13th day of July last, maliciously cut the cable of the ship Vestal, of North Shields, Taylor, Master, lying in the Pool there, and did also cut and damage several of the lanyards and running ropes of the same ship, for the purpose of preventing her from putting to sea;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the misdemeanour above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually cut the said cable and ropes), who shall discover his accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he 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 (except as aforesaid), who shall discover the said offender or offenders, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted of the said offence .- Such reward to be paid, on conviction, by Messrs. Cockerill and Tinley, Solicitors and Secretaries to the Ship Owners' Society, at North Shields; or Messrs. Robinson and Burrows, 23, Austin-friars, in the city of London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill for raising money, by way of annuities or otherwise, for the repair and improvement of the church of the parish of Saint George, commonly called Saint George in the East.

Rd. Townson, Solicitor for the Bill. Ratcliff-highway, 7th August 1826.

LIVERPOOL DOCKS.

BY virtue of the provisions of the Acts of Par-liament, of the 51st Geo. III. and the 6th Geo. IV. relating to the Liverpool Docks, the Trustees of the Liverpool Docks do hereby give notice, that they intend to offer for sale, by public auction, at the Dock-Office, in Liverpool, on Friday the 11th day of August next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, assignments or mortgages of the rates and duties granted by the said Acts, to the amount of £50,000, one half of which assignments or mortgages will be payable by the said Trustees in ten years from the date thereof, and the other half in fourteen years from the same period. These assignments or mortgages will be offered in sums of £100 each, and will bear interest at 5 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly in London or Liverpool, as may be most agreeable to purchasers. Dated this 11th day of July 1826.

William Foster, Secretary

CONTRACT FOR TRAIN, WHALE, AND SEAL OIL.

Navy-Office, August 2, 1826.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 17th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's several Dock-yards with

Train, Whale, and Seal Oil.

A distribution of the oil, and a form of the tender; may be seen at this Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party, or an agent for him, attends.

Every tender must be accompanied by a letter, addressed to the Navy Board, and signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £500, for the due performance of the contract. G. Smith.

> Office for Taxes, Somerset-Place, August 8, 1826.

PURSUANT to Acts, passed in the forty-second and fifty-third years of His late Mayesty's reign, notice is hereby given, that the price of the Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, sold at the Bank of England this day, was £79 and under £80 per Centum.

By order of the Commissioners for the Affairs of E. Bates, Secretary. Taxes,

Amicable Society's Office, Serjeants'-Inn, Fleet-Street.

General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance-Office, will be holden at the Society's House, in Serjeant's-inn, Fleet-street, on Thursday the 10th day of August instant, at one o'clock precisely. John Pensam, Registrar.

London, August 4, 1826.

VOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of Election of the Court of Election 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 7th day of September next, from twelve to two in the afternoon, in order to choose a Deputy Governor of the said Company, for the remainder of the present year and until the next annual election, in the room of Brice Pearse, Esq. elected Governor; and that the transfer-books will be shut on Thursday the 24th instant, and opened again on Thursday the 14th day of September next. John Richards, Clerk.

VOTICE is hereby given, that an account pro-London, July 31, 1826. ceeds of bounty-money granted for 120 pirates, composing the crew of the piratical schooner La Gata, a felucca, and two boats, destroyed by His Majesty's cutter Grecian, Lieutenant John Cawley, Commander, on the 20th day of March 1823, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, on the 14th day of August next, agreeably to Act of Parliament.

William Slade, Agent.

NOtice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between Richard Turner and Samuel Deacon Welch, of Tovill-Mill, near Maidstone, in the County of Kent, Paper-Manufacturers, is dissolved.—Dated 26th July 1826. Richd. Turner.

S. D. Welch.