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Buckingham-Palace, August 27, 1839.

THIS day Her Majesty proceeded in state from Buckingham-Palace to the House of Peers, where she arrived soon after two o'clock, and was received, on alighting from her state coach, by the Lord Chancellor, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, the Marquess of Normanby, officiating for the Lord Great Chamberlain, the Earl Marshal, the Lord Steward of the Household, the Lord Viscount Melbourne, Garter King of Arms, and the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, and proceeded to the robing-room in the customary manner.

Her Majesty was there robed, and, having put on the imperial crown, the procession moved into the House in the usual order;—the sword of state was borne by the Lord Viscount Melbourne, and the cap of maintenance by the Earl of Shaftesbury in the absence of the Marquess of Winchester.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, the Great Officers of state and others standing on the right and left, Sir Augustus Clifford, Bart. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from Her Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, Her Majesty was pleased to deliver the following most gracious Speech to both Houses of Parliament:—

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The public business having been brought to a close, I have now to perform the satisfactory duty of releasing you from your long and laborious attendance in Parliament.

I rejoice that a definitive treaty between Holland and Belgium, negotiated by the mediation of

the five powers, has settled the differences between those two countries, and has secured the peace of Europe from dangers to which it had so long been exposed.

The same concord which brought these intricate questions to a peaceful termination prevails with regard to the affairs of the Levant. The Five Powers are alike determined to uphold the independence and integrity of the Ottoman empire, and I trust that this union will ensure a satisfactory settlement of matters which are of the deepest importance to the whole of Europe.

It has afforded Me the sincerest pleasure to have been able to assist in effecting a reconciliation between France and Mexico. Intent upon preserving for My subjects the blessings of peace, I am highly gratified when I can avail Myself of an opportunity of removing misunderstandings between other powers.

I have recently concluded with the King of the French a convention calculated to put an end to differences which have arisen of late years between the fishermen of Great Britain and France. This convention, by removing causes of dispute, will tend to cement the union between the two countries, which is so advantageous to both, and so conducive to the general interests of Europe.

I shall continue to pursue with perseverance the negotiations in which I am engaged, to persuade all the powers of Christendom to unite in a general league for the entire extinction of the slave trade, and I trust that, with the blessing of Providence, My efforts in so righteous a cause will be rewarded with success.

I regret that the differences which led to the withdrawal of My Minister from the Court of Te-

heran, have not yet been satisfactorily adjusted by the Government of Persia.

In order to fulfil the engagements announced to you at the opening of the present session, the Governor-General of India has moved an Army across the Indus, and I have much satisfaction in being able to inform you that the advance of that expedition has been hitherto unopposed, and there is every reason to hope that the important objects for which these military operations have been undertaken will be finally obtained.

I have observed with much approbation the attention which you have bestowed upon the internal state and condition of the country. I entirely concur in the measures which you have framed for the preservation of order, the repression of crime, and the better administration of justice in this metropolis: and I have given a cordial assent to the bills which you have presented to Me for the establishment of a more efficient constabulary force in those towns which peculiarly required it, and for effecting the important objects of generally extending the civil power throughout the country.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I thank you for the zeal and readiness with which you have voted the supplies for the service of the year.

It has been with satisfaction that I have given My consent to a reduction of the Postage Duties. I trust that the Act which has passed on this subject will be a relief and encouragement to trade, and that by facilitating intercourse and correspondence, it will be productive of much social advantage and improvement. I have given directions that the preliminary steps should be taken to give effect to the intention of Parliament, as soon as the inquiries

and arrangements required for this purpose shall have been completed.

The advantageous terms upon which a considerable amount of the Unfunded Debt has been converted into Stock, afford a satisfactory proof of the reliance placed on the credit and resources of the country, as well as on your determination to preserve inviolate the national faith.

My Lords and Gentlemen

It is with great pain that I have found Myself compelled to enforce the law against those who no longer concealed their design of resisting by force the lawful authorities, and of subverting the institutions of the country.

The solemn proceedings of Courts of Justice, and the fearless administration of the law by all who are engaged in that duty, have checked the first attempts at insubordination; and I rely securely upon the good sense of My people, and upon their attachment to the constitution, for the maintenance of law and order, which are as necessary for the protection of the poor, as for the welfare of the wealthier classes of the community.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Her Majesty's command, said:

My Lords and Gentlemen,

It is Her Majesty's royal will and pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued to Thursday the 24th day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the 24th day of October next.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 29th day of *August 1839*,

PRESENT,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day the Right Honourable Richard Lalor Sheil was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Labouchere, and, in his absence, the Right Honourable Richard Lalor Sheil, President of the Committee of Privy Council appointed for the consideration of all matters relating to Trade and Foreign Plantations.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Poulett Thomson, Governor-General and Captain-General of all Her Majesty's provinces on the Continent of North America, and of the Island of Prince Edward, he this day took the usual Oath appointed to be taken by the Governors of Her Majesty's Plantations.

WHITEHALL, August 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable William Viscount Melbourne; the Right Honourable Francis Thornhill Baring; Edward Adolphus Seymour, Esq. (commonly called Lord Seymour); Robert Stewart, Esq.; John Parker, Esq.; and Thomas Wyse, Esq. Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

BUCKINGHAM-PALACE, August 26, 1839.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon John Gardner Wilkinson, Esq. Fellow of the Royal Society.

The following article is substituted for that which appeared in last Friday's Gazette, viz.—

August 28, 1839.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto the Right Honourable Thomas Spring Rice, and the heirs-male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Montegale, of Brandon, in the county of Kerry.

WESTMINSTER, August 26, 1839.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her 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 hear 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 the better administration of Justice in detached parts of counties.

An Act to continue the Poor Law Commission until the fourteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty, and thenceforth until the end of the then next session of Parliament.

An Act to amend the laws relating to the assessment and collection of rates for the relief of the poor. And four English and one Irish Acts.

Acts received the Royal Assent, August 27, 1839. (The Queen present.)

An Act for raising the sum of twelve millions twenty-six thousand and fifty pounds, by Exchequer Bills, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

An Act to apply a sum, out of the Consolidated Fund and the surplus of Ways and Means, to the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this session of Parliament.

An Act for funding four millions of Exchequer Bills.

An Act to authorize Her Majesty, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, to carry into effect a Convention between Her Majesty and the King of the French, relative to the fisheries on the coasts of the British islands and of France.

An Act for the establishment of county and district constables by the authority of justices of the peace.

And two English and two Irish Acts.

WAR-OFFICE, August 30, 1839.

2d Regiment of Dragoons—Lieutenant-General Sir William Keir Grant, K. C. B. from the 8th Light Dragoons, to be Colonel, vice Sir James Stuart, deceased.

8th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Lieutenant-General Sir Joseph Straton, from the 17th Light Dragoons, to be Colonel, vice Sir William Keir Grant, appointed to the command of the 2d Dragoons.

9th—Major-General James Wallace Sleigh to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Need, deceased.

17th—Major-General Sir Arthur Benjamin Clifton, K. C. B. to be Colonel, vice Sir Joseph Straton, appointed to the command of the 8th Light Dragoons. All dated August 24, 1839.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards—Sandford Graham, gent. to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fleming, who retires.

14th Foot—Thomas Hamilton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ellerton, who retires.

19th—Lieutenant William Dillon, from the 32d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Byrne, who exchanges.

21st—Captain Gustavus William Nicolls, from the 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice Mackenzie, who exchanges.

31st—Duncan Stewart Robertson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Douglas, promoted in the 93d Foot.

32d—Lieutenant Thomas Byrne, from the 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dillon, who exchanges.

41st—Ensign Anthony Sadlier to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dorval, who retires. Ensign Alexander Stewart, from the 98th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Sadlier.

52d—Lieutenant George Murray, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Twopeny, who retires. Ensign Frederick Carden to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Murray. John Archdall, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Carden.

56th—Thomas Wallace Fraser, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hunter, deceased. All dated August 30, 1839.

58th—Lieutenant Alexander Macleod Hay, from the 78th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice John Hill Rowan, who retires upon half-pay Unattached.

67th—Captain Alexander Mackenzie, from the 21st Foot, to be Captain, vice Nicolls, who exchanges. All dated August 30, 1839.

76th—Ensign William Henry Moore Simmons to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Ferns, appointed Adjutant; dated June 30, 1839. George Robert Hopkins, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Simmons; dated August 28, 1839. Charles O'Donoghue, gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Phipps, deceased; dated August 29, 1839. John Archibald MacQueen, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Dickenson, deceased; dated August 30, 1839. Lieutenant John Gore Ferns to be Adjutant, vice R. W. Hopkins, deceased; dated June 30, 1839.

78th—Lieutenant Charles Pattison, from half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant, vice Hay, appointed to the 58th Foot; dated August 31, 1839. Claremont Skrine, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Pattison, promoted; dated August 30, 1839. Lieutenant Charles Pattison to be Adjutant, vice Eddington, who resigns the Adjutantcy only; dated August 31, 1839.

82d—Captain John Du Vernet, from the 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice Duckett, who exchanges.

87th—Captain George Floyd Duckett, from the 82d Foot, to be Captain, vice Du Vernet, who exchanges.

88th—Paymaster David Hay, from the half-pay of the 30th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Edwin Heath, who retires upon half-pay.

93d—Ensign George Douglas, from the 31st Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable W. B. Macdonald, who retires.

97th—Ensign Robert Beauchamp Given to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Yard, who retires. Fowler Burton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Given.

98th—Charles Colby, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stewart, appointed to the 41st Foot.

UNATTACHED.

Ensign Charles Pattison, from the 78th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase.

HOSPITAL-STAFF.

Staff-Surgeon Montague Martin Mahoney, M. D. to be Assistant-Inspector of Hospitals, vice J. F. Clarke, promoted.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant Alexander Alcock, upon half-pay of the Royal Artillery, has been allowed to retire from the Service, by the sale of an Unattached Lieutenantcy, he being about to become a settler in Canada. All dated August 30, 1839.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, August 28, 1839.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

First Lieutenant Henry Owen Crawley to be Second Captain, vice Hotham, retired on half-pay. Second Lieutenant Frederick Lemesurier to be First Lieutenant, vice Crawley; both dated August 17, 1839.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ayr.

Ayrshire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

George Bogle, gent. to be Cornet, vice Gordon, who retires; dated August 7, 1839.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICES OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER, Received in the Week ended August 23, 1839.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
71 1.538	38 4.730	25 11.227	47 6.189	41 10.777	39 8.679

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS, WHICH GOVERNS DUTY.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
70 11	38 4	26 9	46 9	41 1	41 1

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

Computed from the Returns made in the Week ending the 27th day of August 1839,

Is Forty Shillings and Eleven Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight,

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the Importation thereof into Great-Britain.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers' Hall, August 30, 1839.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

Kenneth Francis Hislop Mackenzie, of King's Arms yard, Coleman Street, London, merchant.
 James Frederick Pattison, of No. 7, Finsbury Circus, London, commission agent and stationer.
 Joseph Fogg, and George Alexander Frederick Steen, of Manchester, Lancaster, merchants.
 Henry M'Minn and George M'Minn, both of Liverpool, Lancaster, woollen drapers, silk mercers, and hosiers.
 James Williams Morgan, John Morgan, and Thomas Morgan, of Glasbury, Radnor, wool-staplers.
 Leigh Slater, of Manchester, Lancaster, cotton-spinner.
 John Stringfield, of Bath, Somerset, fellmonger.
 Joseph Mitchell, of Preston, Lancaster, and of Liverpool, woollen draper and dealer in hats.
 Kempster Hughes Knight, of Chichester, victualler.
 George Chapman, of Southgate Street, Saint James, Bath, chinaman.
 Joshua Brierley, now or late of Shaw, Crompton, Prestwich-cum-Oldham, Lancaster, cotton-spinner and waste dealer.
Bankruptcy superseded.
 Thomas Smith, of Manor row, Tower hill, Middlesex, earthenwareman.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN SPENCE, Writer and Seedsman in Earlstoun.

ROBERT HALDANE, Writer in Galashiels, hereby intimates, that he has been elected and confirmed Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Spence: That the Sheriff of Berwickshire has fixed Thursday the 12th, and Friday the 27th days of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, each day, within the Court Room, Greenlaw, for the public examination of the Bankrupt, and others connected with his affairs.
 The Trustee farther intimates, that in terms of the statute, a general meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt will be held within the County Inn, Greenlaw, upon the 28th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, and that another meeting will be held in the house of James Shiels, innkeeper in Earlstoun, upon the 11th day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon, to name Commissioners and for other purposes mentioned in the statute. Farther, the Trustee requires those Creditors, who have not already done so, to lodge their claims with affidavits thereto, and vouchers of debt in his hands, certifying, that those who fail to do so, on or before the 15th day of May next, shall receive no share of the first dividend to be made from the estate.
Galashiels, August 29, 1839.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. NOTICE.

THE Copartnership lately established at Portobello as Potters, under the Firm of JAMES ANDERSON and COMPANY, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent of us, the Sole Partners thereof.
 Messrs. Kennedy and Hannington are instructed to wind up the Concern, with whom all claims against the same must be lodged within fourteen days from this date.
 JAMES ANDERSON.
 JOHN KENNEDY.
 WILL. HANNINGTON.
 GEORGE DUNLOP, Witness.
 JNO. MEEK, Witness.
*Portobello Pottery,
 Portobello, September 2, 1839.*

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

THOMAS CRAIG, Post Master, Coach Builder, and Livery Stable Keeper in Glasgow.

PETER WHITE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Thomas Craig, hereby intimates, that at a meeting held this day, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition on the whole debts contracted and owing by him, at and prior to the date of the sequestration; also to provide for, and pay the whole preferable debts and expences of the sequestration, and to give security to the satisfaction of the Creditors, for the fulfilment of the said offer; and the Creditors present having entertained said offer, another general meeting will be held in the writing-chambers of Messrs. Chas. & Robt. Baird, 45, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 24th day of September next at 12 o'clock noon, to decide finally on said offer, with or without amendment.

Glasgow, August 31, 1839.

P. WHITE.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

Mr. JAMES WESTWATER, Silk Mercer and Draper, Glasgow.

THE said James Westwater having, on the 7th August current, executed a Disposition and Assignment of his whole estate and effects, in favour of Mr. George Ord, Accountant in Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors, the Trustee hereby intimates the execution of said disposition and assignment, and requests the said Creditors to lodge in his, the Trustee's hands, within three months from and after the 3d September next, their claims and vouchers, with declarations to the verity thereof, and to subscribe the deed of accession to the trust, which lies in the Office of Mr. James Drew, Writer, Glasgow; hereby certifying, that all of said Creditors failing so to lodge their claims, will have no share of the trust-funds which are to be divided on expiry of the said three months.

Glasgow, August 30, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned DAVID ROWLAND, and OWEN JONES ROWLAND, as Merchants at Dundee, in North Britain, carried on there under the Firm of O. J. ROWLAND & COMPANY, was DISSOLVED on the 31st day of December last, by mutual consent. As Witness our hands this 16th day of March 1839.

DAVID ROWLAND.

Signed by the said David Rowland in the presence of CHAS. H. HILL.

O. J. ROWLAND.

Signed by the said O. J. Rowland, in the presence of JNO. WARD.
 JOS. GRIMOND.

THE Subscriber hereby intimates, that in April last he ceased to have any interest in the business lately carried on in Edinburgh, by the Company or Firm of BROWN & RAEBURN, Brewers and Maltsters there, and of which Company George Bell Brown, Brewer in Edinburgh, and the Subscriber, were the only Individual Partners.

HENRY RAEBURN, Jr.

JOHN PATERSON, Witness.
 JAMES COCHRAN, Witness.
Edinburgh, August 21, 1839.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, from this date, ceases to be a Member, Purchaser and Salesman of CAMLACHIE UNION VICTUALLING SOCIETY.

ARCHIBALD FLEMING.

JOHN CROW, Preses.
 JAMES ALEXANDER, Witness.
Camlachie, August 19, 1839.

Notices of Cessio Bonorum.

NOTICE.

ALLEXANDER KELMAN, Shoemaker, Cairncrack, present Prisoner in the Jail of Aberdeen, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Aberdeenshire, praying for liberation and interim protection against diligence, and for decree of *Cessio Bonorum*, and his Creditors are hereby required to appear before the said Sheriff, within the Court-house of Aberdeen, upon the 11th day of October next, at 10 o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.—Of which notice is hereby given, in terms of the Act of Parliament 6 and 7, Will. IV, c. 56, and relative Act of Sederunt.

GEO. LEASK, Advocate, Petitioner's Agent.
Aberdeen, September 2, 1839.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT MR. JOHN GRAY, Tacksman of Blackwells near Dingwall, Ross-shire, applied to the Sheriff of that shire for the benefit of *Cessio Bonorum*, who, of this date, directed intimation thereof to be given, and that the Petitioner's Creditors are required to meet within the Court room in Dingwall on the 8th day of October next, at noon, for his examination. The Petitioner has also applied for interim personal protection.
Dingwall, August 30, 1839.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM THOMSON, residing at Craighead Mill, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, praying for decree of *Cessio Bonorum*, and interim protection, and his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff-clerk's office, 60, Stockwell Street, Glasgow, upon Thursday the 3d day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

Glasgow, September 2, 1839.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM HALLY, Spirit-dealer, Glassford Street, Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, praying for decree of *Cessio Bonorum* and interim protection, and his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff-clerk's office, 60, Stockwell Street, Glasgow, upon Thursday the 3d day of October next, at one o'clock afternoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

Glasgow, September 2, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has retired from the firms of SMITH & CO. of Glasgow, and Wm. SMITH & CO. of Montreal, and from the 20th April last, has ceased to have any interest therein. All debts due to the said Firms will be paid to Wm. SMITH and JAS. DICK.

LOGAN FULLER.

ROBERT MORRIS, Witness.
 THOMAS LETT, Witness.
July 30, 1839.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Business carried on by the Subscribers, together with LOGAN FULLER, up to the 20th day of April last, under the Firm of SMITH & CO. at Glasgow, and Wm. SMITH & CO. at Montreal, has since that date been carried on, and will be hereafter continued, under the same Firms, by the Subscribers alone, to whom all debts due to the late Firms are to be paid.

ROBERT MORRIS, Witness.
 THOMAS LETT, Witness.
July 30, 1839.

Wm. SMITH.
 JAMES DICK.

[All Letters must be post-paid.]

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