

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 27, 1797.

SUCH Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on Monday the 5th of June next, are requested to send their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office, on or before Friday the 2d of June, and to send for their Tickets the next Day (Saturday), between the Hours of Eleven in the Morning and Three in the Afternoon.

And to prevent the Inconveniencies which have arisen from the Space before their Majesties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requested that those Ladies only who mean to dance will send for Dancers Tickets, and sit in those Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Whitehall, May 24, 1797.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that about Twelve o'Clock on the Night of Tuesday the 16th Instant, some evil-minded Person or Persons unknown, called hastily at the Turnpike Gate at Coppid-Beech-Lane, between Binfield and Wokingham, in Windsor-Forest, in the County of Berks, and upon the Gate-Keeper opening his Door, shot him through the Head; and that Two Persons of suspicious Appearance had been seen the preceding Evening about the said Turnpike, one of whom wore a blue, the other a brown Coat, both being of the middle Stature, of dark Complexions, and had round Hats on.

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the horrid Murder above-mentioned, is hereby pleased to offer His most gracious Pardon to any one of them (except the Person who actually fired the said Shot) who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he 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, (except as is before-mentioned) to be paid on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders, by
John Roberts, of Wokingham.

Whitehall, May 30, 1797.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that on the Night of Sunday the 25th Instant, several of the Patrole belonging to the Police-Office in Bow-Street, who were aiding and assisting the Peace Officers in the Execution of a Warrant granted by Nicholas Bond and Samuel Tolfrey, Esqrs. Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex, to search a Publick House called the Golden Hart, in Parker's Lane, in the Parish of St. Giles in the Fields, for Rogues and Vagabonds, were inhumanly beat and wounded by several disorderly Persons who had assembled in the said House, insomuch that the Lives of many of the said Patrole are in Danger.

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the daring Outrage 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 or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

London, May 31, 1797.

Notice is hereby given, that an Account of the Spanish Ship *Nuestra Señora de la Misericordia*, captured on the 2d Day of January, 1797, by His Majesty's Ships *Lively*, *Meleager*, *Niger*, *Fortune* and *Raven* will be delivered into the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty agreeable to Act of Parliament.

Christopher Cook and Robert Duncan, Agents.

London, May 31, 1797.

Notice is hereby given, that Account of the Sales of the French Privateer *L'Appocrate*, and the Account of the Salvage of the recaptured Ship *Sarah*, of Liverpool, taken by His Majesty's Ship *Stag*, Joseph Sydney Yorke, Commander, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

Fred. Edgecumbe, Agent.

May 30, 1797.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the Thirty-third of His present Majesty, Notice is hereby given, that an Account of Sales of the Spanish Ship *Santa Natalia*, captured by a Squadron of His Majesty's Ships under the Orders of Lord Viscount Galles, and condemned in the High Court of Admiralty of Great Britain, will be delivered into the Registry of the said Court.

Tho. Maude and James West, Agents.

London, June 1, 1797.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Governor and Company for working of Mines, Minerals and Metals in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland will be held at the Sun Fire-Office in Bank-street, Cornhill, on Thursday the 13th Day of July next, at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, to consider of a Dividend; and that the Transfer Books will be shut on Thursday the 29th of June instant.

RYE HARBOUR.

A Meeting of the Commissioners of this Harbour will be holden at the Court Hall in Rye, on Saturday the 17th Day of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs relative to the said Harbour; and it is requested that Persons (except the Mortgagees) will send in an Account of their Claims on the Tolls of the said Harbour, on or before Saturday the 10th Day of June next, to the Treasurer.

John Jeakins, Treasurer.

Rye, May 30, 1797.

Exeter, May 20, 1797.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between John Shiles and Nathaniel Welsford, of this City, Haberdashers, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent: It is therefore requested that all Persons who are indebted to the said Partnership will immediately discharge the same.

John Shiles.
Nath. Welsford.

THE Partnership between us, Samson Bowles, Thomas Bowles, James Hoddinett and Thomas Corlett, was dissolved by mutual Consent on the 25th Day of December last, as far as relates to the said James Hoddinett, who is now about to enter into another Concern: Witness our Hands, London, May 30, 1797.

Samson Bowles.
Tho. Bowles.
James Hoddinett.
Tho. Corlett.