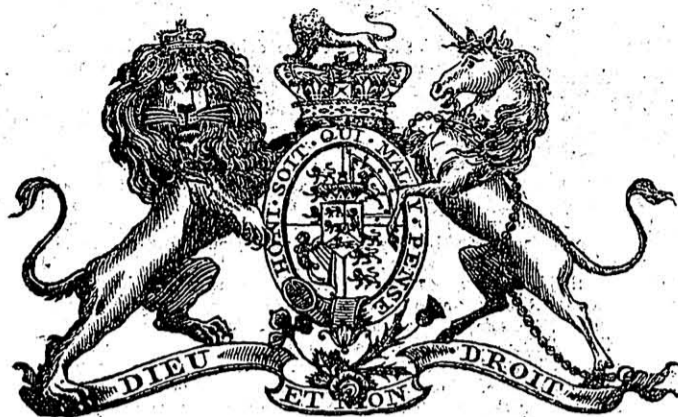


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FROM FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1. TO TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5. 1805.

WHITEHALL—Feb. 2. 1805.

The King has been pleased to order a conge d'elire to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Metropolitan Church of Canterbury to elect an Archbishop of that See, the same being void by the death of the Most Reverend Father in God Dr John Moore; also, his Majesty's letter to the Dean and Chapter, recommending the Right Reverend Father in God Dr Charles Manners Sutton, now Bishop of Norwich, to be by them elected Archbishop of the said See of Canterbury.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE—Feb. 1. 1805.

Copy of a Letter from the Right Honourable Lord Keith, K. B. Admiral of the Blue, &c. to William Marsden, Esq. dated on board his Majesty's ship the Ardent, off Ramsgate, 31st of January 1805.

SIR,

I inclose, for their Lordship's information, an extract of a letter from Capt. Owen, of his Majesty's ship *Immortalite*, to Vice-Admiral Holloway, acquainting him that a division of the enemy's flotilla arrived at Boulogne on the 29th inst. from the westward; and that one of them (a lugger) had been cut off by the *Harpy*.

I have the honour to be, &c. KEITH.

Extract of a letter from Captain Owen, of the *Immortalite*, off Boulogne, to Vice-Admiral Holloway, dated 23d of January 1805.

A division of seventeen brigs, three schooners, four sloops, a dogger, and six luggers, arrived this morning from the westward; and although I got close enough to exchange shot with the body of them, the wind and lee-tide enabled them to haul close to the beach, and pass in that manner. One lugger had carried away her fore-mast, and was cut off by the *Harpy*, whose fire she returned before she struck. I have sent her to the Downs with the *Bruiser*.

PRICE 6d.

At the Court at the Queen's Palace, the 31st of January 1805,

P R E S E N T,

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council,

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Thomas Maitland, Governor of the settlements in the island of Ceylon, he, this day, took the oaths as Governor of the said settlements.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
ALEXANDER FERGUSSON, late Merchant in  
Girvan.

HUGH COWAN, merchant in Ayr, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Alexander Fergusson, hereby intimates, That a scheme of division of the funds recovered, and a state of the bankrupt's affairs, lie in the office of the said Hugh Cowan, for the inspection of the creditors, till the 6th day of March next, on which day the trustee will there pay a dividend to those creditors who have duly proved their debts.  
Ayr, Jan. 30. 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
ALEXANDER PATERSON, Merchant in Thurfó.

IN consequence of a proposal made by the said Alexander Paterson, for payment of a composition on the debts due by him, a meeting of his creditors was held on 23d January last, for deciding upon said offer, when it was resolved to adjourn the further consideration thereof until Wednesday the 29th February current; on which day the trustee requests all the creditors to meet in the house of Robert Rylie, vintner in Thurfó, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose above mentioned.  
Feb. 1. 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
Deacon JOHN RICHARDSON, Tanner in Perth.  
GEORGE KNOX, merchant in Perth, trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Richardson, hereby intimates, That, in terms of the act of Parliament, he has made up a state of the bankrupt's affairs, which lie for the inspection of the creditors in his hands till the 18th February next, when the whole funds which belonged to the bankrupt at the date of the sequestration will be divided.  
Perth, Jan. 17. 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
JAMES & WILLIAM SMITH, Manufacturers in  
Glasgow, as a Company; and of JAMES SMITH,  
and WILLIAM SMITH, as Individuals.

THE said James and William Smith, with the concurrence of the trustee on their sequestrated estates, and creditors in number and value required by law, having applied, by petition, to the Court of Session, to discharge them of all debts contracted by them as a company, or as individuals, prior to the 2d day of November 1803, being the date of their application for sequestration, the Lords, on hearing said petition, ordered the same to be intimated in the *Edinburgh Gazette*; intimation of which is accordingly hereby given to all concerned.  
Feb. 4. 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
WILSON, GRÆME, & STORY, late Merchants in  
Glasgow.

A Petition having been presented to the Court of Session for Cameron Græme one of the partners of said Company, with concurrence of Alexander Arnot, manufacturer in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Wilson, Græme, and Story, and four fifths in number and value of the Creditors of the said Company, praying their Lordships to discharge him, the said Cameron Græme, of all debts contracted by him as a partner of the fore-said Company, prior to the date of the sequestration. The Lords appointed the said Petition to be advertised in the *Edinburgh Gazette*; and this notice is accordingly given to all concerned.  
Edinburgh, 5th Feb. 1805.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
WILLIAM FORREST, Hofer in Edinburgh.

AT a General Meeting of the Creditors, held the day after the last examination of the said William Forrest, under the sequestration of his estate, he proposed to pay a composition of two shillings on the principal sums of the debts due by him at the date of the sequestration—James Rae, the trustee, therefore requires the whole creditors to meet within his house, in Bank Street, Edinburgh, upon Saturday the 23d current, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of deciding on said offer of composition.  
Edinburgh, Feb. 1. 1805.

