

mission of the Peace for the said county of Kent, His Majesty's royal licence and authority that the said George Rennie and Caroline his wife may take and use the surname of Lucas, in addition to and before that of Rennie; that the said George Rennie may bear the arms of Lucas quarterly with his own family arms; and that the said surname of Lucas, and the arms of Lucas, may in like manner be taken, used, and borne by the issue of their marriage, out of grateful and affectionate respect to the said Matthias Prime Lucas; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise His Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect.

And also to order, that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, May 9, 1832.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Henry Marsh, of Chichester, in the county of Sussex, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed John Serjeant, of Ramsay, in the county of Huntingdon, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 12, 1832.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Teage, of Devonport, in the county of Devon, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 15, 1832.

**W**HEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on the morning of Saturday the 5th day of May instant, some evil-disposed person or persons did wilfully and maliciously set fire to the dwelling-house of the Reverend James Patterson, at Harbottle, in the county of Northumberland;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony before mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said house) 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.—£50 of such reward to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury; £30 by the Congregation of the said Mr. Patterson; and £20 by Thomas Clennell, Esq. of Harbottle-castle.

MELBOURNE.

Navy-Office, May 2, 1832.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday the 30th instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon, they will put up to sale, at their Office in Somerset-place, His Majesty's ships and vessels hereunder mentioned, and which are lying at the Yards against the same expressed, viz.

Lying at Deptford.

Sampson, hulk, of 1380 tons.

Lying at Woolwich.

Lancaster, of 64 guns and 1430 tons.

Lying at Portsmouth.

Grasshopper, of 18 guns and 385 tons.

Lying at Plymouth.

Semiramis, of 42 guns and 944 tons.

Vigilant, ketch, of 161 tons.

Persons wishing to view the ships and vessels, must apply to the Commissioners of the Yards, or Officers where there is no Commissioner, for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here, and at the Yards.

G. Smith.

#### SALE OF SHIPS.

Navy-Office, May 16, 1832.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that the Semiramis, advertised for sale at this Office, on Wednesday the 30th instant, is withdrawn from the sale; but that they will, at two o'clock on that day, proceed to sell the other ships mentioned in the advertisement. The Commissioners further give notice, that the Sampson and Lancaster will not be required to be broken up.

G. Smith.

Navy-Office, May 5, 1832.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Saturday the 26th instant, Captain Samuel Warren, C. B. Superintendent of His Majesty's Dock-yard at Woolwich, will be ready to receive sealed tenders from such persons as may be willing to hire, for a sum certain,

The privilege of selling, for the term of one year from Midsummer Day next (the rent to be paid quarterly in advance), Ale, Beer, Porter, Bread, Cheese, and small articles, in the Tap-Room in the said Yard; and of supplying Beer and Biscuit to the Convicts who work in the Yard.

Further particulars may be known on application at the Office of Captain Warren.

No tender will be received after two o'clock on the said 26th instant, nor any noticed, unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

G. Smith.

Navy-Office, May 12, 1832.

**T**HE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 5th of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Commissioner Ross will