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The Speech of the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Tuesday, August 6, 1861.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

WE are commanded by Her Majesty to release you from further attendance in Parliament, and at the same time to convey to you Her Majesty's acknowledgments for the zeal and assiduity with which you have applied yourselves to the performance of your duties during the Session of Parliament now brought to a close.

Her Majesty commands us to inform you that her relations with Foreign Powers are friendly and satisfactory, and Her Majesty trusts that there is no danger of any disturbance of the peace of Europe.

The progress of events in Italy has led to the union of the greater part of that Peninsula in one Monarchy under King Victor Emmanuel. Her Majesty has throughout abstained from any active interference in the transactions which led to this result, and her earnest wish as to these affairs is, that they may be settled in the manner best suited to the welfare and happiness of the Italian people.

The dissensions which arose some months ago in the United States of North America, have unfortunately assumed the character of open war. Her Majesty, deeply lamenting this calamitous result, has determined, in common with the other Powers of Europe, to preserve a strict Neutrality between the contending parties.

Her Majesty commands us to inform you that the measures adopted for the restoration of order and tranquillity in Syria, in virtue of Conventions between Her Majesty, the Emperor of Austria, the Emperor of the French, the King of Prussia, the Emperor of Russia, and the Sultan, having accomplished their purpose; the European troops which, in pursuance of those Conventions, were for a time stationed in Syria to co-operate with the troops and authorities of the Sultan, have been withdrawn; and Her Majesty trusts that the arrangements which have been made for the administration of the Districts which had been disturbed will henceforth secure their internal tranquillity.

Her Majesty has seen with satisfaction the rapid improvement in the internal condition of her East Indian territories, and the progress which has been made towards equalizing the Revenue and Expenditure of that part of her Empire.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

Her Majesty commands us to convey to you Her warm acknowledgments for the liberal Supplies which you have granted for the Service of the present year; and Her Majesty has seen with satisfaction that after amply providing for the wants of the Public Service, you have been able to make a sensible diminution in the Taxes levied upon her people.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Her Majesty commands us to express to you the deep gratification with which she has witnessed the spirit of devoted patriotism which continues to animate her Volunteer Forces; and the admiration with which she has observed their rapid progress in discipline and military efficiency.

Her Majesty has given her cordial assent to the Act for completing the number of Members of the House of Commons, by allotting the forfeited Seats of Sudbury and St Albans.

Her Majesty trusts that the Act for improving the Laws relating to Bankruptcy and Insolvency will be productive of important advantages to the Trade and Commerce of her subjects.

Her Majesty has given her ready assent to Acts for consolidating and assimilating the Criminal Law of England and Ireland, and for promoting the Revision of the Statute Law.

Her Majesty has given her assent to important Acts which she trusts will have the effect of opening more largely employment in the Public Service to the European and Native Inhabitants of India, of improving the means of legislation, of furthering the ends of Justice, and of promoting the contentment and well-being of all classes of Her Majesty's Indian Subjects.

Her Majesty has assented with pleasure to the Act for the improvement of harbours on the coast of the United Kingdom, and for relieving merchant shipping from passing tolls; and also to the Act for improving the administration of the Law relating to the relief and the removal of the poor.

Her Majesty trusts that the Act for rendering more easy arrangements connected with the drainage of land will assist agricultural improvements in many parts of the United Kingdom.

Her Majesty has gladly given her assent to many other measures of public usefulness, the result of your labours during the Session now brought to its close.



Her Majesty has observed, with heartfelt satisfaction, the spirit of loyalty, of order, and of obedience to the law, which prevails throughout all her dominions; and she trusts that by wise legislation, and a just administration of the law, the continuance of this happy state of things will be secured.

On returning to your respective Counties you will still have important public duties to perform; and Her Majesty fervently prays that the blessing of Almighty God may attend your exertions, and may guide them to the attainment of the objects of Her Majesty's constant solicitude—the welfare and happiness of her people.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read.

After which the Lord Chancellor said:

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to her commands, prorogue this Parliament to Tuesday the twenty-second day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Tuesday the twenty-second day of October next.

WHITEHALL, August 3, 1861.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters-patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Vice-Admiral the Right Honourable Sir Maurice Frederick Fitzhardinge Berkeley, G.C.B., and the heirs-male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Fitzhardinge, of the city and county of the city of Bristol.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, July 30, 1861.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John David Hay Hill, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Maranhão, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Réunion.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, August 3, 1861.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don José Antonio de Lavallo as Vice-Consul at Cardiff for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

CROWN-OFFICE, August 2, 1861.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Selkirk.

Henry John Montagu Douglas Scott (commonly called Lord Henry Scott), in the room of Allan Elliott Lockhart, Esq., who has accepted the Office of Steward or Bailiff of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

(1228.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1861.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at the Hague, reporting that a Bill has passed the Second Chambers of the States-General authorizing the free importation of rice and paddy into Java and Madeira.

(1190.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 1, 1861.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade hereby give notice, in pursuance of a communication which they have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that in consequence of the vote passed by Parliament for the amount of the British share of compensation for the Stade toll, the security required to be given to the Hanoverian Government, as notified in the London Gazette of the 3d July last, is no longer required from British vessels.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,

August 6, 1861.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Lieutenant Henry Ponsford to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Edward Brodhurst, who retires. Dated 6th August 1861.

Cornet Randolph R. Luscombe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ponsford. Dated 6th August 1861.

5th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant Edward Henry Saunders, on appointment to a Cornetcy in the Gazette of the 2d July 1861, should have been described as from the 3d West York Regiment of Militia.

8th Light Dragoons—Captain Richard Newsham Pedder, from the 10th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Gurney Hanbury, who exchanges. Dated 6th August 1861.

10th Light Dragoons—Captain Gurney Hanbury, from the 8th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Richard Newsham Pedder, who exchanges. Dated 6th August 1861.

Cornet Charles Edward Frederick, from the 2d Dragoon Guards, to be Cornet, vice Brougham, promoted. Dated 6th August 1861.

16th Light Dragoons—Staff Assistant-Surgeon Charles Alexander Innes, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Andrew Knox Rickards, appointed to the Staff. Dated 6th August 1861.

Coast Brigade of Artillery—Second Captain James MacGillivray to be Captain, vice McGorriery, placed on half-pay. Dated 1st July 1861.

Lieutenant James Scott to be Second Captain, vice MacGillivray. Dated 1st July 1861.

Serjeant-Major William Lee to be Lieutenant, vice Scott. Dated 1st July 1861.

7th Regiment of Foot—Ensign George William Henry Holyoake to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hardinge Giffard Follett, deceased. Dated 16th July 1861.

Ensign Charles Tayleur, from the 8th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Holyoake. Dated 6th August 1861.

8th Foot—John James Hamilton, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Creek, appointed to the 23d Foot. Dated 6th August 1861.

Bennett Fleming Handy, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Charles Tayleur, appointed to the 7th Foot. Dated 7th August 1861.

16th Foot—Gentleman Cadet Arthur Henry Handley, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Malcolm, promoted. Dated 6th August 1861.

17th Foot—Robert Kiero Watson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ravenhill, promoted. Dated 6th August 1861.

William Mogg Rolph, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice West Stewart Awdry, whose appointment, as stated in the Gazette of 24th May 1861, has been cancelled. Dated 7th August 1861.

56th Foot—Assistant-Surgeon James Bell Jardine, from the 4th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edward Knapp Würtele Smith, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 6th August 1861.

69th Foot—Captain Patrick Cahill, from the 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice James Warren Hastings Anderson, who exchanges. Dated 6th August 1861.

70th Foot—Ensign William Saunders Ford Feneran to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Beldham, who retires. Dated 6th August 1861.

Edward Pearson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Feneran. Dated 6th August 1861.

71st Foot—Staff Assistant-Surgeon Robert Austen Allen, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Warren, appointed to the Staff. Dated 6th August 1861.

80th Foot—Assistant-Surgeon James Bowyer Baker, from the 44th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Jackson, deceased. Dated 6th August 1861.

82d Foot—Ensign Nicholas Mourant Brock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Graham Mylne, who retires. Dated 6th August 1861.

Henry Whalley Nicholson, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brock. Dated 6th August 1861.

83d Foot—Ensign Reginald Kennett Gibb to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George William Henry Wardell, who retires. Dated 6th August 1861.

Ensign George Ernest Ewes Blunt, from Royal Sussex Light Infantry Militia, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Gibb. Dated 6th August 1861.

87th Foot—Captain James Warren Hastings Anderson, from the 69th Foot, to be Captain, vice Patrick Cahill, who exchanges. Dated 6th August 1861.

90th Foot—Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Garnet Joseph Wolseley, from half-pay, late 90th Foot, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Hope Crealock, promoted, without purchase, to an Unattached Lieutenant-Coloneley. Dated 6th August 1861.

93d Foot—Ensign Thomas Prince Lloyd, from the 15th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Hay, promoted. Dated 6th August 1861.

97th Foot—Captain Thomas Venables to be Major, without purchase, vice James William Dewar, deceased. Dated 20th July 1861.

Lieutenant Jonathan Morgan to be Captain, without purchase, vice Venables. Dated 20th July 1861.

Ensign Henry Grantham Fulford to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Morgan. Dated 20th July 1861.

99th Foot—The third Christian name of Ensign Tosswill is Davis.

1st West India Regiment—Staff-Surgeon Curtius Martin to be Surgeon, vice James Davys, appointed to the Staff. Dated 6th August 1861.

2d West India Regiment—Ensign Archibald Roger to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice A. G. Smith, who has retired. Dated 6th August 1861.

3d West India Regiment—Ensign John Francis Henry Harrison to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tucker, who has retired. Dated 6th August 1861.

Irwin Charles Maling, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice John Lever, deceased. Dated 6th August 1861.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Cardell to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hugh Deane Massy, appointed to the Staff. Dated 6th August 1861.

Gold Coast Artillery Corps—Captain Arthur Trefusis Jones, from the 2d West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Daniell, promoted, without purchase, to an Unattached Majority. Dated 6th August 1861.

Ensign Albert Sharp to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Danger, promoted. Dated 9th April 1861.

Lieutenant Albert Sharp to be Adjutant, vice Danger, promoted. Dated 9th April 1861.

Thomas Howard McDougall Murray, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Sharp. Dated 6th August 1861.

SCHOOL OF MUSKETRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William Parke, C.B., half-pay 53d Foot, to be Commandant and Chief Instructor at Fleetwood. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Henry Charles Watson, from Paymaster, 47th Foot, to be Paymaster. Dated 6th August 1861.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Robert Waring, who retires upon half-pay, to have the Honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, in accordance with the Royal Warrant of 1st October 1858. Dated 6th August 1861.

Surgeon James Davys, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Francis Robert Waring, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 6th August 1861.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Carroll Dempster, from the 24th Foot, to be Staff-Assistant-Surgeon, vice Martin Joseph Burke, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 6th August 1861.

Assistant-Surgeon Andrew Knox Rickards, from the 16th Dragoons, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Austen Allen, M.D., appointed to the 71st Foot. Dated 6th August 1861.

Assistant-Surgeon John Warren, from the 71st Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Cardell, appointed to the 3d West India Regiment. Dated 6th August 1861.

Assistant-Surgeon Hugh Deane Massy, from the 3d West India Regiment, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Alexander Innes, M.D., appointed to the 16th Light Dragoons. Dated 6th August 1861.

The appointments of the undermentioned Gentlemen to be Staff Assistant-Surgeons, which appeared in the Gazette of the 9th April 1861 to be antedated to the 1st March 1861 :

Charles Hamilton Harvey.

Alexander Long.

Augustus Frederick Elliot, M.D.

BREVET.

Captain John Money Carter, half-pay Unattached, to be Major in the Army. Dated 11th November 1851.

Captain and Brevet-Major John Money Carter, half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 26th October 1858.

Captain Francis Sealy, half-pay 97th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 20th June 1854.

Captain and Brevet-Major Francis Sealy, half-pay 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 13th February 1859.

The following promotions and alterations of date to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Forces consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Sir Mark Cubbon, K.C.B., on 23d April 1861, viz :—

Lieutenant-General James Eckford, C.B., to date the 24th April 1861, instead of 29th April.

Major-General Matthew Soppitt, Bombay Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 29th April 1861.

Major-General Arthur Mitford Becher, C.B., to date the 24th April 1861, instead of 29th April.

Colonel John Fordyce, Bengal Artillery, to be Major-General. Dated 29th April 1861.

The following Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows :—

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Thomas Townsend Pears, C.B., Madras Engineers. Dated 6th August 1861.

Colonel Sir Andrew Scott Waugh, Bengal Engineers. Dated 6th August 1861.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Lachlan Macqueen, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Major Samuel White Hennah, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th August 1861.

To be Majors.

Captain Frederick Mayor, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain John David Power O'Neill, Madras Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Henry Heyman, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain John Edmonstone Monckton, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Alexander Raitt, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Henry Lancaster, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain James May, Madras Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Stanley Napier Raikes, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th August 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers, upon half-pay, have been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of their Commissions, under the conditions of the Horse Guards Circular Memorandum of 15th February 1861 :

Captain John Money Carter, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain Francis Sealy, half-pay, 97th Foot. Dated 6th August 1861.

Captain John F. A. Hartle, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 6th August 1861.

Commission signed by the Queen.

1st Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.
Thomas Jones, gent. to be Adjutant. Dated 18th May 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

1st Northumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Ensign William Popplewell.

Commission signed by the Queen.

2d Battalion of Hertfordshire Rifle Volunteers.

John Wynter James Gifford, Esq., to be Adjutant from the 26th of June 1861. Dated 11th July 1861.

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

The Honourable Arthur Hamilton Gordon to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Colonel Charles Leslie to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Mountstuart Elphinstone Grant Duff, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Sir James Horn Burnett, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Francis Farquharson, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

James Dyce Nicol, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Arthur Forbes Gordon, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Knight Erskine to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

The Lord Lindsay to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

John Gordon, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May 1861.

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

3d Cornwall Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Marshall Valentine Bull to be Captain, vice Reid, resigned. Dated 24th July 1861.

Ensign Henry Arthur Sleeman to be Lieutenant, vice Bull, promoted. Dated 31st July 1861.

Edward Clifton Carne to be Ensign, vice Sleeman, promoted. Dated 31st July 1861.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain George Reid in the above Corps.

19th Cornwall Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant William S. Rosevear.

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

6th Wiltshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lord Edward Percy St Maur to be Captain. Dated 25th July 1861.

Commissions signed by the late Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

2d Carmarthenshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Norton, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st March 1860.

John Lewis, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 1st March 1860.

David Rees Watkins, gent. to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 1st March 1860.

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

7th Monmouthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Walter Henry Williams to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July 1861.

Joseph Norris, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July 1861.

John Middleton, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 27th July 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports.

8th Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteers.

William Brown Churchward to be Ensign. Dated 1st April 1861.

The Reverend Alfred Joseph Woodhouse to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 1st April 1861.

William Cooke, Esq., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 1st April 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

2d West Riding of Yorkshire (Hallamshire) Rifle Volunteers.

John Kent Turner, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th June 1861.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by the following Officers:—

Hussar Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Thomas Greenwood Teale.

Cornet Sir Francis Digby Legard, Bart.

2d West Riding of Yorkshire (Hallamshire) Rifle Volunteers.

Ensign Archibald Watson Gibbs.

MEMORANDUM.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteers.

Captain Robert Dyneley Chamberlain has received Her Majesty's royal licence and authority to take and use the name of Dyneley only in lieu of that of Chamberlain.

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

3d Lincolnshire Artillery Volunteers.

John Birch Wroe, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 15th July 1861.

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

1st Battalion Berks Rifle Volunteers.

Adjutant Douglas Munro Fyfe to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 17th July 1861.

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

1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Blackwood Wallace, gent. to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, and to act as Quartermaster to the 1st Administrative Battalion of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 15th July 1861.

13th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Anthony Richardson to be First Lieutenant. Dated 18th July 1861.

1st Manchester or 6th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Augustus Percy Earle to be Captain. Dated 20th July 1861.

Ensign Edward Gaddum to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th July 1861.

Edward Ward Dickson, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th July 1861.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Manners Mann to be Surgeon. Dated 20th July 1861.

George William Mould, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 20th July 1861.

11th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain William Henry Goodair to be Major. Dated 20th July 1861.

Lieutenant Richard Calvert to be Captain. Dated 20th July 1861.

4th Manchester or 78th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Robert Young to be Captain. Dated 20th July 1861.

William Cameron Geddes, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 20th July 1861.

Ensign James Todd Mackie to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th July 1861.

George Rodger, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th July 1861.

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

2d Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John Grant Elliott to be Captain. Dated 16th July 1861.

Samuel Jenkins to be First Lieutenant. Dated 16th July 1861.

Evan Llewellyn to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 16th July 1861.

7th Administrative Battalion of Middlesex Rifle Volunteers.

Captain William Edward Hilliard, of the 24th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Major. Dated 23d July 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain William Edward Hilliard retains the command of the 24th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Commissions signed by the Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

2d Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Henry Martin Harvey to be Captain. Dated 23d July 1861.

Ensign Robert Hewett to be Lieutenant. Dated 23d July 1861.

William Henry Haslehust to be Ensign. Dated 23d July 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Cotesworth bearing the title of Captain-Commandant in the 2d Rifle Volunteer Corps.

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

The Honourable Richard Walter Chetwynd to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th July 1861.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 26th July last.]

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

3d Administrative Battalion of Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers.

27th Company.

Roger Horman-Fisher, gent. to be Ensign, vice Molineux, promoted. Dated 17th July 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Carmarthen Artillery Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captain Morgan Pryse Lloyd, Lieutenant A. H. Saunders Davies, and Lieutenant Lloyd Price, in the above Regiment.

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

Worcestershire Rifle Volunteers.

13th Company.

Richard Woof, gent. to be Supernumerary Lieutenant in the above Company, and acting Paymaster to the 2d Administrative Battalion.

14th Company

Joseph Bennett, gent. to be Supernumerary Lieutenant in the above Company, and acting Quartermaster to the 2d Administrative Battalion.

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

9th Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

Ensign Thomas Hardwick Merriman to be Lieutenant, vice Lyster, resigned. Dated 26th July 1861.

James Burrington Bull, gent. to be Ensign, vice Merriman, promoted. Dated 26th July 1861.

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

4th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain George Melly to be Major. Dated 10th July 1861.

MEMORANDA.

The title of Captain-Commandant has been conferred on Captain Samuel Peeling Brabner, of the 6th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by the following Officers; viz. :—

First Lieutenant George Whewell and Second Lieutenants Joseph Duckworth Bolton and Richard Dudley Coddington, in the 5th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Jacob Willink, in the 5th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Thomas Fletcher, in the 56th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Frederic Charles Smethurst, in the 61st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain John Averley Lathbury, in the 4th Manchester or 78th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign James Bury Haworth, in the 54th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

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

Merioneth Division of the Montgomery and Merioneth Regiment of Militia.

Richard John Lloyd Price, gent. to be Lieutenant.

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

Kent Rifle Volunteers.

26th Corps.

Henry Baden Pritchard, gent. to be Ensign, vice Bell, promoted. Dated 26th July 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

5th Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Sebastian Stewart Dickinson to be Captain, vice Hallowell, resigned. Dated 2d August 1861.

Walter John Stanton, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Dickinson, promoted. Dated 2d August 1861.

George Birt Smith, gent. to be Ensign, vice Biddell, resigned. Dated 2d August 1861.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 5th October 1860.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

6th Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Hayball Paul, Esq. to be Surgeon. Dated 25th September 1860.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, and at any time after the passing of that Act, 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 whereas it is expedient that further regulations should be made for the transmission by the post of the letters hereinafter mentioned.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers vested in us in and by the said recited Act, 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:—

1. On every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the post between the

United Kingdom and Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, or China, there shall be charged and taken a uniform British rate of one shilling.

2. On every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the post between Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, or China, and any of Her Majesty's Colonies or any Foreign country, through the United Kingdom, there shall be charged and taken a uniform British rate of one shilling for the conveyance of every such letter between Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, or China, and any part of the United Kingdom; and for the conveyance of every such letter between the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same and the Colony or Foreign country to or from which the same shall be forwarded, such a further or additional rate of postage as shall from time to time be charged and payable for British postage on letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted or delivered at the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same, and transmitted direct between such port and any such Colony or Foreign country, provided that in all cases where such additional rate includes both inland and sea services, there shall be deducted from the said rate of one shilling the sum of one penny, in respect of the inland conveyance, under this clause, of every such letter sent through the United Kingdom.

3. On every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted in or addressed to Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, or China, transmitted by the post between Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, or China, and any of Her Majesty's Australian Colonies or New Zealand, without passing through the United Kingdom, there shall be charged and taken a uniform British rate of one shilling.

4. On every letter transmitted as is mentioned in this Warrant, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, progressive and additional rates of postage as follows; that is to say:—

On every such letter exceeding half an ounce in weight, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, two rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding three ounces, and not exceeding four ounces in weight, eight rates of postage.

And for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage; and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of four ounces shall be charged as an additional ounce; and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

5. On any letters posted under this Warrant addressed to China, the postage thereof shall be paid at the time of the same being posted; and if not, every such letter shall be detained and opened, and shall be either returned or given up to the sender thereof.

6. On every letter posted under this Warrant addressed to Penang, Singapore, or Hong-Kong,

the postage thereof shall be paid at the time of the same being posted; and if any such letter shall be posted without any postage having been paid thereon, every such letter shall be forwarded charged with the amount of the postage to which it would have been liable if the postage had been paid when posted, together with a further and additional rate of postage of one shilling; and if any such letter shall be posted, having thereon or affixed thereto a postage stamp or stamps, the value of which shall be less in amount than the rate of postage to which such letter would be liable under the regulations in force relating thereto, every such letter shall be forwarded charged with the amount of the difference between the value of such stamp or stamps so being thereon or affixed thereto, and the postage to which it would have been liable if the postage had been paid when posted, together with a further and additional rate of postage of one shilling.

7. Any letter which, under the regulations of this Warrant, shall be forwarded through France, shall be chargeable, in addition to the British postage, to any French transit rate which may be chargeable thereon.

8. The rates of postage chargeable on letters and packets under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be in lieu of any rates of British postage now chargeable by law thereon.

9. All letters transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be subject to the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage respectively contained in a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, under the hands of two of the said Commissioners, bearing date the 19th day of February 1855, relating to redirected rates of postage upon letters and packets which shall be redirected and again forwarded by the post.

10. Nothing in this Warrant contained shall in anywise alter, prejudice, or affect the exemptions and privileges granted by the said recited Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, nor in anywise prejudice or affect the privilege which officers, seamen, and soldiers, employed in Her Majesty's Service now by law enjoy, of sending and receiving letters by the post, subject to the regulations and restrictions in respect of the same.

11. The British postage payable under or by virtue of this Warrant shall include any British colonial postage that may be payable.

12. The term "weight," used in this Warrant, shall mean British weight, and the term "by the post," shall include the conveyance through Egypt; 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 Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

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

Whitehall, Treasury-Chambers, the second day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

PALMERSTON.

WILLIAM DUNBAR.

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 31st July 1861.

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THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, AUGUST 9, 1861.

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.			Corn 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	105056	6	46538	0	151594	6	5655	6	5	2567	5	11	8222	12	4	}	1	0	0	4½
Barley and Barley Meal	12474	3	150	0	12624	3	623	14	6	7	10	0	631	4	6					
Oats and Oat Meal.....	40115	7	9510	4	49626	3	2002	5	0	474	17	8	2477	2	8					
Rye and Rye Meal.....	331	2	—	—	331	2	16	11	3	—	—	—	16	11	3					
Pease and Pea Meal	1884	2	17468	0	19352	2	94	4	6	873	8	0	967	12	6					
Beans and Bean Meal	18307	5	—	—	18307	5	915	7	9	—	—	—	915	7	9					
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	18063	3	770	4	18833	7	903	7	4	38	11	10	941	19	2					
Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Beer or Bigg	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Total.....	196233	4	74437	0	270670	4	10210	16	9	3961	13	5	14172	10	2					

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 August 1861.

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

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- ✓ Joseph Moss, of No. 149, Houndsditch, London, wholesale clothier.
- ✓ William Elsom and James Francis Wallace, of No. 82, Gresham House, Old Broad Street, London, East India merchants.
- ✓ Charles Gibbs, of Droitwich, Worcester, baker, grocer, and provision dealer.
- ✓ James Porter, of Moor Street, Birmingham, Warwick, boot and shoe maker.
- ✓ James Pearce, of Kidderminster, Worcester, chymist.
- ✓ Thomas Hale Bennett and Joseph Hale Bennett, both of Lockhampton, Gloucester, builders and house decorators.
- ✓ Charles Matthew Southard, of Exeter, plumber and painter.
- ✓ George Wilson and John Wilson, of Heckmondwike, York, carpet manufacturers.
- ✓ Edward Lyon and Joseph Greenwood, of Huyton Quarry, Lancaster, builders.
- ✓ Thomas Coates, of Sunderland, publican, and wine and spirit merchant.

NOTICE.

A General Meeting of the Shareholders of The EUROPEAN AND AUSTRALIAN ROYAL MAIL COMPANY (Limited,) will be held within the Chambers of Walter Mackenzie, Accountant, No. 66, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 10th day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon, in terms of, and for the purposes specified in the twelfth head or division of the civ Section of the Joint Stock Companies Act, 1856, which provides, in relation to the voluntary winding-up of such Companies, that

‘If, within one year after the passing of a Resolution for a winding-up of the affairs of the Company, such affairs are not wound up, the Liquidator shall immediately thereafter make up an account, shewing the state of the affairs and the progress which has been made in winding up, down to that date, and they shall add thereto a Report, stating the reason why the winding-up has not been completed, and a general meeting shall be called to consider the same, and so on from year to year until the winding-up of the affairs of the Company is completed.’

A statement of affairs, made up to 5th July 1861, when the third year from the date of his appointment expires, with a relative Report by the said Walter Mackenzie, as Liquidator, will be submitted to the said meeting for consideration.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

WALTER MACKENZIE,
Liquidator.

Glasgow, August 7, 1861.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that the Right Honorable CHARLES LORD BLANTYRE, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of BLANTYRE and others, comprehending *inter alia* the lands and estate of Cardonald, in the County of Renfrew, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the said County, in terms of the Act 3d and 4th Victoria, chapter 48, for authority to DISPONE in Feu to the Ministers of the First and Second Charges, and the Kirk-Session of the Abbey Parish of Paisley, and their Successors in Office, for payment of One Penny sterling yearly, All and Whole a PIECE of GROUND, part of the said estate of Cardonald, extending to half an imperial acre, or thereby, lying on the south side of the turnpike road leading from Glasgow to Paisley, and that in terms and in trust for the purposes of the Act 4th and 5th Victoria, chapter 38, entitled ‘An Act to afford further facilities for the Conveyance and Endowment of Sites for Schools;’ and in order that the said ground may be applied as a SITE for a SCHOOL in connection with the Established Church of Scotland, to be called the Cardonald School, for the Education of the Children of the District; and on which Petition the Sheriff-Substitute has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—‘Paisley, 5th August 1861.—The Sheriff-Substitute

‘having considered the foregoing Petition, appoints Intimation thereof to be made to the Honorable Walter Stewart, the Heir of Entail next in order of succession to the Entailed Estates of Blantyre and others, and to his father the Right Honorable Charles Lord Blantyre, the Petitioner, as his only guardian or administrator-in-law, by serving each of them with a copy thereof and of this deliverance; and ordains them, if so advised, to lodge a notice of appearance within eight days after service, with certification: Further, and in the meantime, appoints notice of this Petition, in the terms annexed hereto, and of this deliverance, to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and in the Paisley Herald newspaper, three times, at intervals of fourteen days.’

(Signed) ‘JAMES CAMPBELL.’

RODGER, M’INNES, & MACFARLANE,
Writers, Paisley, Petitioner’s Agents.

Paisley, 9th August 1861.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that William Paul, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of JOHN FINDLAY & SONS, Watchmakers, Jewellers, and Manufacturers of German Silver Plate, Market Buildings, Aberdeen, as a Company, and John Findlay and Alexander Findlay, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, has presented a Petition to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills in the Court of Session, (2d Division, Mr Mann, Clerk,) to have it declared, in terms of the 103d Section of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856, that the House situated in Milner’s Court, 25, Questrow, Aberdeen, to which the Bankrupt, John Findlay, has acquired right by his succession thereto through the death of his brother Alexander Findlay, Shoemaker, Broad Street, Aberdeen, and any other property to which the said Bankrupt, John Findlay, may have acquired right through the death of his said brother,—vested in the Petitioner, as Trustee foresaid, for the purposes of the said Act: In which Petition the Ordinary officiating on the Bills has pronounced an Interlocutor, requiring ‘all concerned to appear in Court within ten days after intimation,—in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856.’

TODD, MURRAY, & JAMIESON, W.S., Agents.

66, Queen Street, Edinburgh,
August 9, 1861.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES GRAY M’GREGOR, Hosier in Glasgow.

A Deed of Arrangement between the Bankrupt and four-fifths in number and value of the Creditors having been produced in process, the Sheriff-Substitute has pronounced the following Deliverance:—‘Glasgow, 7th August 1861.—Having seen the Deed of Arrangement produced, before answer appointment of the production thereof, and of this deliverance, to be made by advertisement published once in the Edinburgh Gazette and North British Advertiser, and also by circular posted to every Creditor of the Bankrupt who does not concur in the said Deed, requiring all parties interested who desire to oppose the approval thereof, to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court a Notice of Appearance within ten days from the date of such publication or posting, with certification; reserving thereafter to appoint a diet for hearing all parties interested, and to make any enquiries which may be deemed necessary: meantime appoints the said Deed and the process to remain with the Clerk of Court, subject to inspection.’

(Signed) ‘HENRY GLASSFORD BELL.’

—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

A. W. STEWART, Agent,

Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

68, St Vincent Street.

JOHN MANN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ROBERT MARSHALL, Coal Merchant and Contractor in Renfrew, hereby intimates, that an account of his intramissions 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 audited and approved by the Commissioners: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said date, and made up lists of those entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate, and also of those rejected in whole or in part. Further, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors who did not participate in the former dividend, and a second dividend to the whole Creditors, at his Counting-house, No. 153, Queen Street, Glasgow, and after Thursday 24th October next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JNO. MANN, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 7, 1861.



THE Estates of **THOMAS AITKEN**, sometime Hotel-keeper in Largs, now Grocer and Spirit Dealer there, were sequestrated on the 5th day of August 1861, by the Sheriff of Ayrshire. The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of July 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 16th day of August 1861, within the Brisbane Arms Inn, Largs.

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 November 1861.

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

ALEX. BLAIR, Agent, Largs.

THE Estates of **WALTER LONGWILL**, Farmer, Nether Meadow, in the Parish of Dalry, were sequestrated on the 5th August 1861, by the Sheriff of Ayrshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th day of August 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held upon Friday the 16th day of August 1861, at one o'clock-afternoon, within the Black Bull Inn, Kilmarnock.

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 5th day of December 1861.

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

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

J. MUIR, Writer, Kilmarnock, Agent.

THE Estates of **JOHN COCKBURN & SON**, Merchants in Eyemouth and Burnmouth, in the County of Berwick, and John Cockburn, Merchant in Eyemouth, and David Cockburn, Merchant in Burnmouth, the Individual Partners of that Firm, were sequestrated on the 8th day of August 1861 years, by the Sheriff of Haddington and Berwick.

The first deliverance is dated 8th August current.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock, on Friday the 23d day of August current, within the White Swan Hotel, in Dunse.

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 9th day of December 1861.

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

J.A. BOWHILL, Writer, Ayton, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES CORMIE**, a Sailor and Fisherman, residing in the Village of Burghhead, in the County of Elgin.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that on a Petition presented by the said James Cormie, and Alexander Gordon, Writer in Elgin, concurring Creditor in the sequestration, to the Honourable Lord Mackenzie, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, his Lordship, by Interlocutor dated 8th August current, appointed a meeting of the Creditors of the said James Cormie to be held on Wednesday the 21st day of August 1861, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, on the estates of the said James Cormie,—remitted to the Sheriff of the County of Elgin, where the said meeting is to be held, to proceed in manner mentioned in the Statutes; and of new granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Cormie, against arrest or imprisonment for civil debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

JAMES NISBET, S.S.C.,
21, York Place, Edinburgh,
Agent for the said James Cormie and Alexander Gordon.

August 9, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of **GEORGE HUNTER**, sometime Grocer, High Street, Airdrie, now Grocer and Spirit Merchant, West Port, Edinburgh.

JAMES KNOX, Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee; and John Somerville, Merchant, Leith, Robert Somerville, Wholesale Stationer, Edinburgh, and Neil Campbell Duff, Provision Merchant, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Friday the 16th day of August 1861, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No. 75, Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 26th day of August 1861, at one o'clock afternoon.

Edinburgh, August 9, 1861. JAMES KNOX, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES WILKIE**, Builder, Bridge Street, Leith.

JAMES LATTA, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Thomas Blaikie, Merchant, Leith, Robert Henderson, one of the Partners of the Firm of Henderson & Wilson, Joiners, Leith, and Alexander Porteous, Asphalter, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 15th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the New Ship Hotel, Shore, Leith, on Friday the 23d day of August current, at two o'clock afternoon. At the meeting for election of Trustee the Bankrupt made offer of a composition to his Creditors, and also offered to pay or provide for the expences attending the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee, with security; which offer and security were unanimously entertained for consideration by the Creditors present, and the same will be finally decided on at the meeting to be held as above mentioned.

JAMES LATTA, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 9, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES M'VICAR**, Wine and Spirit Dealer, No. 73, Bridge Street, Glasgow.

WILLIAM REID, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Garven, Commission Merchant, Glasgow, John Buchan, Accountant, Glasgow, and George Scotland, Accountant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr Sheriff Strathern, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 14th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Counting-house of the Trustee, No. 63, Renfield Street, on Friday the 23d day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. At the general meeting for the election of Trustee, held on the 26th July last, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Two Shillings per pound, payable in two equal instalments at three and six months respectively from the date of his discharge, and also to pay or provide for the whole expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, with security for payment thereof; which offer and security the Creditors present agreed should be entertained for consideration, and the same will be finally decided on at the meeting to be held after the Bankrupt's examination as above mentioned. Farther, the Trustee hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held at the same time and place, for the purpose of considering whether the Bankrupt shall only be entitled to apply for and obtain a decree of Cessio, and shall have no right to a discharge in the sequestration, and of resolving accordingly,—all in terms of the Statute.

WILLIAM REID, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **Mrs MARION FERRIE** or **STEWART**, Widow, carrying on the Business of Saddler at Lennoxtown, Parish of Campsie, and County of Stirling.

ARCHIBALD POLLOCK, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Muirhead, Leather Merchant in Glasgow, and William Craig, Writer there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-house in Stirling, on Tuesday the 20th August current, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Trustee's Office, 46, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

ARCH. POLLOCK, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES REID, Grocer and Spirit Dealer in Ayr.

ARCHIBALD POLLOCK, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **William Baynham Cuthbertson**, Tobaccoist in Ayr, **James Anderson**, Wholesale Grocer, Glasgow, and **Walter Kennedy**, Stationer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-house, Ayr, on Thursday the 15th day of August current, at 10 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Star Hotel, Ayr, on Friday the 23d day of said month of August current, at one o'clock afternoon. Farther, the Trustee hereby intimates, that at the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee, held on the 31st ultimo, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Six Shillings per pound on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable within one month after his final discharge, with security, and he also offered to pay and provide for the expenses attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. The Creditors present at said last mentioned meeting, or their mandatories, having unanimously resolved to entertain the said offer and security for consideration, the same will be finally decided on at the said meeting to be held after the Bankrupt's examination.

ARCH. POLLOCK, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 7, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM KEITH, Spirit Merchant, Grassmarket, Edinburgh.

JAMES KNOX, Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **William Hamilton Muir**, Solicitor Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, **Charles Black Muir**, Commission Agent, Edinburgh, and **Robert Hunter**, Wine Merchant, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Monday the 19th day of August 1861, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No. 75, Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th day of August 1861, at one o'clock afternoon.

JAMES KNOX, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MARSHALL, Blacksmith and Boiler-maker in Motherwell.

ALEXANDER WALKER WOODSIDE, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **James Miller**, Iron Merchant, Coatbridge, **John Watson**, Junior, Coalmaster, Glasgow, and **John Lawson**, Grocer, Motherwell, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Court-house, Hamilton, on Friday the 16th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. At the meeting for the election of a Trustee, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Two Shillings per pound on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable three months from the date of his discharge; and offered **Robert Lees**, Portioner, Carlin, as his cautioner for payment of the same, and farther offered to pay or provide for the whole expenses attending the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee. The Creditors, and Mandatories of Creditors present at said meeting, having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration,—Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of the Creditors will be held in the Writing-Chambers of **Alexander Currie**, Writer, 29, Alameda Street, Hamilton, on Monday the 26th day of August current, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and security proposed.

ALEX. W. WOODSIDE, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'FARLANE, Butcher and Egg Merchant, High Street, Glasgow.

WILLIAM MUDIE, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **Joshua Buchanan**, Junior, Provision Merchant in Glasgow, and **Patrick S. Honeyman**, Writer in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Sheriff Alison's Chambers, Court-house, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 16th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the Trustee, 4, Victoria Buildings, West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 26th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon.

WILLM. MUDIE, Junr., C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, August 7, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN LOVE, Baker, and Grocer and Provision Merchant in Glasgow.

ROBERT GALT, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **Frederick George Perman**, Miller in Glasgow, **John M'Gavin**, of the Firm of **Harvie & M'Gavin**, Anderson Mills, Glasgow, and **John Buchanan**, of the Firm of **Buchanan & Pearson**, Stationers in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Sheriff Alison, Court-house, Glasgow, on Friday the 16th day of August current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of **Robert Galt & Son**, Accountants, No. 20, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 26th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. At the meeting for the election of Trustee, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Seven Shillings and Sixpence in the pound, with security, which was entertained, and will be decided on at the meeting to be held as above.

ROBERT GALT, Junr., Trustee.

Glasgow, 20, Buchanan Street,
August 8, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT MILNE & COMPANY, Merchants and Flaxspinners in Dundee, and Robert Milne and William Young Hodge, both Merchants and Flaxspinners in Dundee, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals.

ROBERT MURRAY, Accountant in Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and **Thomas Neish**, Merchant, Dundee, **David Howie Smith**, Merchant there, and **Robert Bell**, Merchant there, one of the Partners of the Firm of **Scott & Bell**, Merchants, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Sheriff-Court-house, Dundee, on Wednesday the 14th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the British Hotel, Dundee, on Monday the 26th day of August 1861, at 12 o'clock noon. At the meeting for the election of Trustee, the Bankrupt, **Robert Milne**, made offer of a composition of Two Shillings per pound on the debts due by the Company, including therein the debts, amounting together to L.157, given up in the state of affairs as due by the Bankrupt, **William Young Hodge**, and of Sixpence per Pound on the debts due by the said **Robert Milne**, as a Partner of the Company and as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration, on the expiry of one month from the date of the offer being approved of by the Court. The Bankrupt, **William Young Hodge**, made offer of a composition of Threepence per pound on the debts due by him as a Partner of the Company and as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration, payable on the expiry of one month from the date of the offer being approved of by the Court. The said **Robert Milne** farther offered to pay or provide for the expenses attending the sequestration, including the remuneration payable to the Trustee, and on behalf of both Bankrupts proposed **Patrick Constable**, Farmer, **Baledgarno**, and **James Langlands**, Farmer, **Hayston**, to be sureties for payment of the said composition and expenses; which offer having been unanimously entertained for consideration by the Creditors and Mandatories for Creditors present, the same will be decided on at the meeting to be held at the time and place above specified.

ROBERT MURRAY, Trustee.

Dundee, August 7, 1861.

NOTICE**TO THE CREDITORS OF**

JAMES ANDERSON SMART, Merchant and Commission Agent, Saint Andrew Square, Edinburgh.

A General Meeting of the Creditors of the said **James Anderson Smart** will be held in my Chambers, No. 75, Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Saturday the 17th day of August 1861, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider an offer of composition made by the Bankrupt.

JAMES KNOX, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 9, 1861.

NOTICE TO THE CREDITORS OF

HUGH CRAWFORD, Farmer, Lawhill, Parish of West Kilbride.

At a meeting of the Trustee and Commissioners on said estate, held this day, it was resolved that the payment of a dividend should be postponed to the next statutory period; and further, directed that a meeting of the Creditors be held in the Office of the Trustee, in **Ardrossan**, on the 17th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon, to instruct the Trustee as to certain

claims made by him on the Stock on Baidlandhill Farm, and as to the settlement thereof by compromise or otherwise.—Of all which Notice is hereby given by

JOHN EMALIN, Trustee.

Ardrossan, August 8, 1861.

I DAVID PORTEOUS, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of Mrs CATHERINE SHARP on GAVIN, Clothier and Outfitter in Glasgow, Widow of the late Hugh Gavin, Clothier and Outfitter there, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 29th day of July 1861, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Four Shillings sterling per pound upon her debts at the date of the sequestration of her estates, payable two weeks after her final discharge, with security for payment of the same, and also to pay and provide for the expence attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. The Creditors, and Mandatories for Creditors present having, by the majority required by the Statute, resolved that said offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Lang & Graham, Accountants, 98, West George Street, Glasgow, upon Thursday the 22d day of August 1861, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of finally deciding on said offer and security proposed.

DAVID PORTEOUS, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 7, 1861.

J OHN MILLER, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of THOMAS M'INTOSH, Painter and Paper-Hanger in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that the offer of composition previously made by the Bankrupt having become ineffectual, he has of new made offer of a composition on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, and agreed to pay the expences of sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and offered security for payment of the said composition, expences, and remuneration; which renewed offer has been subscribed by the cautioners, and assented to in writing by nine-tenths in number and value of all the Creditors ranked, or entitled to be ranked on the estate. Notice is hereby given accordingly, that a general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Trustee's Counting-house, No. 71, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 2d day of September next, at 12 o'clock, when the Bankrupt's offer and security will be finally disposed of, in terms of the Statute.

JNO. MILLER, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 8, 1861,
71, Queen Street.

R OBERT GALT, Junior, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ROBERT BARCLAY, Storekeeper in Blantyre, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors held on 8th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of composition of Seven Shillings and Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable by three equal instalments,—the first at the date of his discharge, and the second and third at three and six months thereafter, and also offered to pay the expences of sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and offered Robert Sheriffs, Merchant, Hope Street, Glasgow, as security for payment thereof; and the said meeting having resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Counting-house of Robert Galt & Son, Accountants, 20, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 30th of August current, at 12 o'clock noon, to decide finally on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

ROBERT GALT, Junr., Trustee.

Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

J AMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, C.A., Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES TAIT, Plasterer, 1, Mound Place, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited and approved of his accounts to 27th ultimo; that he has examined the claims lodged on or before said date, and made up lists of those which have been admitted and rejected. Further, that a first dividend will be paid at his Chambers, No. 9, North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on the 27th day of September 1861.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 9, 1861.

A RCHIBALD BORTHWICK, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN BLAIKIE, one of the Partners of the Firm of J. & A. BLAIKIE, Advocates, Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 23d ultimo, and state of the funds recovered and outstanding 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 23d July 1861, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of said estate. Further, that a first dividend of Threepence per pound will be paid at his Chambers here, on and after Tuesday the 24th day of September next, to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, as above.

ARCH. BORTHWICK, Trustee.

Chambers, 5, North St David Street,
Edinburgh, August 5, 1861.

R OBERT HUNTER, Farmer in Chapelhill, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of SAMUEL TAYLOR, Farmer in Busby, Parish of Ardrossan, hereby intimates, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Office of the Royal Bank of Scotland, at Saltcoats, upon the 3d day of October next.

ROBERT HUNTER, Trustee.

Chapelhill, Ardrossan,
August 8, 1861.

NOTICE.

R OBERT OLIPHANT of Rossie, County of Perth, Writer to the Signet, Dealer in Shares, and Tile Manufacturer at Rossie aforesaid, now residing at Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, whose estates were sequestrated by the Lord Ordinary in the Court of Session on the 25th day of August 1856, under the Acts 2d and 3d Victoria, chapter 41, and 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 53, has (without any consents of Creditors) presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Perthshire for his discharge of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable, at the date of said sequestration; reserving entire all securities granted by the Petitioner over his heritable and personal estates previous to the sequestration, and the rights of his Creditors generally over his estates; which Petition his Lordship the Sheriff-Substitute, by Interlocutor dated 5th August current, has ordered to be intimated in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Act 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 53, section 16; and Intimation is hereby made accordingly.

J.A. SPOTTISWOODE, Solicitor, Perth,
Agent.

Perth, August 6, 1861.

S EQUESTRATION of SIR ANDREW LEITH HAY, of Rannes, Aberdeenshire, Knight, a Banker, and an Underwriter or Insurance Broker in Aberdeen.

T HE said Sir Andrew Leith Hay has presented a Petition to the Honorable Lord Mackenzie, Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the sequestration of his estates; on which Petition the Lord Ordinary has pronounced the Deliverance appointing the same to be intimated in terms of the Statutes.

CHEYNE & STUART, W.S.,
Petitioner's Agents.

11, Young Street, August 8, 1861.

W ILLIAM DREW, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES BETT THOMSON, Master Mariner, residing in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, 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 on said estate, in terms of the Statutes: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 23d ultimo, and made up 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 the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend to the next statutory period, and dispensed with circular notices to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statutes.

WM. DREW, Trustee.

97, West George Street,
Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

ROBERT MORISON, Bank Agent in Macduff, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN LEASK**, Merchant and Shipowner in Macduff, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of this estate, brought down to the 22d July 1861, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 22d July last, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed declaring any dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

RT. MORISON, Trustee.

Macduff, August 6, 1861.

ROBERT MORISON, Bank Agent in Macduff, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **SARAH LEASK**, Fencar in Macduff, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of this estate, brought down to the 22d July 1861, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 22d July last, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed declaring any dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

RT. MORISON, Trustee.

Macduff, August 6, 1861.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM ALLISON, Joiner and Cartwright at Bishopston, in the County of Renfrew.

ALLAN KIRKWOOD, Writer in Paisley, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William Allison, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 23d July 1861, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed payment of a dividend till the next statutory period, and have dispensed sending circulars to the Creditors.

ALLAN KIRKWOOD, Trustee.

Paisley, August 9, 1861.

WILLIAM MYLES, Accountant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES PAUL**, Commission Agent and Shipowner, Dundee, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 29th day of July last, and states of funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. The Commissioners postponed the payment of a dividend till the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WM. MYLES, Trustee.

Dundee, August 8, 1861.

JAMES MEIKLE, Writer in Kilmarnock, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **JAMES & THOMAS STEVEN**, Coalmasters at Burnbank, in the Parish of London, and of **James Steven and Thomas Steven**, both lately residing at Woodend, in the Parish of Kilmarnock, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 24th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the estates, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed making another dividend till the recurrence of the next statutory period.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. MEIKLE, Trustee.

Kilmarnock, August 7, 1861.

GEORGE M'FARLANE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN DARLING**, Manufacturer in Dunfermline, hereby intimates, that he has had no intromissions with the estate since last period, and that the Commissioners have postponed declaring a dividend till next stated period.

GEORGE M'FARLANE, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 5, 1861.

LEWIS CHALMERS, Advocate, residing in Fraserburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES LOVIE**, Merchant and Shipowner, Fraserburgh, hereby intimates, that the dividend payable on 22d August current to those whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, has, by order of the Commissioners, been postponed to the next statutory period.

LEWIS CHALMERS, Trustee.

Fraserburgh, August 6, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of Mrs SIMONA MACKINTOSH or GARDEN, residing in Dingwall, now deceased.

DONALD GRAHAM, Accountant in Dingwall, Trustee on said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

D. GRAHAM, Trustee.

Dingwall, August 3, 1861.

JOHN M'AULEY, Cattle Dealer, Bullock House, Lifford, Ireland, presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Glasgow, has raised a Summons of Cessio Bonorum in the Court of Session against his Creditors, which Summons will be enrolled in the Second Division of the Court of Session; 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.

WILLIAM MITCHELL, S.S.C., Agent.

2, London Street, Edinburgh, August 9, 1861.

JOHN MATTHEW, sometime Tenant of the Lands of Blinkbonny, in the Parish of Eccles, and County of Berwick, thereafter residing at Birgham, present Prisoner in the Prison of Greenlaw, has applied to the Sheriff of Haddington and Berwick for the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and for liberation, and interim protection. In terms of an Order of this date, his Creditors are required to attend his examination within the Court-house, Dunse, in presence of the Sheriff, on Thursday the 12th day of September next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, in terms of the Statute.

DAV. FERGUSON, Petitioner's Procurator.

Dunse, August 6, 1861.

JOHN BERTRAM, Contractor, and Wright and Joiner in Perth, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Perth praying that he might be found entitled to the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and for decret accordingly; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff-Court-house at Perth, on Wednesday the 11th day of September next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for examination.

MELVILLE JAMESON, Solicitor, Perth,
Agent for Petitioner.

Perth, August 6, 1861.

CHRISTINA ALLAN or BISSET, Spirit Dealer, and residing in Hallcraig Street, Airdrie, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Airdrie, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire craving decree of Cessio Bonorum, interim liberation, and protection from diligence; and her Creditors are hereby required to attend before the said Sheriff or his Substitute, within the Sheriff's Chambers, Court-House Buildings, Airdrie, on Tuesday the 10th day of September next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JOHN C. WADDELL,

Petitioner's Procurator.

Airdrie, August 8, 1861.

JAMES RYAN, Butter and Egg Merchant, Bazaar, Glasgow, and residing in Glasgow, has presented an application to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire craving interim protection from diligence, and decrees of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on the 9th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for public examination.

RICH'D. M'CULLOCH, Petitioner's Procurator.

Glasgow, August 8, 1861.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership Business carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners, sometimes under the Name of HUGH GORDON, and at other times under the Firm of GORDON & ADIE, as Drapers, St John Street, Perth, has this day been DISSOLVED of mutual consent.

All debts due to the Copartnership will be collected by Mr Adie alone, who continues to carry on the Business on his own behoof, and by whom all claims on the Copartnership will be settled.

HUGH GORDON.
ARCHIBALD ADIE.

J. C. PINKERTON, Writer, Perth, Witness.
DA. CUTHBERT, Clerk to James Spottiswoode,
Solicitor, Perth, Witness.
Perth, August 6, 1861.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of RAE, THOMSON, & CO., Auctioneers in Dundee, was DISSOLVED by the expiry of the Contract of Copartnership on 1st August 1861. Mr Alexander Rae is authorised to uplift and discharge the debts due to, and settle the debts due by the Firm.

ALEX. RAE.

JAMES D. RAMSAY, Curator Bonis appointed by the Lords of Council and Session to James Thomson.

WALTER THOMSON CURRIE of Dundee, Solicitor, Witness.

J. M'KENZIE ILLINGWORTH of Dundee, Law-Clerk, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership Concern carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners, as Wholesale Provision Merchants, Melville Court, Glasgow, under the Firm of ALEXANDER & HINSHELWOOD, was DISSOLVED on the 14th January 1861 of mutual consent. The debts due by the Firm will be paid by the Subscriber, William Alexander, who is also authorised to uplift and discharge the debts due to the Firm.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER.
ROBT. HINSHELWOOD.

ROBERT GALT, Junr., Accountant, Glasgow, Witness.
WILLIAM BEATON, Clerk to Robert Galt & Son, Accountants, Glasgow, Witness.
Glasgow, August 7, 1861.

NOTICE.

THE Concern carried on since the 1st day of September last under the Firm of JOHN R. CAMPBELL & COMPANY, Carters and Carriers in Glasgow, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent of the Subscribers, sole Partners thereof.

JOHN R. CAMPBELL.
JOHN M. WATT.

JAMES MACBRIDE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.
DAVID PORTEOUS, Accountant, Glasgow, Witness.
Glasgow, July 20, 1861.

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

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