

Whitehall; October 25, 1825.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on the afternoon of Sunday the 16th instant, between the hours of four and six, the dwelling-house of Mr. Henry Stowe, situate in Homer-street, in the parish of St. Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middlesex, was feloniously entered in the absence of the family, and an iron chest, containing gold coins and other property, and also sixteen pounds in silver money, and several articles of silver plate (not in the said chest), were stolen therefrom;

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 any one of them who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROBERT PEEL

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the said Henry Stowe, to any person who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, PALL-MALL.

WE, whose names are hereunder written, being five of the Commissioners named and authorised in and by His Majesty's renewed Commission under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing date at Westminster, the 10th day of October 1825, do, by virtue of the said Commission, and in pursuance of an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the forty-sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the third, intituled "An Act, to vest certain messuages, lands, tenements, and hereditaments in trustees for better securing His Majesty's docks, ships, and stores at Portsmouth, and for extending the lines and works at Dover," hereby give notice to all and every person or persons who have or claim to have any estate, right, title or interest to or in the hereditaments hereinafter described, that we are ready and willing to treat and agree with them for the absolute purchase of all such estates, rights, title, and interests respectively, of and in all that piece or parcel of land, being part of the waste lands of the manor and borough of Gosport, belonging to the See of Winchester, in the said Act mentioned, to contain by estimation (exclusive of the sea beach) ten acres or thereabouts, be the same more or less, and abutted and bounded as in the said Act mentioned; and also of and in so much or such part of the road or way leading from the north-east corner of the said piece or parcel of waste land to the north-west corner thereof, near the new gate to Haslar, and from thence to the town of Gosport, as abuts on the north side of the same piece or parcel of waste land, (save and except; nevertheless, all such right as any person or persons now hath or have to pass and repass with horses, carts, and carriages, or on foot, in, upon and over the said road or way; and

also of and in all and singular the messuages, tenements or dwelling-houses, and other erections and buildings which at the time of the passing of the said Act stood and were on the said piece or parcel of waste land, or any part thereof; and also of and in all such parts and parcels of the beach or seashore immediately adjoining the piece or parcel of land hereinbefore described, or any part thereof, as may be found to be the property of, or belong to, the said See of Winchester, in respect of the said manor: and if all or any such person or persons shall, for the space of thirty days next after this notice, neglect or refuse to treat and agree with us, or to accept what we, the said Commissioners, shall think a reasonable recompence or satisfaction for the said several premises, then we, the said Commissioners, shall with all convenient speed proceed to enquire into, ascertain and assess the true and real value of the said premises by the inquest of twelve good and lawful men, or by such other ways and means and in such manner and form as are particularly mentioned and directed in and by the said Act—Given under our hands this 26th day of October 1825.

W. H. Clinton.
U. B. Burgh.
H. Hardinge.
W. Griffin.
Alexr. Bryce.

Receiver-General's-Office, Kingston,
Jamaica, June 4, 1825.

SIR,

HAVING received from the Collector and Comptroller of His Majesty's Customs at Annotto-Bay, the following copies of the examination of Patrick Smith, late Master of the sloop Tom Paine, relating to the capture of that vessel, and her subsequent arrival at Buff-Bay; and of an inventory of the goods saved from the wreck; you are requested to give publicity to such communication for the space of two months successively, for the information of all persons who may be concerned or interested therein, in compliance with the directions contained in 53d Geo. 3d, chap. 25, sec. 4, of the laws of this island.

Your obedient servant,

WM. JAS. STEVENSON, Rec. Genl.

To the Editor of the London Gazette.

(Copy.)

Examination of Patrick Smith, late Master of the Sloop Tom Paine, before Robert G. Kirkland and William Robertson, Esqrs. Justices of the Peace in and for the Parish of St. George.

Jamaica Ss.

Patrick Smith, late Master of the sloop Tom Paine, having been duly sworn, made oath and said; that the sloop Tom Paine was owned by John Campbell, of Montego-Bay, and that he sailed in the said sloop from Kingston, on the 31st day of March 1825, bound to Maracaibo, in the island of Cuba, consigned to a Mr. Hall, Merchant, there; and that off that place they were captured by a Colombian privateer, called the Isabella, of Maracaibo, commanded by John Bedwell, sailing