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WESTMINSTER,—MARCH 21, 1817.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, for declaring his Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers, to bear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent, given to*

An act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the army and their quarters.

An act for the regulating of his Majesty's royal marine forces while on shore.

An act to continue, until the 5th day of July 1818, an act of the 46th year of his present Majesty, for granting an additional bounty on the exportation of the silk manufactures of Great Britain.

The following Addresses have been presented to his Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Addresses his Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To his Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Dingwall, in Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of Dingwall, have heard, with no less indignation than surprise, of a most daring outrage committed against the sacred person of your Royal Highness, by a lawless and unprincipled mob, who, unmindful of the multifarious blessings they enjoy under a free and equitable government, have suffered themselves to be so far misled by factious and designing men, as to seem prepared for acts of the greatest atrocity.

We beg leave to assure your Royal Highness, that though we in this remote corner feel, in

common with our fellow subjects, the pressure of the times, and find it our duty to join in strongly recommending economy in every department of the state, we are still determined patiently to put up with temporary and unavoidable privations, and never, so far as we can prevent it, allow our happy and unrivalled constitution to be touched by the unhallowed hands of such as, under the specious name of reform, wish to introduce anarchy and confusion.

That Heaven may prosper and protect your Royal Highness in the discharge of the weighty and important duties of Government, which have devolved upon your Royal Highness in consequence of your revered Father's lamentable illness; that your Royal Highness may ever escape the traitorous attacks of licentious riot, and that you may continue to exercise the functions of royalty with advantage to the nation and the approbation of all good men, is the earnest prayer of, may it please your Royal Highness, his Majesty's attached and faithful subjects, the Magistrates and Town-Council of Dingwall.

Signed by our appointment, and in our name and presence, by

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, Provost.

[Transmitted by Charles Fraser, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble, loyal, and dutiful Address of the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of the County of Cromarty.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most faithful and loyal subjects, the Freeholders, Justices of the Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and other Heritors of the County of Cromarty, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with sentiments of attachment and respect, to express our deep regret and abhorrence at the wicked and diabolical attempt which was lately made on your sacred person, while returning from the House of Parliament, after discharging the constitutional and legal duty to which

you were then called; and to congratulate your Royal Highness and the nation at large on the escape you made under Providence from the hands of some wicked and deluded persons.

We have much pleasure and satisfaction in assuring your Royal Highness, that in this Northern part of the United Empire, there appears to us no symptoms of revolt or disaffection, but on the contrary a firm resolution of supporting the government and laws of the country as now established. Should unfortunately, however, the spirit of anarchy in any degree show itself, we are resolved as Magistrates to use every legal and constitutional means to suppress and put down the same.

Signed in our name, presence, and by our appointment, at Cromarty, this 18th day of February 1817.

DONALD MACKENZIE, Preses.

[Transmitted by R. B. Aeneas M'Leod, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Provost, Magistrates, and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Kirkaldy, in Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful subjects, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town-Council of the Royal Burgh of Kirkaldy, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with our most sincere congratulations on your deliverance from the outrageous and treasonable attempt lately made on your Royal Highness's personal safety, when exercising one of the most important prerogatives conferred on you by that constitution, under which the people of these realms have enjoyed so many signal blessings: we cannot sufficiently express our abhorrence of such nefarious deeds; and we beg leave to take this opportunity of testifying our unfeigned loyalty and attachment to his Majesty's government, and to your illustrious house.

We deeply lament the delusions, under the specious pretext of reform, which have been practised on many of his Majesty's subjects by artful and



designing men, who have taken the advantage of the present distresses of the country, which we trust are only temporary, to mislead the credulous by the dissemination of wild impracticable theories, tending to the overthrow of our happy constitution; but we place the most entire confidence in the wisdom, virtue, and firmness of his Majesty's Councils, and that of the two Houses of Parliament, not only to repress the daring spirit of disaffection at present unhappily existing, but also, as all human institutions are liable in course of time to partial imperfections, to correct and reform whatever to them may appear to require it.

That his Majesty, your Royal Highness, and your descendants may long continue successively to preside over a free, happy, and loyal people, is, and shall be, our earnest prayer.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Town-Council, (the seal of the Burgh being also hereunto appended), by

JOHN FORD, Provost.

[Transmitted by Lieutenant-General Sir R. Ferguson, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Members of the Guildry Incorporation of the ancient Royal Burgh of Dundee, grateful for the many blessings which we enjoy under the mild sway of the illustrious House of Brunswick, humbly beg leave to approach your Royal Highness, to express our attachment to your royal person, to his Majesty's government, and to the venerable fabric of the British constitution; and to declare our abhorrence and detestation of the conduct of those wicked and deluded people, who lately committed the gross outrage on your sacred person when returning from the exercise of that most important branch of the royal functions, the opening of the session of Parliament.

[Transmitted by W. Roberts, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Noblemen, Gentlemen, Freeholders, Justices of Peace, and Commissioners of Supply of the County of Banff, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with our sincere congratulations on your Royal Highness's providential escape from the late daring and detestable outrage offered to your Royal Highness, on your return from opening the session of Parliament, one of the most important duties attached to your exalted station.

Filled with amazement and indignation at such a flagrant instance of licentiousness, at once repugnant to the national feeling, and calculated to tarnish the national character, we beg leave to renew to your Royal Highness the assurance of our inviolable attachment to his Majesty's sacred person, crown, and dignity.

At a time like the present, when we see attempts made to take advantage of the general distress, for the purpose of exciting a spirit of sedition and tumult, we consider it a duty which we owe to our king and country, to declare to your Royal Highness in this public manner our firm resolution to promote to the utmost of our power, a due submission to our wise and equal laws, and to lend our humble but zealous support to those measures which may be directed to the great object of maintaining the public tranquillity, and of conveying unimpaired to latest posterity the bright inheritance of freedom which we of this highly favoured kingdom so happily enjoy.

Signed, at Banff, the 20th day of February 1817, in our name and by our appointment.

THOMAS GORDON, Preses.

[Presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness George PRINCE REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Bishops of the Episcopal Church in that part of Great Britain which is called Scotland, beg leave to approach the throne, and, after returning our humble and hearty thanks to Him by whom Kings reign and Princes decree justice, to congratulate your Royal Highness and the British empire on the providential protection of your Royal Highness's sacred person from the late outrages of disloyal, violent, and blood-thirsty men; and to express our own utter abhorrence and detestation, and the abhorrence and detestation of all those, both Clergymen and Laymen, who have committed themselves to your pastoral care, of that monstrous conspiracy, which seems to have been formed against a constitution, which has long been at once the pride of Britons and the envy of surrounding nations.

It is with astonishment as well as sorrow, that we behold numbers of our fellow subjects, attributing to the defects of that constitution those judgments which our manifold and crying sins have brought down from Heaven on our own guilty heads; and availing themselves of this pretence to excite a spirit of disaffection to that government, which, under the wise and vigorous administration of your Royal Highness, in the name and on the behalf of his sacred Majesty, has been the chief instrument employed by Divine Providence to restore peace and harmony to Europe, distracted and harassed as it has been for many years by all the miseries of war.

That He who alone can stay the madness of those who conduct themselves as if the seasons could be ruled by the decrees of human legislatures, will be pleased to open the eyes of the deluded multitude, and to confound the devices of those who delude them; that He will preserve your Royal Highness, as well from the machinations of secret, as from the violence of open enemies; that He will enable your Royal Highness to tread firmly, as you have hitherto trode, in the footsteps of our beloved sovereign, your royal father, and that the sceptre of these realms, after being long held by your Royal Highness, may pass through many generations, to your Royal Highness's latest posterity, is the earnest prayer of, may it please your Royal Highness, his Majesty's and your Royal Highness's devoted subjects and servants,

GEORGE GLEIG, Primary Bishop.

ANDREW MACFARLANE, Bishop of Ross.

ALEXANDER JOLLY, Bishop in Fraserburgh.

DANIEL SANDFORD, Bishop of Edinburgh.

PATRICK LORRY, Bishop in Peterhead.

W. SKINNER, Bishop of Aberdeen.

Stirling, February 12th, 1817.

[Transmitted by Bishop Gleig, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The Address and Petition of the under-signed Members of Guild, Burgesses, Trades, and Inhabitants of the Royal Burgh of Montrose, County of Forfar.

May it please your Royal Highness,

YOUR petitioners humbly beg leave to express to your Highness their abhorrence of the daring outrage offered to your sacred person, in returning from exercising the highest functions of your high

office, in meeting the Lords, Spiritual and Temporal, and your faithful Commons, in Parliament.

Testifying their deep regret that such outrage should have been perpetrated by any of his Majesty's subjects, lamenting their wickedness and folly, and assuring your Royal Highness of the loyalty and attachment of the petitioners to your royal and illustrious house, your petitioners embrace this opportunity of thanking your Highness for the generous and voluntary reduction of your establishment for the relief of your people; an example which cannot fail to be productive of the most salutary effects.

Your petitioners beg leave at the same time to lay their just complaints at the foot of the throne, stating the intolerable pressure of taxation that overwhelms them, and the decay of their trade, manufactures, agriculture, and navigation, by which means your petitioners are deeply oppressed.

That your petitioners have no hope of relief from such evils but by a reform in the representation of the people; in Parliaments of a duration not exceeding three years; by restoring to your faithful Commons in counties and boroughs their old constitutional rights of election of all their functionaries and representatives in Parliament.

May it therefore please your Royal Highness to grant the prayer of your petitioners, by passing into a law such bill as may be prepared to accomplish these important objects.

And your petitioners shall ever pray that the throne of these realms may be for ever established in your illustrious house.

Montrose, February 17, 1817.

[Transmitted by William Anderson, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

To his Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the President, Council, and Members of the Royal Company of Archers in Scotland, constituted by royal authority, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with the expression of our indignation and abhorrence at the late desperate and atrocious attack made upon the person of your Royal Highness, while returning from the discharge of one of the most important functions of royalty, the opening of the Session of the Imperial Parliament.

Attached as we are by every tie of duty and of gratitude to the invaluable constitution under which we live, we deeply lament the atrocious violence which has thus been offered to it in the person of your Royal Highness, the depository of the Sovereign Power; and we unite with all our loyal fellow subjects in an ardent hope, that those measures may be successful, which your Royal Highness has directed to be employed, for bringing to conviction and punishment the perpetrators of so daring and flagitious an outrage.

That the same Providence which in this instance hath so visibly interposed to guard the life of your Royal Highness, may long preserve you to exercise for the benefit of this Empire the royal functions, is our earnest prayer.

Signed in presence, and by the appointment of a general meeting of the Council and Members of the Royal Company of Scotch Archers, held within their Hall, at Edinburgh, this 22d day of February 1817.

ELIBANK, President of the Council.

[Transmitted by Viscount Melville, and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

Unto his Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, his Majesty's most faithful subjects, the Freeholders, Clergy, Heritors, and other Inhabitants of the County of Kinross,

Beg leave with most profound respect to approach your Royal Highness, humbly to offer our most

hincere congratulations on your escape from the outrageous attack made upon your Royal Highness in returning from the important duty of opening the Parliament in its present session.

The life of the heir-apparent to the throne has for ages been protected by the same salutary laws which guard the sacred person of the King; and while the daring assailants of your royal person could not but be aware of the treasonable nature of their acts, the loyal people whom your Royal Highness has been called upon to govern, view with abhorrence this unprincipled violation of the wise institutions of their ancestors.

We consider it to be a most binding obligation imposed upon us by the laws, rivetted by our attachment to our Sovereign and to the person and family of your Royal Highness, and confirmed by our sense of what is expedient for the safety of the realm, to unite with our fellow subjects in expressing our detestation at the lawless violence which endangered your Royal Highness; it could spring only from minds lost to all sense of those inestimable blessings which are derived from a government of mild, wise, and equal laws.

The wicked spirit which dictated the attack, we trust, will be put down by the voice of the nation, universally raised to express their devoted attachment to your Royal Highness, and their firm resolution at all times to maintain inviolate the person of their Prince and the constitution of their country.

We are fully sensible of the distresses which now pervade these kingdoms, and which press severely on all ranks of the community; we are convinced that a due observance of that subordination which the laws inculcate and enforce, is the first duty of the people; we feel assured that this disposition prevails throughout the district with which we are connected, and we humbly hope that by preserving in a judicious and well-regulated system for alleviating the pressure of the times, where it is most severe, we shall best contribute in our station, to confirm that security to the person and authority of your Royal Highness, so essential to the well being of the state.

Signed by order of the meeting,

WILLIAM ADAM, Preses.

[Transmitted by Thomas Graham, Esq. and presented by Viscount Sidmouth.]

FOREIGN-OFFICE—MARCH 21, 1817.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to approve of Mr John Sansum, as Consul at Harwich for his Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

WHITEHALL—MARCH 22, 1817.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to constitute and appoint the Right Hon. William Earl of Errol to be his Majesty's Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

CARLTON-HOUSE.—FEBRUARY 26, 1817.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was this day pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood on Lieutenant Robert Steele, of the Corps of Royal Marines, a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Spanish service, and a Knight of the Royal Spanish Order of Charles the Third.

MARCH 13, 1817.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was this day pleased, in the name and on the behalf of his Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Archibald William Crichton, Knight of the Russian Order of St Anne of the second class, and of St Vladimir of the fourth class, and of the Royal Legion of Honour of France.

MARCH 22, 1817.

This day his Excellency Count Fernan-Nunez, Duc de Montellano and Duc del Arco, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from his Catholic Majesty, had an audience of his Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign, expressing the anxious regard of his Catholic Majesty for the safety and welfare of his Royal Highness, and the horror with which his Catholic Majesty received the intelligence of the late atrocious attack upon his Royal Highness's person; also Monsieur de Pfeffel, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from his Majesty the King of Bavaria; Monsieur de Bourke, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from his Majesty the King of Denmark, and the Baron de Just, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from his Majesty the King of Saxony, had audiences respectively of the Prince Regent, to express in the names of their Sovereigns the same sentiments of horror respecting the late atrocious attack, and similar assurances of personal regard towards his Royal Highness. They were severally introduced to his Royal Highness by Earl Bathurst, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in the absence of Lord Viscount Castlereagh, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

WAR-OFFICE—MARCH 22, 1817.

2d Regiment of Foot—Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Pitt Warren, from the 6th West India regiment, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Prendergast, deceased.

3d—Lieut. William Mackay to be Adjutant, vice Horner, who resigns the Adjutancy only.

30th—Captain William Stewart to be Major, by purchase, vice Hawker, who retires. Lieut. George Teulon to be Captain of a company, by purchase, vice Stewart.

63d—Lieut. Edward Cooper Colls, from the half-pay of the regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice William Coningham, who exchanges. Francis Aubin, gent. to be Ensign, vice Robinson, deceased.

85th—Ensign Edmund Peel to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Boot, who retires. Henry Hamilton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Peel.

97th—Charles Grant, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice M'Gawley, who resigns.

6th West India Regiment—Hospital-Assistant Francis Siewright to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Warren, appointed to the 2d foot. Commissions all dated March 13.

BREVET—Captain Thomas Noel Harris, upon the staff as Brigadié-Major, to be Major in the Army; dated March 14, 1817.

HOSPITAL-STAFF—Hospital-Assistant George Evers to be an Hospital-Assistant to the forces; dated May 25, 1816.

CROWN-OFFICE—MARCH 22, 1817.

Member returned to serve in this present Parliament.

Borough of Colchester—Sir William Burroughs, Bart. in the room of Robert Thornton, Esq. who has accepted the chiltern hundreds.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

William Carter, late of Bragbury House, near Stevenage, Hertford, dealer and chapman.

Richard Nash, late of Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, seed-crusher.

James Marshall, of King's Head Court, Newgate Street, London, wholesale linen-draper.

George Pagett, late of York Street, Westminster, Middlesex, plumber and glazier.

Sidney Henson, heretofore of Nottingham, bill-broker.

Alexander Muir, now or late of Leeds, York, linen-draper.

Robert Parker, of Manchester, Lancaster, victualler.

Thomas Marsh, of Liverpool, Lancaster, spirit-dealer.

Edward Hopcott, of Ullingswick, Hereford, dealer in wool.

Edward Matthews, of Chester, saddler.

William Steevens, of Bristol, coal-merchant.

Thomas Baines, of Preston, Lancaster, coal-merchant.

Thomas Lea, of Stapenhill, Derby, dealer and chapman.

Robert Wright, of Egham, Surrey, innkeeper.

John Spiers, late of Birmingham, Warwick, linen and woolen-draper.

James Beech, of Stone, Stafford, linen-draper.

John Piggott Parsley, of Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, baker.
Robert Drew, late of Bordeaux, in France, but now of Bradninch, Devon, merchant.
George Todd, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, spirit-merchant and victualler.
Samuel Howse, now or late of Wendlebury, Oxford, victualler.

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Chancery of that part of Great Britain called England, bearing date the 26th day of March 1817, made in a cause wherein JOHN STENHOUSE and others are plaintiffs, and BENJAMIN SEEVERS is defendant, the Creditors of FRANCIS PULLEY, late of Cheapside, in the parish of Allhallows, Bread Street, in the city of London, warehouseman, (who died in the month of February in the year 1815), are by their solicitors forthwith to come in and prove their debts before William Alexander, Esquire, one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers in Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said decree.

ADLINGTON & GREGORY,
Bedford Row, London,
for
M'GRIGOR & MURRAY,
Glasgow,
Plaintiffs Solicitors.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DAVID REID, Merchant in Cupar of Fife.

THE Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said David Reid hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the said Creditors held here upon the 29th day of March last, being the first lawful day after the last examination of the bankrupt, the sum of 4s. per pound on the whole debts due by him, payable at four and eight months from the date of his discharge, was offered to the Creditors in name of composition, as specified in the minutes of said meeting. The Trustee, therefore, hereby further intimates, that another meeting of the said Creditors is to be held within the Tontine Inn here upon Monday the 21st day of April current, at 12 o'clock mid-day, for the purpose of finally deciding upon the said offer.

Cupar, April 1, 1817.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THOSE having claims against the deceased JOHN MITCHELL, late Master and Owner of the sloop Industry of Greenock, are requested to lodge the same, properly attested, with John Mackirdy, writer, Greenock, betwixt and the 15th day of April next, in order to their being settled; certifying those who fail to do so, that they will not afterwards have any claim against the trust-dispones.

And those who were indebted to Mr Mitchell are desired to make payment to Mr Mackirdy, to prevent prosecution.

Greenock, March 26, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES BROWN, Merchant in Alyth.

A MEETING of the said Creditors will be held within the office of William Barrie, writer in Dundee, on Friday the 25th day of April next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Commissioners under the sequestration of the said James Brown's estate.

JOHN DUNCAN, Jun. Trustee.
Alyth, March 12, 1817.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ROBERT STARK, Merchant in Glasgow.

THE said Robert Stark, with the concurrence of the Trustee on his sequestrated estate and of four-fifths of the Creditors in number and value, has applied to the Court of Session for a discharge of all debts contracted by him prior to the date of the sequestration of his estate.—Of which notice is hereby given, in terms of the statute, and in compliance with an appointment by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills upon the 31st March 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DONALD CLARK, Road-Contractor, lately residing at Gergask in Badenoch.

THE Trustee requests the Creditors to meet on Wednesday the 16th April next, within Cant's Hotel, Inverness, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration matters of importance to the Creditors.

Inverness, March 28, 1817.

THE Subscriber ceased from being a partner in THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SCOTLAND from and after the 25th July 1816.

PRINGLE JOHNSTONE.

CHARLES INGLIS, Witness.
CHARLES LOCKIE, Witness.
Dallsith, April 1, 1817.

ACT OF PARLIAMENT.
NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Trustees of the deceased JAMES SCHAW, Esquire, of Preston, in the county of East Lothian, have made application to obtain an act of Parliament to authorize them to grant building leases of certain parts of the estate of Preston, lying in the parish of Prestonpans and said county of East Lothian, and for liberty to feu that part of the said estate bounded by the sea on the north, and the road leading from the town of Prestonpans eastwards towards Cockenzie, in the said county, on the south; and for the further purposes of authorizing them to sell the *dominium directum* or superiority of the said lands and estate held in trust by them, and for lessening the number of Trustees necessary to constitute a quorum. And notice is hereby given to all concerned, or who shall conceive themselves to have an interest to oppose an act of Parliament being passed for the above-mentioned purposes, to appear before the Lord President of the Court of Session, the Lord Justice-Clerk, the Lord Chief-Baron of the Court of Exchequer, the Lord Chief-Commissioner of the Jury Court, and the Senior Judge of the Court of Session, or any two of them, upon Monday the 14th day of April next, within the Lord President's Chambers, Hill Street, Edinburgh, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when they will be heard for their interest.

Edinburgh, March 21, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
GILBERT M'KENZIE, Merchant in Invershin, in the county of Ross, in Scotland.

JAMES PLAYFAIR, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, gives notice, that he has prepared a state in order to a final dividend; and that the claims of the following Creditors have been rejected *in toto*, and will receive no share of the funds, unless the parties shall obviate the objections stated to the satisfaction of the Trustee, or apply to the Court of Session, Second Division, to judge of these objections, on or before the 20th day of May next, viz.

- Charles Ross in Inverness, or John Ross, Trustee for his Creditors.
- John Oakie & Company, London.
- John Primrose, Solicitor, London.
- James Ferguson, Manufacturer, Aberdeen.
- Colin Sharp, Manufacturer in All a
- The Representatives of the deceased James Innes, banker in Pais.

David Stewart, Adams' Court, Old Broad Street, London. The Trustee requires the Creditors of the bankrupt to meet at the office of Robert Playfair, solicitor in the Court of Session, St Ann's Yards, Edinburgh, agent in the sequestration, on Wednesday the 18th day of June next, at two o'clock afternoon, in order to receive the dividends that may be finally ascertained to be due to them; and a state of the sequestration will lie at his office for inspection till the day of meeting.

Edinburgh, March 31, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
THOMAS ANDREW, Brewer in Linlithgow.

JAMES ROBERTS, Writer in Linlithgow, hereby intimates, that he has been confirmed Trustee on Mr Andrew's sequestrated estate; and that the Sheriff-substitute of Linlithgowshire has fixed Tuesday the 15th day of April current and Monday the 5th day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon, in the Town-house of Linlithgow, for the public examination of the said Thomas Andrew and others connected with his affairs: And the Trustee further intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held on Tuesday the 6th day of the said month of May next, at 12 o'clock noon, within Mackenzie's Inn, Linlithgow; and another, at the same place and hour, upon Tuesday the 20th day of the said month of May next, for electing Commissioners, directing the Trustee as to the management of the affairs, and the other purposes specified in the statute.

The Creditors are requested to lodge their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with oaths of verity thereon, in the hands of the Trustee, at or previous to the first meeting above mentioned; and he certifies to those Creditors who shall fail to make such production by wix and the 11th day of December next, they will receive no share of the first dividend.

Linlithgow, April 1, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, Farmer and Cattle-Dealer in Thomastown of Buchterless.

UPON the application of the said Alexander Mackenzie, with concurrence of a Creditor to the extent required by law, Lord CRINGLETIE, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, this day sequestrated the whole estates and effects, heritable and moveable, real and personal, of the said Alexander Mackenzie; and appointed his Creditors to meet within the house of Alexander Bernet, vintner, Old Meldrum, upon Thursday the 10th April next, at 10 o'clock forenoon, to name an Interim Factor; and at same place and hour, upon Friday the 25th day of April, to choose a Trustee.

Edinburgh, March 31, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
ALEXANDER MACRAE, Fish-Curer and Merchant, at Inversheal, in the county of Ross.

THE Rev. John Macrae, Minister of Glensheal, the Trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said Alexander Macrae, hereby intimates, that his appointment as Trustee was confirmed by the Court of Session; and that upon his application the Sheriff of Ross has named the 12th and 28th days of April next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the public examination of the bankrupt, within the Council-house of Dingwall; and that upon Tuesday 29th day of the same month, a meeting of the Creditors will be held at the same place; they are, therefore, hereby required to produce in the Trustee's hands their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with their oaths on the verity thereof, at or previous to the said meeting; with certification, that unless the said productions are made between and the 15th day of September next, being ten months after the date of the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt's estate.

Dingwall, March 28, 1817.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

THOMAS PATTISON, Merchant or General Agent in Edinburgh.

WILLIAM BLACKWOOD, Writer in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that he has been named and confirmed Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Thomas Pattison; and that the Sheriff of Edinburgh has fixed Tuesday the 15th and Wednesday the 30th days of April current, at one o'clock afternoon each day, in the Sheriff-clerk's office, Edinburgh, for the public examinations of the bankrupt; that on Thursday the 1st day of May next, a meeting will be held at the chambers of John Parison junior, writer to the signet, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Creditors are required to lodge their claims with the Trustee; under certification, that if not produced between and the 23d day of December next, they shall have no share in the first distribution of the fund. Another meeting will be held, at the same place and hour, upon Thursday the 15th day of May next, for examining the proceedings, instructing the Trustee, and electing Commissioners.

Edinburgh, April 1, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
SAMUEL JOHNSTON, Merchant in Aberdeen, and WILLIAM ABERDEIN, Farmer in Barnyards of Echt, as individuals, and as partners of ABERDEIN, MACHATTIE, & COMPANY, Merchants in Aberdeen.

CHARLES GORDON, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the said Samuel Johnston and William Aberdein, as individuals, hereby intimates to the Creditors of the said Samuel Johnston and William Aberdein, as individuals and as partners of the said company, that at a meeting of the Creditors of the said bankrupts held here this day, in terms of the statute, the said Samuel Johnston and William Aberdein each made an offer of composition, with security, on the whole amount of their respective debts, as individuals and as partners of the said company; and the said offer having been entertained as reasonable, another meeting is to be held in the house of William Humphrey, vintner in Aberdeen, on Saturday the 26th April next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of deciding thereon.

Aberdeen, March 29, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
ROBERT CAMPBELL & CO., Merchants in Glasgow, and of Allan Campbell, the only surviving partner of that concern.

JAMES M'QUEEN, Merchant in Glasgow, the Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby requests a general meeting of the Creditors to be held within the writing-rooms, 71, Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, lately occupied by the deceased Thomas Meek, Esquire, writer, upon Thursday the 24th day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, to elect a new Commissioner, and to consider business of importance to the Creditors, and give the Trustee directions as to the recovery and disposal of the bankrupt estate.

Glasgow, March 31, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
WILLIAM ROSE, Merchant in Inverness.

JAMES GRAY, Merchant in Inverness, the Trustee, hereby intimates, that at a meeting of the said William Rose's Creditors held here on the 21st day of March current, the bankrupt made an offer of a composition, with security, on his just and lawful debts, which the meeting, unanimously approved of as fair and reasonable.

The Trustee, therefore, hereby notifies, in terms of the instructions given him at said meeting, that another meeting will be held within the Athenaeum of Inverness, upon Friday the 18th day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on said offer of composition.

Inverness, March 22, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
WILLIAM KER, Ironmonger in Edinburgh.

INTIMATION is hereby made, that at a meeting of the Creditors held yesterday, the bankrupt made offer of a composition of 9s. per pound, payable at 8, 12, and 15 months from the date of the decree of approval; and the meeting having unanimously thought the offer just and reasonable, the Trustee hereby appoints another meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse here, upon Friday the 25th of April current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of deciding on the said offer, with or without amendment, in terms of the statute.

Edinburgh, April 1, 1817.

THOMAS BISHOP, Merchant, Kilmarnock, Trustee on sequestrated estate of JOHN KING, Shoemaker, Kilmarnock, hereby intimates, that the public examinations of bankrupt, &c. are to be in the Court-house of Ayr, at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday 14th and Monday 28th April next.

He also intimates, that two meetings of Creditors will be held on Tuesday 29th April and Tuesday 13th May next, to name Commissioners and instruct Trustee, in terms of the statute,—the first at 12 o'clock noon, in the house of Jas. Watling, vintner, Ayr,—and the second at one o'clock afternoon, in the house of John Begbie, vintner, Kilmarnock. Creditors to lodge claims on or before 18th December next. Those so neglecting will have no share in first division of funds.

Kilmarnock, March 29, 1817.

OFFER OF COMPOSITION.

TO THE CREDITORS OF
GEORGE & WILLIAM TODD, Wrights in Greenock, and of George Todd, senior, and William Todd, Wrights there, as individuals.

A meeting of the said Creditors held here this day the said George & William Todd, as a company and as individuals, made an offer of composition, which was considered by the meeting to be reasonable; and appointed another general meeting of the Creditors to be held on Saturday the 19th day of April next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, within the writing-office of John Mackirdy, writer in Greenock, for the purpose of finally deciding on the offer.—Which is intimated by the Trustee, in terms of the statute.

Greenock, March 24, 1817.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
HUGH MACDONALD, Cattle-Dealer, Fort-William.

THE Trustee on the said Hugh Macdonald's sequestrated estate hereby intimates, that at a meeting of the Creditors held on the 20th day of March current, an offer of composition upon his whole debts, with security, was made by the bankrupt; which being unanimously approved of, the Trustee hereby appoints another meeting to be held within the writing-chambers of John Edwards, solicitor in Inverness, upon Friday the 25th day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of deciding on said offer, with or without amendment, in terms of the statute.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
PETER WRIGHT, Manufacturer in Glasgow.

THIS day Lord CRINGLETIE, officiating as Ordinary on the Bills, sequestrated the whole estate and effects of the said Peter Wright; and appointed his Creditors to meet within the Prince of Wales' Tavern, Glasgow, on Friday the 11th current, at 12 o'clock noon, to name an Interim Factor; and at the same place and hour, on Friday the 2d day of May next, to choose a Trustee.—Of which intimation is hereby given to all concerned.

Edinburgh, April 1, 1817.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES LEGGAT, China-Merchant, Edinburgh.

UPON the application of the said James Leggat, with the concurrence of a Creditor to the extent required by law, the Lord RESTON, Ordinary on the Bills, of this date, sequestrated the whole estate, heritable and moveable, real and personal, of the said James Leggat; and appointed his Creditors to meet within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 9th of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, to name an Interim Factor; and at the same place and hour, on Friday the 24th April next, to elect a Trustee.

Edinburgh, March 29, 1817.

THE Creditors of WILLIAM MARR, Merchant in Edinburgh, are requested to meet in the Exchange Coffeehouse, upon Wednesday 16th April current, at 12 o'clock, to receive the Trustee's report, and give him instructions.

WILLM. M'LEAN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, April 1, 1817.

ERRATA in Gazette of 18th March last.

In the Notice to the Creditors of DAVID WILLIAMSON, Cloth-Merchant and Shopkeeper in Dumfries,—For Friday the 12th, read Saturday the 12th,—For Saturday the 13th, read Monday the 14th,—And for Friday the 26th, read Saturday the 26th days of April.