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WAR-OFFICE, December 5, 1859.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Major Harry Burnett Lumsden, of the Bengal Army, lately employed on a mission to Candahar, and Major William Henry Rodes Green, of the Bombay Army, employed on special duties in Upper Scinde, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

WAR-OFFICE, December 6, 1859.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of

- Robert Gilmour Colquhoun, Esq. Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt;
- Joseph Tucker Crawford, Esq. Her Majesty's Consul-General at the Havana;
- John Rice Crowe, Esq. Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Kingdom of Norway;
- John Ward, Esq. Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Dominions of the King of Saxony;
- Sir Anthony Perrier, Knt., Her Majesty's Consul at Brest; and
- Harry Smith Parkes, Esq. Her Majesty's Consul at Shanghai;

to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

WHITEHALL, December 5, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to order a writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for summoning Hugh Fortescue, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Ebrington), to the House of Peers, by the style and title of Baron Fortescue, of Castle Hill, in the county of Devon.

WHITEHALL, December 5, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters-patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto Edward Stephen Dendy, Esq. Rouge Dragon Pursuivant of Arms, the office of Chester Herald, vacant by the promotion of Walter Aston Blount, Esq. to the office of Norroy King of Arms.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, December 5, 1859.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr John Vans Agnew as Consul at Madras for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
December 5, 1859.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Vienna, enclosing a translation of an Austrian Decree restricting the Customs line of the Free Port of Fiume to the part of the town situated upon the right bank of the River Fiumara.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,  
December 6, 1859.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

- Commissariat Clerk Edmund John Johnstone to be Deputy Assistant-Commissary-General. Dated 11th November 1859.
- Commissariat Clerk Paul George Frederick Furse to be Deputy Assistant-Commissary-General. Dated 11th November 1859.

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

7th Company of Surrey Rifle Volunteers.  
Marcus Beresford, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 30th November 1859.

5th Company of Surrey Rifle Volunteers.  
Andrew Sigson, Esq. to be Honorary Surgeon. Dated 30th November 1859.

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

7th Middlesex Rifle Volunteers.  
Alfred James Ebsworth, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 26th November 1859.



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

Oxfordshire Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Eyre William Hussey, Esq. of Christ Church, to be Ensign of the 2d Company. Dated 3d December 1859.

Edward Cecil Coney, Esq. of Corpus Christi College, to be Ensign of the 3d Company. Dated 3d December 1859.

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

1st Company Berks Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Stephens, Junior, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th November 1859.

Charles Simonds, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 30th November 1859.

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

1st Sussex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain George Charles Dalbiac to be First Lieutenant. Dated 25th November 1859.

Thomas Hayter Johnston, Esq. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 25th November 1859.

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

2d Devon Regiment of Militia.

George Edmund Allen to be Ensign. Dated 28th October 1859.

Devon Militia Artillery.

William Arundell Yeo to be First Lieutenant. Dated 29th October 1859.

George Lysaght to be First Lieutenant. Dated 4th November 1859.

Frederic Lysaght to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th November 1859.

2d Company of the Devon Volunteer Artillery.

Henry Ede to be First Lieutenant, vice Compton, resigned. Dated 15th November 1859.

Peter Orlando Hutchinson to be Second Lieutenant, vice Ede, promoted. Dated 15th November 1859.

3d Company of the Devon Volunteer Artillery.

Sir Warwick Hele Tonkin, Knt., to be Captain. Dated 15th November 1859.

Edward Augustus English to be First Lieutenant. Dated 25th November 1859.

Exeter and South Devon Rifle Volunteers.

William Henry Peters to be Captain, vice George, resigned. Dated 24th November 1859.

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

6th Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Jopp, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 19th November 1859.

George Cadenhead, Esq. to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th November 1859.

Patrick Cooper, Esq. to be Ensign. Dated 19th November 1859.

7th Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Thomson, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 19th November 1859.

John Blaikie, Esq. to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th November 1859.

Alexander Edmond, Esq. to be Ensign. Dated 19th November 1859.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.

7th Company of Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Brooke, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 30th November 1859.

Philip Whiteway, Junior, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th November 1859.

John Brundrit, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 30th November 1859.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

2d Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Charles Blundell, Esq. to be Captain, vice Edmund Molyneux Seel, who, being absent without leave, has been struck off the strength of the regiment. Dated 26th November 1859.

14th Company of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Tyndall Bright, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 2d December 1859.

1st Company of Lancashire Artillery Volunteers.

First Lieutenant William Richmond Brown to be Captain. Dated 2d December 1859.

Second Lieutenant James Clifton Brown to be First Lieutenant. Dated 2d December 1859.

3d Sub-division of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Bailey, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 2d December 1859.

James Cross Ormrod, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 2d December 1859.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 2d day of December instant.]

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

1st Sussex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Moorsom to be Captain. Dated 23d November 1859.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

The Queen has been pleased to accept the resignations of the Commissions held by Lieutenants Ormsby Vandeleur and John Alexander Byrne, and Ensigns Henry Charles Ross Johnson and Arthur Hales.

#### TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of Foreign or Colonial letters or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant, and from time to time, by Warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal

any such altered rates, and to make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof.

And whereas further powers are given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-Office."

And whereas certain powers are also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to the stamp duties on newspapers, and to provide for the transmission by post of printed periodical publications."

And whereas by the said recited Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, and by divers Warrants under the hands of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, certain rates of British postage have been established and made payable on the transmission by the post of certain British, Colonial, and Foreign newspapers therein respectively mentioned.

And whereas it is expedient that such additional rates of postage should be charged on certain British, Colonial, and Foreign newspapers sent by the post as are hereinafter mentioned :

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers vested in us in and by the said before-mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided,) order and direct as follows ; (that is to say) :—

1. On every printed newspaper, whether British, Colonial, or Foreign, transmitted by the post between any ports or places beyond the seas, through the United Kingdom, by British packet-boat, via Southampton and Egypt, or between any ports or places beyond the seas, by British packet-boat, via Egypt, without passing through the United Kingdom, there shall be charged and paid, in addition to any other postage now payable thereon, a further and additional rate of British postage of one penny, and in all cases in which such respective newspapers are liable, on the transmission thereof by such respective routes, to progressive rates of postage, according to the scale of weight contained in any such Warrants as aforesaid, the additional rate of one penny, payable under this present Warrant, shall be calculated and paid in respect of each such progressive rate.

2. Every printed supplement or additional sheet to any newspaper shall, for the purpose of charging the postage under this Warrant, be deemed a distinct newspaper, unless sent in the same cover, or together with the newspaper to which it is a supplement or addition, and every printed newspaper transmitted by the post under this present Warrant, shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions relating to newspapers mentioned and contained, or referred to, in and by clause 7 of a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the sixteenth day of February 1859.

3. The respective newspapers transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant shall, when re-directed and again forwarded by the post, be subject to the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage respectively contained in a certain other Warrant of the Commis-

sioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the nineteenth day of February 1855, relating to re-directed rates of postage upon letters and packets respectively re-directed and again forwarded by the post.

4. Nothing in this Warrant before contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any newspapers transmitted to or from the United Kingdom, via Marseilles, or to newspapers contained in the French or Spanish mails passing through Egypt, or to any newspapers to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of the said Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the sixteenth day of February 1859, and amended by a certain other Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury bearing date the tenth day of March 1859, all which respective newspapers shall be charged and chargeable as if this present Warrant had not been made.

5. The term "newspaper," used in the several clauses of the said Warrant, bearing date the 16th day of February 1859, and in clauses Nos. 1, 2, and 3 of this present Warrant, shall include all publications admitted to the privileges of a newspaper under the provisions of the said recited Act passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, and the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning, in all respects, as they would have had if inserted in the said recited Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

6. The Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury may, by Warrant under their hands duly made, at any time hereafter alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the orders, regulations, conditions, or restrictions hereby made, and may make and establish any new or other rates, orders, regulations, conditions, or restrictions, in lieu thereof, and from time to time appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid.

7. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January 1860.

Whitehall, Treasury-Chambers, the eleventh day of October 1859.

JOHN BAGWELL.

E. H. KNATCHBULL HUGESSEN.

#### BANKRUPTS FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

##### BANKRUPTCY DISMISSED AND ANNULLED.

William Ireland, of the Green Gate Inn, Plaistow, Essex, licensed victualler.

##### BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

George Tucker, George Edwin Tucker, Charles Frederick Tucker, and Douglas Alfred Tucker, of No. 29, John Street, Bedford Row, Middlesex, trading under the firm of the Metropolitan Permanent Advertising Company, makers of advertizing show boards, and advertizing agents.

Robert George Webb, of No. 70, King's Road, Brighton, Sussex, silk mercer and draper.

Samuel Jay, of Hadleigh, Suffolk, miller.

Henry Watts, of the Parade, Northampton, draper.

James Heather, of Walton Road, East Moulsey, Surrey, builder.

James Allen, of No. 29, Pelham Terrace, Bayswater, Middlesex, omnibus proprietor.

John Biggs, of Wolverhampton, Stafford, coal dealer and beer-house keeper.

Thomas Underwood, the younger, of Cardiff, Glamorgan, ironmonger, now a prisoner for debt in the county gaol at Cardiff.

Joseph Hickson, of South Street, Sheffield, York, ironmonger.

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,) and the Rates and Amount of duty thereon, in the Week ended 30th November 1859.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above, (being those into which Corn is chiefly imported).			Amount of Duty received thereon.			Rates of Duty, (Foreign and Colonial.)		
	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign and Grain of all sorts, per quarter.	Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.	
	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
Wheat and Wheat Flour .....	62110 0	1300 5	63410 5	3235 2 11	77 11 0	3312 13 11			
Barley and Barley Meal .....	40088 0	0 4	40088 4	2004 8 9	0 0 6	2004 9 3			
Oats and Oat Meal.....	27747 1	380 0	28127 1	1387 6 1	19 0 0	1406 6 1			
Rye and Rye Meal.....	1824 3	—	1824 3	94 6 5	—	94 6 5			
Pease and Pea Meal .....	3606 1	1878 0	5484 1	180 6 2	93 18 1	274 4 3	1 0	0 4½	
Beans and Bean Meal .....	18769 1	—	18769 1	938 9 6	—	938 9 6			
Indian Corn and Indian Meal .....	23784 6	—	23784 6	1189 5 0	—	1189 5 0			
Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal .....	27 6	—	27 6	1 7 10	—	1 7 10			
Bear or Bigg .....	—	—	—	—	—	—			
	177957 2	3559 1	181516 3	9030 12 8	190 9 7	9221 2 3			

NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported.

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-House, London, 5th December 1859.

JOHN A. MESSENGER,  
Inspector-General of Imports and Exports.

**T**HE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that application has been made by Captain DAVID BRIGGS, of Strathairly, in the County of Fife, for the advance of the undermentioned Sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of The Private Money Drainage Act, 1849, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Lands in {	Carnbee and Largo,	Fife,	£1,000

Witness my hand this 7th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1859.

A. M. ATTREE,  
By Order of the Board.

**T**HE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that application has been made by The Honorable ELIZABETH MAULE of Maulesden, in the County of Forfar, Widow, for the advance of the undermentioned Sum by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Public Money Drainage Acts, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Fearn,	Fearn,	Forfar,	£1,575

Witness my hand this 7th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1859.

A. M. ATTREE,  
By Order of the Board.

**NOTICE to the Creditors of GEORGE ROBERTSON, Merchant in Kirkwall.**

**JAMES SCARTH SPENCE**, Bank Agent in Kirkwall, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said George Robertson, hereby intimates, that his intrusions with the funds of the estate, from the 20th day of August to the 20th day of November 1859, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed a dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. S. SPENCE, Trustee.

Kirkwall, December 2, 1859.

**NOTICE.**

**T**HE Commissioner on the sequestrated estate of the Deceased ROBERT KAY, Woolspinner, Balbirnie Wool Mill, Markinch, has audited the accounts of the Trustee to 23d ultimo, postponed declaration of a dividend, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

GEORGE MURRAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 7, 1859.

In the Sequestration of ROBERT KAY & SON, Woolspinners, Balbirnie Wool Mill, Markinch, and of John Kay, Woolspinner there.

**T**HE Commissioners have audited the accounts of the Trustee to 23d ultimo, postponed declaration of a dividend, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

GEORGE MURRAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 7, 1859.

**T**HE Estates of JAMES FORBES, sometime Commission Merchant and Corn Merchant in Inverness, and lately a Partner of the Firm of RUS & FORBES, Wood Merchants, Inverness, were sequestrated on the 7th day of December 1859, by the Sheriff of Inverness shire.

The first deliverance is dated the said 7th December 1859.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 19th day of December 1859, within the Union Hotel, in Inverness.

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 7th day of April next.

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

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

M. M'LENNAN, Agent, Inverness.

**T**HE Estates of SWAN & M'KITTEKICK, Drapers in Dumfries, as a Company, and James Swan and William M'Kitterick, Drapers in Dumfries, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 8th day of December 1859, by the Sheriff of the County of Dumfries.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of December 1859.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 21st day of December 1859, within the King's Arms Hotel, Dumfries.

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 8th day of April 1860.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupts.

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

PRIMROSE & GORDON,  
Writers, Dumfries, Agents.

Dumfries, December 8, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of JOHN HENRY, Junior, otherwise JOHN HENRY, Fancy Goods Warehouseman and Toy Merchant in Kilmarnock.**

**JAMES M'NAB**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Moyes, Comb and Brush Factor, Thomas Bickett Merry, Engraver, and William Morier, Brush Manufacturer, all of Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House at Kilmarnock, on Thursday the 15th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Office of James M'Nab, Accountant, No. 107, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 23d day of December 1859, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

JAS. M'NAB, Trustee.

**SEQUESTRATION of JOHN ROBERTSON, Farmer and Grain Merchant, residing at Broomhead, in the Parish of Mortlach, and County of Banff.**

**PETER DEAN**, Accountant in the City of Glasgow Bank in Rothes, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Jamieson, Writer in Elgin, John Cameron, Farmer, Newton of Boharm, and Alexander Forsyth, Corn Merchant in Elgin, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House in Banff, on Tuesday the 20th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Sutor's Hotel, Rothes, upon Saturday the 31st day of December 1859, at 12 o'clock.

PETER DEAN, Trustee.

Rothes, December 7, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER GRANT, Hassock Manufacturer, London Street, Glasgow.**

**PETER MITCHELL**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William M'Gill, Wright, London Street, Glasgow, Michael Newlands, Broker, Charlotte Street there, and John Muir Wright, Accountant there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Sheriff Sir Archibald Alison's Chambers, Court-house, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 20th day of December

current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of Messrs Hamilton & MacLachlan, Writers, 98, West Nile Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 28th day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon. An application has been made by the Bankrupt for an extension of the period of renewal of his personal protection, which will be decided at said meeting,—and of which Intimation is hereby given.

PETER MITCHELL, Trustee.

**SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT RICHMOND**, sometime Farmer at Glenhead, in the Parish of Lochwinnoch, Renfrewshire, now carrying on Business as a Contractor and Carter in Glasgow.

**GEORGE WINK**, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Charles Moir, Veterinary Surgeon, Glasgow, James Crawford, Contractor and Carter, Greenock, and George Barr, Grocer, Lochwinnoch, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Chambers of Sheriff Alison, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Friday the 16th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Wink & Wight, Accountants, 175, West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 27th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon.

At the general meeting of Creditors held for the election of Trustee, the Bankrupt offered a composition of Six Shillings in the pound, payable one month after his final discharge, on the whole debts owing by him at the date of sequestration, and also to pay and provide for the expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and offered James Crawford, Contractor and Carter in Greenock, as Cautioner; which offer was unanimously entertained for consideration, and will be decided on at the second general meeting of Creditors to be held as before mentioned.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Geo. Wink, Trustee.

175, West George Street,  
Glasgow, December 7, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of JAMES M'DONALD**, Cattle-Dealer, residing at Achnahannet, in the United Parish of Cromdale and Inverallan, and County of Elgin.

**DONALD GRANT**, Banker in Grantown, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Robertson, Tacksman of Bankor, near Kingussie, William Allan, Farmer, Clury, and John Grant, Glenloch, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House at Elgin, on Tuesday the 13th day of December 1859, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Menzies' Hotel, Carr Bridge, on Wednesday the 21st day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon. At the meeting for the election of a Trustee, the Bankrupt made an offer of composition, on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound, payable by two equal instalments, at three and six months respectively from the date of his discharge; and he agreed to pay or provide for the whole expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and proposed Donald M'Donald, Sheep Dealer, Achnahannet, as his Cautioner for the said composition, expences, and remuneration. The Creditors, or Mandatories for Creditors present at said meeting having resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, the same will be decided on at the said meeting of Creditors to be held on the 21st day of December current.

Don. Grant, Trustee.

Grantown, December 7, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of CHARLES WAUGH**, Joiner, and residing in Lochmaben.

A Meeting of the Creditors will be held in the Writing-Office of William Dinwiddie, Solicitor, Dumfries, on Monday the 19th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing three Commissioners, and giving further directions in regard to certain preferences conferred by the Bankrupt to the prejudice of his Creditors.

J. M'M. Crichton, Trustee.

Dumfries, December 5, 1859.

**WE**, James Muir, Banker in Arbroath, Trustee, and James Anderson Dickson, Banker in Arbroath, William Clark, Manufacturer, Arbroath, and William Salmond, Manufacturer, Arbroath, and Commissioners on the sequestrated estates of RAMSAY & SMART, Manufacturers, Arbroath, as a Firm or Company, and of Charles Ramsay and Alexander Smart, Manufacturers, Arbroath, the Individual Partners of said Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, hereby call a meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Trustee's Office, High Street, Arbroath, on Tuesday the 27th day of December current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering and deciding whether the heritable and moveable estate, not yet disposed of, and any interest which the Creditors have in the Outstanding Debts, shall be forthwith sold, either in Whole or in Lots.

JAS. MUIR, Trustee.  
W. CLARK, Comr.  
WM. SALMOND, Comr.  
JAS. A. DICKSON, Comr.

Arbroath, December 8, 1859.

#### TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of THOMAS WYSE, sometime Farmer, residing at Coblebrae, near Falkirk.

**BY** virtue of an Order of the Sheriff of Stirlingshire, at Falkirk, Thomas Wyse, above designed, intimates that he has presented a Petition to the said Sheriff to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of his sequestration, in terms of the Statute.

THOMAS WYSE.

Falkirk, December 7, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of J. & T. COATS & COMPANY**, Thread Manufacturers in Paisley, as a Company, and of James Anderson, Thread Manufacturer in Paisley, and of George M'Kenzie, Thread Manufacturer there, and also Spirit Merchant there, and of William Hill, Thread Manufacturer there, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

**THE** Trustee hereby intimates that the Bankrupt, George M'Kenzie, having at an adjourned meeting of the Creditors held at Paisley on the 26th day of October last, made offer of a composition of Seven Shillings and Sixpence per pound on all debts due by the said J. & T. Coats & Company at the date of their sequestration, and a composition of One Shilling and Sixpence per pound on all debts due by him, the said George M'Kenzie, and a composition of Threepence per pound on all debts due by the said William Hill, as Partners of said Company, and as Individuals, at the date of the sequestration of their estates, payable by two equal instalments at four and seven months from the date of their final discharge, with security for the due payment thereof, and further offered to pay or provide for the expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee; which offer and security the meeting unanimously resolved to entertain for consideration. Notice is hereby given, that the said offer and security will be finally decided on at a meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Chambers of David Campbell, Writer, No. 5, County Place, Paisley, on Monday the 19th day of December 1859, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun. Trustee.

70, George Square,  
Glasgow, December 8, 1859.

**WILLIAM COPLAND**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of D. & A. BENNETT, Grocers and wine Merchants, Dumbarton Road, Glasgow, and Duncan Bennett, Grocer and Wine Merchant there, the only Individual Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of Creditors held on the 30th November last, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of One Shilling per pound on all debts due by the said Firm of D. & A. Bennett, and the said Duncan Bennett, as the sole Partner thereof, and as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration of their estates, payable at one month after his and their final discharge, and also to pay and provide for the expences of the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and offered Andrew Bennett, Grocer and Wine Merchant, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, as cautioner for payment of said composition: That the Creditors, or Mandatories for Creditors present at said meeting, having unanimously agreed that the offer and security should be entertained for consider-

ation, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Moore & Copland, Accountants, 43, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 23d day of December current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

WILL. COPLAND, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 8, 1859.

**JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, C.A.,** Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM MORTON**, Grocer and Baker in Hamilton, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions, brought down to 24th instant, has been made up and audited by the Commissioners: That he has examined the claims of those Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before 24th ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Further, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted since the first dividend was declared, at his Chambers, No. 9, North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on the 24th day of January 1860.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 9, 1859.

**ROBERT INNES**, Bank Agent in Inverury, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES LOW**, Senior, Farmer in Headhouse of Clatt, now deceased, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, 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 said 23d ultimo, and made up lists of those entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate. Farther, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors who did not participate in the previous dividend, and whose claims have been lodged since and admitted by the Trustee; as also a second dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been ranked on the estate, within the Office of the Union Bank of Scotland, Inverury, on Tuesday the 24th day of January 1860.

ROBERT INNES, Trustee.

Inverury, December 6, 1859.

#### NOTICE.

**I. ANDREW CUNNINGHAM**, Banker in Perth, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of Mr **ALEXANDER TULLOCH**, Clothier in Perth, hereby intimate, that the account of my intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, with states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioner on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That I have examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 23d ultimo, and completed a list, in terms of the Statute, of those Creditors entitled to draw a dividend. Farther, that a dividend, being the only and final one, will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Writing-Chamber of John Kemp, Solicitor in Perth, on Monday the 23d day of January next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

AND. CUNNINGHAM.

Perth, December 8, 1859.

**THOMAS MARTIN**, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **CHARLES KANE SIVEWRIGHT**, Cargilfield, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up by him, and audited by the Commissioner, in terms of the Statute: That the Trustee has examined the oath and ground of debt lodged on or before the 24th ultimo, and pronounced his Deliverance thereon, ranking the same as an ordinary claim on the said estate; and that the Commissioner has postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a dividend.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Bankrupt Statute.

THOS. MARTIN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 7, 1859.

**SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM EADIE**, Ship-broker, Coalhinter and Commission Agent in Dundee.

**WILLIAM MYLES**, Accountant in Dundee, Trustee on this estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 25th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WM. MYLES, Trustee.

Dundee, December 7, 1859.

**ANDREW CARMICHAEL**, Timber Merchant in Greenock, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN BLAIR**, Joiner in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 1st current, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaring a dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

AW. CARMICHAEL.

Glasgow, December 7, 1859.

**GEORGE WINK**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES LEITCH LANG**, Writer, Share Dealer, Sharebroker, and Underwriter in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 22d ultimo, has been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Further, the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular letters to the Creditors.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 8, 1859.

**WILLIAM STIVEN**, Accountant, Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **J. & J. MILLAR**, Hat Manufacturers, Dundee, and **James Millar**, Hat Manufacturer, Dundee, the only Partner of that Company, and of the said **James Millar**, as the only surviving Partner of **J. & J. MILLAR & COMPANY**, Hat Manufacturers, Dundee, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 23d ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the next statutory period, and have dispensed with the Trustee sending circular letters to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WM. STIVEN, Trustee.

Dundee, December 8, 1859.

#### NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estate of **JOHN PHILIP BARKER**, Manufacturer and Export Merchant, No. 3, Jopp's Lane, Aberdeen, residing at Murtle Cottage, in the Parish of Peterculter, and County of Aberdeen.

**JAMES BRYCE**, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, and the states of the funds received and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed payment of 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.

JAMES BRYCE, Trustee.

Aberdeen, December 6, 1859.

**WILLIAM RITCHIE MACOWAN**, 88, Hanover Street, Glasgow, presently Prisoner in the North Prison of Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 9th day of January 1860, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JOHN ROBERTSON, Procurator.

Glasgow, December 8, 1859.

**NOTICE** is Hereby Given, that the Subscribers, being the sole Executors of the late JOHN FLEMING, Esquire, of No. 81, Crown Street, Aberdeen, Scotland, ceased in September 1859 to be Partners or Shareholders, or to have any interest as such or otherwise, in The GREAT BARRIER LAND HARBOUR AND MINING COMPANY, (Limited), London, having then sold and transferred the Shares in said Concern which belonged to the said John Fleming, and afterwards to the Subscribers, as Executors foresaid.

W<sup>m</sup>. FLEMING.

JOHN PAGAN, of Grantown, Writer, Witness to the Signature of William Fleming, Bank Agent there.

ALEXANDER BURGESS, of Grantown, Clerk, Witness to do.

JOHN FLEMING.

JOHN STEWART, of Inveravon, Schoolmaster, Witness to the Signature of John Fleming, Factor, Ballindalloch, N. B.

JOHN DUNCAN, Overseer, Marionburgh, Witness to do.

WILLM. FLEMING.

JAS. ROGER, of Rhynie, Bank Agent, Witness to the Signature of William Fleming, of Rhynie, Farmer.

JAS. P. ROGER, of Rhynie, Merchant, Witness to the Signature of William Fleming, of Rhynie, Farmer.

E. O. FLEMING.

GEORGE ALLAN, of Aberdeen, Advocate, Witness to the Signature of Mrs Elizabeth Ogilvie Copland or Fleming.

GEORGE MILNE, of Aberdeen, Writer, Witness to the Signature of the said Mrs Fleming.

**NOTICE.**

Elgin, November 30, 1859  
THE Copartnery existing between Alexander Mellis and Joseph Riddoch, under the Firm of MELLIS & RIDDOCH, Grocers, &c., in Elgin, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

All parties due the above Firm will please make payment of their accounts to Joseph Riddoch, who will also pay all debts due by the said Company.

ALEXANDER MELLIS.  
JOSEPH RIDDOCH.

JOHN BYERS, Witness.  
ALEXR. M'LENNAN, Witness.

In reference to the above, Joseph Riddoch begs respectfully to intimate that he will carry on the Business on his own account, as formerly, and trusts that he will continue to receive a share of public patronage and support.

JOSEPH RIDDOCH.

**NOTICE.**

THE Copartnery carried on by the Subscribers, under the Firm of T. & C. LAWRANCE, Merchants, Shipowners, and General Agents in Peterhead, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

Witness our hands at Peterhead, the 5th day of December 1859.

THO. LAWRANCE.  
CHARLES LAWRANCE.

WILLM. ALEXANDER, Solicitor in Peterhead, Witness.

JA. HAY, Writer in Peterhead, Witness.

THE Company of BALFOUR & KELT, Merchants and Commission Agents in Dundee, of which the Subscribers were the only Partners, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent, as on the 1st day of December 1859.

The Subscriber, Robert H. Balfour, is authorised to receive payment of the debts due to the said Company, and he will pay all debts due by them.

ROBERT H. BALFOUR.  
Jno. S. KELT.

JAS. RAMSAY, Witness.  
ALEX. HOSEICK, Witness.  
35, Cowgate, Dundee,  
December 5, 1859.

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

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