

the 10th instant, some evil-disposed person or persons did maliciously set fire to two large ricks of beans, standing in a field belonging to Mr. Brindley, of Wheaton Aston, in the county of Stafford, and totally destroyed the same;

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 or persons who actually set fire to the said ricks), 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 **TWENTY POUNDS** is hereby offered, to be paid by the Treasurer of the Lapley and Wheaton Aston Association, and a further reward of **TWENTY POUNDS** by the said Mr. Brindley to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

Whitehall, March 29, 1817.

WHereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that about twelve o'clock on the night of Monday the 24th instant, a barn, stable, and cowshed, and two straw ricks nearly adjoining the barn, on the premises of Mr. Joseph Howell, of Gunstone, in the parish of Brewood, in the county of Stafford, were discovered to be in flames, the whole of which were entirely consumed, and that there is every reason to suppose that the same were wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons;

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 or persons who actually set fire to the said premises and straw ricks), 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 GUINEAS** is hereby offered by the said Mr. Howell, and **TWENTY GUINEAS** by the Brewood Association, to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

Christ Church, Surrey.

PUrsuant to an Order of the Honourable the House of Commons, of the 28th day of February last, notice is hereby given, that application is now making to Parliament for an Act, for enlarging the church-yard of the parish of Christ Church, in the county of Surrey, and for other purposes relating thereto; and for amending an Act, of the fifty-first year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for better assessing and collecting the poor and other rates in the parish of Christ Church, in the county of Surrey; for better regulating the poor thereof; and for cleansing, watching, lighting, and otherwise improving the streets, lanes, and other public passages and places in the said parish; and for other purposes relating thereto."

IN pursuance of an Order from the Honourable House of Commons, notice is hereby given, that a Bill is now depending in Parliament, intituled "A Bill for better paving and improving the streets of the metropolis," and which Bill, and the provisions therein contained, extend to all streets and public places which are now paved, or may be hereafter paved, within the cities of London and Westminster, and borough of Southwark, and to any other parts of the metropolis which are included within the weekly bills of mortality; and to all streets and public places which are now paved, or which may be hereafter paved, within the parishes of St. Pancras and St. Mary-le-Bone, in the county of Middlesex; and in which Bill provisions are contained authorising (in the cases therein expressed) an increase or alteration of any existing rates for paving, lighting, watching, and cleansing the said several places intended to be included within the operation of the said Bill.

Gt. Jones and Green, Solicitors, John Wilks, Agent, for the Bill.

April 3, 1817.

Office of Ordnance, March 21, 1817.

THE Master-General and Board of Ordnance having granted their authority for the sale of impressions taken from the plates engraved on a scale of one inch to the mile, from the General Survey of Great Britain, performed under the superintendance of Colonel William Mudge, the public are hereby informed, that twenty-six plates are already finished, and that impressions from them are on sale at the Drawing-Room in the Tower. These plates form a complete map of the coast of Great Britain from Folkstone, in Kent, to the Land's End, in Cornwall, and thence to Wick St. Lawrence, near Buistol; and also from the Thames to Orfordness. Several other plates of this work are now in hand, and that which contains the northern part of Hampshire will shortly be ready for publication.

By order of the Board,

R. H. Crew, Secretary.