perty of Mr. Robert Wild, of Coate, in the parish of Bishop's Cannings, near Devizes, in the county of Wilts, were wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons, and the whole: consumed;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony before 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 ricks) 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 FIFTY 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.-Such reward to be paid on application at the Offices of Mr. Ings, Devizes.

# Whitehall, March 24, 1828.

WHEREAS it hath been humbly represented unto the King, that Mr. William Wiggins was, on the night of Sunday the 9th day of March instant, between the hours of seven and nine o'clock, violently assaulted, robbed, and attempted to be murdered, at Scraps-gate, near Shecrness, in the isle of Sheppy, in the county of Kent, by two evil-disposed persons, whose names are unknown;

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony above mentioned, is hereby pleased to pro-mise His most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually attempted to murder the said Mr. Wiggins) 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 FIFTY 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,-Such reward to be paid by Mr. Hooker, Solicitor, Sheerness.

## Admiralty-Office, March 29, 1828.

**I** N pursuance of an Act of Parliament, passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of King George the Second, notice is hereby given, that information has been received at this Office, that the sloop Ruckers, of Barbadoes, George Smith, Master, got on shore on Sandy Island, Antigua, on the 27th of January last, and went to pieces; that no lives were lost; and that part of the cargo, consisting of 115 barrels, 11 half barrels of flour, and about 207 red oak staves, were saved. J. W. Creker.

# METROPOLIS ROADS.

Metropolis Roads-Office, Whitehall-Place, March 31, 1828.

DTICE is hereby given, that the General An-nual Meeting of the Commissioners of the Metropolis Turnpike Roads, North of the Thames, will be held at the Commissioners-Office, No. 22, Whitehall-place, on Friday the 25th day of April next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

'By order of the Commissioners,

J. L. Panter, Chief Clerk.

## CONTRACT FOR HEMP.

#### Navy-Office, March 19, 1828.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 3d of April next, at one o'elock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying

# Riga and Petersburgh Hemp.

To be delivered at His Majesty's Dock-yards, according to a distribution which, with 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. G. Smith,

## CONTRACTS FOR CUTTERS, OF 14 FEET AND UPWARDS, AND FOR CEMENT STONE.

## Navy-Office, March 20, 1828.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 10th of April next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for building

### Cutters, of 14 feet and upwards,

and for delivering the same at His Majesty's Dockyards at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, and Sheerness; also for supplying the last-mentioned Yard with 200 Tons of Cement Stone.

A draft of the contract for cutters and forms of the tenders 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 for cutters.

G. Smith,

# CONTRACT FOR RED AND WHITE LEAD. Navy-Office, March 21, 1828.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 10th of April next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying His Majesty's Dock-yard at Chatham with

#### Red and White Lead.