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Whitehall, November 23, 1824.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, in the night of Friday the 5th, or morning of the 6th instant, a murder was committed on the person of James Wilson, a cooper, at Milnthorpe, in the county of Westmorland, by some evil-disposed person or persons unknown;

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

ROBERT PEEL.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **TWO HUNDRED POUNDS** is hereby offered 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.—The said reward to be paid, on conviction, by Thomas Greene, Esq of Whittington-hall, Burton, Preston.

Whitehall, November 25, 1824.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on the night of Friday the 12th, or early on the morning of Saturday the 13th instant, the dwelling-house of Mr. Thomas Thompson, at Fawke, in the parish of Seal, in the county of Kent, was burglariously entered, and several articles of plate, &c. stolen thereout; and that threats of violence were used to the servants, to intimidate them from giving alarm;

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

ROBERT PEEL.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of **ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS** is hereby offered to any person who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence.—Such reward to be paid, on conviction, by the said Thomas Thompson, of Fawke aforesaid.

Whitehall, November 29, 1824.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that, on Saturday the 30th day of October last, the body of Frances Smaller, a girl of the age of eight years (who had been missing ever since the 6th day of February last), was found in the false roof of a granary, late in the occupation of Robert Sheppard, merchant, situate in St. John's-row, in the town of Boston, in the county of Lincoln; and that the said Frances Smaller was first violated and afterwards murdered.

And it hath also been humbly represented unto the King, that, on Tuesday the 2d day of November instant, the body of Mary Ann Hattenborough, a girl of the age of eight years (who had been missing for eight days), was found in a pond adjoining Maud Foster's Drain, in Boston aforesaid; and that there is strong reason to believe, that the said Mary Ann Hattenborough was murdered, previously to her being thrown into the said pond;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in each of the above atrocious murders,