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EARL RUSSELL, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received a Despatch from Mr McCoskry, Acting British Consul at Lagos, dated July 2, 1861, of which the following is an Extract :—

"I HAVE the honour to inform your Lordship that notwithstanding the signature of the Treaty by the King of Porto Novo, I found so many obstacles to trade, arising chiefly from old native custom, as to deter most merchants from settling there. I therefore thought necessary to go to Porto Novo in Her Majesty's ship Brune, in order to have them removed, where we arrived at 4 P.M. on the 14th. The next day I went on shore to the King, and after a lengthened interview of four hours, occupied in pointing out that our measures for opening his country for free legitimate trade would result as beneficially to him as to us, I left him, he having promised to lay the matter before his Chiefs and Head Men next day.

"Accordingly, next day they met, and consented to the terms I had drawn up.

"On the 17th, accompanied by several Europeans as witnesses, I again visited the King, when the Treaty, of which the inclosed is a copy, was signed, the King himself pointedly asking his Chiefs if they had well considered the matter before signing.

"On my return I called a meeting of the Chiefs of Badagry, and explained the terms of a Mercantile Treaty I drew up for their signature. They, with two exceptions, consented at once, and subsequently the whole of them signed the Treaty, of which a copy is herewith transmitted."

* Inclosure 1, in Mr McCoskry's Despatch of July 2d, 1861.

* Copy of the Treaty signed by the King and Chiefs of Porto Novo, June 17, 1861.

"WHEREAS, there being at present no known and recognised regulations with special reference to trading transactions between British subjects and others under British protection, and the subjects of the King of Porto Novo :

* William McCoskry, Her Britannic Majesty's Acting Consul, on behalf of British subjects, Africans under British protection, and all legal traders, subjects of countries in amity with Great

Britain, and the King of Porto Novo on behalf of his subjects, have agreed to the following articles :

"Art. I. British subjects and other legal traders shall be allowed to go and come freely, to and from Porto Novo and any town within the territories of the King of Porto Novo, and to erect houses or factories for the collection and purchase of palm oil and other produce.

"Art. II. Legal traders shall be allowed to acquire, either by grant or purchase, land in any part of the town or territory of Porto Novo, for the erection of houses or factories for the purpose of trade, or for the cultivation of cotton, or any other produce, the said houses or factories to be of whatever construction may be considered best adapted to the business of the owner and the security of his property.

"Art. III. All classes of the people, subjects of Porto Novo, or residing therein, shall be allowed at all times to enter the houses of legal traders established in the territories of the King of Porto Novo, there to sell and barter the produce of the country; the natives so trading to be subject to no imposts more than when trading one with another.

"Art. IV. The King of Porto Novo shall punish, upon conviction, any of his subjects who commit theft, robbery, or incendiarism, affecting the property of British subjects, and any other legal trader, and will use every means to bring such offenders to speedy justice.

"Art. V. The King of Porto Novo shall cause any of his subjects, or other natives residing in his territories, under his protection, who may be indebted to traders, to pay such debts within reasonable time, and if not paid within the time so fixed, the property belonging to such person so owing shall be sold, and applied to the liquidation of the claims against him.

"Art. VI. British subjects and other legal traders shall be allowed to employ in their business, within the territories of Porto Novo, the natives of any other country, either on shore, in their houses and factories, or on the lagoon, in the transport of goods or produce.

"Art. VII. Any quarrel or dispute that may arise between legal traders or their employees and the natives of Porto Novo, shall be referred to the British Consular Agent, if there is one, or to the British Consul at Lagos, who shall refer the matter to the King of Porto Novo for his decision."



"In consideration of the due fulfilment of the foregoing articles, a payment of two heads of cowries shall be paid by all legal traders on every cask containing 150 gallons of palm oil, and two strings of cowries for each pound of ivory exported from Porto Novo; it being understood that no other duty, direct or indirect, be levied on the same produce, and the King do no trade.

"It is further agreed that a payment of 15 heads of cowries be paid for making public the readiness of any merchant to trade.

Signed at Porto Novo, this 17th day of June 1861.

"WILLIAM McCOSKRY, (Acting Consul.)

"LOJEE (King), × his mark.

"GOGAU (1st Chief), × his mark.

"PROGAU (2d Chief), × his mark.

"Witnesses:—

"THOMAS TICKEL, (Acting Vice-Consul.)

"CHAS. FORREST, (Lieut. Commanding H.M.S. Bruce.)

"J. A. MASER, (Ch. Missionary.)

"THOS. MAGNE.

"J. B. WILLIAMS, (Interpreter.)"

"Inclosure 2, in Mr McCoskry's Despatch of July 2d, 1861.

"Copy of the Treaty signed by the Chief of Badagry, June 19, 1861.

"WHEREAS the legitimate trade of Badagry has hitherto been greatly obstructed by certain native regulations:

"William McCoskry, Her Britannic Majesty's Acting Consul, on behalf of British subjects, others under British protection, and all legal traders, subjects of countries in amity with Great Britain, and the Chiefs of Badagry, on behalf of themselves and their people.

"Art. I. The people of Badagry and others, natives of the neighbouring countries, trading in or to Badagry, shall be allowed to trade freely and directly with the merchants trading at Badagry in their own establishments, and none shall on that account be subject to any impost more than when trading one with another.

"Art. II. No native nor Chief of Badagry shall control in any way the trading transactions of any merchant by fixing the price at which any article is to be sold, but shall leave that to be settled between the buyer and seller themselves.

"Art. III. The Chiefs of Badagry shall cause their subjects to pay their just debts to traders within reasonable time, and if not paid within the time fixed, shall cause the property of the person so owing to be sold to liquidate the debt.

"Art. IV. Any person subject to the Chiefs of Badagry that may be convicted of theft, robbery, incendiarism, or any other offence, shall be punished by the Chiefs, and they shall use proper means to bring any person accused of any offence to justice.

"Art. V. Traders at Badagry shall be allowed to employ in any legal work any person they may choose, whether a native of Badagry or not, and no native nor Chief of Badagry shall obstruct persons so employed in the performance of their work.

"Art. VI. In consideration of the due fulfilment of the foregoing Articles, the traders at Badagry shall pay a duty of 1½ heads of cowries

on every 150 gallons of palm oil or nut oil, and 2 strings of cowries on every pound of ivory exported from Badagry, the amount arising from such duty shall be divided quarterly by Her Britannic Majesty's Consul amongst the Chiefs of Badagry, according to their conduct and capabilities in furthering the interests of commerce and civilization.

"It is clearly understood that the payment of one head per 30 gallons hitherto charged by Badagry people on palm oil coming from Porto Novo, and all other such charges and imposts on produce, cease when this agreement comes in force.

(Signed) "THOMAS TICKEL, Acting Vice-Consul.

his
"LOE×WAUR,
mark.

his his
"AKEO×NH, MO×BE,
mark. mark.

his his
"LUI×GE, AGO×ITOE,
mark. mark.

his his
"PHEO×WH, BALL×A,
mark. mark.

his
"POSS×U,
mark.

"Witnesses to Signatures:—

"J. E. MOFFATT.

"J. W. JOHNS.

"J. TICKELL.

"H. ALEXANDER.

"W. ROBERTS."

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 11, 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 Consul at Carthagena, enclosing an official bulletin of July 1, stating that the Atlantic Ports of New Granada are not blockaded.

Commission signed by the Queen.

City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Donald Patrick Campbell, Esq. late Captain 92d Highlanders, to be Adjutant, vice Page, transferred to the London Scottish Rifle Volunteer Corps. Dated 12th July 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John Morison in the above Corps.

Commission signed by the Queen.

Royal Glamorganshire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Matthew Beachcroft Harrison, Esq. to be Adjutant, from the 13th July 1861. Dated 31st July 1861.

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

20th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain George Joseph Bowyer to be Major. Dated 12th August 1861.

MEMORANDA.

1st Middlesex Light Horse Volunteer Corps.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held in this Corps by Honorary Assistant-Surgeon George Becca. Letter of Acceptance dated 9th August 1861.

London Irish Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held in this Corps by Lieutenant William Howard Russell. Letter of Acceptance dated 10th August 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.

2d Administrative Battalion of Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

John Davies Weaver, Esq. to be Surgeon. Dated 30th July 1861.

3d Administrative Battalion of Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Anthony Merriman, Esq. to be Surgeon. Dated 5th August 1861.

4th Administrative Battalion of Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

Alfred Aspland, Esq. to be Surgeon. Dated 10th August 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Assistant-Surgeon Weaver in the 6th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

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

1st Administrative Battalion of Carmarthenshire Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Henry Saunders Davies, Esq. to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Sir James Walker Drummond, Bart., resigned. Dated 12th August 1861.

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

3d Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteers.

George Frederick Helm, Esq. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 7th August 1861.

Commissions signed by the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports.

Alexander Bishop Vidler, Esq. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 12th August 1861.

George Henry Edwards, Esq. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 12th August 1861.

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

Warwickshire Rifle Volunteers.

1st Consolidated Battalion (Birmingham).

Thomas Bullock, gent. to be Ensign, vice Buckley, promoted. Dated 12th August 1861.

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

5th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Henry Pemberton, to be First Lieutenant. Dated 27th July 1861.

56th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James William Mellor, gent. to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 1st August 1861.

1st Lancashire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Major James Newlands to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3d August 1861.

Second Lieutenant George Enoch Grayson to be First Lieutenant. Dated 3d August 1861.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Haigh, the younger, to be First Lieutenant. Dated 3d August 1861.

Frederick Hall Kirby to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3d August 1861.

George Arundale, gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3d August 1861.

Edward Lister, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 3d August 1861.

Peter Smith Rhind, gent. to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 3d August 1861.

3d Manchester or 46th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel Booth, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 3d August 1861.

Thomas Nainby Dean, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 3d August 1861.

4th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

First Lieutenant William Radcliffe to be Captain. Dated 5th August 1861.

Second Lieutenant Henry Browne Kelley to be First Lieutenant. Dated 5th August 1861.

57th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Aitken, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 6th August 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Hugh Spencer, in the 47th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Edinburgh or Mid-Lothian.

1st Mid-Lothian Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Donald Robert MacGregor to be Major. Dated 27th July 1861.

Ensign James Cochrane to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July 1861.

Lieutenant William Strachan Gavin to be Captain. Dated 2d August 1861.

Ensign James Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 2d August 1861.

Andrew Aitken, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 2d August 1861.

1st Mid-Lothian Coast Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Henry Johnston Younger to be First Lieutenant. Dated 31st July 1861.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by First Lieutenant Darley Bentley.

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 14th August 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.
Wheat and Wheat Flour	87818	2	32184	4	120002	6	4688	2	5	1830	9	6	6518	11	11		
Barley and Barley Meal	9095	0	—		9095	0	454	15	4	—			454	15	4		
Oats and Oat Meal.....	37770	0	5816	4	43586	4	1870	4	8	221	16	5	2092	1	1		
Rye and Rye Meal.....	340	6	—		340	6	17	0	9	—			17	0	9		
Pease and Pea Meal	627	6	9746	6	10374	4	31	7	10	487	6	10	518	14	8	1	0
Beans and Bean Meal	5897	3	—		5897	3	294	17	5	—			294	17	5		
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	14435	5	1200	0	15635	5	721	17	5	60	0	0	781	17	5		
Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal	—		—		—		—			—			—				
Beer or Bigg	—		—		—		—			—			—				
Total.....	155984	6	48947	6	204932	4	8078	5	10	2599	12	9	10677	18	7		

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, 19th August 1861.

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

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLLED.

✓ John Laws, of No. 9, New Church Street, Marylebone, chemist, druggist, and omnibus proprietor.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

✓ James Randall, of Byfleet, near Cobham, Surrey, victualler.

✓ William Henry Batchelar, of Leatherhead, Surrey—builder and undertaker.

✓ John Axel Taleen, residing at No. 4, Whitley Villas, Caledonian Road, Islington, Middlesex, lately carrying on business at No. 65, Fenchurch Street, London, in copartnership with Thomas Penlington, as ship and insurance broker, under the style or firm of Taleen & Company, also at the same time carrying on business at Blackhorse Bridge, Deptford, Kent, in copartnership with the said Thomas Penlington, as ice merchant, under the style of the Norwegian Ice Company.

✓ Charles Webb, of Drury Lane, and of Chrisp Street, Poplar, both in Middlesex, general salesman.

✓ Edward Simons, of No. 115, Newgate Street, London, and of No. 36, Bull Street, Birmingham, Warwick, lamp dealer and Italian warehouseman.

✓ Henry Wakeham Stear, of Nos. 64 and 65, Bread Street, London, lace warehouseman and commission agent, carrying on business under the style or firm of Henry Wakeham, Stear, & Company.

John Chapman and George Granger, of the Britannia Ironworks, Oldbury, Worcester, ironmasters.

William Fawcner, of Kidderminster, Worcester, victualler and car proprietor.

William Harrison, of Barnsley, York, tailor and draper.

John William Garrett, of Liverpool, Lancaster, corn merchant.

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 PLECE 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 TO CREDITORS.

JAMES THOMAS, Stationer, No. 262, Argyle Street, Glasgow, has executed a Trust-Deed for behoof of his Creditors in favor of the Subscriber, with whom Parties having Claims against the said James Thomas are requested to lodge the same, within twenty-one days from this date, and to whom all Parties indebted to the said James Thomas are requested forthwith to pay the amounts due by them.

Jno. MILLER, Accountant.

71, Queen Street,
Glasgow, August 22, 1861.

THE Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the Deceased **JAMES JOHN FRASER**, hereby intimates, that he has had no intromissions with the funds of the estate since the last audit of his accounts, and that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till another statutory period, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

DAVID SCOTT, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 17, Hill Street,
August 23, 1861.

GRAY CAMPBELL FRASER, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN BROWN**, Merchant, New Pitsligo, in the County of Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that he has had no intromissions with the funds of the estate since the last audit of his accounts, and that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till another statutory period, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

G. C. FRASER, Trustee.

42, Castle Street,
Aberdeen, August 21, 1861.

WILLIAM STIVEN, Accountant, Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES ANDERSON**, Grocer, and Wine and Spirit Merchant in Dundee, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, to the 13th current, have been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of any dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WM. STIVEN, Trustee.

Dundee, August 20, 1861.

In the Sequestration of **ROBERT FINLAYSON**, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, Edinburgh.

SAMUEL EDGAR TROTTER, Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the above estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds, brought down to the 8th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners; that a dividend has been postponed until the next statutory period, and that circulars to the Creditors have been dispensed with.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

S. E. TROTTER, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 22, 1861.

WILLIAM BROWN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **JOHN MEIGHAN**, Flesher in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 9th August current, has been made up and examined by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

WM. BROWN, Trustee.

17, Gordon Street,
Glasgow, August 21, 1861.

AS Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **GEORGE BANKS**, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer in Edinburgh, I hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds of said estate, brought down to the 8th current, and state of the funds as at that date, have been examined and approved of by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

AND. PATERSON, Trustee.

3, North St Andrew Street,
Edinburgh, August 22, 1861.

✓ **THE Estates of FRANCIS QUILTER**, residing in Borrowstonness, sometime Merchant in London, and one of the Partners of the Firm of FRANCIS QUILTER & COMPANY, Merchants there, as an Individual, and a Partner of said Firm, were sequestrated on the 19th day of August 1861, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 19th day of August 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at Linlithgow, on Saturday the 31st day of August 1861, within the Star and Garter Hotel, Linlithgow, at 12 o'clock noon.

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 19th day of December 1861.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff-Court of Linlithgow.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

ALEXR. GUTHRIE, S.S.C., Agent,
47, Albany Street, Edinburgh.

✓ **THE Estates of JAMES WHITE**, Optician, and Maker of and Dealer in Mathematical, Philosophical, and Photographic Instruments in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 20th day of August 1861, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 20th August 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 30th day of August 1861, within the Globe Hotel, St George's Square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 21st December 1861.

A Personal Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt until the meeting for the election of the Trustee.

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

HORSER & HOWIE, Writers, Glasgow,
Agents.

✓ **THE Estates of JAMES DOUGLAS**, Boot and Shoe Maker, Dunkeld, were sequestrated on the 21st day of August 1861, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 12th August 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held within the Solicitors' Library, County Buildings, Perth, on Friday the 30th day of August 1861, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

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 12th day of December 1861.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the County of Perth.

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

JOHN ROBERTSON, Jr. S.S.C., Agent,
21, Elder Street, Edinburgh.

✓ **THE Estates of ADAM STRANG**, Bleacher in Barrhead, were sequestrated on the 21st day of August 1861, by the Sheriff of Renfrewshire.

The first deliverance is dated the said 21st day of August 1861.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held on Wednesday the 4th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, within the County Hotel, County Place, Paisley.

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 22d day of December next.

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

WILKIE, COWAN, & STRATON,
63, George Square, Glasgow, Agents.

ERRATUM in last Gazette.—In the Sequestration of the estates of WILLIAM LIVINGSTON & COMPANY, Smiths, Tin-smiths, and Gasfitters, Stockwell Street, Glasgow, and Hyndford Place, Girvan, as a Company, and of William Livingston, the only Partner of that Company, as Partner foresaid, and as an Individual, for Girvan, read Govan.

A Petition has been presented to the Honourable the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills by Thomas Hobday, Trimming Merchant in Edinburgh, praying for Sequestration of the Estates of the Deceased ROBERT HASWELL, Innkeeper and Portioner, Hutton, in the County of Berwick; and Lord Benholme, the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, has pronounced the following Interlocutor thereon, viz. — *Edinburgh, 22d August 1861.*—The Lord Ordinary having considered this Petition, with the writs produced, grants warrant to Messrs and Messengers-at-Arms to cite Mrs Elizabeth Lockie or Haswell now Nelson, relict of Robert Haswell, Innkeeper and Portioner, Hutton, in the County of Berwick, now deceased, and now spouse of Robert Buchanan Nelson, Joiner at Beltonford, near Dunbar, and the said Robert Buchanan Nelson, her husband, for his interest; James Latta, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, factor loco tutoris to Alexander Haswell, presently residing with the said Robert Buchanan Nelson, at Beltonford, pupil, eldest lawful son of, and nearest lawful heir to the said Robert Haswell; Alexander Haswell, Robert Haswell, and Elizabeth Haswell, also residing with the said Robert Buchanan Nelson, the successors of the said deceased Robert Haswell, and the Tutors and Curators of such of the said successors as are pupils or minors, if they any have, for their interest, in terms of the Bankruptcy Scotland Act, 1856, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after the date of citation if within Scotland, and the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland; and directs Intimation of this warrant and *inducias* to be forthwith published in the Gazette, in terms of said Act.

(Signed) 'H. J. ROBERTSON.'

—Of which Interlocutor Intimation is hereby given.

J. D. FERRIE, S.S.C., 17, Constitution Street, Leith,
August 23, 1861. Agent for Petitioner,

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN SCOTT & COMPANY, Biscuit Manufacturers, James Watt Street, Glasgow, as a Company, and John Scott and John Paterson Hamilton, Biscuit Manufacturers there, the only parties acknowledging themselves to be Partners of said Company, (except John Hutchison Bedgar, Corn Merchant, Glasgow, whose estates have been already sequestrated under the Bankrupt Statutes, and the Trustees in whose sequestration concurs in the Petition,) as Partners of said Company, and as Individuals.

✓ **JOHN WIGHT**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and James Brown, Merchant, Glasgow, James Bald, Grain Merchant, Glasgow, and Robert Clark Steel, Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Chambers of Mr Sheriff Smith, Court-house, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 4th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Counting-house of Wink & Wight, Accountants, 175, West George Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 13th day of September next, at two o'clock afternoon.

JOHN WIGHT, Trustee.

175, West George Street,
Glasgow, August 22, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN HUTCHESON BEDGAR, Corn Merchant, Hope Street, Glasgow, and trading there under the Firm of JOHN H. BEDGAR & COMPANY, of which he is the sole Partner.

✓ **GEORGE PENDREIGH**, Junior, one of the Partners of the late Firm carrying on Business under the name of George Pendreigh, Corn Merchant, Edinburgh, has been elected a Commissioner on the said sequestrated estate of the said John Hutchison Bedgar, trading as aforesaid.

ALEX. MOORE, Trustee.

23, Saint Vincent Place,
Glasgow, August 20, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of MURDOCH MACAULAY, Farmer and Shipowner, lately residing at Linshader, in the Parish of Uig, Island of Lewis, and County of Ross, now deceased.

✓ **NORMAN MACIVER**, Shipowner in Stornoway, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Mackenzie, Merchant in Stornoway, Malcolm Mackenzie, Merchant in Stornoway, and Alexander Macaulay, Merchant in Stornoway, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Lewis Hotel, Stornoway, on Friday the 30th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon.

NORMAN MACIVER.

Stornoway, August 19, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of ALLAN FORBES, Fisherman and Cattle-Dealer in Dunfermline.

WILLIAM BALD, Accountant, Guildhall Street, Dunfermline, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Robert Ebenezer Beveridge, Farmer, Urquhart, by Dunfermline, Thomas Blyth, Farmer, Craigton, Cleish, and James Alexander, of Balmula, by Dunfermline, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-house at Dunfermline, on Friday the 30th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within Aitken's Royal Hotel, High Street, Dunfermline, on Monday the 9th day of September next, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

WILLIAM BALD, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of FRASER & BRUCE, Fishermen in Helmsdale, and of Robert Fraser and William Bruce, the Individual Partners of said Company.

ALEXANDER LESLIE, Writer in Dornoch, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and Charles Waterston, Esquire, Banker, Inverness, and William Gow, Esquire, residing in Pultneytown, Wick, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff-Court-house at Dornoch, on Friday the 30th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Gunn's Inn, Dornoch, on Tuesday the 10th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon.

A. LESLIE, Trustee.

Dornoch, August 17, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS TURNBULL, formerly Grocer in Morebattle, in the County of Roxburgh, now deceased.

JOHN CRAW, Merchant in Jedburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Turnbull, Merchant, Hawick, John Robertson Stewart, Merchant, Jedburgh, and John Turnbull, Merchant, Jedburgh, have been elected Commissioners. To entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged in the hands of the Trustee on or before the 12th day of October 1861. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Mr A. O. Turnbull, Writer, Jedburgh, on Saturday the 31st day of August current, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

Jedburgh, August 19, 1861. **J. CRAW**, Trustee.

Notice in the Sequestration of WILLIAM SMITH, Spirit-Dealer and Innkeeper, Grassmarket, Edinburgh.

JAMES LATTA, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee in the above sequestration, hereby call a general meeting of the Creditors on said sequestrated estate to be held within the Writing-Chambers of James Somerville, Solicitor, No. 60, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, upon Monday the 2d day of September 1861, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration an offer of composition to be made by the said William Smith.

JAMES LATTA, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 23, 1861,
32, India Street.

JOHN GUY, Writer in Pollokshaws, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **DANIEL ROBB**, Victualler, Shaftesbury Street, Glasgow, deceased, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Writing-chambers of W. J. B. & J. Kidston, 50, West Regent Street, Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 18th day of September next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

W. J. B. & J. KIDSTON,
Agents for Trustee.

Glasgow, August 22, 1861.

WILLIAM BROWN, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **D. KING & COMPANY**, Manufacturing Chemists, Camlachie, Glasgow, and Daniel King, Manufacturing Chemist there, the sole Partner of that Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors on said estates will be held within the Counting-house of M'Gowan & Brown, Chartered Accountants, No. 17, Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 16th proximo, at one o'clock afternoon, to consider an application for his discharge.

WM. BROWN, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 21, 1861.

WILLIAM STIVEN, Accountant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES LIVINGSTON**, Manufacturer, Dundee, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 7th day of August current, and a state of the whole estate of the Bankrupt as at the same date, have been made up, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the 'Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856.' That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the said 7th day of August current, and has 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, and that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period. Further, the Trustee hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors of the said James Livingston to be held within the British Hotel in Dundee, on Saturday the 7th day of September 1861, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration the expediency of selling the Bankrupt's heritable estate, and to give powers and directions thereon.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Dundee, August 23, 1861.

WM. STIVEN, Trustee.

DAVID PORTEOUS, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **MRS CATHERINE SHARP or GAVIN**, Clothier and Outfitter in Glasgow, Widow of the late **HUGH GAVIN**, Clothier and Outfitter there, hereby intimates, that a general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Lang & Graham, 98, West George Street, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 31st day of August current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of instructing the Trustee as to the reduction of a Disposition by the Bankrupt of certain subjects in Crookston Street, Glasgow, in favor of Trustees for behoof of her daughters, and also as to the procedure to be adopted with reference to certain subjects at Cartdyke, Greenock, in which the Bankrupt is supposed to have an interest.

DAVID PORTEOUS, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 22, 1861.

JOHN MANN, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ANDREW HENDERSON**, Builder, and Coach and Omnibus Proprietor, Govan, near Glasgow, and presently residing in Buckingham Square, Govan, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors held after the examination, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estate, also to pay the expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, with security for payment of the whole; which offer and security having been unanimously entertained for consideration, another meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Trustee's Counting-house here, on Monday the 9th day of September next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding thereon.

JNO. MANN, Trustee.

153, Queen Street,
Glasgow, August 21, 1861.

JOHN M'INTYRE, Commission Agent in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the Deceased **WILLIAM HUME**, Wine and Spirit Merchant in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that a second and also an equalising dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-house, No. 133, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 7th day of October next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN M'INTYRE, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 20, 1861.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'CONNELLY or M'CONNELLY, sometime Steward on board the "Princess Royal" Steamer, and now Hotel-keeper in Glasgow.

ROBERT GALT, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on said estate, do hereby intimate, that my intrusions for the period ending 7th current have been audited by the Commissioners on this estate; that the other statutory requisites have been complied with; and that a final dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and sustained, will be paid at the Counting-house of Robert Galt & Son, Accountants, 20, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 9th day of October next.

ROBERT GALT, Junr. Trustee.

Glasgow, August 21, 1861.

JOHN ANDERSON, Manufacturer, Kirkcaldy, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **ANDREW CAMERON & SON**, Manufacturers, Frouchie, and of **William Cameron**, Manufacturer, Frouchie, the sole Individual Partner of that Company, as such, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of these estates, brought down to the 7th day of August current, has been made up and examined by the Commissioners. Further, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors who did not participate in the former dividend; and that a final dividend will be paid to all those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by him, up to the 8th day of August current, at the Counting-house of the said John Anderson, in Kirkcaldy, on the 8th day of October next.

JO. ANDERSON, Trustee.

Kirkcaldy, August 21, 1861.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estate of the Most Noble **GEORGE, MARQUIS of HUNTLY**, Earl of Aboyne, Lord Strathaven and Glenlivet, and Banker, Insurance Broker, and Underwriter in Aberdeen, now deceased.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th current, has been made up by him, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; that the whole funds have been realized and divided among the Creditors, and that the Commissioners have dispensed with the transmission of circulars to the Creditors.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 22, 1861.

JAMES TURNBULL, Grocer and Spirit Merchant in Hawick, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **GEORGE LONGSTAFF**, lately Tacksman of, and Public-House Keeper at Whitrope Toll Bar, in the County of Roxburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the affairs of the estate, brought down to 8th August current, and states of the funds outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 8th current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Further, that in consequence of no funds having yet been realized, the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the next statutory period.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. TURNBULL, Trustee.

Hawick, August 22, 1861.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that an Application for **JAMES WILSON**, Earthenware Dealer, Kirkcaldy, and presently a Prisoner in Cupar Jail, craving the benefit of *Cessio Bonorum*, was presented to the Sheriff of Fifeshire, who, by Interlocutor, ordained the Debtor to appear in Court, within the Court-room, Cupar, upon Tuesday 24th September next, at 10 o'clock forenoon, in presence of the Sheriff for public examination. All his Creditors are required to appear at the foresaid time and place.

Cupar, August 20, 1861.

D. MURRAY, Agent.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Firm of **FAULDS & ALLAN**, Coal Merchants, Johnston and Elderslie, is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

WM. FAULDS.

JAMES ALLAN.

WM. SCOTT, Witness.

WM. WILSON, Witness.

Johnston, July 31, 1861.

N.B.—All accounts due the late Company to be paid Mr James Allan, by whom the Business will be continued; and all accounts due by them will also be paid by him.

JAMES ALLAN.

2, Grange Terrace,
Kilmarnock, August 9, 1861.

THE Subscriber ceased being a Partner of **MESSRS GREGORY, THOMSONS, & CO.**, Carpet Manufacturers, Kilmarnock, in September 1853.

JOHN THOMSON.

THOS. BICKET, Witness.

JAMES BLAIR, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof, under the Firm of **COLTMAN & MORTON**, Sewing Machine Agents, and Manufacturers in Glasgow, has been this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. The debts due by the Concern will be paid by Mr Coltman, who continues the Business on his own account, at 74, Queen Street, and who is authorised to uplift and discharge all accounts due to the late Concern.

RICHD. B. COLTMAN.

ANDREW MORTON.

ROBERT ROSS, Witness.

J. D. TAYLOR, Witness.

Glasgow, August 20, 1861.

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

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