

Sail after her I could, and in about Two Hours came up with and captured her. She proved to be the Revenge French Lugger Privateer, carrying 10 Carriage Guns, Two and Three Pounders, but only 4 mounted (the rest being in the Hold) and manned with 34 Men, 1 of whom was wounded by Exchange of Shot during the Chace. She had been out Two Days from Dunkirk, but had made no Captures.

I am, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) GEORGE BROAD.

Admiral Peyton,
Esq. &c. &c.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next Session, for a Bill to alter, amend, and render more effectual an Act passed in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty for making and maintaining a navigable Canal from the River Dunn Navigation Cut, at or near Stainforth in the West Riding of the County of York, to join and communicate with the River Trent at or near Keadby in the County of Lincoln; and also a collateral Cut from the said Canal, to join the said River Dunn in the Parish of Thorne in the said Riding; and for varying the Line of the said Canal from a Place called Ashfield Bank, near Thorne aforesaid, to the said River Dunn Navigation Cut, at or near Stainforth aforesaid; and also for making a collateral Cut from or near the said Ashfield Bank, to join and communicate with the said River Dunn on Thorne Common; and that the Line so varied, and the said last mentioned collateral Cut, will pass through the several Parishes of Thorne and Hatfield and the Township of Stainforth in the West Riding of the County of York; and also for making another collateral Cut from the said Canal on Crowle Common, to the Town of Crowle, in the Parish of Crowle in the County of Lincoln; and also to enable the Company of Proprietors to raise a further Sum of Money for those Purposes, and for completing the Works of the said Canal. Dated the 14th Day of August, 1797.

Geo. Broadrick, Solicitor.

Neath Canal Navigation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition will be presented and an Application made to the next Session of Parliament for Leave to bring in a Bill, and to obtain an Act, for improving, extending, cutting and making the said Neath Canal navigable from a certain Place called the Brickfield, near Melincrythan Pill, in the Parish of Neath, in the County of Glamorgan, to or near a certain Place called Giants Grave Pill, in the Parish of Britonferry, in the said County of Glamorgan, and which Cut will pass through the several Parishes of Neath, Lantwit juxta Neath, and Briton Ferry, in the said County of Glamorgan. A Map or Plan of the said intended Extension and Cuts, together with a Book of Reference, containing a List of the Names of the Owners or reputed Owners and Occupiers of Lands, through which the same respectively must pass, will be deposited for public Inspection at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace for the said County of Glamorgan, at Cardiff in the said County, on or before the 30th Day of September next: And also that the Pro-

prietors of the said Canal may be authorized and empowered to raise a further Sum of Money, not exceeding Ten Thousand Pounds, for the Purposes of making and completing the said Canal, and the Extension thereof as aforesaid; and to extend the Powers of and to amend and explain the Act passed in the 31st Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for making the said Neath Canal: And also for regulating the Pilotage of the River and Harbour of Neath.

August 16, 1797.

LICENCES for MAKERS of CLOCKS, WATCHES, or TIME-KEEPERS.

Stamp-Office, Somerset-Place,
July 28, 1797.

HIS Majesty's Commissioners for managing the Stamp Duties do hereby give Notice, that, in pursuance of an Act of the last Session of Parliament, Licences are ready to be granted to Persons using and exercising the Trade and Business of a Maker of, or Dealer in, Clocks, Watches or Time-Keepers, within the City of London, or the City or Liberties of Westminster, the Weekly Bills of Mortality, the Parish of St. May-le-Bonne or St. Pancras, in the County of Middlesex, or the Borough of Southwark, in the County of Surry, upon Application at the proper Department in this Office for that Purpose.

By Order of the Commissioners,

John Brettell, Sec.

N. B. The above Persons are desired to bring with them a Particular, in Writing, containing their Christian and Surnames, the Number of their Houses, Names of the Streets, and Parishes wherein they reside, for the quicker Dispatch of the Business.

Whitehall, August 12, 1797.

WHEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, that two anonymous threatening Letters were received on the Nights of the 28th and 29th Ultimo by Mr. William Brown, of Long Benton, in the County of Northumberland, having been left before the Door of the House of Mrs. Bell in Front-Street, Tynemouth, in the said County, where Mr. Brown and his Family then were on a Visit, of which Letters the following are Copies.

"Saturday Afternoon."

"Mr Brown Sir)

"Necessity forces me to write this Letter. I was a Servent of yours once but was turned away for no reason, me famaly are now starving the Butchers will let them have no more meet, the Bakers will let them have no more bread what must we do, I'm resolved now to go to Immirica in the first Ship I can get. and all that I want is twenty Pounds to take me family and I their, and i demand that of you as you are the means of bringing my family to this state, if you do not consent to it, I'm resolved to attack you upon the highway I'm resolved to watch you and do what i'm thour what I could never thought to have done; but hunger forces me to it. if you will send any of your Servents in the Barrick lane about ten o'Clock this Night and let them put this some under any Stone behind this North east corner of the Barricks the North side of the corner this shall be the last you shall hear from me, is I set of from this part of the Country as soon is I never