

buildings, belonging to Mr. Edward Scrimshaw, upon his farm, in the parish of Wisbech Saint Mary, which entirely destroyed a waggon hovel, a waggon, a cart, and numerous other farming implements, as well as a bullock hovel and nearly the whole of the hay, the produce of twenty-five acres of land;

And whereas it hath been further represented unto the King, that several threatening letters, with the signature of "Swing," have been sent to or found upon the premises of the inhabitants of the said parish;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felonies before mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said hay stacks, and except the author or authors, or writer or writers of the said letters) who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

MELBOURNE.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED and THIRTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the principal inhabitants and charge-bearers of the said parish, and TWENTY POUNDS by the said Mr. Scrimshaw, and a further sum of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, to any person who shall discover the offender or offenders concerned in setting fire to the said hay stacks (except as aforesaid), so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.— And a reward of TWENTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the inhabitants of the said parish to any person (except the author or authors, or writer or writers of the letters) who shall discover the offender or offenders concerned in sending the threatening letters before mentioned, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

BEDFORDSHIRE.

Woburn, August 3, 1831.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Lieutenancy of the county of Bedford will be held at the Shirehall, in the town of Bedford, on Saturday the 20th day of August instant, at twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of the Right Honourable Lord Grantham, His Majesty's Lieutenant of the same county,
John Green, Clerk of the General Meetings.

Navy-Office, July 16, 1831.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 23d of August next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Commissioner Lewis will put up to sale, in His Majesty's Dock-yard at Chatham, several lots of

Old Stores,
Consisting of old Rope, Canvas, Boltrope, Top-pets, Oakum, Iron from Boilers, &c. &c. &c.
all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots, must apply to the Commissioner for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard. G. Smith.

Navy-Office, July 27, 1831.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 10th of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Commissioner Sir Michael Seymour, Bart. will put up to sale, in His Majesty's Dock-yard at Portsmouth, several lots of

Old Stores,
Consisting of old Canvas, Hammocks, and Rope in Paperstuff, Yarns from Rope, Oakum, and Files, &c. &c. &c.
all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots, must apply to the Commissioner for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard. G. Smith.

LARCH TIMBER.

Navy-Office, July 28, 1831.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that the contract for

Larch Timber,
advertised for Wednesday the 3d, is postponed till Wednesday the 17th of August next, on which latter day, at one o'clock, they will be ready to receive tenders for the same. G. Smith.

CONTRACT FOR COALS FOR GIBRALTAR.

Navy-Office, July 28, 1831.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 10th of August next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering,

At Gibraltar, a Cargo of about 400 Chaldrons of
Fordel Main,
Wylam,
Inverkeithing,
Elgin,
Rubly Heaton Main,
Fiery Vein, or
Bryndorway Coals.

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. G. Smith.

CONTRACT FOR CANADA INCH MASTS, YARDS, BOWSPRITS, TIMBER, &c.

Navy-Office, July 28, 1831.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 17th of August next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such per-