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## LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY.

DOWNING STREET, March 8. 1807.

A dispatch, dated St. Petersburg, 17th Feb. 1807, of which the following is an extract, was this day received from the Marquis of Douglas and Clydesdale, His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Court of St. Petersburg, by Lord Viscount Howick, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs:

I HAVE the pleasure of inclosing, for your Lordship's information, two papers, giving an account of a signal victory gained by the Russians over the French.

Translation of a letter from General DE BUDBERG, His Imperial Majesty's Minister for Foreign Affairs, to his Excellency the MARQUIS of DOUGLAS and CLYDESDALE, 3d (15th) February 1807.

General Budberg, Minister for Foreign Affairs, hastens to communicate to his Excellency the Ambassador of His Britannic Majesty, the following intelligence which arrived last night from the army.

General Bennigsen, after having fallen back for the purpose of choosing a position which he judged better adapted for manœuvring the troops under his command, took up a position at Preussich-Eylau. During four days successively, his rear-guard, commanded by Major-General Barklay de Tolly, had to withstand several vigorous attacks, and on the 26th Jan. (Feb. 7.) at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the battle became general throughout the whole line of the main army. The contest was destructive, and the night came on without the enemy having been able to gain ground. On the 27th Jan. (February 8.) early in the morning, the French renewed the attack, and the action was contested with great obstinacy on both sides; but towards the evening, the enemy was re-

pulsed on all sides, and General Bennigsen remained in possession of the field of battle.

Bonaparte commanded in person, and under him Marshals Augereau, D'Avoust, Soult, Ney, and Bessieres, at the head of the Guards, who suffered the most. Our loss is from six to eight thousand men; whilst that of the enemy is estimated at from twelve to fifteen thousand. We have also taken twelve stand of colours, and about fifteen hundred prisoners, among whom there are thirty officers.

The courier who brought the dispatches having been sent off immediately after the battle, the Ministers of His Imperial Majesty do not yet know all the details of the above-mentioned day.

General BUDBERG has the honour, &c.

Translation of a letter from General the Baron de Bennigsen to His Majesty the Emperor of Russia, delivered by Lieutenant-Colonel Stavitzki, Aid-de-Camp to His Imperial Majesty.

On the Field of Battle, Preussich-Eylau, Jan. 27. (Feb. 8.) 1807.

SIRE—I am truly happy to have it in my power to inform your Imperial Majesty, that the army, the command of which your Majesty has deigned to confide to me, has been again victorious. The battle which has just taken place has been bloody and destructive. It began on the 26th Jan. (Feb. 7.) at three o'clock in the afternoon, and lasted until six o'clock in the evening of the 27th Jan. (Feb. 8.)

The enemy was completely defeated; one thousand prisoners, and twelve stand of colours, which I have the honour herewith to transmit to your Majesty, fell into the hands of the conquerors. This day Bonaparte attacked me with his best troops, on my centre, and on both wings, but he was repulsed and beaten on all sides. His Guards repeatedly attacked my centre without the smallest success. After a

very brisk fire, they were repulsed at all points; by the bayonet and by charges of the cavalry. Several columns of infantry, and picked regiments of Curassiers, were destroyed.

I shall not fail to transmit to your Majesty, as soon as possible, a detailed account of the memorable battle of Preussich-Eylau.

I think our loss may perhaps exceed six thousand men, and I certainly do not exaggerate, when I state the loss of the enemy at considerably more than twelve thousand men.

QUEEN'S PALACE, March 4. 1807.

This day Monsieur Alopeus, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Emperor of all the Russias, had a private audience of His Majesty to deliver his credentials: To which he was introduced by the Right Hon. Lord Viscount Howick, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Sir Stephen Cottrell, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

WHITEHALL, March 7. 1807.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto his Excellency the Right Honourable Charles Arbuthnot, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Sublime Porte, His royal licence and permission to accept and wear the insignia of the Ottoman Imperial Order of the Crescent, conferred upon him by the Grand Signior: And also to command, that His Majesty's concession and declaration, together with the relative documents, be registered in his College of Arms.

Commission in the Renfrewshire Regiment of Militia signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Coll Macdonald, Esq. late Major of the 2d battalion 42d Regiment, to be Captain, vice Maxwell, resigned. Dated December 24. 1806.

CROWN-OFFICE, March 7. 1807.

Member returned to serve in this present Parliament. Borough of Derby—Thomas William Coke, Esq. in the room of Edward Coke, Esq. who, since his election for the said Borough, hath accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of His Majesty's three chiltern hundreds of Stoke, Desborough, and Bonenham, in the County of Buckingham.

Price Sixpence.



QUEEN'S PALACE, March 4. 1807.

CEREMONIAL of the Knighthood and Investiture of Rear-Admiral Sir Richard John Strachan, and of the Investiture of Major-General Sir John Stuart, Count of Maida, Knights of the most honourable Order of the Bath.

The Knights and Officers of the Order, attending in their mantles, collars, &c. proceeded into the Sovereign's presence, making the usual reverences, in the following order:

The Gentleman Usher of the Order, in his mantle, chain, and badge, bearing the red rod.

The Deputy Register and Secretary of the Order, in the mantle, chains, and badges of that officer.

Deputy Bath King of Arms, in the mantle, chain, and badge, with the sceptre of Bath, bearing the ribbons and badges of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion.

The Genealogist, in his mantle, chain, and badge.

KNIGHTS COMPANIONS.—Sir David Dundas. Sir Thomas Trigge. Sir James Henry Craig. Sir Alured Clarke. Right Hon. Sir John Borlase Warren. Lord Whitworth. Lord De Blaquiere. The Dean of Westminster, Dean of the Order, in his mantle, chain, and badge. His Royal Highness the Duke of York and Albany, First and Principal Companion.

Then, by His Majesty's command, Rear Admiral Sir Richard John Strachan was introduced into the presence between Sir Thomas Trigge and Sir David Dundas, the two Junior Knights Companions present, preceded by the Gentleman Usher of the Order, with reverences as before.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to the sovereign by Lord De Blaquiere, the second Knight in seniority present, and Rear-Admiral Sir Richard John Strachan, kneeling, was knighted therewith. Then his Royal Highness the Duke of York, the senior Knight, presented the ribbon and badge to the Sovereign, and His Majesty put them over the new Knight's right shoulder, who, being thus invested, had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, and withdrew.

Then, by His Majesty's command, Major-General Sir John Stuart was, in like manner, introduced into the presence between the said two junior Knights Companions, preceded by the gentleman Usher as before; and the said Sir John Stuart being already a Knight, that honour having been conferred upon him by patent under the Great Seal, (bearing date the 20th day of June 1804,) his Royal Highness the Duke of York presented the ribbon and badge to the Sovereign, and His Majesty invested Sir John therewith; who, having had the honour to kiss the Sovereign's hand, withdrew, and the procession returned in the order before observed.

#### NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

MAYNE & CHRISTISON, Merchants in Edinburgh.

THE estates of the said Mayne & Christison, and of James Mayne as an individual, were, upon the requisite application to the Court of Session, sequestrated this day, and their Creditors were appointed to meet within John's Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Friday the 20th of March current, at 1 o'clock afternoon, to choose an Interim Factor or Manager; and to meet again at the same Place, upon Friday the 10th day of April next, at 1 o'clock afternoon, to choose a Trustee or Trustees in succession upon the said sequestrated estates. Of which this notice is given to all concerned. *March 10. 1807.*

#### FIRST NOTICE, FIRST TERM.

IN process of ranking and sale, John Dickson, W. S. and his Trustee, against Archibald Nisbet, late in Spoth, thereafter in Enterkinfoot, now residing in Sanquhar, LORD JUSTICE CLERK, on the 24th February last, allowed a proof the rental of the lands, &c. of the lands under sale, and for that purpose granted commission.

At same time his Lordship assigned the 12th May next to the Creditors, to produce their interests, with oaths of verity thereon, in the Clerk's hands, with certification, and ordained intimation thereof in the Gazette, in terms of the act of sederunt.

*March 12. 1807.* P. M. MENZIES, Clerk.

#### NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM PROUDFOOT, Sen. Glover in Glasgow. THAT upon application of the said William Proudfoot, Sen. with concurrence of a Creditor to the extent required by law, the LORD ORDINARY on the Bills did, of this date, sequestrate the whole estates of the said William Proudfoot, Sen. and appointed his Creditors to meet within the Writing Chamber of Mr Archibald Maxwell, writer in Glasgow, on Thursday the 26th day of March current, at 1 o'clock afternoon, to choose an Interim Factor; and at the same Place and Hour, on Tuesday the 21st day of April next, to elect a Trustee on said estates. Of all which intimation is hereby given in terms of the statute.

*Edinburgh, March 12. 1807.*

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN CROSS & CO. Merchants in Glasgow, as a Company, and of JOHN CROSS, ROBERT BOWIE, JAMES CROSS, and DAVID CROSS, the Partners of said Company, as Individuals.

THE said Creditors are hereby desired to meet at Glasgow, within the Star Inn there, upon Tuesday the 31st day of March current, at 12 o'clock noon, to choose a Trustee upon the sequestrated estates of the said company, and individual partners thereof, in terms of an order of the Court of Session, dated the 10th day of March current.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM & JOHN HUGHES, Carriers and Leather-merchants in Perth, as a Company, and of the said WILLIAM HUGHES & JOHN HUGHES, as Individuals.

JOHN BELL, tanner in Perth, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William and John Hughes, as a company, and as individuals, hereby intimates, That at the meeting of the said Creditors, held upon the 10th March current, being the first lawful day after the last public examination of the bankrupts, the saids William and John Hughes made offer to their Creditors of a composition of 12s. sterling per pound, in full of the debts due by them; 10s. of which sum to be payable at six and nine months after the offer shall be approved of by the Court of Session, and for payment of which the bankrupts have offered sufficient security; and for the other 2s. in the pound, the bankrupts propose to grant their own personal security, payable at twelve months from the above period: which proposal having been considered by the said meeting as just and reasonable, the Trustee, in terms of the statute, hereby appoints a meeting of the whole Creditors to be held within the house of Duncan Macdougall, vintner, Salutation Inn, Perth, upon Thursday the 2d April next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and deciding upon the said offer of a composition. Of all which the Creditors are desired to take notice. *Perth, March 10. 1807.*

#### UNCLAIMED DIVIDENDS.

UPON the estate of WILLIAM WALKER, sometime hosier in Glasgow, there was some time ago declared a dividend of 7s. 6d. per pound upon the debts ranked for.

As no claim has been made for the dividends due to the following persons, viz. WILLIAM FRAZER, JAMES BARR, MRS MAIR, JOHN WINGATE, WILLIAM HAY, and HECTOR MORRISON & Co. these persons, or those representing them, are requested to call for payment at the office of Thomas Graham, writer in Glasgow, on or before the 1st day of May next, otherwise the unclaimed dividends will be divided among the other Creditors who are ranked on the said estate. *Glasgow, March 10. 1807.*

TO THE CREDITORS OF THE LATE

PATRICK DOWNIE of Prestonpans.

JAMES MACKENZIE, merchant in Glasgow, Trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said Patrick Downie, hereby intimates, that a state of the bankrupt's affairs will lie in his hands for the inspection of the Creditors till the 2d day of April next, on which day a meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, at 1 o'clock afternoon, when a dividend will be paid to those Creditors who have proved their debts. *Edinburgh, March 6. 1807.*

#### NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ROBERT BOYD, late Merchant in Glasgow.

ROBERT TOD, accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the said Robert Boyd's sequestrated estate, hereby gives notice, That a general meeting of the Creditors is to be held in his Counting-rooms, Glasgow, on Thursday the 2d of April next, at 12 o'clock noon, when matters of importance will be submitted to their consideration; and in particular, an offer by some of the bankrupt's friends for a part of his property, and to instruct the Trustee as to the affairs in general of the bankrupt.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN MURRAY, Merchant in Dundee.

AT a meeting of the said Creditors, held at Dundee on the 9th March current, the said John Murray made an offer of a composition of 8s. in the pound of his debts, 6s. 6d. thereof, with security, at four, eight, and twelve months from that date, in equal portions, and the remaining 1s. 6d. by his own bill at fourteen months from said date, on condition of his Creditors granting him a discharge; and the offer having been considered by the Creditors present, they unanimously approved thereof, and appointed another meeting to be held for the purpose of deciding upon the said offer. The Trustee therefore intimates to all concerned, that a meeting of the said Creditors will be held within the house of Alex. Morren, vintner, Dundee, upon Monday the 6th April next, at 12 o'clock noon, to take the said offer into consideration. *March 12. 1807.*

#### NOTICE.

WHEREAS the Subscriber understands that a certain person in Glasgow has of late industriously circulated a report that the Subscriber is a partner of a concern alleged to be carried on there, under the firm of DANIEL NIELL & CO.; and also of another, said to be carried on in Glasgow, under the firm of CARNEGIE, NIELL, & CO.; intimation is therefore hereby given, that there is no truth in such report, and the Subscriber is not, nor ever was, a partner of the pretended concerns above mentioned; nor has he at present, or ever had, any connection in business with Daniel Niell, manufacturer in Glasgow. *Glasgow, March 10. 1807.* WILLIAM CARNEGIE.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

WILLIAM BROWN in Malcolmsone, parish of Dalrymple and county of Ayr.

UPON the 11th day of March current the Lords of Council and Session sequestrated the estates of the said William Brown, situated within the jurisdiction of the Court, and appointed his Creditors to meet within the house of Mrs Simpson, vintner in Bridge-end of Ayr, on Tuesday the 24th current, at 12 o'clock noon, to name an Interim Factor on the said estates, and to meet again at same place and hour upon Tuesday the 14th of April next, to choose a Trustee, in terms of the act of parliament.

#### ACT OF PARLIAMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given to the heirs of entail of the estate of Methven, lying in the County of Perth, to appear before the LORD PRESIDENT of the Court of Session, the LORD CHIEF BARON of the Court of Exchequer, and the LORD JUSTICE CLERK of the Court of Justiciary in Scotland, upon Wednesday the 22d day of April 1807, at 11 o'clock forenoon, within the LORD PRESIDENT'S house at Park Place, Edinburgh, where they will be heard for their interest, on a petition presented to the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, by Lieutenant-Colonel ROBERT SMYTH, of Methven, praying for leave to bring in a bill for vesting certain parts of the said entailed estate of Methven in the said Robert Smyth, his heirs and assignees, in fee-simple, and in lieu thereof, for settling certain other lands in the said county of Perth, upon the petitioner and the same series of heirs, and under the same conditions and limitations as are contained in the deed of entail of the said estate of Methven.

#### NOTICE

JAMES ANDERSON, merchant, hereby intimates his election as Trustee on the estate of JOHN TENNANT, merchant, Glasgow; that the bankrupt is to be examined in the Court-house, Glasgow, on the 24th current and 7th April next; and that a general meeting of the Creditors is to be held within the writing-room of James Steel, writer, Glasgow, on the 8th April, at 12 noon, to instruct the Trustee and choose Commissioners.

The Trustee also requires the Creditors to lodge with him their claims and affidavits at or previous to said meeting, and intimates, that if the necessary productions are not made betwixt and the 12th November next, the Creditors neglecting shall have no share in the first distribution of the debtor's estate.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

GEORGE LAWSON, of Knockhornock.

UPON the application of the said George Lawson, with concurrence of a Creditor to the extent required by law, the Lords of Council and Session, upon the 11th day of March 1807, sequestrated the whole estate, heritable and moveable, real and personal, of the said George Lawson, and appointed his Creditors to meet within Nairn's Coffee-house, at Dumfries, upon Friday the 27th day of the said month of March, at noon, for the purpose of choosing an Interim Factor, and also to meet at the same Place and Hour, upon Friday the 17th day of April next, for the purpose of choosing a Trustee upon the said sequestrated estate. *Edinburgh, March 11. 1807.*

#### ACT OF PARLIAMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Heirs of Entail of the Lands and Barony of Craighall, lying in the County of Fife, to appear before the Lord President of the Court of Session, the Lord Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer, and the Lord Justice Clerk of the Court of Justiciary in Scotland, upon Thursday the 19th day of March 1807, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, within the Lord President's house at Park Place, Edinburgh, where they will be heard for their interest, on a petition presented to the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, by Major-General the Honourable John Hope of Rankiellar, praying for leave to bring in a bill for vesting the said Lands and Barony of Craighall in Trustees, to be sold, and for applying the purchase-money in the purchase of other estates, to be settled upon the same series of Heirs, and under the conditions and limitations contained in the deed of entail of the said lands.