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BUCKINGHAM-PALACE, August 8, 1851.

THIS day Her Majesty, accompanied by His Royal Highness Prince Albert, proceeded in state from Buckingham-Palace to the House of Peers, where she arrived soon after two o'clock; and was received on alighting from her state coach, by the Lord Chancellor, the Lord President of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, Sir Augustus Clifford, Bart. C.B. Deputy Great Chamberlain, (in the absence of the Lord Willoughby d'Eresby,) the Lord Steward of the Household, the Duke of Wellington, Garter King of Arms, and the Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, and proceeded to the robing-room in the customary manner.

Her Majesty was there robed, and the procession moved into the House in the usual order;—the sword of state was borne by the Duke of Wellington, the cap of maintenance by the Marquess of Winchester, and the crown by the Marquess of Lansdowne.

Her Majesty being seated on the Throne, and His Royal Highness Prince Albert on a Chair on the left side of the Cloth of Estate, the Great Officers of State and others standing on the right and left, James Pulman, Esquire, Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from Her Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, Her Majesty was pleased to give the Royal assent to

An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund, and certain other sums, to the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Merchant Seamen's Fund, and to provide for winding up the said fund, and for the better management thereof in the meantime.

An Act to facilitate the management and improvement of episcopal and capitular estates in England.

An Act for appointing Commissioners to inquire into the existence of bribery in the borough of St. Albans.

An Act to continue an Act of the fourteenth year of Her Majesty for charging the maintenance of certain poor persons in Unions in England and Wales upon the common fund, and to make certain amendments in the laws for the relief of the poor.

An Act to confirm certain provisional orders of the General Board of Health.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the vend and delivery of coals in London and Westminster, and in certain parts of the adjacent counties, and to allow a drawback on coals conveyed beyond certain limits.

And one private Act.

After which Her Majesty was pleased to deliver the following most gracious Speech to both Houses of Parliament:—

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I am glad to be able to release you from your attendance in Parliament, and I thank you for the diligence with which you have performed your laborious duties.

I continue to maintain the most friendly relations with Foreign Powers.

I am happy to be able to congratulate you on the very considerable diminution which has taken place in the African and Brazilian Slave Trade. The exertions of My squadrons on the coasts of Africa and Brazil, assisted by the vigilance of the cruisers of France and of the United States, and aided by the co-operation of the Brazilian Government, have mainly contributed to this result.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I thank you for the readiness with which you have granted the supplies necessary for the service of the year.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

It is satisfactory to observe that, notwithstanding very large reductions of taxes, the Revenue for the past year considerably exceeded the public expenditure for the same period.

I am rejoiced to find that you have thereby been enabled to relieve My people from an impost which restricted the enjoyments of light and air in their dwellings. I trust that this enactment, with others to which your attention has been and will be directed, will contribute to the health and comfort of My subjects.

I thank you for the assiduity with which you have applied yourselves to the consideration of a measure framed for the purpose of checking the undue assumption of Ecclesiastical Titles conferred by a Foreign Power.

It gives Me the highest satisfaction to find that while repelling unfounded claims, you

have maintained inviolate the great principles of religious liberty so happily established amongst us.

The attention you have bestowed on the administration of justice in the Courts of Law and Equity, will I trust prove beneficial, and lead to further improvements.

I have willingly given My consent to a bill relating to the Administration of the Land Revenues of the Crown, which will I hope conduce to the better management of that department, and at the same time tend to the promotion of works of public utility.

It has been very gratifying to Me, on an occasion which has brought many Foreigners to this Country, to observe the spirit of kindness and goodwill which so generally prevailed.

It is My anxious desire to promote among Nations the cultivation of all those Arts which are fostered by peace, and which in their turn contribute to maintain the peace of the World.

In closing the present Session, it is with feelings of gratitude to Almighty God that I acknowledge the general spirit of loyalty and willing obedience to the law which animates My people. Such a spirit is the best security at once for the progress and the stability of our free and happy Institutions.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by Her Majesty's command, said

My Lords and Gentlemen,

It is Her Majesty's royal will and pleasure that this Parliament be prorogued to Thursday the fourth day of September next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the fourth day of September next.

CROWN-OFFICE, August 8, 1851.

The name of the Peer of Scotland chosen to represent the peerage of Scotland in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the room of James Andrew John Lawrence Charles, Viscount Strathallan, deceased:—

Lord Colville, of Culross.

DOWNING-STREET, August 12, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph Cuffe, Esq. to be Registrar of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

WHITEHALL, August 11, 1851.

Sir George Grey, Bart. one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, did, on the 9th day of August 1851, appoint William Blamire, Thomas Wentworth Buller, and George Darby, Esqrs. to be the Commissioners under the Act 14th and 15th Victoria, cap. 53, intituled "An Act to consolidate and continue the copyhold and inclosure commissions, and to provide for the completion of proceedings under the Tithe Commutation Acts;" and the said William Blamire, Thomas Wentworth Buller, and George Darby have this day made a declaration before the Honourable Sir John Patteson, Knt. one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench, for the due execution of their duties under the said Act.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
DUBLIN CASTLE, August 8, 1851.

This day the Privy Council assembled, when his Grace Richard, Lord Archbishop of Dublin, was sworn a Lord Justice of Ireland.

WESTMINSTER, August 7, 1851.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her 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, 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 to provide for the better distribution, support, and management of medical charities in Ireland; and to amend an Act of the eleventh year of Her Majesty, to provide for the execution of the laws for the relief of the poor in Ireland.

An Act to continue certain temporary provisions relating to the collection of grand jury cess in Ireland; and also to provide for the due annexation of an isolated district, formerly of the county of Dublin, to a barony of the county of Wicklow, for the purposes of grand jury cess, and other purposes.

An Act to regulate certain proceedings in relation to the elections of representative peers for Scotland.

An Act to repeal so much of an Act of the twelfth year of King George the Third, relating to the making, keeping, and carriage of gunpowder, as exempts therefrom certain gunpowder magazines and stores near Liverool, and to make certain temporary provisions with regard to the said magazines and stores.

An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the erection and endowment of churches and chapels and perpetual curacies in Ireland.

An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to ecclesiastical residences in Ireland.

An Act to repeal certain Statutes relating to the Irish Branch of the United Church of England and Ireland.

An Act to amend an Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her Majesty, relating to poor rate poundage and the valuation of ecclesiastical property in Ireland; and to provide for the renewal of leases of lands disappropriated from bishoprics.

An Act for rebuilding the bridge over the River Ness, at the Town of Inverness, and improving the approaches thereto; and for amending the Acts relating to Highland roads and bridges.

An Act to continue an Act of the twelfth year of Her present Majesty, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals.

An Act to alter certain duties of Customs, and to enable the Treasury to regulate the mode of keeping the account between the Receiver-General of Customs and the Bank of England.

An Act to repeal the Act for constituting Commissioners of Railways.

An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the regulation of steam navigation, and to the boats and lights to be carried by sea-going vessels.

An Act for the settlement of the boundaries between the provinces of Canada and New Brunswick.

An Act to improve the administration of justice in the Court of Chancery, and in the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

An Act to amend and continue the Metropolitan Sewers Act.

An Act for further improving the administration of criminal justice in England and Wales.

An Act for confirming a certain provisional order of the General Board of Health for applying the Public Health Act, 1848, to the borough of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk.

An Act to extinguish the right of the Crown to deer in the New Forest, and to give compensation in lieu thereof; and for other purposes relating to the said forest.

An Act to define and amend the mineral customs of certain parts of the Hundred of High Peak, in the county of Derby, part of the possessions of Her Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster; to make provision for the better administration of justice in the Barmote Courts therein; and to improve the practice and proceedings of the said Courts.

An Act for amending the several Acts for the regulation of attornies and solicitors.

An Act to alter and amend an Act empowering the Canterbury Association to dispose of certain lands in New Zealand.

An Act to continue and amend an Act for establishing an office for the benefit of the coal-whippers of the port of London.

An Act to amend the Metropolitan Interment Act, 1850, and to authorize the advance of public money, to a limited amount, for the purposes of the said Act.

An Act to authorize the application of advances (out of money now authorized to be advanced for the improvement of landed property,) to facilitate emigration from certain distressed districts of Scotland.

An Act to regulate the affairs of certain settlements established by the New Zealand Company in New Zealand.

An Act further to amend an Act of the sixth year of King William the Fourth, to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the constabulary force in Ireland.

An Act to amend the Mercantile Marine Act, 1850.

An Act for confirming certain provisional orders of the General Board of Health.

An Act to alter and extend the powers of an Act of the ninth and tenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to empower the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods to form a Royal Park in Battersea-fields, in the county of Surrey.

An Act for transferring the duties of paving, lighting, watering, and cleansing parts of the Crown Estate, in the district of the Regent's-park, and certain streets and places in Westminster, from the Commissioners acting under several Acts of their late Majesties King George the Fourth and King William the Fourth, to the parishes; and for transferring the jurisdiction of the said Commissioners over certain other places in Westminster to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings; and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the removal from India of insane persons charged with offences, and to give better effect to inquisitions of lunacy taken in India.

An Act to simplify the forms of appointments to certain offices, and the manner of passing grants under the Great Seal.

An Act for the better collection of fines, penalties, issues, amerciaments, and forfeited recognizances in Ireland.

An Act to amend the Church Building Acts.

An Act to amend the Farmers' Estate Society (Ireland) Act, 1848.

An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to certain offences and other matters as to which Justices of the Peace exercise summary jurisdiction in Ireland.

An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts regulating the proceedings at Petty Sessions, and the duties of Justices of the Peace out of Quarter Sessions in Ireland.

An Act to alter and amend certain provisions of the Lands' Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, so far as relates to Ireland.

An Act to authorize the Shrewsbury and Chester Railway Company to abandon the Crickheath and Wem branches; to construct a station at Birkenhead; to enter into arrangements with other Companies; and for other purposes.

An Act for amending and extending the provisions of the Act for the improvement of the town of Saint Helens, in the county palatine of Lancaster, and for other purposes.

An Act for repairing the road from Sheffield, in the county of York, to the Marple Bridge Road, in the parish of Glossop, in the county of Derby, and the branch to Mortimer's Road, in the parish of Hathersage, in the said county of Derby.

An Act to sanction certain arrangements entered into between the Caledonian Railway Company and the holders of guaranteed and preferential interests in the Company, and to enable the Company to raise a further sum of money.

An Act for incorporating the Council of King's College, London, and the President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, and Governors of King's College Hospital, and for connecting the said hospital as a medical school with the said college; and for better enabling the corporation to carry on their charitable and useful designs.

An Act to dissolve the National Land Company, and to dispose of the lands and property belonging to the Company, and to wind up the undertaking.

An Act to extend the limits of the Brunswick Square (Hove) Improvement Act, and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the several Acts relating to the Waterford and Kilkenny Railway Company; to enable the said Company to sell or lease their undertaking, and to purchase or lease the bridge over the River Suir at Waterford, and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating the European and American Electric Printing Telegraph Company, and to enable them to work certain letters-patent.

An Act for enabling the United Kingdom Electric Telegraph Company to purchase and work certain letters-patent.

An Act to enable the Trustees of the South Holland Drainage, in the county of Lincoln, to raise further monies.

An Act for reclaiming from the sea certain lands abutting on the coast of Lincolnshire, within the parts of Holland.

An Act to enable the Charing Cross Bridge Company to raise further monies; to amend the Acts relating to the Company, and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the law of evidence.

An Act for enabling the Class A shareholders of the Saint Andrew's and Quebec Railroad Company to divide the shares in the undertaking into two classes, and for other purposes.

And thirteen private Bills.

WHITEHALL, August 8, 1851.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Charles Harper, of Hadleigh, in the county of Suffolk, gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," certain scales of weight and rates of postage were fixed and made chargeable and payable upon, for, or in respect of letters, newspapers, parliamentary proceedings, and printed papers transmitted and forwarded by the post, and various regulations were made for facilitating the transmission of such letters and papers by the post :

And whereas by an Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office," the proviso concerning the maximum weight of letters to be sent by the post as fixed in and by the said first mentioned Act is repealed ; and in order to prevent packets of an unwieldy bulk or an inconvenient size being transmitted by the post, power is given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, at any time or times thereafter, by Warrant under their hands, to fix a maximum weight of letters to be sent by the post, and from time to time to repeal or revoke such maximum weight wholly or in part, and declare any other maximum of weight in lieu thereof, and all letters are to be forwarded, conveyed, and delivered by the post in conformity with any such Warrant, and also in conformity with, and under and subject to all such orders, conditions, limitations, regulations, and restrictions as to the form, size, or dimensions thereof, whether in proportion to the weight or otherwise, as the Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, shall from time to time direct ; and by the said Act power is also given to the Postmaster-General to collect and receive the foreign and colonial postage charged or chargeable on any letters sent by the post, and also, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, to require the postage, British, Colonial, or Foreign of any letters sent by the post, to be prepaid either in money or in stamps, as he may think fit, on the same being put into the Post-Office, and also with such consent to abolish or restrict the prepayment in money of postage on letters sent by the post, either altogether or on certain letters, and to require the prepayment thereof to be in stamps, and to refuse to receive or send by the post any letters tendered contrary to any regulations thereby made ; and it is also declared and enacted that it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General, and any officer of the Post-Office, to detain any letters which shall be posted or sent by the post contrary to the regulations of that Act, or the first-mentioned Act, or contrary to the regulations of any Treasury Warrant to be issued under or by virtue of that Act, or which had been or should be issued under or by virtue of the said first-mentioned Act, and to open such letters, and either to return them to the senders thereof, or to forward them to the places of their destination, charged in either case with such rates of postage as the Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, shall from time to time direct.

Now we, the undersigned, being two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, do, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said before-mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, by this Warrant under our hands, order and direct that printed books, printed magazines, printed

reviews, printed pamphlets, (whether British, colonial, or foreign,) may from henceforth be transmitted by the post, between any part of the United Kingdom and the Province of Nova Scotia, subject to the several regulations and rates hereinafter contained, (that is to say,)

On every packet consisting of a single printed book, or printed magazine, or printed review, or printed pamphlet, the several sheets, or parts of which when more than one, shall be sewed or bound together, if not exceeding half-a-pound in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of sixpence.

And on every such packet, if exceeding half-a-pound, and not exceeding one pound in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of one shilling.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound, and not exceeding two pounds in weight, there shall be charged and take one uniform rate of postage of two shillings.

And on every such packet, if exceeding two pounds, and not exceeding three pounds in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of three shillings.

And for every additional one pound in weight of any such packet above the weight of three pounds, there shall be charged and taken an additional rate of postage of one shilling, and every fraction of such additional pound shall be charged as an additional pound.

And we further order and direct that no such packet, if containing more than one printed book, or printed magazine, or printed review, or printed pamphlet, or containing any paper or thing besides a printed book, printed magazine, printed review, or printed pamphlet, or containing any printed book, printed magazine, printed review, or printed pamphlet, the several sheets, or parts of which when more than one, shall not be sewed or bound together, or which packet in length or breadth, or width, or depth, shall exceed the dimensions of two feet, or twenty-four inches, shall be forwarded by the post under the provisions aforesaid.

And we further order and direct that as to any packet hereinbefore authorized to be sent by the post under the provisions aforesaid, which shall be posted in the United Kingdom, the postage thereof shall in every case be prepaid at the time of the same being posted, not in money, but by being duly stamped with the proper postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed, or appear on the outside of every such packet, near the address, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage duty payable thereon, under or by virtue of this Warrant ; and as to any such packet posted in Nova Scotia, the postage thereof shall in every case be prepaid, either in money or by the proper postage stamp or stamps being affixed thereto, at the time of the same being posted.

And we further order and direct that every such packet shall be sent without a cover, or in a cover or envelope open at the end or sides, and shall contain printed matter only, with the binding thereof, and there shall be no writing or marks upon the cover or envelope thereof, or upon or within any part of the contents thereof, other than the name and address of the person to whom the packet shall be sent.

And in order to prevent any obstacles to the due and regular transmission of letters by the post, we further direct that it shall be lawful for any officer of the Post-office in the United Kingdom to

delay the transmission of any packet posted or forwarded by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, either for the space of twenty-four hours from the time at which (or at his option until the dispatch of the mail next after that by which) the same ought otherwise to have been forwarded by him.

And we further direct that nothing hereinbefore contained shall be construed to interfere with or affect the transmission by the post of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, or of printed votes and proceedings of the Colonial Legislatures, nor of printed papers or other printed publications which are allowed to pass by the post under the newspaper privilege.

And we further order and direct that if any packet sent, or tendered, or delivered in order to be sent by the post under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall contain any paper or thing besides a printed book, printed magazine, printed review, or printed pamphlet, and the binding thereof, or shall have any writing or marks upon the same, or upon the cover or envelope thereof, except the name and address of the person to whom it is forwarded, or shall not be open at the ends or sides, or shall in length, or breadth, or width, or depth, exceed the dimensions of two feet or twenty-four inches, or shall contain more than one printed book, or printed magazine, or printed review, or printed pamphlet, or shall contain any printed book, printed magazine, printed review, or printed pamphlet, the several sheets, or parts of which when more than one, shall not be sewed or bound together, or if the postage of any such packet posted in the United Kingdom shall not be duly and properly prepaid by stamps when posted, or if the postage of any such packet posted in Nova Scotia shall not be duly and properly prepaid in money or by stamps when posted, the same shall and may be detained and opened at any place in the United Kingdom, and at the option of the Postmaster-General shall be either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or be given up to the person to whom it shall be addressed, or be forwarded to the place of its destination; and any such packet on being so returned, given up, or forwarded, shall be chargeable with the like amount of postage to which it would have been liable as a letter.

And we further direct that nothing herein contained shall be construed to extend to any packets sent through France, or any other foreign country, to which a transit rate of postage would be payable thereon, nor to any packets sent by private ships.

And we further order and direct that the term "by the post," used in this Warrant, shall, as to the sea conveyance, include the conveyance by packet-boat; and that the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as they would have had if inserted in the said Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

Provided lastly, and we do hereby declare and direct that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any two of them, by Warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby fixed or altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any now or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

Whitehall, Treasury-Chambers, the 11th day of August 1851.

W. GIBSON-CRAIG.
R. M. BELLEW.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Richard Seymour, of Downham, Cambridge, grocer and farmer.

John Vevers, of Ironmonger Lane, London, woollen warehouseman and commission agent.

Thomas Foot Piper, of No. 10, Laurence Lane, and of No. 4, Bishopsgate Street, both in London, and of No. 5, Victoria Road, Pimlico, Middlesex, also of Commercial Road, Landport, Hants, wholesale stay maker.

John Birnie Philip, John Richard Clayton, Edward Agar Wynne, and John Lumsden, of East Street, Manchester Square, Middlesex, builders and traders.

Frederick Millar, of the Hippodrome Stables, Saint John's Wood, and of No. 22, Sheppard Street, May Fair, both in Middlesex, livery stable keeper.

Edward Clay, of Waterloo House, High Street, Eastry, near Sandwich, Kent, linen draper, hosier, and tailor.

William Powell, of No. 29, Jefferys Street, Camden Town, Middlesex, builder and carpenter.

Richard Mott, of No. 81, Gracechurch Street, London, tailor and draper.

John Newton, the elder, of *Washingborough*, (and not *Wastingborough*, as before advertised,) Lincoln, boat owner, commission agent, broker, and coal merchant.

Richard Jackson, of Liverpool, Lancaster, and of Bolton-le-Moors, also in Lancaster, organ builder.

Thomas Richardson, of Church Street, Liverpool, Lancaster, cutler.

Samuel Cherry, of Liverpool, Lancaster, broker.

NOTICE.

JOHN HAMILTON, Esquire of Fairholm, Heir of KIRKTON, situate in the Parish of Carluke, and County of Lanark, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire and his Substitutes, in terms of the Act 3 and 4 Victoria, cap. 48, entitled "An Act to enable Proprietors of Entailed Estates in Scotland to feu or lease on long leases portions of the same for the building of Churches and Schools, and for Dwelling-houses and Gardens for the Ministers and Masters thereof," for authority to grant a Lease for the space of ninety-nine years from and after the term of Whitsunday 1844, of a piece of ground forming part of said Estate of Kirkton, extending to thirty-four falls, as a site of a Church for the Congregation of the body of Christians in the said Parish called the Free Church of Scotland: On which Petition his Lordship the Sheriff-Substitute at Lanark has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—*Lanark*, 30th July 1851.—Having considered the foregoing Petition, appoints intimation thereof and of this deliverance to be made to Miss Elizabeth Hamilton, the Heiress of Entail, and her tutors and curators, or other legal guardian; also appoints a notice of this Petition to be published in the *Edinburgh Gazette*, and in the *Glasgow Examiner Newspaper* three times, at intervals of fourteen days,—all in terms of the Act of Parliament 3 and 4 Victoria, cap. 48. (Signed) 'J. NEIL DYCE.'

—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

JOHN MARR,
Agent for the Petitioner.

Lanark, July 30, 1851.

CUNNINGHAME BORTHWICK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the Company sometime carrying on Business in Glasgow as Merchants and Commission Agents, under the Firms of WATSON, M'NIGHT, & COMPANY; and WATSON, BROWN, & COMPANY, and of Alexander M'NIGHT, David Watson, James Watson, and James Kay Brown, all Merchants and Commission Agents in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of said Company trading under the Firms aforesaid, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down till the 5th instant, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up by him, and examined and approved of by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaring any dividend until next Statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

CUNME. BORTHWICK, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 14, 1851.

THE Estates of DAVID CRICHTON, Wright and Carpenter, Torphichen Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 13th August 1851.

The first deliverance is dated 13th August 1851.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 22d day of August 1851, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George Street, Edinburgh; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 19th day of September 1851, within Dowell's Rooms aforesaid, in Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 14th day of February 1852.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN ROBERTSON, S. S. C. Agent,
33, Queen Street, Edinburgh.

August 14, 1851.

THE Estates of JOHN GOUK, Vintner and Cattle Dealer in Laurencekirk, were sequestrated on the 13th day of August 1851.

The first deliverance is dated the said 13th day of August 1851.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday the 23d day of August 1851, within the House of Lachlan M'Bain, Innkeeper in Laurencekirk; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday the 13th day of September 1851, within the House of the said Lachlan M'Bain, Innkeeper in Laurencekirk.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 14th day of February next, 1852.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

BURNETT & ANDERSON, W. S. Agents,
4, Moray Place, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JOHN WILSON, Farmer, Grazier, and Cattle Dealer in Dowhill, in the Parish of Kirkoswald, and County of Ayr, were sequestrated on 13th August 1851.

The first deliverance is dated 27th June 1851.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 22d day of August 1851, within the King's Arms Inn, Maybole; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 12th day of September thereafter, within the King's Arms Inn, Maybole.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 13th day of February 1852.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

PATRICK, M'EWEN, & CARMENT, W. S. Agents,
32, Albany Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of ARCHIBALD SNODGRASS,
Grain and Seed Merchant in Glasgow.

JOHAN SNODGRASS, Blackhall Buildings, Paisley, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Cross, Seed Merchant in Glasgow, William Miller, Miller, Provanmills, near Glasgow, and John Clark, residing in Nicholson Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Monday the 1st day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Mr Andrew Gemmill, Writer, No. 38, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 16th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Trustee hereby farther intimates, that at the meeting for election of Trustee and Commissioners, held on the 7th day of August current, the Bankrupt made an offer of composition of One Shilling per pound sterling to his Creditors, on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable at the expiry of three months after his final discharge, and also to pay and provide for the expences of the sequestration and the Trustee's remuneration, and offered David Cross, Seed Merchant, Glasgow, as his cautioner for payment of the same; and the Creditors present having unanimously agreed to entertain the said offer of composition and security, the

same will be decided upon at the said meeting to be held on the 16th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN SNODGRASS, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 14, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN STALKER, Drysalter, and Commission Agent and Dealer in Shares in Glasgow.

JAMES DRYSDALE, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Dick, Merchant in Glasgow, and Robert Walker, Writer in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 29th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of Robert Walker, Writer, No. 54, Miller Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 16th day of September next, at one o'clock afternoon. At the meeting for election of Trustee, &c., the Bankrupt made offer of a composition upon his debts at the date of sequestration, and also to pay or provide for the expences of sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee, with security for the same; which offer having been unanimously entertained by said meeting, the same will be decided upon at the foresaid meeting to be held on the 16th September next.

JAMES DRYSDALE, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 13, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of STEWART & SINCLAIR, Wrights in Main Street, Glasgow, and of John Stewart and Malcolm Sinclair, both Wrights in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals.

JOHAN CHRISTIE FOULDS, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Messrs Thomas Brown, Timber Merchant, Glasgow, Robert Robinson, Partick Patent Saw and Flooring Mills, Glasgow, and James Buntin, Timber Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office in Glasgow, on Thursday the 28th day of August-current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Globe Hotel, George Square, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 14th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon.

JOHN C. FOULDS, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 13, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of the Deceased ALEXANDER M'INTYRE, Fishcurer and Fish Dealer, lately residing at Furnace, in the County of Argyll.

JOHAN M'CLURE, Writer in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Robert M'Kenzie, of the Firm of M'Kenzie and Walker, Grain Merchants in Greenock, Alexander Tough, of the Firm of Alexander Tough and Son, Rope Makers in Greenock, and Archibald Sword, Wine Merchant in Greenock, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of Drew and M'Clure, Writers, No. 11, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 30th day of August current, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

JOHN M'CLURE, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 14, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM GRANT, sometime Merchant at Elrick, and thereafter Cattle Dealer and Grain Dealer at Mill of Auchintoul, in the Parish of Marnoch, and County of Banff.

WILLIAM WILSON, formerly Farmer at Littlefield, and now residing at Burnside of Idoch, a Commissioner on the estate, of this date (11th August 1851,) applied to the Sheriff of Banffshire to grant warrant for holding a meeting of the Creditors under the sequestration, for the purpose of electing a new Trustee in the room and place of William Mortimer Berry, deceased; and the Sheriff accordingly, also of this date, granted warrant for holding such a meeting within Gillander's Hotel, Banff, on Saturday the 30th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon, and ordained intimation of the day, hour, place, and purpose thereof, to be previously advertised in the Edinburgh Gazette.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

August 11, 1851.

WILLIAM WILSON.

SEQUESTRATION of D. JACK & COMPANY,
Wholesale Stationers in Glasgow.

I. JOHN MILLER, Accountant in Glasgow, hereby intimate, that an account of my intrusions, brought down to the 31st ulto. and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners; that I have examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 31st ulto. and made up lists of the Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of said estates, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part; farther, that a first dividend of Eight Shillings per pound will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within my Counting-House here, on the 1st day of October next,—all in terms of the Statute.

JNO. MILLER, Trustee.

71, Queen Street, Glasgow,
August 12, 1851.

GILBERT WALKER, Merchant in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN OGILVY**, Baker, Shipowner, and Trader in Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 30th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 31st ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate; farther, that a final and also an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Writing-chambers of **William Robison**, Advocate in Aberdeen, on the 1st of October next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GILBERT WALKER, Trustee.

Aberdeen, August 12, 1851.

WILLIAM MARTIN, Junior, Insurance Agent in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **SAUNDERS & GRIMOND**, Merchants, Manufacturers, and Commission Agents in Dundee, as a Company, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 25th ulto, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That the estate having been already divided among the Creditors, so far as realized, the Commissioners are not in a position to declare any farther dividend to the Creditors at present, and they have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors containing a copy or abstract of the state of funds.

W. MARTIN, Junr. Trustee.

Dundee, August 12, 1851.

ROBERT GIRDWOOD, Merchant, Bank Street, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **ANDREW LIND & SON**, Tailors and Clothiers in Leith, and **Andrew Lind**, Senior, and **David Lind**, the Individual Partners of said Company, as Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 26th ulto. and states of the funds recovered and those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estates, in terms of the Statute; and farther, that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

ROBERT GIRDWOOD, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 11, 1851.

ALEXANDER HENDERSON, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES BISSET**, Merchant in Old Meldrum, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 31st day of July last, together with a state of the funds recovered and outstanding as at the same date, have been made up, and examined and approved of by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners postponed payment of a dividend until the recurrence of another Statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

ALEX. HENDERSON.

Aberdeen, August 12, 1851.

ALEXANDER SMITH, residing at Denhead, near Keith, Trustee upon the sequestrated estate of **JOHN KEITH**, Merchant, and sometime Postmaster in Keith, hereby intimates, that states of his intrusions, brought down to the 22d ulto. and of the funds realized and those outstanding at said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, who have postponed payment of a dividend till the recurrence of another Statutory period, and have also dispensed with the Trustees sending circulars containing a copy or abstract of said state.

A. SMITH, Trustee.

Keith, August 5, 1851.

CHARLES DICK, Brewer in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ALEXANDER PEARSON**, sometime Distiller, West Sciennes, near Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed making a dividend until the recurrence of another stated period, and have dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

CHARLES DICK, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 13, 1851.

ARCHIBALD HORNE, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ALBERT CAY**, Stockbroker and Wine Merchant in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a farther dividend till next Statutory period.

ARCHD. HORNE.

Edinburgh, August 11, 1851.

JAMES WISEMAN, sometime Barkeeper at Rallen Toll, Parish of Avondale, and Labourer there, and presently Prisoner in the North Prison of Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 15th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

J. RENWICK,
Pet'r's Agent.

Glasgow, August 14, 1851.

ROBERT M'GREGOR, Spirit Dealer, Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving interim protection and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 15th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

W. R. BUCHAN, Pet'r's Agent.

Glasgow, August 14, 1851.

JAMES LANG, sometime Farmer at Plaintreeyetts, in the Parish of Kilmalcolm, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Paisley, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Renfrew, praying for decree of Cessio Bonorum, liberation, and interim protection from the diligence of his Creditors; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Tuesday the 23d day of September next, at one o'clock afternoon, at which time and place the Petitioner will appear for public examination in presence of the said Sheriff or his Substitute.

JA. CALDWELL, Agent.

Paisley, August 13, 1851.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers, surviving Trustees and Executors of the Deceased **Robert Fleming**, formerly Factor at Tilliechewan Castle, Dumbartonshire, and latterly residing in Bath Street, Glasgow, having on the 11th day of August current sold and transferred the Shares held by the said deceased, and them as surviving Trustees and Executors foresaid, in 'The AYR & NEWTON CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY, ceased to be Partners of, or to have any interest in said Company.

THO. H. SLATER, } surviving Trustees
ALEX. DICK, } and Executors.

ROBERT T. MACMASTER, Witness.

W. FLETCHER, Witness.

Glasgow, August 13, 1851.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber ceased to be a Partner of the Firm of **J. & H. PETER & CO.**, of Kirkland Works, in the County of Fife, on the 31st day of December last.

JOHN PETER, Jr.

D. M. ADAMSON, S. S. C., Edinburgh, Witness.

JOHN ADAMSON, Clerk to the said

D. M. ADAMSON, Witness.

London, August 6, 1851.

N.B.—The Fees of all Notices must be paid in advance, and all Letters post-paid.

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