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FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE—April 12.

ST JAMES—APRIL 6.

The following address has been presented to the KING, which his MAJESTY was pleased to receive very graciously.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We the Principal and Professors of the University of Edinburgh, beg leave humbly to approach your Majesty's Throne, and to present, with profound respect, our unanimous and warm congratulations on the detection and defeat of a late nefarious and desperate conspiracy formed against your Majesty's sacred life, and against the British Constitution as by law established.

Deeply impressed with affection for a Sovereign who guards with paternal solicitude the rights, the liberties, and the happiness of his people, and inspired with veneration for our invaluable constitution, we reflect on this traitorous attempt with indignation and horror; and we pledge to your Majesty invariable perseverance in our efforts to inculcate, both by our instructions and example, on the minds of the youth under our care those principles of loyalty and patriotism which may produce in them steadfast allegiance to your Majesty's person and government; and may, by the providence of God, contribute to promote and maintain all those public blessings which have, under your Majesty's auspicious reign, so conspicuously distinguished the British Empire.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Senatus Academicus,

GEORGE BAIRD, Principal.

College of Edinburgh, March 29, 1803.
[Transmitted by the Lord Advocate of Scotland, and presented by the Right Honourable Lord Pelham.]

BANKRUPTS.

T. J. Westbrook, Nelson-Terrace, Middlesex, builder
J. Myles, Ouston, Chester, cornfactor.
W. Brown, Lincoln, sadler.
W. Beaumont, Shrewsbury, Salop, draper.

TO CREDITORS.

THAT upon application of HUGH MATTHE, merchant in Greenock, with concurrence of creditors, to the extent required by law, the Lord Ordinary on the bills, by interlocutor, dated 14th current, sequestrated the whole estate and effects, heritable and moveable, of the said Hugh Matthe, and appointed his creditors to meet at Greenock, within the house of John Park, vintner there, upon Thursday the 21st curt. at one o'clock, afternoon, for the purpose of chusing an interim factor on said sequestrated estate, and again at same place and hour, on Thursday the 19th of May next, to chuse a trustee; of which notice is hereby given to all concerned.

TO THE CREDITORS OF
JAMES BOAG, Merchant and Grocer in Port-Glasgow.

THE Trustee on Mr Boag's estate hereby requests a General Meeting of the Creditors upon Wednesday the 13th day of July next, within the house of Mrs Eaglesome, innkeeper, Port-Glasgow; for the purpose of authorising him to sell by auction, the outstanding debts due to the bankrupt estate, as until that is done, no dividend can be made, the funds recovered being trifling.

The trustee likewise requests the creditors to lodge with him, their claims against the bankrupt, with affidavits thereon, that a final scheme of division may be made out, the sequestration wound up, and the trustee discharged of his intronissions; certifying those who fail to comply with this requisition, that they will have no share in the distribution of the bankrupt's estate.

ALEXR. WATSON.
PORT-GLASGOW, April 14, 1803.

TO THE CREDITORS OF
WILLIAM ROBERTSON, Cattle Dealer in Thripland.

AT a Meeting of the said William Robertson's Creditors, held on Saturday the 9th current, a proposal was made of paying a composition of 10s. per pound, in equal moities, as Martinmas next and Martinmas 1804, which proposal was approved of by all the creditors and doers for creditors present: And another meeting was appointed to be held upon Saturday the 30th April current, at 12 o'clock noon, within the house of John Hector, vintner at Bridge of Dee, for the purpose of finally determining on said proposal; of which this notice is given to all concerned, in terms of §. 48th of the bankrupt act.

TO THE CREDITORS OF JOHN THOMAS, Merchant in Perth.

AT a meeting of the Creditors of the said John Thomas, held upon the 26th day of March last, Peter Duff, merchant, and present Dean of Guild of Perth, was chosen trustee upon the said John Thomas's sequestrated estate, and his appointment has since been confirmed.

Upon the trustee's application, the Sheriff of Perthshire has fixed Wednesday the 27th curt. and Thursday the 12th of May next, for the public examination of the bankrupt, and others acquainted with his business, within the Sheriff Court-room, Perth, at eleven o'clock forenoon on each of those days: And on Friday the 13th of May next, a meeting of the creditors is to be held at Perth, within the house of James Thomas, innkeeper, High Street, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery of the estate.—The creditors are hereby required to produce in the trustee's hands their claims and vouchers or grounds of debt, with their oaths on the verity thereof, at or previous to the said meeting, if not already produced: and it is hereby intimated, that unless the productions are made betwixt and the 23d day of December next, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt estate.

TO THE CREDITORS OF JOHN RANKINE of Bantaskine, Merchant, Falkirk.

INTIMATION is hereby given, in terms of the Act of Parliament, by James Aitken, writer in Falkirk, trustee chosen by the said Creditors, that the Sheriff of Stirlingshire has appointed Saturday the 23d April curt, and Saturday, the 7th May next, both at mid-day, within the Sheriff Court-hall of Stirling, for the public examination of the said John Rankine and of his Family, and others concerned in, or acquainted with his business; and on Monday thereafter a Meeting of the said Creditors is to be held within Wingate's Inn, in Stirling, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of instructing the trustee as to the management and recovery of the estate, and of chusing Commissioners: and the Trustee hereby requires such of the said Creditors as have not hitherto done so, to lodge with him their claims and vouchers, or grounds of debt, with oaths on the verity thereof; at or previous to the said meeting—certifying those Creditors who fail to make such production betwixt and the 26th day of November next, that they shall have no share in the first distribution of the said estate.



BRITISH FIRE OFFICE,

STRAND AND CORNHILL, LONDON.

INSURANCES against Loss or Damage by FIRE continue to be made on Houses, Buildings, Manufactories, Goods and Merchandize, Ships, Vessels, Barges, and every kind of Craft, with their Freight, Cargoes, and Stores, in any Harbour, River, or on any Navigation, FARMING STOCK, and all other property, in any part of Great Britain and Ireland.

Persons who remain uninsured, will do well to reflect on the many calamities occasioned by FIRE; and of the dreadful consequences to many individuals: and as property, in general, has considerably increased in value, those already insured should reconsider their policies, and make such addition as prudence may suggest.

Annual payments due at LADY-DAY, must be made within Fifteen Days therefrom, or the benefit of the Policy will be lost; but insurance may be renewed after, without a new policy.

Printed proposals and conditions of Insurance, and a list of the Directors, Trustees, &c. may be had gratis, and of the Agents in all the cities and principal towns in England, Scotland, and Wales.—For the convenience of their friends in Ireland, they have established an Office in Dame-Street, Dublin, where, and of the Agents in the principal cities and towns, proposals are also to be had gratis.

ROBERT SKELTON, Sec.

Messrs MURRAY & BAXTER, Edinburgh.	
Mr Dun. Campbell, jun.	P. Glasgow & Greenock.
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Mr John Campbell,	Inveraray.
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Mr Duncan M'Callum,	Campbelltown.
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Mr Robert Patison,	Paisley.
Mr Thomas Duncan,	Aberdeen.
Mr John Baxter,	Dundee.

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LIFE INSURANCE & ANNUITY OFFICEIN THE
STRAND, AND IN CORNHILL, LONDON.

THIS Office was established in 1792, and insures the Lives of Persons desirous of securing independency to their Families, or to provide for them in any way agreeable to their wishes; to effect which, an Annual Premium will be received for the payment of a gross sum, or of an annuity, to become due and payable at the decease of a person insured, to his widow, children, or other representatives as he may appoint.

Insurances may be made for a variety of other purposes:—to provide for renewal of leases;—to secure sums paid for places or employments, or for the purchase of life estates;—or in aid of arrangements between debtor and creditor, &c. &c. which is explained further in the printed rates and conditions of Insurance, which may be had gratis, with the list of Directors as above, or of the Agents of the BRITISH FIRE OFFICE in the Country, who are appointed Agents for this Office.

Annuities are granted to commence immediately, and are payable at Michaelmas and Lady-day in every year, or by agreement, at either of the other quarter days.

The rates and conditions are also delivered gratis at their Office in Dame Street, Dublin; and by their Agents in the cities and large towns in Ireland.

Attendance is daily given for granting Insurances and Annuities, and a Board of Directors is held every Tuesday, at one o'clock, at their Office in the Strand, and on Thursday at the same hour, at their Office in Cornhill.

ROBERT SKELTON, Sec.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

FRANCIS GARBETT & Co. late merchants at Carron Wharf, and of CHARLES GASCOIGNE, one of the partners of that Company.

LORD METHVEN, Ordinary, officiating on the bills, by interlocutor of this date, has been pleased to appoint the whole creditors of the said Francis Garbett and Co. and of Charles Gascoigne, to meet by themselves, or their doers properly authorised, at Edinburgh, and within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse

there, upon Friday the 13th day of May next, at one o'clock afternoon, in order to chuse a new trustee, or trustees in succession upon the sequestrated estates of the said Francis Garbett and Co. and of Charles Gascoigne, in place of Mr Walter Hog, formerly trustee thereon, now deceased, in terms of the act of the 23d year of his present Majesty's reign; of which appointment, intimation is hereby made to all concerned in terms of said statute.

Edinburgh, 12th April, 1803.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

CUTHELL, TORRANCE, and CO. late Merchants in Glasgow.

THE Trustees for the Creditors of the said Cuthell, Torrance, and Co. hereby intimate, That they having been obliged to postpone the dividend formerly advertised, such of the creditors as have not yet lodged their claims, grounds of debt, and oaths of verity thereon, may still have an opportunity of lodging the same in the hands of David Kay, accountant in Glasgow, betwixt and the first day of May next; and that immediately after that date a dividend will take place.—Of which those who do not avail themselves of this further notice will be cut off from any share.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

KENNEDY CRAWFORD and CO. Merchants in Ayr.

UPON the application of Kennedy Crawford and Company, and the individual Partners of the said Company, with concurrence of a creditor to the extent required by law, Lord Methven, Ordinary officiating on the bills, did, upon the 14th April current, sequestrate the whole estates heritable and moveable, real and personal, belonging to the said Kennedy Crawford and Company, as a copartnership, and Alexander Crawford and Kennedy Crawford, the individual Partners; appointed their creditors to meet within the house of James Sloan, vintner in Ayr, on Saturday the 23d day of April current, at noon, to chuse an interim factor; and also appointed them to meet, at the same place and hour, on Friday the 13th day of May next, for the purpose of naming a trustee,