

of so flagrant a nature, that I cannot flatter you with the least hopes of pardon: I, therefore, earnestly recommend your employing the short time you may have to live, in making your peace with Heaven.

"All who are now present, and have witnessed this Trial, as well as the crews of others of His Majesty's ships, must be convinced of the heinous crime of desertion; more particularly so, when it is attended with mutinous and contemptuous behaviour to your Officers. The fate of the unfortunate prisoner will, I trust, sink deep into your minds, and prevent the continuance of an offence so hurtful to your country, and disgraceful to the character of British Seamen."

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On Monday morning last, at a quarter past nine o'clock, the sentence of the Court Martial was carried into effect at the fore-yard arm of His Majesty's Sloop of War, Halifax.

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*[In order that we may not be accused of suppressing any part of the Halifax Pamphlet, we have retained the remarks which we found subjoined to the account of the Trial.]*