such ports or places within the dominions of the King of Spain, or into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on the Continent of America (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf Arst obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Second, intituled "An Act to empower His " Majesty to prohibit the exportation of gun-" powder, or any sort of arms or ammunition, " and also to empower His Majesty to restrain " the carrying coastwise of salt-petre, gun-powder, " or any sort of arms or aumunition;" and also by an Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His late Majesty's reign, cap. 2, intituled "An Act to " enable His Majesty to restrain the exportation " of naval stores, and more effectually to prevent " the exportation of salt-petre, arms, and ammu-" nition, when prohibited by Proclamation or " Order in Council:"

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain. Chetwynd.

### Foreign-Office, January 2, 1821.

The King has been pleased to approve of Mr. Samuel Luke, as Consul at Belfast for the United States of America.

### Whitehall, December 27, 1820.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto George-John Watson, of North Elmham, in the county of Norfolk, Esq. commonly called the Honourable George-John Watson, second son of the Right Honourable Lewis-Thomas late Baron Sondes, deceased, by Mary-Elizabeth, his wife, only daughter and presumptive heir of Richard Milles, late of North Elmham aforesaid, and of Mackington, in the county of Kent, Esq. also deceased, His Majesty's royal licence and authority that he and his issue may use, assume, bear, and subscribe the surname of Milles, instead of that of Watson, and bear and use the arms of Milles only, in compliance with an injunction contained in the last will and testament of his said maternal grandfather, the said Richard Milles, bearing date the 2d day of December 1818, as well as in testimony of grateful and affectionate respect for the momory of the said testator; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to order, that this His Majesty's concession and declaration be registered in his College of Arms.

# Whitehall, January 1, 1821.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed James Pennington, of Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

### Whitehall, December 22, 1820.

Hereas it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on the evening of Sunday the 17th instant, about eight o'clock, a large barn, helonging to Mr. Joseph Goldsmith, of Maidenhead, in the county of Berks, was wilfully and maliciously set fire to;

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 said barn), who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

# SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the County Fire-Office, to be paid on conviction by their Agent, Mr. Thomas Foster, at Maidenhead, and a further sum of FIFTY GUINEAS is also hereby offered by the said Joseph Goldsmith, 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.

# Whitehall, December 22, 1820.

W Hereas it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that two anonymous letters have been conveyed to F. G. Phillpotts, Esq. the Mayor of Monmouth, through the medium of the postoffice, bearing the Monmouth post mark; the one on Sunday the 3d instant, containing wanton and disgusting abuse and calumny towards him and his family; and the other on Tuesday the 5th instant, containing a direct threat to assassinate him;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in fetoniously sending the letter last mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually wrote and sent the same) who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered