

Whitehall, November 25, 1831.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Forde, of Northallerton, in the county of York, Esq. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, December 15, 1831.

**W**HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, late in the evening of Tuesday the 6th day of December instant, the body of a female (since identified to be that of a person named Hannah Hobbs), was discovered at Aldrington, near Brighton, in the county of Sussex, the head being severed from the body, and both arms cut off close to the elbow joints; and that a coroner's inquest having been subsequently held upon the same, a verdict has been returned of "wilful murder against some person or persons unknown;"

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the murder before mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually committed or assisted in the perpetration of such murder) who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **ONE HUNDRED POUNDS** is hereby offered to any person (except as aforesaid) who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.—Such reward to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

MELBOURNE.

Whitehall, December 27, 1831.

**W**HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that the Reverend W. Griffith, Wesleyan Minister, of Devonport, in the county of Devon, has been missing since about nine o'clock on the night of Tuesday the 20th day of December instant, when he parted from a friend on Makerheights, on the road from Kingsand to Cremill-passage, in the county of Cornwall, and that there is every reason to believe that he has been murdered by some evil-disposed person or persons unknown;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the murder before mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually committed such murder) who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **ONE HUNDRED and SEVENTY POUNDS** is

hereby offered to any person (except as aforesaid) who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.—£100 of such reward to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and £70 by the Reverend W. Hayman, Morice-street, Devonport.

MELBOURNE.

East India-House, December 21, 1831.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing notice of the under-mentioned adjudication of an act of insolvency pronounced by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta, under the provisions of an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the ninth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to provide for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in the East Indies, until the 1st day of March 1833."

Thomas Bush, Duncan M'Naught Liddell, and Hugh Fergusson, late of Calcutta, merchants and agents, trading in copartnership at Calcutta aforesaid, under the firm or style of Bush and Company. Date of Gazette, containing notice, April 18, 1831.

Peter Auber, Secretary.

East India-House, December 21, 1831.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing notice of the under-mentioned petition, which had been filed on the 1st of May 1830, in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta, under the provisions of an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the ninth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to provide for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in the East Indies, until the 1st day of March 1833, having been dismissed."

Henry Howard, of Fort William, in the province of Bengal, Bandmaster of His Majesty's 16th Regiment of Infantry. Date of Gazette, containing notice, March 28, 1831.

Peter Auber, Secretary.

East India-House, December 21, 1831.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby give notice, that they have received Calcutta Gazettes, containing notices of the under-mentioned petitions, filed in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta, praying for