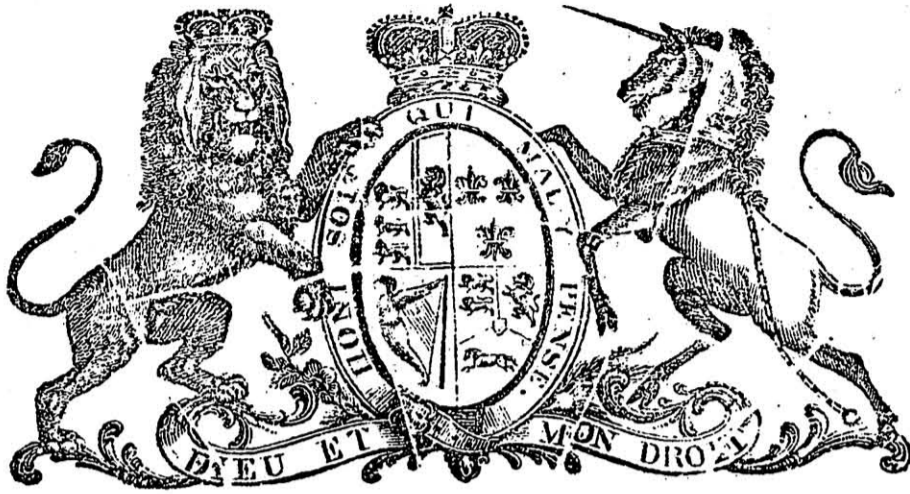


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### WESTMINSTER—MARCH 9.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by Sir FRANCIS MOLYNEUX, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, "That the Lords, authorized by virtue of his Majesty's commission for declaring his Royal Assent to several acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the commission read;" and the Commons being come thither, the said commission empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said acts was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the army and their quarters.

An Act for the regulation of his Majesty's royal marine forces while on shore.

An Act to continue, until three months after any restriction imposed by any act of the present session of Parliament on the Bank of England from issuing cash in payment shall cease; an act made in the Parliament of Ireland in the 37th year of the reign of his present Majesty, for confirming and continuing the restrictions on payments in cash by the Bank of Ireland; and also an act made in the 43d year of the reign of his present Majesty, for amending the said act.

An Act for allowing vessels employed in the Greenland whale fishery, and clearing out from any port in Great Britain, to complete their full number of men at certain ports for the present season.

An Act for further continuing, until the 25th day of March 1806, an act made in the 33d year of the reign of his present Majesty, for rendering the payment of creditors more equal and expeditious in Scotland.

And to several other public and three private acts.

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### TO THE CREDITORS OF WILLIAM FERGUSON, in Millmark, in the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

JAMES BARBOUR, writer in Castle Douglas, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William Ferguson, hereby intimates, that the Steward-depute of Kirkcudbright has appointed Saturday the 17th, and Saturday the 31st days of March current, for the examination of the bankrupt and others connected with his business, at 12 o'clock noon, within Mr Barbour's writing office in Castle Douglas. And that a general meeting of the creditors will be held on Monday the 2d of April, at the hour and place above specified, to chuse commissioners, and give instructions to the trustee with regard to the management of the sequestrated estate. The creditors are requested, betwixt and that meeting, to produce, in the hands of the trustee, their claims and vouchers, or grounds of debt, with oaths of verity thereon; with certification, that unless such productions are made within ten kalendar months of the date of the sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the bankrupt estate.

EDINBURGH, March 10. 1804.

### TO THE CREDITORS OF JAMES JOHNSTON, in Ecclefechan.

JOHN CALVERT, junior, in Pennerfaughs, having been confirmed Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said James Johnston, applied to the Sheriff of Dumfries, who appointed Wednesday the 21st day of March current and Friday the 6th day of April next, for the public examination of the bankrupt, and others connected with his affairs, within the Sheriff Clerk's Office in Dumfries, at 12 o'clock noon. And the trustee intimates, that on Saturday the 7th day of April, being the first lawful day after the second examination, a meeting of the creditors is to be held in the King's Arms, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of instructing the trustee;—and he requires the creditors to lodge their claims, and oaths of verity thereon, at or previous to the said meeting, if not already produced; with certification, that unless the said productions are made betwixt and 28th October 1804, being ten months from the date of sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the bankrupt's estate.

### TO THE CREDITORS OF

### WILLIAM MATHIE, Merchant in Greenock.

THAT John Spence, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William Mathie, hereby intimates, that he has, in terms of the statute, made up states of the bankrupt's affairs, and a scheme of division of the funds recovered, which will lie in his hands for the inspection of all concerned, until Monday the 16th day of April next, at 12 o'clock noon, when he requests a meeting of the creditors, within the house of John Park, vintner in Greenock, to receive their dividends, and give directions as to future management.

### SECOND NOTICE—SECOND TERM.

IN the Ranking and Sale of BEAM, at the instance of JAMES AITKEN, writer in Falkirk, trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN RANKINE of Bantaskine, merchant in Falkirk, against the said John Rankine and his creditors, Lord Bannatyne, Ordinary, by interlocutor, dated 2d March 1804, assigned the 15th day of May next to the whole creditors, to produce all their claims, rights, and diligences, competent to them, against the bankrupt or his estate, and whose vouchers thereof, and that for the SECOND TERM, with certification.

### SECOND NOTICE—SECOND TERM.

IN the process of Ranking and Sale, brought by JOHN M'KELLAR, merchant in Greenock, against DUNCAN M'KELLAR, son of the deceased Duncan M'Kellar of Hampden, in the island of Tobago, and his Tutors and Curators, for their interest, Lord Polkemmet, Ordinary to the ranking, upon 25th February last, assigned the third sederunt day in May next to the whole creditors of the bankrupt to produce their claims, rights, and diligences, and vouchers thereof, and that for the SECOND TERM, with certification; and ordained intimation thereof to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette once every week, for three weeks successively; and assigned the third sederunt day in May next for the creditors deponing on the verity of their debts, of all which this notice is given in terms of the interlocutor of the Lord Ordinary.

H. R. STEVENSON, Clerks.

