

Whitehall, January 15, 1803.
WHEREAS it has been humbly represented unto the King, that early on Wednesday Morning the 29th Ultimo, a Barn, situate in Carlton-Field, in the County of Cambridge, the Property of the Reverend Newton Charles Lane, of Brinklay, near Newmarket, was wilfully and maliciously set on Fire, by which the same, together with several Stacks of Corn, containing upwards of Three Hundred and Fifty Quarters of Wheat, Twelve Hundred Quarters of Barley, and a considerable Quantity of Pease, Oats, and Tares, farming Utensils, and a Threshing Mill, were entirely consumed;

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

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And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered by the said Newton Charles Lane, and ONE HUNDRED POUNDS by the Phoenix Fire Office, to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted,) to be paid on the Conviction of any One or more of the Offenders.

OFFICE FOR TAXES, SOMERSET-PLACE, January 17, 1803.

PURSUANT to an AS passed in the Forty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, Notice is hereby given, That the Price of Three per Centum Reduced Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England on this Day, was £.71 and under £.72 per Centum.

By Order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of Taxes, Matthew Winter, Secretary.

Navy-Office, January 5, 1803.

HIS Majesty having been graciously pleased to direct, by His Order in Council bearing Date the 22d Day of October 1802, that the following Bounties be granted to Sixty Chaplains in His Majesty's Navy, who have served during the late War with France, Spain, and Holland, and do not enjoy the Benefit of any Ecclesiastical Living or Preferment from the Crown, or otherwise, of the Annual Value of Seventy Pounds, viz.

To the Twenty who shall have served longest actually at Sea, not under Seven Years, a Bounty of Four Shillings per Day:

To the next Twenty who shall have served longest actually at Sea, not under Five Years, Three Shillings per Day:

And to the next Twenty who shall have served longest actually at Sea, not under Four Years, Two Shillings and Sixpence per Day:

And further ordered that, in Case any of the Chaplains now receiving His Majesty's Bounty, granted by former Orders in Council, should have served at Sea during the late War, their Time of Service in either of the preceding Wars shall be included, and be considered as entitling them to the Benefit of that Class to whom a Bounty is granted by His Majesty's present Order, exceeding the Amount of that they may at present enjoy.

Notice is hereby given to such Chaplains as may be entitled to claim His Majesty's Bounty as aforesaid, that

they must deliver into this Office, on or before the 31st Day of March next, a List of the Ships they have served in, together with an Affidavit made before a proper Magistrate, that they have not enjoyed the Benefit of any Ecclesiastical Living or Preferment from the Crown, or otherwise, of the Annual Value of Seventy Pounds, between the 22d October and the 31st December 1802.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

Navy-Office, January 10, 1803.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 26th Instant, Thursday the 27th Instant, and Wednesday the 2d of February next, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to enter into Contracts for furnishing such of the following Stores as may from Time to Time be demanded, viz.

On Wednesday the 26th Instant, for Platerers' Wares, Ship Lanthorns, and Airing Stoves, to be delivered at Deptford and Woolwich Yards; and Lightning Conductors and Camp Forges, to be delivered at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Plymouth Yards:

On Thursday the 27th Instant, for Buenos Ayres Hides, Leather Liqueured, and Tanner's Wares, to be delivered at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, and Plymouth Yards:

And on Wednesday the 2d of February next, for Fishing Geer and Oil of Tar, to be delivered at the same Yards; and Copper Locks and Hinges, to be delivered at Deptford.

Patterns of the Stores may be seen on Application at Deptford Yard; and Particulars of the Contracts, with Forms of the Tenders, may be seen on Application at this Office.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock on the Days of Treaty, nor any noticed, unless the Party, or an Agent for him, attends.

R. A. Nelson, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, December 23, 1802.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready, at their Office, in St. Margaret-Street, Westminster, on Friday the 4th Day of February 1803, to receive Proposals from such Persons as may be willing to undertake the Supply of Three Hundred Cubic Yards of the best Stone Lime for Water Work, to be delivered at Woolwich at the Times and in the Proportions following, viz.

One Hundred Cubic Yards must be delivered on the Wharf at Woolwich, free of Expence, on or before the 1st Day of March 1803; One other Hundred Cubic Yards on or before the 1st of April; and the last or Third Hundred Cubic Yards on or before the 1st Day of May following.

Specimens of the Lime must be sent for Inspection to the commanding Royal Engineer at Woolwich; and the Terms and Conditions of the Contract may be seen upon Application at the Secretary's Office, in St. Margaret-Street, any Day between the Hours of Ten and Four o'Clock; but no Proposals can be admitted after Friday the 4th Day of February 1803.

By Order of the Board,

R. H. Crew, Secretary.

Office of Ordnance, January 11, 1803.

THE Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance, do hereby give Notice, that they will be