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BUCKINGHAM PALACE, February 1, 1844.

THIS day Her Majesty, accompanied by His Royal Highness Prince Albert, 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, Sir Augustus Clifford, Bart. C. B. Deputy Great Chamberlain (in the absence of the Lord Willoughby d'Eresby), the Earl Marshal, the Lord Steward of the Household, the Duke of Wellington, Garter King of Arms, and the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, and proceeded to the robing-room in the customary manner.

Her Majesty was there robed, and the procession moved into the House in the usual order;—the sword of state was borne by the Duke of Wellington, and the cap of maintenance by the Marquess of Winchester.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, and His Royal Highness Prince Albert on a Chair on the left side of the Cloth of Estate, the Great Officers of State and others standing on the right and left, James Pulman, Esq. Yeoman 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,

It affords me great satisfaction again to meet you in Parliament, and to have the opportunity of profiting by your assistance and advice.

I entertain a confident hope that the general peace, so necessary for the happiness and prosperity of all nations, will continue uninterrupted.

My friendly relations with the King of the French, and the good understanding happily established between my Government and that of His Majesty, with the continued assurances of the peaceful and amicable dispositions of all Princes and States, confirm me in this expectation.

I have directed that the Treaty, which I have concluded with the Emperor of China, shall be laid before you; and I rejoice to think that it will in its results prove highly advantageous to the trade of this country.

Throughout the whole course of my negotiations with the Government of China I have uniformly disclaimed the wish for any exclusive advantages.

It has been my desire that equal favour should be shown to the industry and commercial enterprise of all nations.

The hostilities which took place during the past year in Scinde have led to the annexation of a considerable portion of that country to the British possessions in the East.

In all the military operations, and especially in the battles of Meeanee and Hyderabad, the constancy and valour of the troops, native and European, and the skill and gallantry of their distinguished Commander, have been most conspicuous.

I have directed that additional information, explanatory of the transactions in Scinde, shall be forthwith communicated to you.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The estimates for the ensuing year will be immediately laid before you.

They have been prepared with a strict regard to economy, and at the same time with a due consideration of those exigencies of the public service which are connected with the maintenance of our maritime strength, and the multiplied demands on the naval and military establishments from the various parts of a widely extended Empire.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I congratulate you on the improved condition of several important branches of the trade and manufactures of the country.

I trust that the increased demand for labour has relieved, in a corresponding degree, many classes of my faithful subjects from sufferings and privations, which at former periods I have had occasion to deplore.

For several successive years the annual produce of the revenue fell short of the public expenditure.

I confidently trust that in the present year the public income will be amply sufficient to defray the charges upon it.

I feel assured that, in considering all matters connected with the financial concerns of the country, you will bear in mind the evil consequences of accumulating debt during the time of peace, and that you will firmly resolve to uphold that public credit the maintenance of which concerns equally the permanent interests and the honour and reputation of a great country.

In the course of the present year the opportunity will occur of giving notice to the Bank of England on the subject of the revision of its charter.

It may be advisable that, during this session of Parliament, and previously to the arrival of the period assigned for the giving of such notice, the state of the law with regard

to the privileges of the Bank of England, and to other banking establishments, should be brought under your consideration.

At the close of the last session of Parliament I declared to you my firm determination to maintain inviolate the legislative union between Great Britain and Ireland.

I expressed, at the same time, my earnest desire to co-operate with Parliament in the adoption of all such measures as might tend to improve the social condition of Ireland, and to develop the natural resources of that part of the United Kingdom.

I am resolved to act in strict conformity with this declaration.

I forbear from observation on events in Ireland, in respect to which proceedings are pending before the proper legal tribunal.

My attention has been directed to the state of the law and practice with regard to the occupation of land in Ireland.

I have deemed it advisable to institute extensive local inquiries into a subject of so much importance, and have appointed a Commission, with ample authority, to conduct the requisite investigation.

I recommend to your early consideration the enactments at present in force in Ireland, concerning the registration of voters for Members of Parliament.

You will probably find that a revision of the law of registration, taken in conjunction with other causes at present in operation, would produce a material diminution of the number of county voters, and that it may be advisable on that account to consider the state of the law with a view to an extension of the county franchise in Ireland.

I commit to your deliberate consideration the various important questions of public policy which will necessarily come under your review, with full confidence in your loyalty and wisdom, and with an earnest prayer to Almighty God to direct and favour your efforts to promote the welfare of all classes of My people.

WHITEHALL, January 30, 1844.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Ross, Master of Arts, to the church at Tobermory, in the island of Mull, in the parishes of Kilnair and Kilmore, in the presbytery of Mull and shire of Argyll, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Donald Stewart, late Minister thereof, to the parish of Fortingall, in the presbytery of Weem.

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The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Angus Logan to the church at Berriedale, in the parish of Latheron, in the presbytery of Caithness and shire of Caithness, vacant in consequence of the Reverend Samuel Campbell, late Minister thereof, having ceased to be a Minister of the Church of Scotland.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Donald McDonald to the church at Kilmenny, in the united parishes of Bowmore and Kilmenny, in the presbytery of Isla and Jura and shire of Argyll, vacant in consequence of the Reverend James Pearson, late Minister thereof, having ceased to be a Minister of the Church of Scotland.

WAR-OFFICE, February 2, 1844.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—Lieutenant Thomas Brant to be Adjutant, vice Munro, superseded. Cornet Joseph Brunt, from the 3d Light Dragoons, (Riding Master,) to be Cornet, without purchase.

9th Light Dragoons—Cornet Philip Antrobus to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dixon, who retires. Charles Edmund Law, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Antrobus.

13th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant John Richard Elrington, from the 47th Regiment, to be Paymaster, vice Lecch, appointed to the 9th Light Dragoons.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards—John George Cavendish Disbrowe, Esq. Page of Honour to Her Majesty the Queen Dowager, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, without purchase.

4th Foot—Lieutenant John Cumming, from the 26th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Campbell, who exchanges.

7th—Ensign John Henry Fraser Stewart, from the 24th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pakenham, promoted.

18th—Ensign William Henry Graves to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Simmons, deceased. Thomas Mostyn, gent. to be Ensign, vice Graves. Assistant-Surgeon Robert Stevenson, M.D. from the 3d Foot, to be Surgeon, vice McKinlay, deceased.

24th—Ensign William Hartshorn, from the Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Ensign, vice Stewart, promoted in the 7th Foot.

26th—Lieutenant William Mark Campbell, from 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Cumming, who exchanges. Thomas

William Andrews, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice De Montmorency, promoted in the 7th Foot.

36th—Ensign James Trevanion Bettsworth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harries, who retires. William Hamilton Fortescue, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bettsworth.

59th—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Hill Trevor, from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Fuller, who retires.

67th—Lydston Newman, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Orlebar, whose appointment has been cancelled.

95th—Captain Thomas St. Leger Alcock to be Major, by purchase, vice Trevor, promoted in the 59th Foot. Lieutenant Henry Orlando Chester Master to be Captain, by purchase, vice Alcock. Ensign Thomas Davis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Master. Frederick Thomas Patterson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Davis. All dated February 2, 1844.

1st West India Regiment. To be Lieutenant, without purchase—Ensign Frederick Huson, vice Grant, promoted; dated January 30, 1844. Ensign George Herbert Robeson, vice Mehan, promoted; dated January 31, 1844. Ensign Alfred Croad, vice Clements, appointed to the 8th Foot; dated February 1, 1844. Ensign Michael Gernon, vice Bingham, appointed Adjutant; dated February 2, 1844. To be Ensigns, without purchase—Frederick Jesse Hills, gent. vice Huson; dated January 30, 1844. John Moore Tittle, gent. vice Robeson; dated January 31, 1844. Matthew Fanning, gent. vice Croad; dated February 1, 1844. William Robertson Spratt, gent. vice Gernon.

2d West India Regiment—Thomas Parker Wright, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Smith, deceased. Christopher Macartney, M.B. to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice McKimmon, appointed to the 78th Foot. All dated February 2, 1844.

3d West India Regiment—Ensign Edward Thomas FitzGerald to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Butcher, deceased; dated December 20, 1843. William Samuel Cumming, gent. to be Ensign, vice FitzGerald; dated February 2, 1844.

Royal Newfoundland Companies—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Law, from half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase; dated February 3, 1844.

UNATTACHED.

Major Robert Law, from the Royal Newfoundland Companies, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon Edward Pilkington, from the 17th Light Dragoons, to be Staff-Surgeon of the First Class, vice St. John, promoted. Both dated February 2, 1844. Alfred Crocker, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Young, deceased; dated January 26, 1844.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Duncan Lamont, of the Grapes Public House, West Smithfield, London, dealer in foreign wines and spirits, porter and ale and british compounds and tobacco.
William Law Wood, late of No. 117, Bishopsgate Street Within, London, export ironmonger.
Robert Pettit, of Exning, Suffolk, livery stablekeeper.
Joseph Henry Perryman, of Birmingham, Warwick, bookseller and publisher.
Robert Phillott, late of Clement's Lane, London, Blagdon, Somerset, scrivener.
James Robert Drage, of Leeds, York, tallow merchant.
William Webb, of Leamington, Warwick, hotel keeper.
George Cooper, of Leeds, York, butcher.
William Thompson and James Mellis, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England, and of Buenos Ayres and Monte Video, South America, merchants and commission agents.

Quarterly Average of the Weekly Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of England, from the 4th November 1843, to the 27th day of January 1844, both inclusive, published pursuant to the Act 3 and 4, William IV, cap. 98.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.	
Circulation .	£19,611,000		Securities .	£21,937,000
Deposits .	13,172,000		Bullion .	13,933,000
	£32,783,000			£35,870,000

11, Downing Street, February 2, 1844.

An ACCOUNT of the total Quantities of each kind of Corn, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of Great Britain, (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Dundee, and Perth), with the Quantities entered therein for Home Consumption, the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, and the Average Prices regulating the Duty, in the Week following the Receipt of the certificate of Average Prices, dated 18th January 1844.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above, (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported.)			Quantities entered for Home Consumption, at the same Ports.			Amount of Duty received thereon.			Average Prices for regulating the Duty.	Rates of Duty per Quarter chargeable in the Week.	
	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.		Foreign.	Colonial.
Entered under Act 6th and 7th Vic. cap. 29												
Wheat and Wheat Flour of Canada . . .	—	2666 5	2666 5	—	1936 3	1936 3	—	96 17 1	96 17 1	—	—	1 0
Wheat and Wheat Flour . . .	12058 5	90 2	12148 7	210 7	30 4	241 3	138 11 1	7 12 7	146 3 8	50 5	20 0	5 0
Barley . . .	3181 0	—	3181 0	2489 5	—	2489 5	776 17 9	—	776 17 9	32 3	6 0	0 6
Oats and Oat Meal . . .	0 5	36 4	31 1	0 5	—	0 5	0 3 9	—	0 3 9	18 7	8 0	2 6
Rye . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30 10	10 6	2 6
Pease . . .	612 0	—	612 0	128 0	—	128 0	67 3 9	—	67 3 9	31 7	10 6	2 0
Beans . . .	1704 2	—	1704 2	1799 2	—	1799 2	993 12 2	—	923 12 2	30 7	10 6	2 6
Indian Corn, . . .	0 2	—	0 2	0 2	—	0 2	0 1 6	—	1 6	32 3	6 0	0 6
	7556 6	2787 3	20344 1	4628 5	1966 7	6595 4	1906 10 0	104 9 8	2010 19 8			

Inspector-General's Office, Custom-house, London,
31st January 1844.

WILLIAM IRVING, Inspector-General.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,
Received in the Week ended January 27, 1844.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
52 3.309	33 8.143	19 0.463	32 4.262	29 6.860	30 10.656

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS WHICH GOVERNS DUTY.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley	Peas.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
50 9	32 10	18 8	31 6	29 10	30 10

By Authority of Parliament,

GEORGE JOYCE,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR.

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the Returns made in the Week ending the 30th day of January 1844,
Is *Thirty-Four Shillings and Nine Pence Three Farthings* per Hundred Weight,

Exclusive of the duties of Customs paid or payable thereon, on the Importation thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,
Is *Twenty-Nine Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing* per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,
Is *Forty-Two Shillings and Three Pence* per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE of the Three foregoing descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,
Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,
Is *Thirty-Five Shillings and Three Farthings* per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers Hall, February 2, 1844.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES WATSON, Manufacturer in Duke Street, Glasgow, lately deceased.

JAMES GOURLAY, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee for behoof of the said James Watson's Creditors, at and preceding the 12th day of December 1840, acting under Trust-Deed executed of that date by the said James Watson in his favor, hereby requires all parties having claims against the said James Watson, to lodge the same, with declarations thereto, with him, within three months from this date; certifying, that those who fail to comply with this Notice shall not be entitled to participate in the funds realized, which will be divided and paid by him on the 7th of May next, to the Creditors then ranked.

J.A. SMITH, 21, Queen Street, Agent.
Glasgow, February 5, 1844.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

M. & J. BERRIE, Merchants in Dundee and Bleachers at Midmill near Dundee, as a Company, and of Miller Berrie and James Berrie, the Individual Partners of that Company.

JOHN LAING, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said M. & J. Berrie, as a Company, and of the said Miller Berrie and James Berrie, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intronmissions with the funds of the said Company estate, and of the estate of the said Miller Berrie as an Individual, down to the 19th day of January last, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners on the said estates, in terms of the Statute, and that a dividend will be paid by him, at his Office, St. Andrew Street, Dundee, on and after the 20th day of March next, to those Creditors of the said M. & J. Berrie, as a Company, who have proved their debts in terms of the Statute. No dividend will be paid at this time from the estates of either of the said Miller Berrie or James Berrie as individuals.

Dundee, February 2, 1844.

THE Estates of COLIN MUNRO, sometime Writer and Bank Agent, now Store Farmer, Coal Dealer, and Shipowner, residing in Dingwall, were sequestrated on the 5th day of February 1844.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th February 1844. The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 14th day of February 1844, within the National Hotel, Dingwall; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 6th day of March 1844, within the National Hotel, Dingwall.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting, and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 5th day of August 1844.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

L. MACKINTOSH, S.S.C.
31, Northumberland Street, Edinburgh, Agent.
February 5, 1844.

THE Estates of J. & W. GILLESPIE, Merchants, Drapers, and Haberdashers in Falkirk, as a Company, and of James Gillespie, and William Gillespie, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on 5th February 1844.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th February 1844. The meeting to elect Interim Factor, or separate Interim Factors, is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday 16th February 1844, within the Red Lion Inn, in Falkirk; and the meeting to elect the Trustee, or separate Trustees, and Commissioners, is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday 8th March 1844, within the Red Lion Inn, in Falkirk.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting, and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 6th August 1844.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JAMES BURN, Agent,
6, Broughton Place, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of DONALD MACKAY & SON, Merchants in Barnisdale, Island of Skye, as a Company, and of Donald Mackay, and John Mackay, as Partners of the said Company, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 5th day of February 1844.

The first deliverance is dated 5th February 1844. The meeting to elect Interim Factor or Factors is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday the 19th day of February 1844, within the Office of Donald Mackenzie, Writer, Portree, Island of Skye, foresaid; and the meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday the 18th day of March 1844, within the same place.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting, and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 5th August 1844.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN MORISON, S.S.C. Agent,
27, Elder Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT and DAVID FERGUSON, Sailmakers in Dundee, as a Company, and of Robert Ferguson, and David Ferguson, Sailmakers, both residing in Dundee, as Partners of that Company, and as Individuals.

WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Cashier of the Arbroath Banking Company, has been elected Trustee on the estates, and Andrew Binny, Agent in Arbroath for the Dundee Union Bank, William Leighton, Merchant and Ship Broker in Dundee, and John Macdonald, Writer in Arbroath, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts, Robert Ferguson and David Ferguson, will take place within the Sheriff-Court-House, Dundee, on Wednesday the 21st day of February current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, and the Creditors will meet within the writing-chambers of Messrs. Louison and Macdonald, Writers in Arbroath, on Monday the 11th of March next, at 12 o'clock noon.

Wm. JOHNSTON, Trustee.
Arbroath, February 2, 1844.

SEQUESTRATION of FRANCIS ROBERTSON, Merchant and Manufacturer in Dundee.

WILLIAM THOMAS LANGLANDS, Draper in Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estate, and James Parker Shaw, one of the Partners of William Shaw and Son, Calenderers in Dundee, James Tod, Manufacturer in Dundee, and Thomas Saunders, Merchant, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Sheriff-Court-house, Dundee, on Thursday the 22d day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the writing-chambers of David Cobb and David Mitchell, Writers, 41, Reform Street, Dundee, on Saturday the 9th day of March next, at one o'clock afternoon.

Wm. T. LANGLANDS, Trustee.
Dundee, February 5, 1844.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN SMART JAFFREY, Ironmonger in Stirling.

JOHN SAWERS, Banker in Stirling, has been elected Trustee, and William Graham, Ironmonger in Stirling, John Dick Mathie, Writer there, and John Sawers, Writer there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court-house of Stirling, on Monday the 19th day of February current, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of J. & J. Mathie, Writers, Stirling, on Tuesday the 5th day of March next, at two o'clock afternoon.

JOHN SAWERS, Trustee.

Stirling, February 3, 1844.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES WOTHERSPOON, Farmer and Grain Dealer, Easter Mavisbank, by Airdrie.

THE Trustee requests that the Creditors will meet in the Royal Hotel, Airdrie, on Tuesday the 20th day of February current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner on the estate, in the room of John Hardie, Grain Merchant, Borrowstoness, who has resigned.

JAMES TAYLOR, Trustee.

Airdrie, February 5, 1844.

SEQUESTRATION of GAVIN SHANKS, Wright, Rawyards, Airdrie.

THE Trustee requests that the Creditors will meet in the Royal Hotel, Airdrie, on Tuesday the 20th day of February current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner on the estate, in the room of Robert Chalmers, Baker in Airdrie, who has resigned.

ALEXR. GALLOWAY, Trustee.

Airdrie, February 5, 1844.

SEQUESTRATION of the Company carrying on Business as Merchants and Commission Agents in Glasgow, under the Firm of MACPHERSON & MACDONALD, and at Surinam, under that of BOYD MACDONALD & CO. and of John Macpherson, Merchant and Commission Agent in Glasgow, and of the now Deceased Boyd Macdonald, Merchant and Commission Agent in Surinam, the sole Partners thereof, as such Partners, and as Individuals.—Sequestration dated July 26, 1842.

ROBERT AITKEN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the said sequestrated estates, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited and docketed his accounts, till this date; and that the same, together with states of the affairs, &c. lie at his office, 35, St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, for the inspection of all concerned. The meeting have postponed declaring a dividend in the meantime, and have dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

WILL. STEELE, Junr. Agent in the sequestration.

6, South Hanover Street, Glasgow,
February 5, 1844.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The sequestrated estates of WILLIAM ORR, Cattle Dealer at Johnshill, Lochwinnoch, Renfrewshire.

M. R. JAMES CLARK, of Burnfoot, Kilbarchan, Trustee on said sequestrated estates, with consent of the Commissioners, hereby requests a meeting of the whole Creditors on said estates, to meet within the writing-office of Robert Love, Writer in Lochwinnoch, upon Saturday the 10th day of February current, 1844, at 12 noon precisely, to consider of the outstanding debts due to the estate, and of compromising, settling, pursuing for, or abandoning the same. The meeting will also consider and resolve upon any other matter relating to said estates that may be brought under its Notice.

JAMES CLARK.

Lochwinnoch, February 5, 1844.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DONALD ROBERT MACGREGOR, Broker and Trader in Leith.

THE Trustee hereby gives notice, that an account of the whole estate of the Bankrupt, and of his own intronmissions, and generally of his management, brought down to the third instant, has been made up, examined, and audited by the Commissioners, which will be seen in the hands of William Lindsay, S.S.C. 13, Bernard Street, Leith, as also, that payment of a dividend has been postponed till the recurrence of the next Statutory period for dividing, and further, that Circulars were dispensed with.—Of all which intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBT. ADAMSON, Trustee.

February 5, 1844.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM MORTON, Merchant, Girvan, has applied to the Commissary of Ayrshire, to be deemed and confirmed Executor *qua* Creditor of the Deceased James Chalmers, Master of the Sloop "Jenny and Nancy" of Girvan, and sometime residing in Girvan.—Of which Notice is hereby given to all concerned, in terms of the Statute.

Girvan, February 3, 1844.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS UPON

The Sequestrated Estate of **GEORGE SCOTT ELLIOT**, Esq. of Larriston in the County of Roxburgh, and formerly Limeburner there.

JOHN RUTHERFURD, Writer to the Signet, Trustee upon the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 22d day of January last, and states of the funds recovered and outstanding have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute, and are open to the inspection of all concerned. The Commissioners have postponed payment of any dividend at present, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JOHN RUTHERFURD, Trustee.
Edinburgh, February 6, 1844.

NOTICE.

JAMES MORISON, Accountant in Perth, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES SCOTT**, Farmer and Grazier at Drumachurn, Glenshee, intimates, that a final account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, as at 18th ultimo, and state of the funds recovered at said date, have been approved of by the Commissioners, who have found that the whole funds being exhausted by preferable claims and expenses, there can be no dividend to the Creditors; and authorised the Trustee to wind up the Sequestration.

The Trustee hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors on said estate, to be held in his Chambers, No. 14, Charlotte Street, on Saturday the 24th current, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider an application for his discharge.

JAMES MORISON, Trustee.
Perth, February 1, 1844.

ALEXANDER STRONACH, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ALEXANDER GRANT**, Esquire, late of Carnousie, in the County of Banff, deceased, hereby intimates, in terms of the Statute, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 20th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered, and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, as required by the Statute. That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 20th ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors who are entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part; further, that a dividend will be paid on the 21st March next, to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, within the writing-chambers of Messrs. Stronach and Grainger, Advocates, 20, King Street, Aberdeen.

ALEX. STRONACH, Trustee.
Aberdeen, February 1, 1844.

JOHN SCOTT, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES RUTHVEN**, Printer, Stationer, and Bookseller, in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 22d January 1844, and states of the funds received, and of those outstanding, as at the same date, have been made up, and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute. That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate: Further, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee at his Chambers, 6, North St. David Street, on the 23d day of March next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN SCOTT, Trustee.

PETER JAMIESON, Wine and Spirit Merchant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ALEXANDER McLENNAN**, Grocer, Spirit and Provision Dealer, High Street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 22d January last, with states of the funds recovered and outstanding at the same date, have been made up, examined, and audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute, and will lie in the Trustee's hands for the inspection of the Creditors. And that the Commissioners have postponed declaring a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a dividend, and have also dispensed with circulars, containing a copy or abstract of the state of the funds being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given in terms of the Statute.

PETER JAMIESON, Trustee.
Edinburgh, February 5, 1844.

JAMES BREMNER, Surgeon in Huntly, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN BENTON**, of Thorax, Grain Merchant and Insurance Broker, sometime residing at Corseystone, in the Parish of Drumblade, and County of Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the estate, brought down to the 22d of January last, and a state of the funds outstanding and recovered at that date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute, and lie in the writing-room of William Murdoch, Solicitor, Huntly, for the inspection of all concerned. That a further dividend is necessarily postponed till next Statutory period, as well as an equalizing dividend on the claims not lodged in time for sharing in the last dividend, and that the transmission of circulars to Creditors has been dispensed with.—Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES BREMNER, Trustee.
Huntly, February 3, 1844.

JOHN SPENCE, Writer in Earlston, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM SCOTT**, Saddler in Earlston, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 3d instant, and states of the funds recovered, and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute, and further, that the Commissioners have postponed declaring or paying any further dividend at present.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN SPENCE, Trustee.
Earlston, February 5, 1844.

DAVID NICOLL, Agent for the Commercial Bank of Scotland at Leven, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN PEEBLES**, Merchant in Leven, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 24th January last, and state of the funds recovered, and of those outstanding, have been made up by him, and have been examined and audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a second dividend until next Statutory period, and dispensed with the sending of circulars to the Creditors containing a copy or abstract of said state.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

DAVID NICOLL.
Leven, February 3, 1844.

Notices of Cessio Bonorum.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to the Sheriff of Forfarshire, or his Substitute, by **ALEXANDER CATHIE**, Wine and Spirit Merchant in Dundee, praying for liberation and interim protection from the execution of diligence, and for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum,—and the Petitioner hereby requires all his Creditors to appear before the said Sheriff in his Court-House at Dundee, on Wednesday the 13th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time and place the Sheriff Substitute of said shire, (Dundee District,) by deliverance dated 2d February 1844, pronounced on the said Petition, has ordained the Petitioner to appear personally, to be publicly examined, in terms of the Statute.

WM. NEISH,
Procurator for the Petitioner.
Dundee, February 5, 1844.

ON Petition **JAMES SIMPSON**, Plumber, Gasfitter and Glazier, Lothian Road, Edinburgh, for liberation from Canongate Prison, and decret of Cessio Bonorum, the Sheriff of Edinburghshire, has ordained him to appear for public examination, in the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, on Friday 8th March 1844, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when his Creditors are required to appear.

JAS. MARSHALL, S.S.C.
Broughton Place, Agent.

NOTICE.

ALL who have claims against the Reverend **JOHN MORELL MACKENZIE**, lately residing in 7, Somerset Place, Glasgow, now deceased, are requested to lodge, as soon as possible, notes or accounts of such claims, accompanied with affidavits to the verity thereof, in the hands of Mr. John Kerr, Writer, Glasgow.

Glasgow, January 16, 1844.

Petition of an **INSOLVENT DEBTOR** to be heard at the Court House, Carlisle, Cumberland, on the 2d day of March 1844, at 10 o'clock in the morning precisely,

ROBERT PENNY, late of Market Place, Cockermouth, in the County of Cumberland, Mercer and Draper, previously of Main Street, Cockermouth aforesaid, Mercer and Draper, formerly of Maryport, in the said County, Tobacco and Snuff Manufacturer, in Partnership with John Bell, and carrying on Business under the style or firm of "Bell and Penny."

LEWIS & LEWIS, Ely Place, London,
Agents for Geo. Gibson, Carlisle.

Paisley, January 30, 1844.

THE Subscribers ceased to be Partners of, or to have any interest in **THE HOUSEHILL COAL COMPANY**, or **HOUSEHILL COAL & IRON COMPANY**, on or before 2d April 1842, and in the **NITSHILL COAL COMPANY**, as on 2d December 1843.

JAMES STEWART.
ALEX. CARLILE.

GRAHAM MENZIES, Witness.
WM. MARTIN, Witness.

JAMES STEWART.

JAMES CARLILE, Witness.
ALEX. F. CARLILE, Witness.

ANDW. MILLAR.

THOS. WALKER, Witness.
ANDW. MILLAR, Tertius, Witness.

WM. GIFFEN.

The three last Subscribers being Trustees and Executors of the late Mr. Wm. Langmuir, Grain Merchant, Paisley.

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