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By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Tuesday the nineteenth day of this instant December, We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said nineteenth day of December instant, to Thursday the first day of February next; and We have given order to Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly: and We do hereby further, with the advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, that the said Parliament shall, on the said Thursday the first day of February next, assemble and be holden for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs; and the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said Thursday the first day of February next.

Given at our Court, at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, this sixteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and in the twelfth year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

WAR-OFFICE, December 21, 1848.

10th Foot—Ensign Charles Rowland Berkeley Calcott to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Baumgartner, appointed to the 83d Foot. Gentleman Cadet Augustus Barton White, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Calcott.

17th—Gentleman Cadet George Tito Brice, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Marsh, appointed to the 83d Foot.

28th—Lieutenant Edward Collins, from half-pay of the Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Cotton, appointed to 64th Foot. Ensign John Meacham to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Read, appointed to 83d Foot. Gentleman Cadet Vessey Truell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Meacham.

33d—Captain Thomas Bunbury Gough to be Major, without purchase, vice Galloway, promoted in 70th Foot. Lieutenant Edward Westby Donovan to be Captain, vice Gough. Ensign J. Cochrane to be Lieutenant, vice Donovan. Gentleman Cadet Alexander Bruce Wallis, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Cochrane.

34th—James Edmund Clutterbuck, M.D., to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Eaton, appointed to 70th Foot.

55th—Lieutenant Thomas Ryan, from half-pay 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice James, appointed to 70th Foot. Gentleman Cadet William Barnston, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Fairtlough, appointed to 70th Foot.

56th—Lieutenant George Leslie, from half-pay 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Mainwaring, appointed to the 83d Foot.

62d—George O'Donnell, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Alcock, appointed to the 83d Foot.

63d—Gentleman Cadet John Dalbiac Luard, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Penton, appointed to the 70th Foot.

64th—Major George Duberly to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Brevet Major James Draper to be Major, vice Duberly. Lieutenant the Honourable James Lyon Browne to be Captain, vice Draper.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Lieutenant Sydney Cotton, from the 28th Foot. Lieutenant Richard Charles M'Crear, from the 97th Foot. Lieutenant Matthew Fanning, from the 1st West India Regiment.

Lieutenant George Hamilton Twemlow, from half-pay of the 4th Foot. Lieutenant Arthur Edward Mulloy, from the 74th Foot. Lieutenant Archibald Edward Cochrane Forster, from half-pay of the 28th Foot. Lieutenant Doveton Downes Greentree, from Ceylon Rifle Regiment. Lieutenant Charles Frederick Brockman, from the 76th Foot. Lieutenant Godfrey Lyon Knight, from Ceylon Rifle Regiment. Lieutenant Walter Johnston, from the 73d Foot. Ensign John Henry Capel Loft, vice Browne.

To be Ensign, without purchase.

Frederick J. Hutchison, gent. vice Loft.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Short, from the Staff. Assistant-Surgeon Andrew Leith Adams, M.D. from the 82d Foot.

66th—Lieutenant Charles William Aylmers, from half-pay of the 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ellis, appointed to the 83d Foot.

67th—Lieutenant John William Percy, from half-pay of the 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Mackenzie, appointed to the 70th Foot. Lieutenant Henry Sollers Gunning S. Knight, from half-pay of the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice M'Nair, appointed to the 70th Foot.

70th—Major Thomas James Galloway, from the 33d Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Lieutenant John M'Kay M'Kenzie, from the 67th Foot. Lieutenant Charles Alfred Poyntz James, from the 55th Foot. Lieutenant Paul Frederick de Quincey, from the 80th Foot. Lieutenant Attilio Scheberras, from the 50th Foot. Lieutenant George Augustus M'Nair, from the 67th Foot. Ensign Frederick Willington. Ensign Charles Blewitt. Ensign Edward Wilson. Ensign Oates Joseph Travers. Ensign Charles Crawley.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Quartermaster Charles James Perry, from the 4th Foot, vice Willington. Ensign Augustus Penton, from the 63d Foot, vice Blewitt. Ensign Edward D'Heillimer Fairtlough, from the 55th Foot, vice Wilson. Gentleman Cadet Arthur Saltmarsh, from the Royal Military College, vice Travers. Gentleman Cadet Augustus Edward Henry Ansell, from the Royal Military College, vice Crawley.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Deodatus William Eaton, from the 34th Foot. Acting Assistant-Surgeon Christopher Bakewell Bassano.

73d—Lieutenant Robert Hole Walters, from the Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Lieutenant, vice Johnston, appointed to the 64th Foot.

74th—Lieutenant William King, from the Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Mulloy, appointed to the 64th Foot.

76th—Lieutenant Robert Hyde Page, from half-pay 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Brockman, appointed to the 64th Foot.

80th—Lieutenant Frederick Miller, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice de Quincey, appointed to 70th Foot. Lieutenant Charles Frederick Amiel, from 3d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Scheherras, appointed to 70th Foot.

82d—Ensign John Sprot, from the 83d Foot, to be Ensign, vice Richardson, appointed to the 83d Foot. Acting Assistant Surgeon George Thomas Finlay to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Adams, appointed to the 64th Foot.

83d—Major William Henry Law to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Brevet Major Edward Townsend to be Major, vice Law. Lieutenant Septimus Alphonso Frederico Cary to be Captain, vice Townsend.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Lieutenant Samuel Read, from 28th Foot. Lieutenant Edward M. H. Mainwaring, from 56th Foot. Lieutenant Thomas Parker Wright, from 2d West India Regiment. Lieutenant James Verling Ellis, from 66th Foot. Lieutenant John Norris McKelvey, from half-pay 4th Foot. Lieutenant John Meade, from the Ceylon Rifle Regiment. Lieutenant Mowbray Baumgartner, from 10th Foot. Ensign William Kavanagh Bookey. Ensign William John Nunn. Ensign Stephen William Metge. Ensign Herbert Stanley Cooper, vice Cary.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Ensign Francis Henry Digby Marsh, from 17th Foot, vice Bookey. Ensign Ussher William Alcock, from 62d Foot, vice Nunn. Ensign Marmaduke Nelson Richardson, from 82d Foot, vice Metge. Gentleman Cadet Thomas Rowland, from the Royal Military College, vice Cooper. Gentleman Cadet Thomas Graham, from the Royal Military College, vice Sprot, appointed to 82d Foot.

To be Assistant Surgeons.

Assistant Surgeon William Nettleton Boyce, from the Staff. Acting Assistant Surgeon James Hamilton Bews.

97th—Lieutenant George Webb, from half-pay of the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice M'Crea, appointed to the 64th Foot.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Thomas Manners to be Assistant Surgeon to the Forces, vice Short, appointed to the 64th Foot. Grahame Auchinleck, M.D. to be Assistant Surgeon to the Forces, vice Boyce, appointed to the 83d Foot.

WAR-OFFICE, December 21, 1848.

6th Dragoon Guards—Lieutenant Brent Neville, from 46th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Fredricks, who exchanges.

3d Light Dragoons—Cornet Robert Hodgson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice H. W. White, deceased.

6th Dragoons—Captain Henry Dalrymple White to be Major, by purchase, vice Arkwright, who retires. Lieutenant Frederick Wellington John Fitz-Wygram to be Captain, by purchase, vice White. Lieutenant Henry William Walters, from 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fitz-Wygram.

12th Light Dragoons—Captain Edward Morant to be Major, by purchase, vice the Honourable Robert Needham, who retires. Lieutenant Charles Sabine Augustus Thellusson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Morant. Cornet Frederick Arden to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thellusson. Assistant Surgeon Robert Villiers George, M.D. from the 69th Foot, to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Gunning, deceased.

17th—Lieutenant Edward Calvert Arneman Haworth to be Captain, by purchase, vice Miles, who retires. Cornet Robert White to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Haworth. Augustus Frederick Cavendish Webb, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice White.

2d Regiment of Foot—Staff Surgeon of the Second Class George Roche Smith to be Surgeon, vice Harvey, appointed to the 70th Foot.

16th—Gentleman Cadet John Crosby Vaughan, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Baker, deceased.

18th—Assistant Surgeon Frederick Burton Phillipson, from 34th Foot, to be Assistant Surgeon, vice D'Arcy, who retires.

20th—Ensign Francis Padfield to be Adjutant, vice Tomson, who resigns the Adjutancy only.

21st—Captain Willoughby Harcourt Carter, from 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice Holland, who exchanges.

22d—Gentleman Cadet Henry Charles Fraser, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Goodfellow, whose removal from 10th Foot has been cancelled.

27th—Captain Lord Thomas Charles Pelham Clinton, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice Charles Vereker, who exchanges. Lieutenant Oliver Langley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Lord T. C. Pelham Clinton, who retires. Ensign William Archibald Kidd to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Langley. Sir James Lawrence Cotter, Bart. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kidd.

28th—Lieutenant Henry Robert Crew Godley, from 64th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Morphy, who exchanges.

34th—Staff Surgeon of the Second Class William Denny to be Surgeon, vice Bain, promoted on the Staff. Assistant Surgeon O'Connor D'Arcy, M.D. from 18th Foot, to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Phillipson, who exchanges.

40th—Lieutenant-Colonel Severus William Lynam Stretton, from the 64th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stopford, who exchanges. Assistant Surgeon Joseph Burke, from the 50th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Mapleton, appointed to the Staff.

46th—Lieutenant John Jesty Williams Fredricks, from 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Neville, who exchanges.

50th—Acting Assistant-Surgeon Andrew Acres Stoney to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Burke, promoted in the 40th Foot.

57th—Staff Surgeon of Second Class Charles Alexander Gordon, M.D. to be Surgeon, vice Richardson, deceased.

63d—Gentleman Cadet Vincent Mackesy, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Delhoste, promoted.

64th—Lieutenant-Colonel James Stopford, from the 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stretton, who exchanges. Captain Frederick Holland, from 21st Foot, to be Captain, vice Carter, who exchanges. Lieutenant William Fletcher James Morphy, from 28th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Godley, who exchanges.

65th—Thomas George Strange, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dudgeon, promoted in the 80th Foot.

69th—William Watson Somerville, M.D. to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice George, appointed to the 12th Light Dragoons.

70th—Surgeon William Harvey, from the 2d Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Pilleau, appointed to the Staff.

71st—Captain Nathaniel Massey Stack to be Major, by purchase, vice Poy, who retires. Lieutenant Charles William Sutton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stack. Ensign John Rochfort Uniacke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sutton. Charles Blennerhassett, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Uniacke.

76th—Lieutenant John Richard Lovett, from half-pay 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Minnitt, appointed to the Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment.

80th—Lieutenant Edward Hardinge to be Captain, by purchase, vice Creagh, who retires. Ensign James John Dudgeon, from the 65th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hardinge.

82d—Lieutenant William Roberts Farmer, from half-pay 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bernard, appointed Paymaster.

96th—Lieutenant Patrick James John Grant, from 3d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Swabey, whose appointment has been cancelled.

Rifle Brigade—Lieutenant Albert de Latour to be Captain, without purchase, vice Murray, died of his wounds. Lieutenant Aubrey Agar Cartwright to be Captain, by purchase, vice Ramsay, who retires. Second Lieutenant George Henry William Walker to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cartwright. William Thomas Markham, gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Walker. Gentleman Cadet Hugh Guion Macdonell, from Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, without purchase.

Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment—Lieutenant John Christopher Minnitt, from the 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Black, promoted.

Depot Battalion (Isle of Wight), Lieutenant-Colonel Jeremiah Taylor, from half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Holman Custance, who exchanges, receiving the difference.

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels in the Army.

Major John Garvoek, of the 31st Foot. Major Frederick Eld, of the 90th Foot. Major Sidney Beckwith, of the Rifle Brigade.

To be Majors in the Army.

Captain John Henry Bringham, of the 90th Foot. Captain George Anthony Leaton Blenkinsopp, of the 45th Foot. Captain John Armstrong, of the Cape Mounted Riflemen.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Jeremiah Taylor, of the Depot Battalion (Isle of Wight), to be Colonel in the Army.

The under-mentioned Cadets of the Honourable the East India Company's Service to have the local and temporary rank of Ensign, during the period of their being placed under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Frederick Smith, of the Royal Engineers, at Chat-

ham, for Field Instructions in the art of Sapping and Mining:

James John McLeod Innes, gent. Edmund Walker, gent. George Tomkyns Chesney, gent. Alexander Davidson, gent. John Archibald Ballard, gent.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Inspector-General of Hospitals, with Local rank, John Davy, M.D. to be Inspector-General of Hospitals. Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Alexander Stewart, M.D. to be Inspector-General of Hospitals in the Windward and Leeward Islands only, vice John Davy, M.D. who retires upon half-pay. Staff-Surgeon of the First Class William Munro, to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice Stewart. Surgeon William Bain, M.D. from the 34th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon of the First Class, vice Munro. Surgeon Henry Pilleau, from 70th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon of Second Class, vice Thomas Lewis, M.D. who retires on half-pay. Surgeon Henry Mapleton, M.D. from 40th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon of Second Class, vice Gordon, appointed to 57th Foot. Staff Assistant Surgeon James Alexander Fraser, M.D. to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Smith, appointed to the 2d Foot. Staff Assistant Surgeon Sandford M'Vittie Lloyd, M.D. to be Staff Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Denny, appointed to the 34th Foot. Acting Assistant Surgeon Nicolson Colin M'Kenzie, M.D. to be Assistant Surgeon to the Forces, vice Fraser. Joseph Farmer Matthew, gent. to be Assistant Surgeon to the Forces, vice Lloyd.

MEMORANDUM.

Assistant Surgeon to the Forces William Smellie Johnstone, M.D. has been permitted to resign his commission.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the County of Ayr.

Ayrshire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Thomas Smith Cuninghame to be Captain of a Troop, vice Charles Lamb, resigned. Cornet Archibald Cuninghame to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Smith Cuninghame, promoted.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

William Norton, of Penzance, Cornwall, ironmonger.
Richard Walker Openshaw, of Chester Street, Birkenhead, Chester, wine and spirit merchant.
John Edmondston, of Warrington, Lancaster, miller.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Samuel John Thomas, of No. 68, London Road, Saint George the Martyr, Southwark, Surrey, surgeon, apothecary, and chymist.
James Hobson and Charles Hobson, of Waltham Abbey, Essex, and of Enfield, Middlesex, stone masons and builders.
Duke Paine, of No. 7, South Street, late of No. 124, Warwick Street, Worthing, Sussex, auctioneer, printer, and stationer.
Edmund Millward, late of Peterborough, Northampton, coach builder, but now of Cambridge, out of business.
George Joseph Gladstone, of No. 10, Brunswick Street, Blackwall, Poplar, Middlesex, shipwright, and of Willis Street, Bromley, builder and beer seller.
George Robinson, of the Marquis of Granby Tavern, No. 28, South Audley Street, Grosvenor Square, Middlesex, licensed victualler.
Joel Boulton, formerly of Bristol, Gloucester, brewer, and also of No. 4, High Street, Hoxton Old Town, Middlesex, baker, afterwards of No. 1, King Street, Rotherhithe, Surrey, baker, and now of No. 93, Tooley Street, Southwark, Surrey, out of business.
John Hall, of Shrewsbury, Salop, timber merchant.
John Hall, the younger, of Shrewsbury, Salop, timber merchant.
Joseph Jackson, the younger, of Sheffield, Walsall, Stafford, miller.
Thomas Hill, of Redditch, Worcester, builder.
John Ransford, of Leamington Priors, Warwick, coal porter and ale merchant.
John Scott, residing at No. 10, Duke Street, Devonport, Devon, jeweller and silversmith.
Charles Williamson, now or late carrying on trade in Dickenson Street, Manchester, Lancaster, starch manufacturer.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 16th day of December 1848.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued.....	£ 27,982,125	Government Debt.....	£ 11,015,100
		Other Securities.....	2,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion.....	13,474,216
		Silver Bullion.....	507,909
	<u>£27,982,125</u>		<u>£27,982,125</u>

Dated the 21st day of December 1848.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital.....	£14,553,000	Government Securities (including Dead Weight	£
Rest.....	3,376,688	Annuity).....	13,329,012
Public Deposits, (including Exchequer, Savings		Other Securities.....	10,669,617
Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and		Notes.....	11,246,410
Dividend Accounts).....	7,908,643	Gold and Silver Coin.....	807,747
Other Deposits.....	9,249,649		
Seven Day and other Bills.....	964,806		
	<u>£36,052,786</u>		<u>£36,052,786</u>

Dated the 21st day of December 1848.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

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 19th day of December 1848,

Is Twenty-one Shillings and Eight Pence Halfpenny 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 Shillings and Eight Pence 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 Twenty-four Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-one Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, December 22, 1848.

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, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth,) with the Quantities entered therein for Home Consumption, the Rates and Amount of Duty, and the Average Prices regulating the Duty, in the Week following the Receipt of the Certificate of Average Prices, dated 7th December 1848.

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.			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
Wheat and Wheat Flour	Qrs. Bush. 42375 3	Qrs. Bush. 16590 4	Qrs. Bush. 58965 7	Qrs. Bush. 12508 0	Qrs. Bush. 16481 3	Qrs. Bush. 28989 3	L. S. D. 3722 4 8	L. S. D. 824 3 7	L. S. D. 4546 8 3	S. D. 51 4	S. D. 6 0	
Barley and Barley Meal	13699 5	—	13699 5	13400 0	—	13400 0	1340 0 0	—	1340 0 0	33 1	2 0	
Oats and Oat Meal	11909 4	557 2	12466 6	8213 4	557 2	8770 6	1026 13 10	27 17 4	1054 11 2	20 4	2 6	
Rye and Rye Meal	123 7	—	123 7	37 2	—	37 2	3 14 7	—	3 14 7	—	Same as Barley.	
Pease	3842 6	4280 0	8122 6	3056 4	4280 0	7336 4	305 13 1	214 0 1	519 13 2	—	Ditto.	1 0 Fixed.
Beans	4839 7	—	4839 7	5193 0	—	5193 0	516 16 1	—	516 16 1	—	Ditto.	
Indian Corn & Indian Meal	14735 6	—	14735 6	14702 1	—	14702 1	735 2 2	—	735 2 2	—	1 0 Fixed.	
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal	32 5	—	32 5	32 5	—	32 5	1 12 7	—	1 12 7	—	1 0 Fixed.	
Malt	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	91559 3	21427 6	112987 1	57143 0	21318 5	78461 5	7651 17 0	1066 1 0	8717 18 0			

WILLIAM IRVING.

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-House, London, 20th December 1848.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ending December 16, 1848.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.
47 6 101	31 4 134	18 11 088	29 8 636	34 3 421	38 1 748

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS WHICH GOVERNS DUTY.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.
50 4	32 7	19 11	30 3	36 4	39 10

By Authority of Parliament,

GEORGE JOYCE,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

EXCHANGE BANK OF SCOTLAND.

MONTHLY RETURN as at 25th DECEMBER 1848.

I.—LIABILITIES.

Paid-up Capital Stock,	-	-	£350,000	0	0
Reserved Fund,	-	-	15,482	6	7
Deposits, including all Loans to the Bank,	-	-	333,775	14	2
			£699,258	0	9

II.—ASSETS.

Money, Securities for Money, and other Assets of the Company,	-	-	£699,258	0	9
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INTIMATION is hereby given, that SIR WILLIAM MILLIKEN NAPIER of Napier and Milliken, Bart. has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (First Division, Mr Walker, Clerk), in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, entitled, 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL the Entailed Lands and Estate of MILLIKEN, situated in the County of Renfrew.—In which Petition the Court pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'Edinburgh, 22d December 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for eight days, and also to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the North British Advertiser and in the Glasgow Herald.'

(Signed) 'D. BOYLE, I.P.D.'

PEARSON & ROBERTSON, W.S.
Agents for Petitioner.

Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented by JAMES CAMPBELL BRODIE, Esq. of Lethen, to the Sheriff of Nairnshire, for authority to grant a Feu-Charter of a piece of ground, part of the Entailed Estate of Lethen, to certain Trustees therein-mentioned, for a site for a Place of Worship, and for a Dwelling-house and Garden for the Minister of the Free Church of Auldearn, in terms of the Statute 3 and 4, Victoria, cap. 48.

December 12, 1848.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that Applications have been made by the undermentioned Parties for the Advance of the undermentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., Cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified:—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Alexander Pearson, Writer to the Signet, Donald Lindsay, Accountant in Edinburgh, and George Auldjo Esson, Accountant in Edinburgh, the Trustees of Sir Samuel Stirling of Renton, Baronet.	Renton.	Coldingham.	Berwick.	£1,800
Mary Campbell of Kimmerghame, in the County of Berwick, Spinster.	Kimmerghame.	Edrom & Swinton.	"	3,736
William Currie of Linthill, in the County of Roxburgh, Esquire.	Linthill.	Lilliesleaf and Bowden.	Roxburgh.	1,625
Charles Dunlop of Whitmuirhall, in the County of Roxburgh, Esquire.	Whitmuirhall.	Selkirk & Bowden.	"	368
Jane Williamson Ramsay, and Elizabeth Williamson Ramsay, of Maxton, in the County of Roxburgh, Spinsters, and Sir Henry Fairfax of St Boswell Bank, in the County of Roxburgh, Baronet, as Trustees of the late Dame Archibald Montgomerie Williamson Ramsay or Fairfax, Spouse of the said Sir Henry Fairfax.	Lands in the Parishes of	Maxton and Saint Boswell.	"	1,000

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that Applications have been made by the undermentioned Parties for the Advance of the undermentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., Cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified:—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Andrew Dow, of No. 10, India Street, Glasgow, Esquire.	Whiteside.	Monkton.	Ayr.	£600
Matthew Mitchell of Blackshill, in the County of Ayr, Gentleman.	Sneddon Hall.	Kilmarnock.	"	500

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Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Mrs Eleanor Duff of Blackheath, in the County of Kent, with the consent of Adam Duff, Esquire, her husband.	Banniskirk.	Halkirk.	Caithness.	£500
William Gordon of Outer Evie, in the County of Orkney, Esquire.	Outer Evie and Inner Costay.	Evie.	Orkney.	1,500

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Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
James Evan Newton of Whitecroft, in the County of Dumfries, Esquire.	Whitecroft.	Dalton.	Dumfries.	£500.
David Moffat of Smallholm, in the County of Dumfries, Esquire.	Smallholm.	Lochmaben.	"	500.
John Moffat of Prestonhouse, in the County of Dumfries, Esquire.	Prestonhouse.	Lochmaben.	"	100.
William Constable Maxwell of Everingham Park, in the County of York, Esquire.	Barony of Carlaverock and Locharwood.	Carlaverock and Ruthwell.	"	5000.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that Applications have been made by the undermentioned Parties for the Advance of the undermentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., Cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Right Honourable William Lord Ward.	Lands in the Parishes of	Bolskine and Kilmunivaig.	Inverness.	£10,000.
John Fraser of Manchester, Esquire, Official Assignee.	Groom of Achnagairn.	Kirkhill.	"	540.
Donald Cameron of Lochiel, in the County of Inverness, Esquire.	Lochiel.	Kilmalie.	Inverness and Argyll.	1000.
The Right Honourable Francis, late Earl of Moray.	Lands in the Parishes of	Petty. Alves and Dyke.	Inverness. Elgin.	4004.

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Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Joseph Brown of Blegbie, Farmer, and John Carr Beadie of Leith, Merchant, and John Brown of Brunstain, Farmer, his trustees.	Arnsmills.	Pennycuik.	Edinburgh.	£600
Sir Thomas Buchan Hepburn of Smeaton, in the County of Haddington, Baronet.	Lands in the Parish of	Haddington.	Haddington.	2000
Sir Norman Macdonald Lockhart of Lee and Carnwath, in the County of Lanark, Baronet.	Lee and Carnwath.	Lanark, Carluke, Carnwath, Liberton, Dunsyre, Corniston, and Walston.	Lanark.	6000
James Murray of Philiphaugh, in the County of Selkirk, Esquire.	Lands in the Parish of	Selkirk.	Selkirk.	2000

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WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by WILLIAM STEWART of Alticry, in the County of Wigtown, Esquire, for the advance of the undermentioned sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Alticry.	Mochrum.	Wigtown.	£200.

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WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by DAVID ROSS VASS of No. 65, York Place, Edinburgh, Esquire, for the advance of the undermentioned sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Mineral Bank.	Tain.	Ross.	£300.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by Sir THOMAS ERSKINE of Cambo, in the County of Fife, Baronet, for the advance of the undermentioned sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
West Newhall. Grassmirton.	Crail. Kingsbarns.	Fife.	£1000.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by The Right Honorable FRANCIS, late EARL of MORAY, for the advance of the undermentioned sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Lands in the Parishes of	Petty, Alves, and Dyke.	Inverness. Elgin.	£4004.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

WM. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the undermentioned parties for the advance of the undermentioned sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
George Makgill of Kemback House, in the County of Fife, Esquire.	Fingask.	Rhynd.	Perth.	£505.
The Right Honorable Francis late Earl of Moray.	Land in the Parishes of	Kilmadock, Lecropt, & Callander.	"	2641.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

Wm. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the undermentioned parties for the advance of the undermentioned sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
William Keith of Aberdeen, Esquire.	Mill of Muchalls.	Fetteresso.	Aberdeen.	£500.
The Right Honorable Alexander George Fraser, Lord Saltoun.	Certain Lands in the Parish of	Fraserburgh, Rathen, Pitsligo, Tyrie.	"	8030.

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Wm. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the undermentioned parties for the advance of the undermentioned sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Charles Stuart of Balachulish, in the County of Argyll, Esquire.	Balachulish.	Appin.	Argyll.	£300.
Donald Cameron of Lochiel, in the County of Inverness, Esquire.	Lochiel.	Kilmaillie.	Inverness and Argyll.	1000.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

Wm. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

THOMAS MANSFIELD, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the Deceased ALEXANDER MURRAY, Esquire, of Broughton, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 12th current, and states of the funds recovered and of those out-standing as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has lodged their oaths and grounds of debt subsequent to the 12th August 1848, and prior to the 12th current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate; further, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Chambers, No. 7, Thistle Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 13th February 1849; also that the Commissioners have postponed payment of any further dividend until the recurrence of another Statutory period, and that they have dispensed with circulars containing an abstract of the funds being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Edinburgh, December 26, 1848.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of The Most Noble GEORGE MARQUIS OF HUNTLY, Earl of Aboyne, Lord Strathaven and Glenlivet, and Banker, Insurance Broker, and Underwriter in Aberdeen.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the said sequestrated estates, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th current, and states of the funds recovered and of those out-standing as at the same date, have been made up by him, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed a dividend until the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend, and have also dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 19, 1848.

WE, the undersigned, Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales, hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by the Right Reverend James Gillis, Roman Catholic Bishop, Captain Alexander Kyle of Bingham, in the County of Aberdeen, and Lieutenant-Colonel George Macdonell, Trustees of the late JOHN MENZIES of Pitfodels, Esquire, for the advance of the undermentioned sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Charlestown and Drumquhall.	Banchory Devenick, and Nigg.	Kincardine.	£3500.

Witness our hands this 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1848.

Wm. BLAMIRE.
G. DARBY.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that SIR PATRICK MURRAY BUDGE THREIPLAND of Fingask and Toftingall, Baronet, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of Pennyland, Wolfburn, and Waiths, and also those parts of the lands formerly belonging to the Bishops of Caithness, being parts of the lands called Gallowhill and Scrabster, acquired from the Crown under Contract of Excambion, all situated in the County of Caithness, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (Second Division, Mr Thomson, Clerk), in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, intituled, 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL the whole of the said ENTAILED ESTATES of PENNYLAND, WOLFURN, and WAITHS, and those parts of the lands formerly belonging to the Bishops of Caithness, being parts of the lands called GALLOWHILL and SCRABSTER.—On which Petition the Lords of the said Second Division pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition of Sir Patrick Murray Budge Threipland, Baronet, to be intimated in the Minute-Book and on the Walls for eight days, in common form; and to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and at least once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the North British Advertiser, Edinburgh Evening Courant, and John O'Groat's Journal; and further, grant warrant for serving said Petition on Misses Jessy Murray Threipland, Eliza Murray Threipland, and Catharine Murray Threipland, all therein designed, and appoint them to give in Answers thereto, within eight days after service, if so advised.'

(Signed) 'JOHN HOPE, I.P.D.'

G. L. SINCLAIR, W.S.
Agent for the Petitioner.

Edinburgh, December 23, 1848.
4, Walker Street.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that SIR PATRICK MURRAY BUDGE THREIPLAND, Bart. of Fingask and Toftingall, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of Toftingall, Achanarras, Spittal, Mybster, and Achaloan, Easterdale and Tormsdale, and also in all and whole the Houses and Tenements, &c. in the Burgh of Wick, as more particularly described in a Building Lease thereof, granted to Francis Quoys, Merchant in Wick, all situated in the County of Caithness, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (Mr Thomson, Clerk.) in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, entitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL the whole of the said ENTAILED ESTATES OF TOFTINGALL, ACHANARRAS, SPITTAL, MYBSTER, and ACHALOAN, EASTERDALE and TORMSDALE, and also the said Houses and Tenements, &c. in the Burgh of Wick.—On which Petition the Lords of the Second Division of the Court have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

'Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition of Sir Patrick Murray Budge Threipland, Baronet, to be intimated in the Minute-Book and on the Walls for eight days, in common form, and to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and at least once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the North British Advertiser, Edinburgh Evening Courant, and John O'Groat's Journal; and further, grant warrant for serving said Petition on Misses Jessy Murray Threipland, Eliza Murray Threipland, and Catharine Murray Threipland, all therein designed; and appoint them to give in Answers thereto within eight days after service, if so advised.'

(Signed) 'JOHN HOPE, I.P.D.'

G. L. SINCLAIR, W.S.
Agent for the Petitioner.

Edinburgh, December 23, 1848,
4, Walker Street.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that WILLIAM MORAY STIRLING of Abercairny and Ardoch, Esq., Institute of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of Ardoch, situated in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (Mr Walker, Clerk.) in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, entitled 'An Act for the amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL and to acquire in fee-simple the whole of the said ENTAILED ESTATE OF ARDOCH.—On which Petition the Lords of the First Division of the Court have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

'Edinburgh, 22d December 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be served on the parties on whom it prays for warrant of service, and them to answer the same, if advised so to do, within ten days after service; also appoint the same to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Books for eight days; and to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the Edinburgh Evening Courant, the North British Advertiser, and Perthshire Courier.'

(Signed) 'D. BOYLE, I.P.D.'

DUNDAS & WILSON,
Agents for the Petitioner.

16, St Andrew Square,
Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that WILLIAM MORAY STIRLING of Abercairny and Ardoch, Esq., Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of Abercairny, situated in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (Mr Walker, Clerk.) in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, entitled 'An Act for the amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL and to acquire in fee-simple the whole of the said ENTAILED ESTATE OF ABERCAIRNY.—On which Petition the Lords of the First Division of the Court have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

'Edinburgh, 22d December 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be served on the parties on whom it prays for warrant of service, and them to answer the same, if advised so to do, within ten days after service; also appoint the same to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for eight days; and to be publicly advertised, once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the Edinburgh Evening Courant, the North British Advertiser, and Perthshire Courier.'

(Signed) 'D. BOYLE, I.P.D.'

DUNDAS & WILSON,
Agents for the Petitioner.

16, St Andrew Square,
Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that NORTH DALRYMPLE of Fordel and Cleland, Esq., Heir or Institute of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of Fordel and Cleland, situated in the Counties of Edinburgh and Lanark respectively, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (Mr Walker, Clerk.) in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, intitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' for authority to DISENTAIL and acquire in fee-simple the whole of the said ENTAILED ESTATES OF FORDEL and CLELAND.—On which Petition the Lords of the First Division of the Court have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

'Edinburgh, 23d December 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for eight days, and to be served on the persons on whom the Petition prays that service be directed to be made, or on their tutors or curators, or other legal guardians; and also to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the Edinburgh Evening Courant, and North British Advertiser, and Glasgow Herald.'

(Signed) 'D. BOYLE, I. P. D.'

DUNDAS & WILSON, C. S.
Agents for Petitioner.

Edinburgh, December 26, 1848.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that Lieutenant-Colonel ROBERT RICHARDSON of Kercock and Ballathie, Heir of Entail in possession of these Estates, has, in virtue of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, caput 36, entitled, 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' presented a Petition to the Court of Session, (First Division, Mr Walker, Clerk), for authority to uplift the sum of £1088. 2d, the price and value of that portion of said Estate of Ballathie, taken by the Company constituted by an Act, intituled,

'An Act for making a Railway from the City or Royal Burgh of Perth, to or near to the Town and Royal Burgh of Forfar,' for the purposes of said Railway, and to apply the same in repayment *pro tanto* of the sum of £1125 : 5 : 1, expended by the Petitioner in permanent improvements on the said Entailed Estates, and in payment of the costs of said Petition.—On which Petition the Court pronounced this Interlocutor:—

'Edinburgh, 22d December 1848.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for eight days, and also to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly, for six successive weeks, in the North British Advertiser and in the Perth Constitutional.'

ANDERSONS & TROTTER, W.S. Agents.

Edinburgh, December 22, 1848.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of MAGNUS GILBERT LAING MEASON, formerly of Lindertis, now Insurance Broker in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 8th current, 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: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 8th current, and completed lists of those Creditors 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; farther, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Chambers, No. 15, St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on the 9th day of February next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 20, 1848.

ALEXANDER TODD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee upon the sequestrated estates of FRAZIER, MITCHELL, & COMPANY, Manufacturing Chemists in Glasgow, and of John Frazer, Manufacturing Chemist there, and Alexander Mitchell, Junior, Manufacturing Chemist and Doctor of Medicine in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of said Company, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 16th current, and states of the funds recovered and those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: Farther, that payment of the first and second dividends are postponed till the next Statutory period for payment of the third dividend. The accounts and states made up by the Trustee lie open for inspection in his Chambers, 45, Renfield Street, Glasgow. Circulars to Creditors have been dispensed with.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

ALEXANDER TODD, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 23, 1848.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the Company carrying on Business as Merchants in Glasgow, under the Firm of WIGHTON, GRAY, & COMPANY, and in Jamaica under the Firm of GRAY, ROXBURGH, & COMPANY, and of William Gray, Merchant in Glasgow, one of the individual partners of the said Company, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 9th 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 estates, in terms of 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 9th instant, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estates, and likewise of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Further, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-house, No. 128, Ingram Street, Glasgow, on the 10th day of February next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 22, 1848.

Sequestrations.

THE Estates of **THOMAS FERGUSON SMITH**, Writer, and Nurseryman in Dumfries, were sequestrated on the 22d day of December 1848.

The first deliverance is dated the 22d December 1848. The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 2d day of January 1849, within the King's Arms Inn in Dumfries; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 23d day of January 1849, within the King's Arms Inn in Dumfries.

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 22d day of June 1849.

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

JOPP & JOHNSTON, Agents,
30, Albany Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of **ALEXANDER RICHARDSON**, Silk Mercer, Princes Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1848.

The first deliverance is dated the said 26th December 1848. The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 4th day of January next, within Stevenson's Sale Rooms, George Street, Edinburgh; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 26th day of January next, within Stevenson's Sale Rooms, George Street, Edinburgh.

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 26th June 1849.

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

WM. WOTHERSPOON, S.S.C.
18, Great Stuart Street, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of **JOHN MOORE**, Perfumer, Queen Street, Glasgow.

JOHN HENDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate, and John Allan, Writer in Glasgow, John Kerr, Writer in Glasgow, and William Macalister, Clothier in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Saturday the 6th day of January next, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the said John Kerr, 21, South Hanover Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 23d January next, at 12 o'clock noon. At the second general meeting of Creditors, being the meeting for election of Trustee, the Bankrupt offered a composition of One Shilling in the pound on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable, with security, at three months from the date of the Bankrupt's final discharge, and also to pay and provide for the expenses of the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee; which offer having been unanimously entertained, will be finally decided upon at said meeting to be held on the 23d day of January next.

JOHN HENDERSON, Trustee.
Glasgow, December 22, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **CHARLES MILLS** of Elmbank, Merchant, Shipowner, and Insurance Broker in Arbroath.

JAMES ANDERSON DICKSON, Agent in Arbroath for the British Linen Company, has been elected Trustee on the estate, and William Johnston, Agent in Arbroath for the Commercial Bank of Scotland, David Salmund, Farmer at Arbikie, and Alexander Macdonald, Painter, Arbroath, a Partner of the Firm of Alexander Macdonald and Sons, Painters in Arbroath, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Court-house, Forfar, on Wednesday the 10th day of January next, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in Bruce's Hotel, Arbroath, upon Thursday the 25th day of January next, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

JAS. A. DICKSON, Trustee.
Arbroath, December 23, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **GEORGE GREEN**, Underwriter and Trader in Glasgow.

The Trustee on the said sequestrated estate hereby intimates, that a General Meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, Prince Court, Glasgow, on Thursday the 11th day of January next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering as to the renewal of a personal protection to the Bankrupt, and instructing the Trustee accordingly.

JAMES GOURLAY, Trustee.
Glasgow, December 25, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **ROBERT ANDERSON FARQUHAR**, Sharebroker, residing in Greenock, and carrying on Business as a Sharebroker in Glasgow.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Accountant and Stock and Sharebroker in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate, and Charles Cairns, Accountant in Glasgow, James Wilkie, Accountant, Sharebroker, and House-factor there, and John Denston Sheppard, Stock and Sharebroker there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Chambers, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 9th day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Carrick's Royal Hotel, George Square, Glasgow, on Thursday the 25th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon.

WM. THOMSON.
Glasgow, December 23, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **ALEXANDER COUPAR**, Senior, Shoemaker in St Andrews, now deceased.

PETER STEELE, Merchant, St Andrews, Trustee on said sequestrated estate, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Cross Keys Inn, St Andrews, on Friday the 12th day of January next, 1849, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and determining as to a sale of the Heritable Property.

PETER STEELE, Trustee.
St Andrews, December 23, 1848.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES MUNRO, Farmer, Coal, Lime, and Wood Merchant, and Cattle Dealer at Alness Bridge.

The Trustee hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors within the Commercial Hotel, Invergordon, on Friday the 19th day of January next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application for his discharge.

ROBERT GRIGOR, Trustee.
Aberdeen, December 23, 1848.

Glasgow, December 25, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **ARCHIBALD BRODIE**, Carver and Gilder, Buchanan Street, Glasgow.

IN the advertisement which appeared in the Gazette of 12th instant, it was omitted to mention that the third meeting of the Creditors to be held on 12th January next, was to take place at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

SEQUESTRATION of **WILLIAM WEIR**, Farmer and Cattle Dealer at Kilbowie, in the Parish of West Kilpatrick, and County of Dumbarton.

WILLIAM MUDIE, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William Weir, hereby intimates, that the Bankrupt, William Weir, has made a second offer of composition of Two Shillings per pound upon the debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable in cash on the day after the date of his final discharge, and also offered to pay and provide for the expenses attending the sequestration and the remuneration of the Trustee; and offered James Weir, Farmer, Dalmuir, and Alexander Weir, Farmer, Kayston, his Brothers, as his securities; which offer is duly subscribed by the Bankrupt, and his said proposed securities; and has been assented to in writing by the whole of the Creditors who have ranked upon the estate, or their Representatives. The Trustee therefore now calls a General Meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Chambers of Messrs Brown and Dunlop, Writers, 49, Virginia Street, Glasgow, upon Thursday the 11th day of January 1849, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of finally deciding upon said offer and the security proposed.—Of which Notice is hereby given.

WM. MUDIE, Jun. Trustee.
BROWN & DUNLOP, Agents.
Glasgow, December 22, 1848.

WILLIAM MUDIE, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES MATHER**, Baker and Victualler, Calton, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that at the third general meeting of Creditors, held on the 20th day of December current, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of One Shilling in the pound to his Creditors, on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable at the distance of six months after the Bankrupt's final discharge; and offered Arthur Mather, Farmer, Netherplace, Mearns, as his security. The said James Mather further offered to pay or provide for the whole expenses attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee: That the Creditors and Mandatories of Creditors present at said meeting having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of J. Mudie and W. Mudie, Junior, Accountants, No. 126, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 12th day of January next, 1849, at one o'clock p. m. for the purpose of finally deciding on the said offer and security proposed.

WILLM. MUDIE, Jun. Trustee.
Glasgow, December 25, 1849.

NOTICE.

JAMES GOURLAY, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **BANKIER** and **MACKENZIE**, Iron-Merchants in Glasgow, and William Dougall Bankier, and Robert Hall Mackenzie, and William Individual Partners of that Firm, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 5th December current, has been audited and approved of by the Commissioners on said estates: 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 entitled to be ranked, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part: Farther, that on Friday the 9th day of February next, he will pay, at his Chambers, Prince Court, Glasgow, an equalizing and final dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been ranked and sustained, but not lodged in time to participate in the first division of funds, and a second and final dividend to the Creditors formerly ranked, if certain claims rejected be not successfully appealed.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES GOURLAY, Trustee.
Glasgow, December 22, 1848.

THOMAS BEST, Bank Agent and Merchant in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ANDREW LESLIE**, Merchant in Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the said estate, brought down to the 11th 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: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 11th instant, and completed lists of those Creditors 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; farther, that a final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Office of Messrs Stronach and Grainger, Advocates, 20, King Street, Aberdeen, on the 12th day of February next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

THO. BEST, Trustee.
Aberdeen, December 23, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **WILLIAM HUTCHESON & COMPANY**, Timber Merchants in Glasgow, and William Hutcheson and Robert Frame, as Partners of that Company, and as Individuals.

JOHN ROXBURGH, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of William Hutcheson and Company, sometime Timber Merchants in Glasgow, and William Hutcheson and Robert Frame, individual partners of said Company, as such partners, and as individuals, hereby intimates, that a state of the whole estates of the Bankrupts, of the funds recovered by him, and outstanding, and of his intromissions and disbursements, made up till the 9th December current, has been exhibited to and audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute: That the Commissioners have postponed declaring a dividend until the next Statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—All in terms of the Statute.

FOR JOHN ROXBURGH, Trustee,
ROBT. RICHARDSON.
STEELE & DOUIE, Agents in
the Sequestration.
Glasgow, December 23, 1848.

ALEXANDER MACKAY, Distiller in Banff, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **GEORGE GRANT**, Fish-curer in Banff, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 6th day of December current, and also states of the funds, have been made up and audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that they have authorised a postponement of a dividend till the recurrence of another Statutory period, and have directed the Trustee to dispense with the sending of circulars to the Creditors.

ARCHD. Y. ROSE, Agent for Trustee.
Banff, December 20, 1848.

SEQUESTRATION of **JOHN ROBERTSON**, Spirit Dealer, lately residing in Raeburn Place, Stockbridge, in or near Edinburgh, deceased.

WILLIAM STUART, Commercial Traveller in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners on said estate have postponed the payment of a dividend until the recurrence of the next Statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WM. STUART, Trustee.
Edinburgh, December 25, 1848.



NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN BONNAR, sometime Painter in Edinburgh, lately residing at George Street, Leith, now deceased.

JOHN SMITH, Shipowner in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Bonnar, intimates, that states of his intromissions with the funds of the estate up to 12th December current, have been examined and approved of by the Commissioners, and lie for inspection at the Writing-Chambers of Pillans Scarth, W.S. 37, Bernard Street, Leith; also, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another stated period, and have dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

JNO. SMITH, Trustee.

Leith, December 25, 1848.

JAMES JOBSON DICKSON, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **PETER WOOD**, S.S.C. deceased, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions, and states of the funds as at 9th instant, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that the declaration of a farther dividend has been postponed.

JAS. JOBSON DICKSON, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 23, 1848.

NOTICE.

JAMES GOURLAY, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **HUGH MONTEITH**, Manufacturer in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, postponed the payment of a dividend until the recurrence of next Statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

JAMES GOURLAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 25, 1848.

JAMES KENNEDY, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM LOW**, lately Machine Maker at Monifeith, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 9th instant, has been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; farther, that no dividend can at present be declared.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES KENNEDY, Trustee.

Dundee, December 23, 1848.

INTIMATION.

ALEXANDER MITCHELL, an Individual Partner of the Firm of **FRASER, MITCHELL & COMPANY**, Manufacturing Chemists in Glasgow, and as an Individual, with the concurrence of a majority in number, and four-fifths in value of the Creditors who have produced oaths in the sequestration of the said Alexander Mitchell, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him, or for which he was liable, at the date of the sequestration, as a Partner aforesaid, and as an Individual; and the Sheriff, by Deliverance on the Petition, dated this day, appointed Intimation of the presentation of the Petition and his Deliverance to be made by Advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Act of Parliament 2d and 3d Vict. cap. 41.

STEELE & DOUIE, Agents.

Glasgow, December 22, 1848.

Notices of Cessio Bonorum.

NOTICE.

HUGH MACDONELL, lately Officer of Excise, residing at New-Galloway, and at present Prisoner in the Tolbooth of Kirkcudbright, has raised a process of Cessio Bonorum against his Creditors, before the Steward of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright; and he hereby c'tes all and each of his Creditors, to appear before the said Steward, in his Chambers at Kirkcudbright, on the 25th day of January next, in the year 1849, at noon, in the hour of cause, appointed for the public examination of the said Hugh Macdonell.—Of which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WILL. C. LOW, Writer, Kirkcudbright, Agent for the said Hugh Macdonell.

Kirkcudbright, December 23, 1848.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM MUNRO, Grieve or Farm-Servant at Udale, in the Parish and County of Cromarty, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty-shires for the benefit of Cessio Bonorum and interim protection; on advising which the Sheriff-Substitute has appointed the Petitioner to appear within the Ordinary Sheriff Court-place at Cromarty, upon Friday the 26th day of January next 1849, at one o'clock p. m. for examination, when all his Creditors are required to attend.

JAMES HAY, Petitioner's Agent.

Invergordon, December 23, 1848.

ROBERT FRASER, Inhaber and General Merchant in Dornoch, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Sutherland for the interim protection against the execution of diligence, and for decree of Cessio Bonorum; and the Petitioner's Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court within the Ordinary Court-House of Dornoch, upon the 26th day of January 1849, when the Petitioner will appear for public examination.

JOHN A. RULE, Procurator for Petitioner.

Dornoch, December 23, 1848.

PARTNERSHIP.
Dissolutions, Retirals, &c.

MRS FUPHEMIA RAMSAY PITCAIRN or **MELDRUM**, Executrix *qua* Relict decerned and confirmed to the deceased **LESLIE MELDRUM**, sometime Manager of the Devon Iron Works, near Alloa, hereby intimates, that any interest which she or her husband's estate held in the under-mentioned Companies, and all liability for the obligations thereof, on the part of herself or her husband's representatives, ceased of the respective dates following, viz.

THE DEVON IRON COMPANY, from and after the 16th of March 1846, being the date of the said Leslie Meldrum's death.

THE ALLOA COLLIERY COMPANY, from the 15th July 1848, and

THE WESTERN BANK OF SCOTLAND, from 21st July 1848, being the dates when the Subscriber transferred the Shares held by her as Executrix aforesaid, in the said two last mentioned Companies.

EUPHIA MELDRUM.

JAMES WILSON, Witness.

D. PITCAIRN, Witness.

Wellbank, Newport, November 27, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber ceased, upon 8th March 1848, to have any interest in the Copartnership Concern of **ROBERT COWAN & COMPANY**, Fishers, Paisley.

JOHN COWAN.

ROBT. ARCHAR, Witness.

JAMES HENDERS N, Witness.

Paisley, December 22, 1848.

THE Subscribers having sold and transferred their Shares in the **NORTH BRITISH BANK**, ceased, from the 13th October last, to be Partners, and have no further interest therein.

DUNCAN TURNER
JAMES JACKSON.

PETER WILSON, Witness.

DUNCAN M'MILLAN, Witness.

Glasgow, December 25, 1848.

[N.B.—The fees of all Notices must be paid in advance, and all Letters post-paid.]

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