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THE Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the Decoration of the Victoria Cross on the under-mentioned Officers and Men of Her Majesty's Navy and Marines, and Officers, Non-commissioned Officers,

and Men of Her Majesty's Army, who have been recommended to Her Majesty for that Decoration, —in accordance with the rules laid down in Her Majesty's Warrant of the 29th of January 1856— on account of acts of bravery performed by them before the Enemy during the late War, as recorded against their several names, viz :—

ROYAL NAVY (INCLUDING THE NAVAL BRIGADE EMPLOYED ON SHORE,) AND ROYAL MARINES.

Name and Rank.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
Cecil William Buckley, Commander	<p>Lord Lyons reports that—" Whilst serving as Junior Lieutenant of the ' Miranda,' this Officer landed in presence of a superior force, and set fire to the Russian stores at Genitchi and " he also performed a similar <i>desperate service</i> at Taganrog."</p> <p>The first service referred to occurred after the shelling of the town of Genitchi, on the 29th May 1855. After mentioning that the stores were in a very favourable position for supplying the Russian Army, and that, therefore, their destruction was of the utmost importance, Captain Lyons writes: " Lieutenant Cecil W. Buckley, Lieutenant Hugh T. Burgoyne, and Mr John Roberts, gunner, volunteered to land alone, and fire the stores, which offer I accepted, knowing the imminent risk there would be in landing a party in presence of such a superior force, and out of gunshot of the ships. This very dangerous service they most gallantly performed, narrowly escaping the Cossacks, who all but cut them off from their boat."</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 2d June 1855, No. 419.)</p> <p>The second volunteer service was performed while the town of Taganrog was being bombarded by the boats of the Fleet, and is thus recorded by Captain Lyons :—" Lieutenant Cecil Buckley, in a four-oared gig, accompanied by Mr Henry Cooper, Boatswain, and manned by volunteers, repeatedly landed and fired the different stores and Government buildings. This dangerous, not to say desperate service, (carried out in a town containing upwards of 3,000 troops, constantly endeavouring to prevent it, and only checked by the fire of the boats' guns, was most effectually performed."</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 2d June 1855, No. 429.)</p>

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John Talbot Burgoyne, Commander	<p>Lord Lyons writes :—" As Senior Lieutenant of the 'Swallow,' this Officer landed with Lieutenant Buckley, and Mr J. Roberts, Gunner, in presence of a superior force, and set fire to the stores at Genitchi, a service of <i>imminent risk</i>."</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 2d June 1855, No. 419.)</p> <p>N. B.—This service has been previously described in the preceding notice of Lieutenant Buckley's services.</p>
John Roberts, Gunner	<p>This Warrant Officer landed with Lieutenants Buckley and Burgoyne at Genitchi, in presence of a superior force, and set fire to the Stores, a service of <i>imminent risk</i>.</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 2d June 1855, No. 419.)</p>
Henry Cooper, Boatswain	<p>Performed the desperate service of landing at Taganrog in presence of a large force, to set fire to the Government Stores. See preceding Memoir of Commander Buckley.</p> <p>(Admiral Lord Lyons' Despatch, 6th June 1855, No. 429.)</p>
Joseph Trewavas, Seaman	<p>" Particularly mentioned as having cut the hawsers of the floating bridge in the Straits of Genitchi, under a heavy fire of musketry, on which occasion he was wounded." This service was performed by the crews of the Captain's gig, and of one of the paddle-box boats of the "Beagle," under a heavy fire of musketry, at about a distance of eighty yards ; the beach being completely lined with troops, and the adjacent houses filled with Riflemen. Joseph Trewavas is especially mentioned in the Despatches as having been the person who cut the hawser.</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons of 10th July 1855, No. 546.)</p>
Joseph Kellaway, Boatswain	<p>" Whilst Boatswain of the 'Wrangler,' in the Sea of Azoff, was taken prisoner after a <i>stout resistance</i>, whilst endeavouring to rescue Mr Odevaine, Mate."</p> <p>This gallant service was performed on shore near Marion-pol. A detachment, consisting of Mr Odevaine, Mate ; Mr Kellaway, Boatswain ; and three Seamen, had been despatched from the "Wrangler" to endeavour to burn some boats, fishing stations, and hay-stacks on the opposite side of a small lake. They had nearly reached the spot when they were fired upon by a party of fifty Russian soldiers, who suddenly rushed from their ambush and endeavoured to cut off their retreat. One man fell into the enemy's hands, but Mr Kellaway, and the two other seamen had contrived to make good their escape, when Mr Odevaine accidentally fell. Kellaway, apparently imagining him to be wounded, without a moment's hesitation returned to his rescue, risking his own life to succour his Commanding Officer. Unfortunately, while lifting up Mr Odevaine, they were surrounded by the enemy, and, notwithstanding a gallant but hopeless resistance by Mr Kellaway, they were both made prisoners. Commander Burgoyne, who has furnished these particulars, observes, " I was myself an observer of the zeal, gallantry, and self-devotion that characterized Mr Kellaway's conduct."</p> <p>(Despatches from Admiral Lord Lyons of 8th September 1855, No. 746 ; and of 22d September 1855, No. 796.)</p>
George Fiott Day, Commander	<p>With great enterprise and gallantry, landed, and successfully carried out a reconnoissance within the enemy's lines at Genitchi.</p> <p>This service was performed by Commander Day, with the view of ascertaining the practicability of reaching the enemy's gun-vessels, which lay within the Straits of Genitchi, close to the town. It was performed by Commander Day alone, on a dark but fine night, with the assistance of a pocket-compass.</p> <p>After traversing four or five miles of low swampy ground, occasionally up to his knees in water, he at length advanced to within about 200 yards of the vessels. From the perfect silence on board them, it was his conviction that they were without crews, and when he returned, it was with the full</p>

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John Edmund Commerell, Commander.....	<p>impression that the expedition was a feasible one. This opinion, however, he was induced to change on the following day, in consequence of the increasing activity which was apparent in the direction of the vessels, and therefore he determined on making a second visit to the spot. On this occasion the night was a squally one, and the journey longer and more difficult than before. On reaching the spot, finding the vessels manned, and their crews apparently on the alert, he decided that any attempt to surprise them was out of the question.</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 9th October 1855, No. 844.)</p> <p>N.B.—It was while attempting a reconnoissance on the same ground, that Captain L'Allemand, of the French steam-vessel "Mouette," lost his life.</p> <p>"When commanding the 'Weser,' in the Sea of Azoff, crossed the Isthmus of Arabat, and destroyed large quantities of forage on the Crimean shore of the Sivash."</p> <p>This enterprise was performed by Commander Commerell at night, accompanied by William Rickard, Quartermaster, and George Milestone, A.B. Having hauled their small boat across the Spit of Arabat, they traversed the Sivash to the Crimean shore of the Putrid Sea. The magazine of corn, of which they were in search, lay about two miles and a-half off, and to reach it they had to ford two rivers, the Kara-su and the Salghir. The forage and corn, amounting to 400 tons, were stacked on the banks of the latter river, in the vicinity of a guard-house, and close to from twenty to thirty mounted Cossacks, who were encamped in the neighbouring village. Commander Commerell and his two companions contrived to ignite the stacks, the rapid blazing of which alarmed the guard, who pursued them to the shore with a heavy fire of musketry, and very nearly succeeded in taking them prisoners.</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 6th November 1855, No. 899.)</p>
William Rickard, Quartermaster	<p>"Accompanied his Commander, Lieutenant Commerell, of the 'Weser,' to the Crimean shore of the Sivash, and, whilst under a heavy fire of musketry, remained to assist George Milestone, who had fallen."</p> <p>(Despatch from Admiral Lord Lyons, 6th November 1855, No. 899.)</p> <p>The service performed by William Rickard is thus described by Commander Commerell, in his Despatch:—"I must bring to your notice the excellent conduct of the small party who accompanied me, more especially that of William Rickard, Quartermaster, who, though much fatigued himself, remained to assist the other seaman, who, from exhaustion, had fallen in the mud, and was unable to extricate himself, notwithstanding the enemy were keeping up a heavy fire on us, at the distance of thirty or forty yards, as we crossed the mud."</p>

NAVAL BRIGADE.

Name and Rank.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
William Peel, Captain	<p>Sir Stephen Lushington recommends this Officer :</p> <p>1st. For having on the 18th October 1854, at the greatest possible risk, taken up a live shell, the fuze still burning, from among several powder cases, outside the magazine, and thrown it over the parapet (the shell bursting as it left his hands), thereby saving the magazines, and the lives of those immediately round it.</p> <p>(Despatch from Sir S. Lushington inclosed in letter from Admiral Lord Lyons, 10th May 1856.)</p>

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Edward St John Dapiels, Midshipman	<p>2d. On the 5th November 1854, at the Battle of Inkerman, for joining the Officers of the Grenadier Guards, and assisting in defending the colours of that Regiment, when hard pressed at the Sandbag Battery. (Sir S. Lushington is authorized to make this statement by the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Division, His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, who is ready to bear testimony to the fact.)</p> <p>3d. On the 18th June 1855, for volunteering to lead the Ladder Party at the assault on the Redan, and carrying the first ladder, until wounded.</p> <p>Sir Stephen Lushington recommends this Officer :—1st. For answering a call for volunteers to bring in powder to the Battery, from a waggon in a very exposed position, under a destructive fire, a shot having disabled the horses. (This was reported by Captain Peel, commanding the Battery at the time.)</p> <p>2d. For accompanying Captain Peel at the Battle of Inkerman as Aide-de-camp.</p> <p>3d. For devotion to his leader, Captain Peel, on the 18th June 1855, in tying a tourniquet on his arm on the glacis of the Redan, whilst exposed to a very heavy fire.</p> <p>(Despatch from Sir S. Lushington inclosed in letter from Admiral Lord Lyons, 10th May 1856.)</p>
Wm. Nathan Wright Hewett, Lieutenant	<p>1st. On the occasion of a repulse of a sortie of Russians by Sir De Lacy Evans' Division on the 26th October 1854, Mr Hewett, then Acting-Mate of Her Majesty's Ship "Beagle," was in charge of the Right Lancaster Battery before Sebastopol. The advance of the Russians placed the gun in great jeopardy, their skirmishers advancing within 300 yards of the Battery, and pouring in a sharp fire from their Minié Rifles. By some misapprehension the word was passed to spike the gun and retreat; But Mr Hewett, taking upon himself the responsibility of disregarding the order, replied, that "Such order did not come from Captain Lushington, and he would not do it till it did." Mr Hewett then pulled down the parapet of the Battery, and with the assistance of some soldiers, got his gun round, and poured upon the advancing column of Russians a most destructive and effective fire.</p> <p>For the gallantry exhibited on this occasion, the Board of Admiralty promoted him to the rank of Lieutenant.</p> <p>2d. On the 5th November 1854, at the Battle of Inkerman, Captain Lushington again brought before the Commander-in-Chief the services of Mr Hewett, saying, "I have much pleasure in again bringing Mr Hewett's gallant conduct to your notice."</p> <p>(Sir S. Lushington to Vice-Admiral Sir J. D. Dundas, inclosed in Despatches of 1st November 1854, and 8th November 1854.)</p>
John Sullivan, Boatswain's Mate ...	<p>Recommended by Sir S. Lushington, "For having, on or about the 10th April 1855, deliberately placed a flag on a mound, in a very exposed position, under a heavy fire, to enable Battery No. 5 to open fire upon a concealed Russian Battery that was doing great execution on one of our advanced works." This was reported by Commander Kennedy, commanding the Battery.</p> <p>Commander Kennedy speaks of this act in high terms of praise, and observed that John Sullivan's "gallantry was always conspicuous."</p> <p>(Despatches from Admiral Lord Lyons, 5th December 1855, and 10th May 1856.)</p>
John Shepherd, Boatswain	<p>Recommended by Captain Keppel, for, on the 15th July 1855, while serving as Boatswain's Mate of the St Jean d'Acre (attached to the Naval Brigade), proceeding in a punt with an exploding apparatus into the harbour of Sebastopol, to endeavour to blow up one of the Russian line-of-battle ships.</p> <p>This service, which was twice attempted, is described by Lord Lyons "as a bold one, and gallantly executed." On the first occasion, Mr Shepherd proceeded past the enemy's</p>

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<p>Thomas Reeves, Seaman . . . } James Gorman, Seaman . . . } Mark Scholefield, Seaman . . }</p>	<p>steam-boats, at the entrance of Careening Bay ; but was prevented penetrating further by the long string of boats that were carrying troops from the south to the north side of Sebastopol. The second attempt was made on the 16th August, from the side of Careening Bay, in the possession of the French.</p> <p>(Despatches from Captain Honourable H. Keppel in Admiral Lord Lyons' letter 10th May 1856, and Admiral Lord Lyons, 4th October 1855.)</p> <p>At the Battle of Inkerman, 5th November 1854, when the Right Lancaster Battery was attacked, these three seamen mounted the banquette, and, under a heavy fire, made use of the disabled soldiers' muskets, which were loaded for them by others under the parapet. They are the survivors of five who performed the above action.</p> <p>(Letter from Sir S. Lushington, 7th June 1856.)</p>
Henry James Raby, Commander.....	On the 18th June 1855, immediately after the assault on Sebastopol, a soldier of the 57th Regiment, who had been shot through both legs, was observed sitting up, and calling for assistance. Climbing over the breastwork of the advanced sap, Commander Raby and the two seamen proceeded upwards of seventy yards across the open space towards the salient angle of the Redan, and in spite of the heavy fire which was still continuing, succeeded in carrying the wounded soldier to a place of safety, at the imminent risk of their own lives.
John Taylor, Captain of the Forecastle,....	(Letter from Sir S. Lushington, 7th June 1856.)
Henry Curtis, Boatswain's Mate.....	

BALTIC.

Name and Rank.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
George Ingouville, Captain of the Mast.....	<p>On the 13th of July 1855, while the boats of the "Arrogant" were engaged with the enemy's gun-boats and batteries off Viborg, her second cutter was swamped by the blowing up of her magazine, and drifted under a battery. Notwithstanding that he was wounded in the arm, and that the boat was under a very heavy fire, Ingouville, without any order to do so, jumped overboard, caught hold of her painter, and saved her.</p> <p>(Despatch from Captain Yelverton, 18th November 1855, and Rear-Admiral Honourable Sir B. T. Dundas, 12th December 1855, No. 759.)</p>
John Bythessea, Commander.....	<p>On the 9th of August 1854, having ascertained that an Aide-de-Camp of the Emperor of Russia had landed on the Island of Wardo, in charge of a mail and despatches for the Russian General, Commander Bythessea obtained permission for himself and William Johnstone, a stoker, to proceed on shore with a view to intercept them. Being disguised and well armed, they concealed themselves till the night of the 12th, when the mail-bags were landed close to the spot where they lay secreted in the bushes. The mails were accompanied by a military escort, which passed close to them, and which, as soon as it was ascertained that the road was clear, took its departure. Availing themselves of this opportunity, Commodore Bythessea and the stoker attacked the five men in charge of the mail, took three of them prisoners, and brought them in their own boat on board the "Arrogant."</p>

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	<p>The Despatches were carried to General Baraguay d'Hilliers, who expressed himself in the highest terms of approval. (Despatch from Captain Yelverton, inclosed in a letter from Vice-Admiral Sir C. Napier, of 31st January 1856.)</p>
William Johnstone, Stoker.....	<p>This person was the companion of Commander Bythesea in the above-mentioned enterprize. (Despatch from Captain Yelverton, inclosed in a letter from Vice-Admiral Sir C. Napier, of 13th January 1856.)</p>
Charles D. Lucas, Lieutenant.....	<p>This Officer was promoted to his present rank on the 21st of June 1854, for his gallantry in throwing overboard a live shell, at the first attack on the Batteries of Bomarsund. Captain Hall writes to Sir C. Napier :—" With regard to Mr Lucas, I have the pleasure to report a remarkable instance of coolness and presence of mind in action, he having taken up, and thrown overboard, a live shell thrown on board the 'Hecla' by the enemy, while the fuze was burning." (Letter of Captain Hall to Sir C. Napier, 22d June 1854.) Sir Charles Napier, in forwarding Captain Hall's letter, remarks :—" Their Lordships will observe, in Captain Hall's letter, the great courage of Mr C. D. Lucas, in taking up a live shell and throwing it overboard ; and I trust their Lordships will mark their sense of it by promoting him." (Sir C. Napier to Secretary of Admiralty, 28th June 1854.)</p>

ROYAL MARINES.

Name and Rank.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
George Dare Dowell, Lieutenant, R.M.A.	<p>An explosion having occurred in one of the rocket-boats of the "Arrogant," during the attack on some forts near Viborg, Lieutenant Dowell (who was on board the "Ruby" gun-boat, while his own boat was receiving a supply of rockets) was the first to jump into the quarter-boat of the "Ruby," and with three volunteers, himself pulling the stroke-oar, proceeded instantly, under a heavy fire of grape and musketry, to the assistance of the cutter's crew. The Russians endeavoured to prevent his object of saving the men and boat, but Lieutenant Dowell succeeded in taking up three of the boat's crew and placing them on board the "Ruby," and, on his returning to the spot, was mainly instrumental in keeping afloat, and bringing off the sinking cutter. (Despatch from Rear-Admiral Honourable Sir R. S. Dundas, 17th July 1855, and letter from Colonel Wesley, Deputy Adjutant-General of Royal Marines.)</p>
John Pettyjohn, Corporal, R.M. ...	<p>Reported for gallantry at the Battle of Inkerman, having placed himself in an advanced position ; and noticed as having himself shot four Russians. (Despatch from Lieutenant-Colonel Hopkins, Senior Officer of Marines, engaged at Inkerman, and letter from Colonel Wesley, Deputy Adjutant-General.)</p>
Thomas Wilkinson, Bombardier, R.M.A.	<p>Specially recommended for gallant conduct in the advanced Batteries, 7th June 1855, in placing sand-bags to repair the work, under a galling fire ; his name having been sent up on the occasion, as worthy of special notice, by the Commanding Officer of the Artillery of the Right Attack. (Letter from Colonel Wesley, Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Marines.)</p>

ARMY:

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
2d Dragoons	No. 774 Serjeant-Major John Grieve	Saved the life of an Officer, in the Heavy Cavalry Charge at Balaklava, who was surrounded by Russian Cavalry, by his gallant conduct in riding up to his rescue and cutting off the head of one Russian, disabling and dispersing the others.
4th Light Dragoons	No. 635 Private Samuel Parkes.....	In the charge of the Light Cavalry Brigade at Balaklava, Trumpet-Major Crawford's horse fell, and dismounted him, and he lost his sword; he was attacked by two Cossacks, when Private Samuel Parkes (whose horse had been shot) saved his life, by placing himself between them and the Trumpet-Major, and drove them away by his sword. In attempting to follow the Light Cavalry Brigade in the retreat, they were attacked by six Russians, whom Parkes kept at bay, and retired slowly, fighting and defending the Trumpet-Major for some time, until deprived of his sword by a shot.
(Late) 11th Hussars	Lieutenant Alexander Robert Dunn...	For having, in the Light Cavalry Charge on the 25th October 1854, saved the life of Serjeant Bentley, 11th Hussars, by cutting down two or three Russian Lancers who were attacking him from the rear, and afterwards cutting down a Russian Hussar, who was attacking Private Levett, 11th Hussars.
17th Lancers.....	Troop Serjeant-Major John Berryman	Served with his Regiment the whole of the war, was present at the Battle of the Alma, and also engaged in the pursuit at Mackenzie's Farm, where he succeeded in capturing three Russian prisoners, when they were within reach of their own guns. Was present and charged at the Battle of Balaklava, where, his horse being shot under him, he stopped on the field with a wounded Officer (Captain Webb) amidst a shower of shot and shell, although repeatedly told by that Officer to consult his own safety and leave him, but he refused to do so, and on Serjeant John Farrall coming by, with his assistance, carried Captain Webb out of range of the guns. He has also a Clasp for Inkerman.
Land Transport Corps (late) Royal Artillery	Captain Andrew Henry	For defending the guns of his battery against overwhelming numbers of the enemy at the Battle of Inkerman, and continuing to do so until he had received twelve bayonet wounds. He was at the time Serjeant-Major of G. Battery, 2d Division.
Royal Artillery.....	Brevet Lieut.-Colonel Matthew Charles Dixon ...	On the 17th April 1855, about 2 P.M., when the battery he commanded was blown up by a shell from the enemy, which burst in the magazine, destroyed the parapets, killed and wounded ten men, disabled five guns, and covered a sixth with earth; for most gallantly re-opening fire with the remaining gun before the enemy had ceased cheering from their parapets (on which they had mounted) and fighting it until sunset, despite the heavy concentrated fire of the enemy's batteries, and the ruined state of his own.

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Royal Artillery.....	Gunner and Driver Thomas Arthur.....	When in charge of the magazine in one of the left advanced Batteries of the Right Attack on the 7th June 1855, when the Quarries were taken, he, of his own accord, carried barrels of Infantry ammunition for the 7th Fusiliers several times during the evening across the open. Volunteered for, and formed one of the spiking party of Artillery at the assault on the Redan on the 18th June 1855.
Royal Engineers.....	Lieutenant Gerald Graham	Determined gallantry at the head of a Ladder Party, at the assault of the Redan, on the 18th June 1855. Devoted heroism in sallying out of the trenches on numerous occasions, and bringing in wounded Officers and Men.
Royal Engineers.....	Lieutenant D. Lennox	Cool and gallant conduct in establishing a lodgement in Tryon's Rifle Pit, and assisting to repel the assaults of the enemy. This brilliant operation drew forth a special order from General Canrobert.
Royal Engineers.....	No. 997 Corporal John Ross	Distinguished conduct on the 21st July 1855, in connecting the 4th Parallel Right Attack with an old Russian Rifle Pit in front. Extremely creditable conduct on the 23d August 1855, in charge of the advance from the 5th Parallel Right Attack on the Redan, in placing and filling 25 gabions under a very heavy fire, whilst annoyed by the presence of light balls. Intrepid and devoted conduct in creeping to the Redan in the night of the 8th September 1855, and reporting its evacuation, on which its occupation by the English took place.
Royal Engineers.....	No. 1078 Corporal William J. Lendrim	Intrepidity—getting on the top of a magazine, and extinguishing sand-bags which were burning, and making good the breach under fire, on the 11th April 1855. For courage and praiseworthy example in superintending 150 French Chasseurs, on the 14th February 1855, in building No. 9 Battery, Left Attack, and replacing the whole of the capsized gabions under a heavy fire. Was one of four volunteers for destroying the farthest Rifle Pit, on the 20th April.
Royal Engineers.....	No. 854 Sapper John Perie	Conspicuous valour in leading the Sailors with the ladders to the storming of the Redan, on the 18th June 1855. He was invaluable on that day. Devoted conduct in rescuing a wounded man from the open, although he himself had just previously been wounded by a bullet in the side.
Grenadier Guards...	Brevet Major Sir Charles Russell, Bart.	Offered to dislodge a party of Russians from the Sand-bag Battery, if any one would follow him; Serjeant Norman, Privates Anthony Palmer, and Bailey, (who was killed) volunteered the first. The attack succeeded.
3d Bat. Gren. Guards	No. 3571 Private Anthony Palmer.....	Present when the charge was made in defence of the Colours, and also charged singly upon the enemy, as witnessed by Sir C. Russell; is said to have saved Sir C. Russell's life.

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3d Bat. Gren. Guards	No. 5872 Serjeant Alfred Ablett	On the 2d September 1855, seeing a shell fall in the centre of a number of Ammunition-cases and Powder, he instantly seized and threw it outside the trench; it burst as it touched the ground.
Coldstream Guards ...	Brevet Major Gerald Littlehales Goodlake	For distinguished gallantry whilst in command of the sharpshooters furnished by the Coldstream Guards, on the 28th October 1854, on the occasion of "the powerful sortie on the 2d Division," when he held the Windmill Ravine, below the Picquet House, against a much larger force of the enemy. The party of sharpshooters then under his command killed thirty-eight (one an Officer), and took three prisoners of the enemy (of the latter, one an Officer), Major Goodlake being the sole Officer in command. Also, for distinguished gallantry on the occasion of the surprise of a picquet of the enemy, in November, at the bottom of the Windmill Ravine, by the sharpshooters, under his sole leading and command, when the knapsacks and rifles of the enemy's party fell into his hands.
Coldstream Guards ..	No. 3968 Private William Stanlock	For having volunteered, when employed as one of the sharpshooters in October 1854, for reconnoitring purposes, to crawl up within six yards of a Russian sentry, and so enabled the Officer in command to effect a surprise; Private Stanlock having been warned beforehand of the imminent risk which he would run in the adventure.
Coldstream Guards ...	No. 4787 Private George Strong.....	For having, when on duty in the trenches in the month of September 1855, removed a live shell from the place where it had fallen.
Scots Fusilier Guards	Brevet Major Robert James Lindsay	When the formation of the line of the Regiment was disordered at Alma, Captain Lindsay stood firm with the Colours, and by his example and energy, greatly tended to restore order. At Inkerman, at a most trying moment, he, with a few men, charged a party of Russians, driving them back, and running one through the body himself.
Scots Fusilier Guards	No. 3284 Serjeant M'Kechie.....	When the formation of the Regiment was disordered at Alma, for having behaved gallantly, and rallied the men round the Colours.
Scots Fusilier Guards	No. 3368 Private Wm. Reynolds.....	When the formation of the line was disordered at Alma, for having behaved in a conspicuous manner in rallying the men round the Colours.
2d Bat. 1st Regiment	No. 1672 Private Joseph Prosser.....	1st. On the 16th of June 1855, when on duty in the trenches before Sebastopol, for pursuing and apprehending (while exposed to two cross fires) a soldier in the act of deserting to the enemy. 2d. On the 11th August 1855, before Sebastopol, for leaving the most advanced trench, and assisting to carry in a soldier of the 95th Regiment, who lay severely wounded, and unable to move. This gallant and humane act was performed NEW SPY heavy fire from the enemy.



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3d Regiment	Bt. Lieut.-Colonel Frederick Francis Maude.....	For conspicuous and most devoted bravery on the 8th September 1855, when in command of the Covering and Ladder Party of the 2d Division on the assault of the Redan, to which he gallantly led his men. Having entered the Redan, he, with only nine or ten men, held a position between traverses, and only retired when all hope of support was at an end, himself dangerously wounded.
3d Regiment.....	No. 2649 Private John Connors	Distinguished himself most conspicuously at the assault on the Redan, 8th September 1855, in personal conflict with the Russians: rescued an Officer of the 30th Regiment, who was surrounded by Russians, by shooting one and bayonetting another, and was observed inside the Redan, in personal combat with the Russians for some time. Was selected by his Company for the French War Medal.
7th Regiment	No. 1879 Private Mathew Hughes	Private Mathew Hughes, 7th Royal Fusiliers, was noticed by Colonel Campbell, 90th Light Infantry, on the 7th June 1855, at the storming of the Quarries, for twice going for ammunition, under a heavy fire, across the open ground; he also went to the front, and brought in Private John Hampton, who was lying severely wounded; and on the 18th June 1855, he volunteered to bring in Lieutenant Hobson, 7th Royal Fusiliers, who was lying severely wounded, and in the act of doing so, was severely wounded himself.
7th Regiment	No. 3443 Private William Norman.....	On the night of the 19th December 1854, he was placed on single sentry, some distance in front of the advanced sentries of an outlying picquet in the White Horse Ravine, a post of much danger, and requiring great vigilance; the Russian picquet was posted about 300 yards in his front, three Russian soldiers advanced, under cover of the brushwood, for the purpose of reconnoitring. Private William Norman, single-handed, took two of them prisoners, without alarming the Russian picquet.
8th Regiment (late of the 90th Regiment)	Ensign Andrew Moynihan...	When Serjeant, 90th Light Infantry, at the assault of the Redan, 8th September 1855, he personally encountered and killed five Russians. Rescued from near the Redan a wounded Officer, under a heavy fire.
17th Regiment	Corporal (Lance-Serjeant) Philip Smith	For repeatedly going out in the front of the advanced trenches against the Great Redan, on the 18th June 1855, under a very heavy fire, after the column had retired from the assault, and bringing in wounded comrades.

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
19th Regiment	No. 1051 Private John Lyons	For, on the 10th June 1855, taking up a live shell which fell among the guard of the trenches, and throwing it over the parapet.
23d Regiment ,.....	Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward W. D. Bell	Recommended for his gallantry, more particularly at the Battle of the Alma, where he was the first to seize upon and capture one of the enemy's guns, which was limbered up, and being carried off. He, moreover, succeeded to the command of that gallant Regiment, which he brought out of action ; all his Senior Officers having been killed or wounded.
23d Regiment	Lieutenant Luke O'Connor...	Was one of the centre Serjeants at the Battle of the Alma, and advanced between the Officers, carrying the colours. When near the redoubt, Lieutenant Anstruther, who was carrying a colour, was mortally wounded, and he was shot in the breast at the same time, and fell ; but, recovering himself, snatched up the colour from the ground, and continued to carry it till the end of the action, although urged by Captain Granville to relinquish it, and go to the rear, on account of his wound ; was recommended for, and received his commission for his services at the Alma. Also behaved with great gallantry at the assault on the Redan, 8th September 1855, where he was shot through both thighs.
23d Regiment	No. 2945 Corporal Robert Shields.....	For volunteering, on the 8th September 1855, to go out to the front from the 5th Parallel, after the attack on the Redan, to bring in Lieutenant Dyneley, who was wounded, and found afterwards to be mortally so.
34th Regiment.....	No. 3837 Private William Coffey	For having, on the 29th March 1855, thrown a lighted shell, that fell into the trench, over the parapet.
34th Regiment.....	No. 3482 Private John J. Sims	For having, on the 18th June 1855, after the Regiment had retired into the trenches from the assault on the Redan, gone out into the open ground, under a heavy fire, in broad daylight, and brought in wounded soldiers outside the trenches.
41st Regiment.....	Brevet-Major Hugh Rowlands	For rescuing Colonel Haly, of the 47th Regiment, from Russian soldiers, Colonel Haly having been wounded and surrounded by them, and for gallant exertions in holding the ground occupied by his advanced picquet against the enemy, at the commencement of the Battle of Inkerman.
41st Regiment.....	Serj.-Major Ambrose Madden	For having headed a party of men of the 41st Regiment, and having cut off and taken prisoners one Russian Officer and fourteen privates, three of whom he personally and alone captured.

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
44th Regiment.....	No. 2802 Serjeant William M'Wheeney	Volunteered as sharpshooter at the commencement of the siege, and was in charge of the party of the 44th Regiment; was always vigilant and active, and signalised himself on the 20th October 1854, when one of his party, Private John Keane, 44th Regiment, was dangerously wounded in the Woronzoff Road, at the time the sharpshooters were repulsed from the Quarries by overwhelming numbers. Serjeant M'Wheeney, on his return, took the wounded man on his back, and brought him to a place of safety. This was under a very heavy fire. He was also the means of saving the life of Corporal Courtney. This man was one of the sharpshooters, and was severely wounded in the head, 5th December 1854. Serjeant M'Wheeney brought him from under fire, and dug up a slight cover with his bayonet, where the two remained till dark, when they retired. Serjeant M'Wheeney volunteered for the advanced guard of General Eyre's Brigade, in the Cemetery, on the 18th June 1855, and was never absent from duty during the war.
47th Regiment.....	No. 2040 Private John McDermond.....	For saving the life of Colonel Haly, on the 5th November 1854, by his intrepid conduct in rushing up to his rescue when lying on the ground disabled and surrounded by a party of Russians, and killing the man who had disabled him.
49th Regiment.....	Sergeant George Walters ...	Highly distinguished himself at the Battle of Inkerman, in having rescued Brigadier-General Adams, C.B., when surrounded by Russians, one of whom he bayonneted.
49th Regiment.....	Corporal James Owens.....	Greatly distinguished himself on the 30th October 1854, in personal encounter with the Russians, and nobly assisted Major Conolly, Coldstream Guards.
55th Regiment.....	Private Thomas Beach.....	For conspicuous gallantry at the Battle of Inkerman, 5th November 1854, when on picquet, in attacking several Russians who were plundering Lieutenant-Colonel Carpenter, 41st Regiment, who was lying wounded on the ground. He killed two of the Russians, and protected Lieutenant-Colonel Carpenter until the arrival of some men of the 41st Regiment.
55th Regiment.....	Brevet-Major Frederick C. Elton	For distinguished conduct on the night of the 4th August 1855, when in command of a working party in the advanced trenches in front of the Quarries, in encouraging and inciting his men, by his example, to work under a dreadful fire; and when there was some hesitation shown, in consequence of the severity of the fire, going into the open, and working with pick and shovel—thus showing the best possible example to the men. In the words of one of them, "There was not another Officer in the British Army who would have done what Major Elton did that night." In the month of March 1855, Major Elton volunteered, with a small party of men, to drive off a body of Russians who were destroying one of our new detached works, and succeeded in doing so, taking prisoner one of the enemy with his own hands. On the night of the 7th June 1855, Major Elton was the first of his party to leave our trenches, leading his men; when in the Quarries he several times rallied his men around him.

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
57th Regiment	No. 1971 Private Charles McCorrie	On the night of the 23d June 1855, he threw over the parapet a live shell, which had been thrown from the enemy's battery.
68th Regiment	Captain T. de Courcy Hamilton	For having, on the night of the 11th May 1855, during a most determined sortie, boldly charged the enemy with a small force, from a battery of which they had taken possession in great numbers, thereby saving the works from falling into the hands of the enemy. He was conspicuous on this occasion for his gallantry and daring conduct.
68th Regiment	Private John Byrne	At the Battle of Inkerman, when the Regiment was ordered to retire, Private John Byrne went back towards the enemy, and, at risk of his own life, brought in a wounded soldier, under fire. On the 11th May 1855, he bravely engaged in a hand to hand contest with one of the enemy on the parapet of the work he was defending,—prevented the entrance of the enemy, killed his antagonist, and captured his arms.
77th Regiment	No. 2600 Serjeant John Park	For conspicuous bravery at the Battles of Alma and Inkerman. Highly distinguished at the taking of the Russian Rifle Pits, on the night of the 19th April 1855. His valour during that attack called forth the approbation of the late Colonel Egerton. He was severely wounded. Remarked for determined resolution at both attacks on the Redan.
77th Regiment	No. 2289 Private Alex. Wright	For conspicuous bravery through the whole Crimean War. Highly distinguished on the night of the 22d March 1855, in repelling a sortie. Highly distinguished at the taking of the Russian Rifle Pits, on the night of the 19th April 1855 ; remarked for the great encouragement he gave the men while holding the pits under a terrible fire. He was wounded. Highly distinguished on the 30th August 1855, (wounded).
90th Regiment	No. 2932 Private John Alexander	After the attack on the Redan, 18th June 1855, went out of the trenches under a very heavy fire, and brought in several wounded men. Also, when with a working party in the most advanced trench, on 6th September 1855, went out in front of the trenches, under a very heavy fire, and assisted in bringing in Captain Buckley, Scots Fusilier Guards, lying dangerously wounded.
97th Regiment	Brevet-Major Charles Henry Lumley ...	For having distinguished himself highly by his bravery at the assault on the Redan, 8th September 1855, being among the first inside the work, where he was immediately engaged with three Russian gunners reloading a field piece, who attacked him ; he shot two of them with his revolver, when he was knocked down by a stone, which stunned him for the moment, but, on recovery, he drew his sword, and was in the act of cheering the men on, when he received a ball in his mouth, which wounded him most severely.

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
97th Regiment	Serjeant John Colman	Conspicuous for great coolness and bravery on the night of the 30th August 1855, when the enemy attacked a " New Sap " and drove the working party in ; he remained in the open, perfectly exposed to the enemy's rifle pits, until all around him had been killed or wounded. He finally carried one of his Officers, who was mortally wounded, to the rear.
1st Bat. Rifle Brigade	Brevet-Major Hon. Henry H. Clifford...	For conspicuous courage at the Battle of Inkerman, in leading a charge and killing one of the enemy with his sword, disabling another, and saving the life of a soldier.
1st Bat. Rifle Brigade	Captain William James Cuninghame	Highly distinguished at the capture of the Rifle Pits, 20th November 1854. His gallant conduct was recorded in the French General Orders.
1st Bat. Rifle Brigade	Brevet-Major Claude Thomas Bouchier	Highly distinguished at the capture of the Rifle Pits, 20th November 1854. His gallant conduct was recorded in the French General Orders.
1st Bat. Rifle Brigade	Private F. Wheatley	For throwing a live shell over the parapet of the trenches.
2d Bat. Rifle Brigade	Lieutenant John Knox	When serving as a Serjeant in the Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant Knox was conspicuous for his exertions in re-forming the ranks of the Guards at the Battle of the Alma. Subsequently, when in the Rifle Brigade, he volunteered for the ladder-party in the attack on the Redan, on the 18th of June, and (in the words of Captain Blackett, under whose command he was) behaved admirably, remaining on the field until twice wounded.
2d Bat. Rifle Brigade	No. 2074 Private R. McGregor	For courageous conduct when employed as a sharpshooter in the advanced trenches in the month of July 1855 ; a rifle pit was occupied by two Russians, who annoyed our troops by their fire. Private McGregor crossed the open space under fire, and taking cover under a rock, dislodged them, and occupied the pit.
2d Bat. Rifle Brigade	No. 2638 Private Robert Humpston	A Russian rifle pit, situated among the rocks overhanging the Woronzoff Road, between the 3d parallel, Right Attack, and the Quarries, (at that period in possession of the enemy,) was occupied every night by the Russians, and their Riflemen commanded a portion of the Left Attack, and impeded the work in a new battery then being erected on the extreme right front of the 2d parallel, Left Attack. It was carried in daylight on the 22d of April 1855, by two Riflemen, one of whom was Private Humpston ; he received a gratuity of 5 <i>l</i> ., and was promoted. The rifle pit was subsequently destroyed on further support being obtained.

Regiment.	Rank and Name.	Act of Bravery for which recommended.
2d Bat. Rifle Brigade	No. 3471 Private Joseph Bradshaw.....	A Russian rifle pit, situated among the rocks overhanging the Woronzoff Road, between the 3d parallel, Right Attack, and the Quarries, (at that period in possession of the enemy,) was occupied every night by the Russians, and their Riflemen commanded a portion of the left Attack, and impeded the work in a new battery then being erected on the extreme right front of the 2d parallel, Left Attack. It was carried in daylight on the 22d of April 1855, by two Riflemen, one of whom was Private Bradshaw; he has since received the French War Medal. The rifle pit was subsequently destroyed on further support being obtained.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

February 19, 1857.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that His Royal Highness Prince Albert will, by the desire of Her Majesty, hold a Levee at St James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Thursday the 12th of March next, at two o'clock :—

It is Her Majesty's pleasure that presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered equivalent to presentations to The Queen.

Addresses to The Queen may either be forwarded to Her Majesty through the Secretary of State for the Home Department, or may be reserved until Her Majesty shall hold a Levee.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE LEVEE AT
ST JAMES'S PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who purpose to attend the Levee at St James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twelve o'clock on the Tuesday previous to the Levee, or on any earlier day, between the hours of eleven and four, in order that they may be submitted for approbation; it being Her Majesty's command that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above Regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them.

The State Apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court until half-past one o'clock.

ST JAMES'S PALACE, February 22, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard, Lord Cremorne, to be one of the Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Charles Somers, Earl Somers, resigned.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, February 20, 1857.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Alison, Esq., now Oriental Secretary, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, February 21, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Francis Stacker Dutton, as Consul for South Australia, to reside at Adelaide, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr William Deane Seymour as Consul at Queens-town for His Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Oldenburg.

DOWNING-STREET, February 23, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles John Bayley, Esq. to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Bahama Islands.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Humphry Sandwith, Esq. C.B., to be Colonial Secretary for the Island of Mauritius.

WHITEHALL, February 10, 1857.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed David Black, of Brighton, in the County of Sussex, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

CROWN-OFFICE, February 23, 1857.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Kent.

Western Division.

Charles Wykeham Martin, Esq. in the room of Sir Edmund Filmer, Bart., deceased.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,

February 24, 1857.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—Francis George Augustus Fuller, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Bulkeley, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

11th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant Arthur Lyttleton Annesley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Dallas Yorke, who retires. Dated 24th February 1857.

Cornet William Cuninghame to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Annesley. Dated 24th February 1857.

William Edward Shaw, gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Dimsdale, deceased. Dated 24th February 1857.

16th Light Dragoons—William Richard Corballis, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Duffield, appointed to the 5th Dragoon Guards. Dated 24th February 1857.

MILITARY TRAIN.

To be Captains.

Captain Thomas Rowland, from half-pay 1st Foot. Dated 20th February 1857.

Captain H. Hope A'Court Inglefield, from half-pay 14th Foot. Dated 20th February 1857.

Lieutenant Thomas Penton, from 12th Light Dragoons. Dated 20th February 1857.

To be Ensign.

Cornet Nathaniel Burslem, from the Land Transport Corps. Dated 20th February 1857.

Royal Artillery—Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Matthew Combe, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 24th February 1857.

1st Regiment of Foot—Lieutenant Charles J. Tuffnell Oakes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Kirk, who retires. Dated 9th January 1857.

Captain Thomas John Gregory, from half-pay 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice Oakes, placed upon half-pay. Dated 9th January 1857.

14th Foot—Edward John Briscoe, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Beamish, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

Lieutenant George Bridges has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 24th February 1857.

Ensign Iver McIver to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mathews, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

18th Foot—Ensign Charles Norris Fry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shaw, whose promotion by purchase, on the 9th January 1857, has been cancelled. Dated 24th February 1857.

21st Foot—Lieutenant William Cairnes to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 4th February 1857.

Charles Robin Hammond, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Cook, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

For, John Urquhart, Esq. late Paymaster British Swiss Legion, to be Paymaster, vice Hawker, appointed to a Depot Battalion, which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th ultimo;

Read, Captain John Urquhart, late Staff Paymaster British Swiss Legion, to be Paymaster, &c.

24th Foot—John Moore Gurnell Tongue, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Birch, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

30th Foot—Lieutenant Henry L'Estrange Herring to be Adjutant, vice G.H. Sanders, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 24th February 1857.

43d Foot—Lieutenant Robert Coke Glover to be Captain, without purchase, vice Bruere, deceased. Dated 30th January 1857.

Ensign Thomas Elmes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Glover. Dated 30th January 1857.

Ensign John Evelyn Kingston Morley, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Elmes, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

46th Foot—Captain Richard Lluellyn, from half-pay, 46th Foot, to be Captain, vice Wombwell, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 24th February 1857.

54th Foot—Dudley B. Coppinger, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice F. A. Campbell, appointed to 60th Foot. Dated 24th February 1857.

56th Foot—Julius Lovell, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice H. H. Taylor, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

60th Foot—Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, George Waterloo Pennington Sparrow, from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Eaton, placed upon half-pay. Dated 24th February 1857.

66th Foot—Lieutenant Richard Thomas Hughes to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 5th February 1857.

67th Foot—Serjeant-Major John Staniforth to be Quartermaster, vice Crispin, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 24th February 1857.

73d Foot—Serjeant-Major Jonathan Gortly Scott to be Quartermaster, vice Carson, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 24th February 1857.

79th Foot—William Henry McCausland, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Adcock, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

90th Foot—Lieutenant Leonard H. Lloyd Irby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Close, who retires. Dated 24th February 1857.

Ensign George Edward Perryn to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Irby. Dated 24th February 1857.

John Williamson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Perryn. Dated 24th February 1857.

1st West India Regiment—Ensign William Alexander Dobie, from the 79th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coota, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

2d West India Regiment—Charles Edward Russell, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice D'Arcy, deceased. Dated 24th February 1857.

Cape Mounted Rifles—Walter J. Wyatt, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Rorke, promoted. Dated 24th February 1857.

STAFF.

Veterinary-Surgeon George Western has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 24th February 1857.

PROVISIONAL BATTALION (Chatham).

To be Majors.

Major Arthur Wombwell, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 24th February 1857.

Major Henry Disney Ellis, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 24th February 1857.

UNATTACHED.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Sankey, 47th Foot, to have the Substantive

Rank of Major, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 24th February 1857.

Brevet-Major Arthur Wombwell, 46th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 24th February 1857.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Patrick Joseph Clarke, from half-pay, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class. Dated 24th February 1857.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class William Thomas Black, from half-pay, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Reynolds, appointed to the Military Train. Dated 24th February 1857.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon John Wood, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February 1857.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Muschamp, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February 1857.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Pratt Woodfull, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February 1857.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel Godfrey Charles Mundy, upon half-pay Unattached, to have the local rank of Major-General while in the command of the troops in the Island of Jersey. Dated 24th February 1857.

The undermentioned Quartermasters, retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of 17th December 1855 :

Quartermaster George Crispin, half-pay 67th Foot. Dated 24th February 1857.

Quartermaster John Carson, half-pay 73d Foot. Dated 24th February 1857.

ADMIRALTY, February 20, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

The following promotions have taken place, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th September 1854, in consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General Sir John Owen, K.C.B., on the Fixed Establishment of General Officers of the Royal Marines ; viz. —

Major-General Samuel Burdon Ellis, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General.

Colonel Commandant Fortescue Graham, C.B., to be Major-General, vice Ellis, promoted.

BREVET.

In consequence of the promotion of Major-General Graham, the undermentioned Officers, on the Retired full-pay List of the Royal Marines, to be Major-Generals, Major-General Graham having stood below them on the Effective Establishment of the Corps when they retired ; viz. —

Brevet-Colonel James Clark. Dated February 1857.

Brevet-Colonel John Tothill. Dated February 1857.

ADMIRALTY, February 20, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Colonel Second Commandant Thomas Hurdle, C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Graham, promoted.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Anderson to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Hurdle, promoted.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Colt Langley, Assistant Adjutant-General of the Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September 1854.

Captain George Walkup Congdon to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Anderson, promoted.

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

John Labouchere, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th February 1857.

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

Castlemartin Yeomanry Cavalry.

Decimus Williams Byers, Esq. to be Lieutenant, vice F. L. S. M. Baron de Rutzen Frenzt, promoted. Dated 27th January 1857.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Captain Frederick John Parry to be Major, vice Walker, resigned. Dated 3d February 1857.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Warwickshire Militia.

1st Regiment.

Harry Hazlett Ramsdale, Esq. to be Ensign, vice Ensign Charles John Sale, resigned. Dated 30th January 1857.

2d Regiment.

Ensign Stephen Troughear Cragg to be Lieutenant, vice George W. Plevins, resigned. Dated 18th February 1857.

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

Northumberland Regiment of Infantry Militia.

Lord Charles Beauclerk, late Captain in the 1st Royals, to be Major, vice Browne, resigned. Dated 19th February 1857.

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

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Charles Edward Hopton, Esq. late Captain in the 23d Fusiliers, to be Captain, vice Winnington, promoted.

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

Royal Aberdeenshire Regiment of Militia.

George Morison, Esq. M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Balfour, deceased. Dated 16th February 1857.

BANKRUPTS FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

Robert Ashworth, of Vale Mill in Newchurch, in Rossendale, Lancaster, cotton spinner and manufacturer.

BANKRUPTCY AWARDED.

Edwin Shepherd and Walter Shepherd, of No. 12, Crane Court, Fleet Street, London, lace manufacturers, lately in copartnership with Alfred Shepherd, of the same place.



- ✓ William Sadgrove, the younger, and Richard Ragg, of Eldon Street, Finsbury, Middlesex, and Dunning's Alley, Bishopsgate Street, London, cabinet makers and upholsterers, carrying on business under the style and firm of Sadgrove and Ragg.
- ✓ Frederick Francis Shaw, of No. 253, Blackfriars Road, Surrey, ironmonger.
- ✓ Sleater Geoghegan, of No. 7, Palsgrave Place, Strand, Middlesex, engraver, printer, and stationer.
- ✓ Robert Graves, of Windmill Street, Gravesend, Kent, corn and flour merchant.
- ✓ Joshua Downing Stanbury, of Richmond, Surrey, draper.
- ✓ Thomas White, the younger, of Portsmouth, and of Gosport, both in Southampton, ship builder, and engineer.
- ✓ Frederick Morse, of No. 2, Dunster Court, Mincing Lane, London, rice and spice merchant, trading under the style or firm of Frederick Morse & Company.
- ✓ Samuel Smith, of Derby, iron merchant.
- ✓ Thomas King, of Spalding, Lincoln, licensed victualler.
- ✓ William Smith, of Mansfield, Nottingham, licensed victualler, heretofore also carrying on business at the same place, as a confectioner, in partnership with one John Brown.
- ✓ James Griffiths, of Bristol, and of Cardiff, Glamorgan, builder.
- ✓ Robert Spendlove, of Sheffield, York, horse and cattle dealer.
- ✓ Francis Bee, of Sheffield, York, table knife manufacturer.
- ✓ Lorenz Theodor Wang, of Sunderland, Durham, timber merchant.
- ✓ James Armstrong, of Berwick-upon-Tweed, linen and woollen draper, carrying on business under the firm or style of Smith & Armstrong.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

Office of Her Majesty's Paymaster-General,
Whitehall, February 24, 1857.

THE Exchequer Bills, dated in the Month of March 1856, (per Act 18 Vict., cap. 8, Anno 1855,) with the Interest due thereon, will be paid off on the 16th March 1857, when the Interest will cease.

Such Bills will be received at this Office daily, from half-past Ten till Three o'clock, until the 9th day of March 1857, inclusive.

Printed Forms, containing instructions for the preparation of the Lists, and the arrangement of the Bills, may be obtained on application at this Office.

The bearers must endorse each Bill with their usual signatures, and they must insert their names and addresses in each List; and where the names of holders are inserted in the Bills, the indorsements of such holders must also be obtained previously to their Lists and Bills being left for examination.

New Bills, bearing Interest at the rate of Twopence Halfpenny by the day, upon every One Hundred Pounds, and dated the said 16th day of March 1857, may be obtained in payment of the principal of the whole, or part, of the Exchequer Bills issued under the Act above-mentioned, on the claimants specifying in their Lists the amount of new Bills required by them.

The new Bills, together with the Interest on the Bills left on or before the said 9th day of March for exchange, will be issued on the 17th day of March 1857; the bearers must attend at this Office to sign receipts for the payment of Principal and Interest.

Payment, in money, may be obtained at this Office for any of the said Exchequer Bills, previously to the said 16th day of March 1857, upon the claimants leaving the Bills for examination one day prior to that on which such payment is desired.

N.B.—All Exchequer Bills dated prior to March 1856, have been previously advertised to be paid off.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS & CREDITORS.

JOHN RITCHIE, Draper, 81½, South Bridge, Edinburgh, having executed a Trust-Disposition in favour of a Trustee for behoof of all his just and lawful Creditors, all Persons having Claims against him are requested to lodge a note of the same, with a declaration of verity thereto, in the hands of the Subscribers, within two months from this date; and all Debtors to the estate are required to make payment of their accounts forthwith to

THOMSONS, RITCHIE, & CRAIG,
Factors for the Trustees.

70, George Square,
Glasgow, February 26, 1857.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN CAMERON, Paper-Maker, formerly residing at Glenesk, near Loanhead, in the County of Edinburgh, and now or lately residing at No. 17, Dundas Street, Edinburgh, one of the Partners of the Company of CAMERON & COMPANY, Paper-Makers at Springfield Mills, near Loanhead, in the County of Edinburgh, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, as Trustee on the said estate, brought down to the 25th instant, with state of the funds belonging to the sequestrated estate, has been made up by him, and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute: That the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend until the next statutory period, and dispensed with intimation thereof to the Creditors by circulars.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, February 25, 1857.

JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DAVID THOMSON, Merchant in Tranent, hereby intimates, that a state of his intromissions with the funds of said estate, brought down to 25th current, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed a declaration of a dividend till the next statutory period, and instructed the Trustee to dispense with circulars to Creditors.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, February 26, 1857,
61, Prince's Street.

JOHN EWAN, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of CHARLES SMITH & COMPANY, Merchants and Flaxspinners in Dundee, and Charles Smith, Merchant and Flaxspinner in Dundee, one of the Partners of that Company, as a Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the said estates, brought down to the 14th current, and state of the funds recovered as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estates, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a second dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for doing so, and dispensed with sending circular letters to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN EWAN, Trustee.

Dundee, February 25, 1857.

JAMES MURRAY, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee, on the sequestrated estate of THOMAS BEST, lately Merchant in Aberdeen, and presently residing there, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 8th current, and state of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend, and have dispensed with the Trustee sending circulars containing an abstract of the said state to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAS. MURRAY, Trustee.

Aberdeen, February 19, 1857.

ERRATUM in Gazette of 13th February 1857.—In the Sequestration of HUGH M'MAHON, Clothier, Blairgowrie, the last day for Creditors to lodge their oaths and grounds of debt was made the 7th day of June 1857, instead of the 12th day of June 1857.

THE Estates of DONALD LAMONT, Farmer and Grazier at Stronchavie, in the Parish of Moulin, and County of Perth, were sequestrated on the 25th day of February 1857, by the Sheriff of the County of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 25th day of February 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday the 7th day of March 1857, within Fisher's Inn, Pitlochry.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 24th day of June next.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the said meeting of Creditors for election of Trustee.

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

JAMES MITCHELL, Agent, Pitlochry.

Perth, February 25, 1857.

THE Estates of JOHN McNICOLL, Boot and Shoe Maker, George Street, Perth, were sequestrated on the 25th day of February 1857, by the Sheriff of the County of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 25th day of February 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Saturday the 7th day of March 1857, within the Procurators' Library, County Buildings, in Perth.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 24th day of June 1857.

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

JOHN KIPPEN, Agent,

64, John Street, Perth.

NOTICE.

THE Estates of GEORGE F. RUTHERFURD & COMPANY, Brewers and Malsters, Commercial Road, Hutchesontown, Glasgow, as a Company, and of George Fletcher Rutherford, the only Individual Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 26th day of February 1857.

The first deliverance is dated the said 26th day of February 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Saturday the 7th day of March 1857, within the Globe Hotel, George Square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of June 1857.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

TAYLOR & CRAIG, Agents.

20, St Vincent Place,
Glasgow, February 26, 1857.

THE Estates of JOHN MACKAY, formerly Commercial Traveller in Glasgow, and now Commission Agent in Union Street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 26th day of February 1857.

The first deliverance is dated 26th February 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday the 9th day of March 1857, within the Victoria Hotel, West George Street, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of June 1857.

Personal Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment was granted to the Bankrupt until the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

JOHN WALLS, S.S.C., Agent,

9, London Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES CARMICHAEL, Corn Merchant and Commission Agent in Dundee, and Farmer at Kirkton of Monikie, in the Parish of Monikie, and County of Forfar.

WILLIAM STIVEN, Accountant in Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Gordon, one of the Partners of the Firm of Gordon Brothers & Company, Corn Merchants in Dundee, John Milne, Corn Merchant, Dundee, and James Galletly, Commission Agent, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Dundee, on Monday the 9th day of March next, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the British Hotel, Dundee, on Tuesday the 17th day of March next, at one o'clock afternoon.

WM. STIVEN, Trustee.

Dundee, February 25, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of the Deceased JAMES HOWIE, lately Farmer at Midton, in the Parish of Craigie, and County of Ayr.

JAMES SMITH GREGORY, Accountant in Kilmarnock, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Alexander Moir, Farmer in Woodhill, Parish of Tarbolton, James Clark, Merchant in Kilmarnock, and James Fergusson, Slater in Ayr, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House at Kilmarnock, on Wednesday the 11th day of March next, at 11 o'clock. The Creditors will meet in the Office of D. R. Andrews, 19, King Street, Kilmarnock, on Wednesday the 18th day of March next, at one o'clock; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and claims will require to be lodged in the hands of the Trustee on or before 26th March 1857.

JAS. S. GREGORY.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of HILLSON, TURNER, & COMPANY, Clothiers, North Bridge Street, Edinburgh, and George Hillson, residing in North Bridge Street, Edinburgh, and James Turner, residing in Roxburgh Terrace there, the Individual Partners of the said Company.

GEORGE WILLIAMSON, Warehouseman in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and John Morrison, Writer, Glasgow, James Poland Millar, Commission Agent there, and James Lumsden, Warehouseman there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff-Court-Room, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 5th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Dowells & Lyon's Rooms, 18, George Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 13th day of March next, at one o'clock afternoon.

GEORGE WILLIAMSON, Trustee.

February 25, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of RODERICK MACKENZIE, of Muirhouse, in the County of Edinburgh, now deceased.

ALEXANDER WEIR ROBERTSON, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate, in room of Robert Crawford, Writer, Edinburgh, resigned.

ALEX. W. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

82, Great King Street,
Edinburgh, February 27, 1857.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES M'KAY, Draper in Dumfries.

JAMES HALLIDAY, Ironmonger in Dumfries, Commissioner on the sequestrated estates of the said James M'Kay, do hereby intimate, that the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire has appointed a general meeting of the Creditors on the said estates to be held within the Writing-Chambers of Messrs Threshie & Simpson, Writers, Irish Street, Dumfries, on Monday the 9th day of March 1857, at noon, for the purpose of electing a new Trustee, in room of Thomas Crichton, sometime Joint Agent and Cashier of the Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland at Dumfries, now deceased.

JAMES HALLIDAY.

Dumfries, February 26, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MATHER, Surgeon and Druggist in Haddington.

JAMES ARMSTRONG, Draper, Haddington, the Trustee, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held in the George Inn, Haddington,

on Thursday the 12th March 1857, at 12 o'clock noon, to decide upon an offer of composition made by the Bankrupt, and entertained at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 16th February current.

JAMES ARMSTRONG, Trustee.
Haddington, February 26, 1857.

WILLIAM MONCREIFF, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of R. B. NEILL & COY., Merchants in Leith, as a Company, and of the late Robert Bruce Neill, as an Individual, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within his Chambers, No. 59, George Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 24th day of March next, at one o'clock p.m., to consider as to an application for his discharge.

W. MONCREIFF, Trustee.
Edinburgh, February 25, 1857.

AS Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN CAMERON, Paper-Maker, formerly residing at Glenesk, near Loanhead, in the County of Edinburgh, and now or lately residing at No. 17, Dundas Street, Edinburgh, one of the Partners of the Company of CAMERON & COMPANY, Paper-Makers at Springfield Mills, near Loanhead, in the County of Edinburgh, and as an Individual, I hereby call a meeting of the Creditors, Claimants on the said estate, to be held within my Chambers, No. 24, St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 11th day of March next, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving my Report on the matters remitted to me by the last meeting of Creditors, and of determining on the course to be adopted thereanent.

Edinburgh, February 25, 1857. D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of WILLOCK & LIVINGSTON, Ironmongers, Smiths, Tinsmiths, Gasfitters, and Bellhangers, Argyle Street, Glasgow, and Plumbers and Builders at Govan, near Glasgow, as a Company, and Hugh Douglas Willock and William Livingstone, Ironmongers, Smiths, Tinsmiths, Gasfitters, and Bellhangers, Glasgow, and Plumbers and Builders, Govan, near Glasgow, the Individual Partners of such Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th instant, has 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: Further, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-House, No. 42, West George Street, Glasgow, on the 11th day of April next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.
Glasgow, February 26, 1857.

NOTICE.

AS Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN ROY, Grocer in Stirling, I hereby intimate, that an account of my intromissions with the funds of the estate, and states of the funds recovered, have been made up, examined, and approved of by the Commissioners on said estate; that I have examined the claims, and made a list of the Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate. Farther, that a first and final dividend of One Shilling One Penny Three-farthings per Pound, will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Writing-Chambers of Messrs Chrystal & Monteath, Writers, Port Street, Stirling, on or after the 4th day of March next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

PATRICK G. MORISON, Trustee.
Stirling, February 21, 1857.

ROBERT MORISON, Accountant in Perth, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ROBERT KILGOUR, sometime Writer in Perth, deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th instant, and states of the funds as at 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 10th instant, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked

on the funds of the said estate. Further, that a second and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Chambers, Blackfriars Street, Perth, on Saturday the 11th day of April next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBERT MORISON, Trustee.
Perth, February 24, 1857.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

Mrs MARGARET MUIRHEAD or M'PHERSON, lately Innkeeper, Argyll Hotel, Dunoon, Relict of Hector M'Pherson, formerly Innkeeper there.

JOHN MILLAR, Banker in Dunoon, Trustee for behoof of said Creditors, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, and a scheme of division of the realized funds among those Creditors already ranked on the Trust-Estate, will lie at the Western Bank's Office in Dunoon, for three weeks from this date, for the inspection of all interested: That if any Creditors whose debts were contracted at or prior to the 5th of September last, have omitted to lodge their claims, these, if accompanied by detailed accounts, duly verified, will be received by him during the currency of the said three weeks: That an amended scheme of division will lie for inspection at the said Bank's Office for ten days after the expiration of the said three weeks; and that, upon the 30th of March next, he will be prepared to pay to the Creditors a first and final dividend, agreeably to said amended scheme of division.

Dunoon, February 24, 1857.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of ALEXANDER LAW, Coal Merchant in Glasgow.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, Alexander Law, above designed, hereby intimates, that he has presented a Petition to the said Sheriff at Glasgow, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the sequestration of his estates, in terms of the Statute.

ALEX. LAW.

Glasgow, February 26, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER GILLAN, Farmer, Ballimore, in the Parish of Abernethy, and Grazier, Sheep, and Cattle Dealer there.

WILLIAM FLEMING, Banker in Grantown, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th February current, and a state of the funds received and outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; who have postponed the payment of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular notices to the Creditors.

WM. FLEMING, Trustee.

Grantown, February 21, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER MACDOWALL, Writer, Banker, Trader, Underwriter, and Insurance Broker in Glasgow.

WILLIAM AULD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Alexander MacDowall, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 12th current, has been made up by him, and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Further, that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of any dividend until next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

WILLIAM AULD, Trustee.

Glasgow, February 26, 1857.

GEORGE M'FARLANE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of SAMUEL PORTER, Wool Dealer in Newton-Stewart, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed a dividend till the recurrence of another stated period for making the same.

GEO. M'FARLANE, Trustee.

Glasgow, February 27, 1857.

NOTICE.

DAVID DOBSON, Spirit-Dealer, Auctioneer, and Appraiser, Wright, and Undertaker, West Preston Street, Edinburgh, and one of the Partners of the Firm of Dobson & Co., Wrights and Undertakers there, presently Prisoner in the Prison of Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Edinburgh, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 31st day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

RICH, ARTHUR, S.S.C., Petitioner's Agent.
Edinburgh, February 27, 1857.

GEORGE GRAYSTONE, now or lately Officer of Excise, sometime residing in Staindrop, in the County of Durham, thereafter in Aberdeen, and lately Spirit-Dealer in Leith, and now residing in Edinburgh, has applied by Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Edinburgh for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum; and the Sheriff has fixed Wednesday the 1st day of April next (1857), at 12 o'clock noon, within the Sheriff-Court-House, County Buildings, Edinburgh, for the Petitioner's examination, when his Creditors are required to attend,—all in terms of the Statute.

PAT. S. BEVERIDGE, S.S.C., Agent.
Edinburgh, February 27, 1857.

MARY ANN HENDRIE or **THOMSON**, late of Elder Street, Edinburgh, and present Prisoner in the Prison of Edinburgh, has raised a process of Cessio Bonorum in the Court of Session against her Creditors, which Summons will be enrolled in the First Division of the Court; and the Creditors are hereby required to appear within thirty days from the date of this Notice, if so advised.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ANDREW HILL, W.S., Agent,
February 27, 1857.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Glasgow, February 25, 1857.

THE Copartnership of **BROWN & BROOM**, which carried on Business as Quartermasters at Huntershill, and of which the Subscriber William Broom, and the deceased Andrew Brown, Bishopbriggs, were sole

Partners, was DISSOLVED by the death of Mr Brown, on 19th November 1854; and his Representatives have no interest in the Business carried on by Mr Broom, under the Firm of **BROWN & BROOM**.

WILLIAM BROOM.

FRANCIS BROWN,
JAMES STEVENSON, } A quorum of the
ALEX. CAMPBELL, } Trustees of the
JOHN M'ALLISTER, } late **ANDREW BROWN.**

ROBERT ROSS, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

ANDREW GRAY, Clerk-at-Law, Glasgow, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the Firm or Copartnership carried on by us, under the Name and Designation of **WILSON & THOM**, Drapers, No. 130, George's Street, Aberdeen, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent; and that the debts due by the said Firm will be discharged by me, the said Alexander Hay Wilson, the sole remaining Partner, to whom all debts due to the said Firm are requested to be paid.

Witness our hands at Aberdeen, this 14th day of February 1857 years.

ALEXANDER HAY WILSON.
JAMES THOM.

JAMES SMITH, Writer, Aberdeen, Witness.

GEORGE BROWN, Merchant, Aberdeen, Witness.

Edinburgh, February 24, 1857.

THE Trustees and Executors of the late Mr **ROBERT LAURIE**, Merchant, of No. 21, Claremont Crescent, Edinburgh, hereby intimate, that they, as his Representatives, ceased to have any share or interest in the Business carried on under the Firm of **LAURIE SON & CO.**, at Quality Street, Leith, or in the Business carried on under the Firm of **LAURIE, SOMERVAIL, & CO.**, at St Enoch Square, Glasgow, from and after the 31st day of December 1856.

JAMES NEWTON, for myself and the other Trustees and Executors of the said Robert Laurie.

AND. MARSHALL, Witness.

JOHN MACJERROW, Witness.

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

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