

The undermentioned Acting-Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services:—

William Ringrose Gore, M.D. Dated 1st January 1857.

John Douglas Tapin. Dated 10th March 1857.

BREVET.

Colonel John Eyre, Retired full-pay of the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 23d February 1857.

The following promotions to take place in consequence of Major-General John E. Dupuis, C.B., the Senior Supernumerary General Officer of the Royal Artillery, having been placed upon the Fixed Establishment of Major-Generals for the Ordnance Department:—

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Vance Young Donaldson, half-pay Unattached, to be Colonel. Dated 4th February 1857.

Brevet-Major Edmund Roche, half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th February 1857.

Captain Patrick D. Stokes, half-pay 4th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 4th February 1857.

The undermentioned Officer having completed three years' service on the 17th October 1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be promoted to be Colonel in the Army, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Monkland, 74th Foot. Dated 17th October 1856,

Captain Thomas de Courcy Hamilton, of the 68th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 10th March 1857.

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

James Bevan Bowen, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th March 1857,

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

2d Regiment of the Royal Surrey Militia.

Frederick Henry Scott, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 2d March 1857.

BANKRUPTS FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY DISMISSED AND ANNULLED.

✓ Charles George, of Weston-super-Mare, Somerset, grocer.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

✓ Maurice Meyer and Sigismund Seckel, trading under the firm of Meyer & Co., of No. 30, Newgate Street, London, general merchants.

✓ William Joseph White and Lacy Bathurst, of Regent Street, Westminster, drapers and silk mercers.

✓ William Wilson and Henry Wilson, of No. 19, Foley Place, Portland Place, Middlesex, bookbinders.

✓ Benjamin Collis, of Bishops Stortford, Herts, draper.

✓ Daniel Smith, of No. 2, Harriet Street, Sloane Street, Chelsea, Middlesex, apothecary and surgeon.

✓ Charles Robinson, of No. 133, Strand, Middlesex, masonic jeweller.

✓ John Taylor, of Sheffield, York, auctioneer.

✓ William Tweedale, of Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancaster, grocer.

✓ Charles Healey, of Manchester, Lancaster, wholesale clothier and marine store dealer.

✓ Robert Taylor, of Sunderland, Durham, draper, trading under the style or firm of Robert Taylor & Company.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that a Petition has been presented to the First Division of the Court of Session (Mr Currie, Clerk), by ROBERT DUNDAS, Esquire of Arniston, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands, Baronies, and Others, known as the Estate of ARNISTON, lying in the Shire of Edinburgh, in terms of the Act 11th & 12th Victoria, cap. 36, entitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' praying their Lordships, *inter alia*, to find and declare that the Improvements on the said Entailed Estate of Arniston, amounting to the sum of L.4,439 : 18 : 5, and the repairs, additions to and improvements on the Mansion-House and Offices of Arniston, amounting to the sum of L.1,038 : 13 : 7, all executed by the Petitioner as therein mentioned subsequent to the 14th day of August 1848, are Improvements of the nature contemplated by the Act 10th George III, cap. 51; and that the said expenditure, or such other sum or sums as may be ascertained by their Lordships to have been expended, was *bona fide* made by the Petitioner as Heir of Entail in possession of the said Estates, and that the same, together with a sum of L.2,797, 17s. 7½d. being three-fourth parts of the sum of L.3,730 : 10 : 2, contained in a Decree of Declarator and Payment, dated 14th July 1842, obtained by the Petitioner in an Action before the Court of Session at his instance with consent of his Curators, in terms of the said Act 10th Geo. III, cap. 51, against Thomas Dundas, the Petitioner's immediate younger brother, and then and now next Heir of Entail entitled to succeed to him in the said Estates, do not exceed the amount authorised by the said last-mentioned Act; and to grant warrant to, and authorise the Petitioner to execute in favor of any Party or Parties he may think fit, (1st.) A Bond or Bonds of Annualrent in ordinary form, over the said Entailed Estates, or any portion thereof, other than the Mansion-House, Offices, and Policies thereof, binding himself and the Heirs of Tailzie to make payment of an Annualrent during the period of his own life and twenty-five years thereafter,—such Annualrent during his own life not exceeding the legal interest of the said sum of L.2,797 : 17 : 7½, and during the twenty-five years after the Petitioner's decease, the said interest not exceeding the sum of L.7 : 2s. for every L.100 of the said sum; and (2d.) A Bond or Bonds of Annualrent in common form, over the said Entailed Estates, or any portion thereof, other than the Mansion-House, Offices, and Policies thereof, binding himself and his Heirs of Tailzie to make payment of an Annualrent during the period of twenty-five years from and after the date of the Decree to be pronounced by their Lordships in said Petition, finding that the said expenditure has been made, and declaring the sum in respect of which said Bond of Annualrent is to be granted,—such Annualrent not exceeding the sum of L.7 : 2s. for every L.100 of the whole of the foresaid sums of L.4,439 : 18 : 5, and L.1,038 : 13 : 7, being the whole of the sums expended by the Petitioner as aforesaid, or such parts thereof as shall be found in the course of the proceedings to follow on said Petition, to be the sums with which the Petitioner is entitled to charge the said Estates for Improvements executed subsequent to the passing of the said Act 11th & 12th Victoria, cap. 36, or for such other sums as shall, together with the said sum of L.2,797 : 17 : 7½, not exceed the amount of four years' free rent of the said Estates, in so far as relates to the Improvements on the said Lands and Estates, and two years' free rent of the said Estates, in so far as relates to Improvements on the said Mansion-House and Offices,—the Annualrents