

Whitehall, April 18, 1795.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that between Two and Three o'Clock on Tuesday Morning the 7th Instant, Two or more Persons made a most daring Attempt to force open the Windows of the Dwelling-House of Joseph Pocklington, Esq; of Muskham, near Newark upon Trent, in the County of Nottingham, and that they had (without any Provocation) fired upon John Bliton, a Servant belonging to the said House, who immediately returned the Fire, and killed or severely wounded One of the said Persons.

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the above Felony, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them (except the Person who actually fired the said Gun) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, the following Rewards are hereby offered, viz.

By Mr. Brough, of Newark, Treasurer to the Association for the Prosecution of Offenders for Offences committed in the County of Nottingham - -	£	s.	d.
By J. Pocklington, Esq; of Muskham afore said - - -	10	10	0
And by John Bliton, of ditto - - -	84	0	0
	10	10	0

making together the Sum of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS; which Sum will be paid to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, upon the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders.

N. B. If any stout Man, about Five Feet Eight Inches high, dressed in a Waterman's deep-coloured Jacket, and wearing a round Hat, has, since Tuesday the 7th Instant, applied for Relief for WOUNDS IN THE BREAST to any Surgeon, such Gentleman is earnestly requested to communicate the Circumstance to the Magistrate nearest the Place of his Residence, that such Means may be used as shall appear the most likely to lead to the Apprehension of the said Offender.

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Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that an anonymous threatening Letter, of which the following is a Copy, was received by Joseph Pocklington, Esq; of Muskham, near Newark upon Trent, in the County of Nottingham, viz.

" Bul dog

" we are sorry to tel you that one of us can assist no more in seding you to hell but we have enuw of us to fend you to the Devil and By god you shall die of of the same Death yo have " gien we mean the Leden favor."

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" for poplitions Bul dog."

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sending the Letter abovementioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any of them (except the Person who actually wrote the said Letter) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

Whitehall, April 11, 1795.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that on Tuesday Night, the 31st of March last, the Turnpike Gate, belonging to the Hadley Trust, situated in Baker-Street, in the Parish of Orsett in the

County of Essex, was cut down, and the Toll-House and Offices thereunto adjoining, were feloniously set on Fire and destroyed by some Person or Persons unknown:

And whereas it has likewise been humbly represented to the King, that Two anonymous threatening Letters, of which the following are Copies, were fixed on the other Two Gates of the said Road on the 4th Instant, viz.

" William Randle take notice you quit the House  
" you now hold under the hon<sup>ble</sup> trust of the turnpike roads within the space of forty days from the  
" Date hereof or we will have forcible possession by  
" fire we are friends to Liberty

" Witness } A few  
                  } to Turnpikes                   dated April 4<sup>th</sup> 795  
" John Phelps take notice you quit the House that  
" you now Hold under the honourable trust of the  
" turnpike Roads within the space of forty days  
" from the date hereof or we will have forcible  
" possession by fire we are  
" friends to Liberty

" Witness } A few to  
                  } Turnpikes  
  Dated April ye 4<sup>th</sup> 1795"

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the above Felonies, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any One of them (except the Person or Persons who actually destroyed the said Turnpike Gate, set Fire to the said Premises, or wrote the said Letters) who shall discover his, her or their Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, upon the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by

PETRE.

Whitehall, April 14, 1795.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that, about Midnight on Thursday the 9th Instant, a Barn, on Burden's Ball Farm, situated near Wilton in the County of Wilts, was feloniously and maliciously set on Fire by some Person or Persons unknown, whereby the said Barn, with a great Quantity of the real Necessaries of Life, were entirely consumed.

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the above Felony, is hereby pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually committed the same) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of TWO HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby promised to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) upon the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders, by

PEMBROKE.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded, and issued forth against Snelah Chessel and Thomas Chessel, of Holborn in the City of London, Hosiery, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, may receive a Dividend of Five Shillings in the Pound upon their respective Debts by applying to Mr. Worthington, No. 4, Hare-Court, Temple, on Wednesday next, between the Hours of Eleven and One, and every subsequent Wednesday, between the same Hours.

