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WHITEHALL, Feb. 7. 1807.

THE King has been pleased to appoint James Moncrief, Esq. advocate, to be Sheriff-depute of the shires of Clackmannan and Kinross, in the room of David Monypenny and David Williamson, Esqrs. resigned.

The King has also been pleased to appoint David Monypenny, Esq. advocate, to be Sheriff-depute of the shire of Fife.

The King has also been pleased to appoint David Williamson, Esq. advocate, to be Sheriff-depute of Stirling.

ADMIRALTY OFFICE, February 7. 1807.

Copy of a Letter from Captain JOHN AYSCOUGH, of his Majesty's ship Success, to Vice-Admiral DACRES.

His Majesty's ship Success, Lucca, 6th December 1806.

SIR—I beg leave to inform you, that, on the morning of the 20th of last month, standing in for the land to the eastward of Cumberland harbour, I observed a small felucca running into Hidden Port. Mr W. Duke, the First Lieutenant, volunteered his services, with Lieut. Charles Spence, and acting Lieut. Dowell O'Reilly. The barge and yawl were armed, and instantly dispatched. On their approach, they found her crew had landed (about fifty in number), with their small arms, and the only long gun; had lashed the vessel to the trees; posted themselves on a hill close to the beach, and fired down on our boats with grape and musketry in the most determined manner. (I am very sorry to say Lieutenant Duke was killed the first volley.) Lieutenant Spence, who took the command, informs me it was impossible to stand the continual fire kept up from our boats for one hour and twenty minutes, (several of the enemy having fallen during that time.) From the barge being shot through in many places, seven wounded men in the boats, Lieutenant Spence very properly judged it would be only sacrificing the lives of the brave party to attempt the hill, he therefore ordered the vessel to be towed out, which was done from under a very heavy fire of grape. By her journal she appears to be the Vengeur French privateer, and sailed from the city of St Domingo the 1st of October, which, from being leaky, owing to shot-holes, &c. sunk astern of the ship.

Lieutenant Spence speaks in the highest terms of the acting Lieutenant O'Reilly, (who has been in that situation with me above eight months,) the petty officers, seamen, and marines under his orders.

I cannot omit recommending to your notice, Mr William Rand Hughes, Master's-Mate, who passed for a lieutenant, and conducted himself in a very spirited manner.

Price Sixpence.

With concern I inclose you a list of the killed, wounded, and missing; and have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) JOHN AYSCOUGH.

To Vice-Admiral DACRES, Commander in Chief, &c. &c. &c. Jamaica.

Return of killed, wounded, and missing.

William Duke, First Lieutenant, killed.
Dowell O'Reilly, acting Lieutenant, wounded in the leg.

John Frederick, ordinary, badly wounded in the thigh.
James Clewer, able, badly wounded in the knee-joint.
Henry Bibby, ordinary, badly wounded through the body.
John Hornsby, able, badly wounded through the lungs.
Daniel Burns, landsman, slightly wounded in the fingers.
Jasper Wheeler, marine, slightly wounded in the hand.
Anthony Pascall, able, missing, supposed to have deserted.

Total—1 killed, 7 wounded, and 1 missing.
(Signed) JOHN AYSCOUGH, Captain.
THOMAS DEAR, Surgeon.

ERRATUM—The Examination of John Chalmers, of Carclive, Ayrshire, on the 9th and 23d February, is in the Court-hall *Ayr*, not *Glasgow*, as erroneously stated in the Gazette of February 3.

TO THE CREDITORS OF JOHN MURRAY, Merchant in Dundee.

JAMES NICOL, Junior, merchant in Dundee, has been appointed Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Murray, and his nomination having been confirmed by the Court of Session, the Sheriff of Forfarshire has fixed Thursday the 19th day of February next, and Saturday the 7th March next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the public examination of the bankrupt, within the Sheriff-Court-room at Forfar. The Trustee hereby requires a meeting of the Creditors, on Monday the 9th day of March next, in the house of Alexander Morren, vintner, Dundee, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of choosing Commissioners and instructing the Trustee as to the management and recovery of the bankrupt's estate. And he further requires the Creditors to produce, in his hands, their claims and grounds of debt, with oaths of verity thereon, at or previous to said meeting, with certification, that unless such productions are made on or before the 21st day of September 1807, being 10 months after the first deliverance on the petition for sequestration, the party neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the debtor's estate.

Dundee, Feb. 6. 1807.

INTIMATION.

THAT in the process of multiplepointing and exoneration, pursued before the Lords of Council and Session at the instance of Margaret Isleman, widow of George Campbell, late vintner in the Abbey of Holyroodhouse, against his Creditors, the LORD HERMAND, Ordinary, by an interlocutor, of this date, ordained the said Creditors to produce their interests in the Clerk's hands within ten days, and appointed intimation thereof to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette; and agreeably thereto this intimation is now made to all concerned.

W. B. ROSE, Clerk.

Edinburgh, Feb. 4. 1807.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM KNOX, Merchant and Underwriter in Aberdeen.

AT a meeting of the Creditors on the sequestrated estate of the said William Knox, held within the Aberdeen Hotel on Thursday the 5th day of February next, being the first lawful day after the last public examination of the bankrupt, the said William Knox made offer of a composition of 5s. per pound of the whole debts owing by him at the date of the sequestration, payable in equal moieties on 20th September and 20th December next, which was approved of by the said meeting.

The Trustee therefore intimates, That another meeting of the Creditors will be held within the said Aberdeen Hotel, on Thursday the 12th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of deciding on said offer, in terms of the statute.

Aberdeen, Feb. 6. 1807.

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INTIMATION

TO THE CREDITORS OF

THOMAS WHYTE, Merchant in Edinburgh.

THAT the said Thomas Whyte, with the concurrence of the Trustee on his sequestrated estate, and of more than nine-tenths in number and value of his Creditors who have lodged their grounds of debt and oaths of verity thereon, has applied to the Court of Session for approval of the composition offered by him, and a discharge of his debts prior to the date of the interlocutor sequestrating his estate, and for exoneration of the Trustee; on which application, the Court, by interlocutor dated the 6th day of February next, appointed the same to be intimated in the Minute-Book and upon the Walls of the Inner and Outer-House for fourteen days, and once in the Edinburgh Gazette; and when such intimations are made and reported, the consideration of the petition will be resumed; of all which intimation is hereby given, in terms of the statute and said interlocutor.

