of the Courts at Westminster, or at the Assizes or Quarter Sessions, he shall be fined any sum not exceeding **ONE HUNDRED POUNDS** for the first offence, and shall be im-