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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1851.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 23d day of October 1851,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Edward Adolphus St. Maur (commonly called Lord Seymour) was, by command of Her Majesty, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 23d day of October 1851,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to Tuesday the fourth day of November next, be further prorogued to Thursday the fifteenth day of January next.

At the Court at Windsor, the 23d day of October 1851,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the second and third years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for regulating the Police Courts in the Metropolis," it was amongst other things enacted that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to alter the number of Magistrates appointed to any of the said Courts; and whereas it was declared by an Order in Council, dated the eighth day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty, that it is expedient that the number of Magistrates should be reduced to twenty, as vacancies among the said Magistrates shall occur; and whereas by the same Order Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, was pleased to order and direct that a vacancy then existing at one of the said Courts (that is to say), at the Southwark Police Court, shall not be supplied; and whereas it has been found that the number of the Police Magistrates cannot be reduced as is proposed in the said recited Order without detriment to the Police service, and Her Majesty has been advised

that the vacancy at the said Southwark Police Court should be filled up; Her Majesty, therefore, is pleased, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order and direct, and it is hereby ordered and directed, that the said Order in Council, of the eighth day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty, reducing the number of the said Police Magistrates, be rescinded and repealed.

And the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly. WM. L. BATHURST.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, October 21, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr E. L. Montefiore as Consul at Port Adelaide for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr Valentine Holmes as Consul at Belfast for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr Alexander Sheffield as Consul at Demerara for the Republick of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr William Pryor as Consul at Halifax, Nova Scotia, for the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

WHITEHALL, October 22, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Cosar to the church and parish of Tranent, in the presbytery and county of Haddington, vacant by the death of the Reverend Robert Stewart, late Minister thereof.

CROWN-OFFICE, October 24, 1851.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Bradford.

Robert Milligan, of Acacia, in Rawden, in the parish of Guiseley, in the county of York, Esq. in the room of William Busfield, Esq. deceased.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Radnor.

Edward Morgan Stephens, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th October 1851.

WHITEHALL, October 21, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Danson-Richardson Currer, of Clifton House, in the parish of St. Michael-le-Belfrys, in the North Riding of the county of York, and of Gledstone House, near Skipton-in-Craven, in the said county, Clerk, Master of Arts, late of Christ Church, in the University of Oxford, in the Commission of the Peace for the East, West, and North Ridings of the county of York, and a Deputy Lieutenant for the said East and West Ridings, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of his brother Richard Henry Roundell, late of Gledstone Hall, in the said county of York, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Roundell only, instead of that of Currer, and also bear the arms of Roundell; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect.

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

WHITEHALL, October 24, 1851.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Edwards, of Stankhill, in the parish of Budbrook, in the county of Warwick, Esquire, and Luana, his Wife, only daughter and heir of Thomas Wood, late of Southam, in the said county, Esquire, deceased, Her royal licence and authority that they may assume and henceforth use the surname of Wood, in addition to and after that of Edwards, and that the said William Edwards and his issue may bear the arms of Wood quarterly with those of Edwards; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Certificate of the General Board of Health for Closing the Burial Ground of the Church of Saint Giles; the Burial Ground attached to the Wesleyan Chapel; and the Burial Ground attached to the Roman Catholic Chapel, all in the Municipal Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme.

Whereas, upon the representation of the Local Board of Health for the municipal Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, acting under and for the purposes of the Public Health Act, 1848, that the Burial-Ground attached to Saint Giles's Church, in the said Borough, and also the Burial-Grounds respectively attached to the Wesleyan and Roman Catholic Chapels, in the said Borough, were, at the date of such representation, in such a state as to be dangerous to the health of persons living in the neighbourhood thereof, the General Board of Health appointed for the purposes of the said Public Health Act have, in pursuance of the provisions of that Act, directed William Lee, a Superintending Inspector appointed for the purposes of the same Act, to visit the said Borough, and there to make public inquiry and examine witnesses with respect to the state of such Burial-Grounds:

And whereas the said Inspector, having previously given the notices directed by the said Act, proceeded upon the said inquiry in the manner directed by the said Act, and hath reported in writing to the said General Board upon the state of the said Burial-Grounds, and the means of interment existing within a convenient distance of the same:

And whereas such inquiry and report have been duly certified to the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Lichfield, within whose diocese the said church of Saint Giles is situated, and copies of the said Report, accompanied by a notice stating that within a time stated therein, being a period of not less than one month from the date of the publication and deposit thereof, written statements might be forwarded to the said Board with respect to any matter contained in or omitted from such Report, or any amendment to be proposed therein, have been duly made, published, and deposited as directed by the said Public Health Act, and the time for forwarding such statements has now elapsed, and all such statements as have been received by the said Board have been duly deposited as required by that Act:

Now therefore, we, the said General Board, do hereby, under our hands and official seal, certify, according to the provisions of the said Act,

That the Burial-Grounds respectively attached to Saint Giles's Church, the Wesleyan Chapel, and the Roman Catholic Chapel, in the said municipal Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme, being a district to which the Public Health Act, 1848, has been applied, are in such a state as to be dangerous to the health of persons living in the neighbourhood thereof, and that sufficient means of interment exist within a convenient distance of such Burial-Grounds.

And we direct—

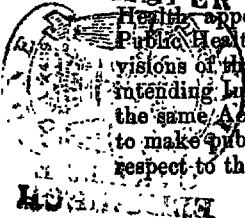
That from and after the 15th day of November 1851, it shall not be lawful to bury, or suffer to be buried, any further corpses or coffins within or under any of the said Burial-Grounds.

Provided always, that where by any faculty legally granted, or otherwise, there is any right of interment in any private vault or brick grave actually constructed, erected, or made within any of such Burial-Grounds before the date of this Certificate, it shall be lawful for the said Local Board of Health from time to time, on application being made to them, and on being satisfied that the exercise of such right will not be prejudicial to health, to grant licence for the exercise of such right, during such time, and subject to such conditions and restrictions, as the said Board may think fit; but such licence shall not prejudice or otherwise affect the authority of the Ordinary, or of any other person who, if this Certificate had not been made, might have prohibited or controlled interment under such right, nor dispense with any consent which would have been required, nor otherwise give to such right any greater force or effect than the same would have had if this Certificate had not been made.

“Given under our hands, and under the seal of the General Board of Health, this 20th day of October 1851.

(Signed) SHAFESBURY.
EDWIN CHADWICK.
T. SOUTHWOOD SMITH.”

NEWS



BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 18th day of October 1851.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

<p style="text-align: right;">£</p> <p>Notes issued..... 28,458,270</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£28,458,270</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">£</p> <p>Government Debt..... 11,015,100</p> <p>Other Securities.. 2,984,900</p> <p>Gold Coin and Bullion..... 14,424,895</p> <p>Silver Bullion..... 33,375</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£28,458,270</p>
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Dated the 23d day of October 1851.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

<p style="text-align: right;">£</p> <p>Proprietors' Capital..... 14,553,000</p> <p>Rest 3,147,472</p> <p>Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings' Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)..... 5,396,169</p> <p>Other Deposits.... 10,339,401</p> <p>Seven Day and other Bills..... 1,268,108</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£34,704,150</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">£</p> <p>Government Securities (including Dead Weight Annuity)..... 13,241,768</p> <p>Other Securities..... 13,083,883</p> <p>Notes 7,782,265</p> <p>Gold and Silver Coin..... 596,234</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">£34,704,150</p>
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Dated the 23d day of October 1851.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKRUPTS
FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- Edward Evans, of Paddington Green, Middlesex, nurseryman and florist.
- Frank Castelli, of No. 10, Bury Court, Saint Mary Axe, London, merchant, carrying on business under the firm of Castelli, Giustiniani, and Company.
- Henry Broome, of No. 22, Haymarket, Middlesex, victualler.
- James Solemen Davis, of No. 14, Dalby Terrace, City Road, Middlesex, dealer in jewellery and watches.
- Edward William Cherrill, of Belle-Vue Hill, Ramsgate, Kent, cabinet maker, upholder, and furniture dealer.
- William Thompson Adeock, of the Palatine Hotel, Manchester, Lancaster, hotel keeper.
- John Howard, of Macclesfield, Chester, silk manufacturer, late carrying on business at Macclesfield aforesaid in copartnership with Edward William Jones, as silk manufacturers, under the firm of Howard and Jones.
- John MacBurnie, of Exeter, draper and tea dealer.
- John Clarke Beaton, of Martock, Somerset, glover.
- Edward Teague, the younger, of Littledean, Woodside, East Dean, Gloucester, grocer and draper.
- Michael Lees, of Salterhebble, Halifax, York, woollen manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Michael Lees and Co.
- John Young Smith, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, ship and insurance broker.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 21st day of October 1851,

Is Twenty-three Shillings and Two Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon, on the Importation thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, computed as above and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-three Shillings and Two Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-eight Shillings and Two Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-three Shillings and Nine Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers' Hall, October 24, 1851.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended October 18, 1851.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
38 0-500	24 9-846	17 0-911	23 6-686	27 6-282	27 2-378

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS WHICH GOVERNS DUTY.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
36 7	25 3	17 11	24 10	28 2	27 3

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY FENTON JADIS,

Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN, (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth,) with the Quantities entered therein for Home Consumption, and the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, in the Week ended 15th October 1851.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above, (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported).			Quantities Entered for Home Consumption, at the same Ports.			Amount of Duty received thereon.			Rates of Duty (Foreign and Colonial.)												
	Foreign.		Colonial.	Foreign.		Colonial.	Foreign.		Colonial.	Total.	on Corn and Grain of all sorts, per qr.	on Meal and Flour all sorts, per cwt.										
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.					
Wheat and Wheat Flour	46239	5	7242	2	53481	7	46239	5	7242	2	53481	7	2609	3	2	472	15	5	3081	18	7	} 1 0 0 4½
Barley and Barley Meal	9377	5	—	—	9377	5	9377	5	—	—	9377	5	408	17	11	—	—	—	468	17	11	
Oats and Oat Meal	15923	2	27	2	15950	4	15923	2	27	2	15950	4	796	3	6	0	16	0	796	19	6	
Rye and Rye Meal	0	1	—	—	0	1	0	1	—	—	0	1	0	0	1	—	—	—	0	0	1	
Pease and Pea Meal	212	1	—	—	212	1	212	1	—	—	212	1	10	12	2	—	—	—	10	12	2	
Beans and Bean Meal	5422	3	—	—	5422	3	5622	3	—	—	5622	3	281	2	5	—	—	—	281	2	5	
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	7914	5	—	—	7914	5	7914	5	—	—	7914	5	395	14	8	—	—	—	395	14	8	
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal..	25	0	—	—	25	0	25	0	—	—	25	0	1	5	0	—	—	—	1	5	0	
Malt	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	85114	6	7269	4	92384	2	85314	6	7269	4	92584	2	4562	18	11	473	11	5	5036	10	4	

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-House, London, 22d October 1851.

R. D. WOODFIELD,
Assistant Inspector-General.

EDINBURGH AND CANONGATE
ANNUITY-TAX ABOLITION.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, That it is intended to apply to Parliament in the ensuing Session, for leave to bring in a Bill or Bills, for altering, amending, or wholly or partially repealing, an Act of the Privy Council of Scotland, upon a reference from the Parliament of Scotland, dated the 18th day of March 1634; a Charter of His Majesty King Charles the First ratifying the said Act, dated the 19th day of January 1636; and an Act of the Committee of Estates of Scotland, dated the 28th day of December 1648; and the following Acts of Parliament, or some of them, viz., an Act of the Parliament of Scotland, dated the 19th day of June 1649, intituled "Act in favours of the Town of Edinburgh anent the Stipends to six Ministers out of the House Mails;" an Act of the Parliament of Scotland, dated the 6th day of June 1661, intituled "Act anent the Annuities to be uplifted within the Burgh of Edinburgh for Ministers' Stipends;" an Act passed in the 7th year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for extending the Royalty of the City of Edinburgh over certain adjoining lands; and for giving powers to the Magistrates of Edinburgh, for the benefit of the said City; and to enable His Majesty to grant Letters-patent for establishing a Theatre in the City of Edinburgh or suburbs thereof;" an Act passed in the 25th year of the reign of His said last mentioned Majesty, intituled "An Act for opening an easy and commodious communication from the High Street of Edinburgh to the Countrysouthward; and also from the Lawn Market to the new extended Royalty on the north; and for enabling Trustees to purchase lands, houses, and areas, for that purpose; for widening and enlarging the Streets of the said City, and certain Avenues leading to the same; for rebuilding or improving the University; for enlarging the Public Markets and communications thereto; for regulating certain Taxes; for Lighting the said City; for providing an additional supply of Water; for extending the Royalty of the said City; and for levying an additional sum of money for Statute Labour in the Middle District of the County of Edinburgh;" an Act passed in the 26th year of the reign of His said last mentioned Majesty, intituled "An Act for widening several Streets in the City of Edinburgh; for opening a communication from Queen's Street to Broughton Loan; for enlarging the Burial Ground; and for extending the Royalty of the said City over part of the lands of Broughton;" an Act passed in the 49th year of the reign of His said last mentioned Majesty, intituled "An Act for extending the Royalty of the City of Edinburgh, for disannexing part of the Parish of Saint Cuthberts from the said Parish, and uniting it to the Parish of Saint Andrew; for further regulating the Assessment for the Poor in the said Parishes; for erecting two new Churches; for discontinuing certain Churches and annexing the Parishes thereof to other Parishes; for further regulating the Revenues of the said City applicable to the payment of Ministers' Stipends; and for Draining the Meadow on the south side of the said City;" an Act passed in the 54th year of the reign of His said last mentioned Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament for erecting and maintaining a new Gaol and other Buildings for the County and City of Edinburgh; for opening communi-

cations to the new Gaol; building a Bridge over the Low Calton; and for other purposes relating thereto;" an Act of the Parliament of Scotland, dated the 22d day of March 1661, intituled "Ratification in favours of the Burgh of Edinburgh of the custome of ane marke of each tunne and packe of Goodes;" an Act of the 1st and 2d year of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to regulate and secure the Debt due by the City of Edinburgh to the Public; to confirm an agreement between the said City and its Creditors; and to effect a Settlement of the affairs of the said City and the Town of Leith;" an Act passed in the 3d year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for abolishing certain Petty and Market Customs in the City of Edinburgh, and granting other Duties in lieu thereof;" an Act passed in the 7th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend an Act passed in the 3d year of the reign of Her present Majesty for abolishing certain Petty and Market Customs in the City of Edinburgh, and granting other Duties in lieu thereof;" an Act of the 10th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abolish, reduce, equalise, and consolidate the Rates and Duties leviable at the Harbour and Docks of Leith;" and an Act passed in the 10th and 11th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to enlarge and improve the Meal, Corn, and Grain Markets of the City of Edinburgh, and for other purposes in relation thereto;" an Act of the Parliament of Scotland, dated the 5th of October 1663, intituled "Act concerning the Stipend of the Ministers of the Canongate;" and an Act of the 9th and 10th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to authorize the construction of several Branch Railways and other Works in connection with the North British Railway;" and all other Acts or authorities which may, in any way, interfere with, or which may be affected by, the objects of the said Bill or Bills. By which Bill or Bills, it is proposed to abolish the Annuity Taxes levied within the Ancient and Extended Royalties of Edinburgh and the Parish of Canongate, for the maintenance of the Ministers of the same; to fix the amount of the Stipends of the said Ministers and their successors; and to make provision for the payment of the said Stipends; and to reduce the number of the Ministers of the said Ancient and Extended Royalties from eighteen to fifteen, by uncollegiating the double charges within the same, as vacancies shall occur in those charges: And by the said Bill or Bills it is intended to make provision for the erection, by the Magistrates and Council of Edinburgh, of a Church in place of the Trinity College Church, which was removed for the purposes of the North British Railway Company, and for the application to that object of a sum of £10,000 of the money received from the said Railway Company as compensation for such removal; and provision will also be made for the due investment of the balance of the said money, and for the application by the said Magistrates and Council towards payment of the said Stipends of £250 yearly, as and for the interest of such balance: And by the said Bill or Bills it is intended to provide that the Annuity of £2000 derived from the Revenues of the Harbour and Docks of Leith, and applied under authority of the before-mentioned Act of the 1st and 2d year of the reign of Her present Majesty towards payment of the Stipends of the Ministers of Edinburgh, shall be applied under authority of the said proposed Bill or Bills towards payment of the Stipends of the Ministers of the Ancient and

Extended Royalties of Edinburgh, and of the Parish of Canongate: And by the said Bill or Bills, it is intended to seek powers to appropriate and apply the Revenues of the Deaneries of Her Majesty's Chapel Royal for Scotland towards payment of the Stipends of the said Ministers of Edinburgh and Canongate, by the transference of the said Revenues to Her Majesty's Remembrancer in Exchequer for Scotland for behoof of the said Ministers, and to take away and extinguish all right or claim, competent to any other party or parties to the said Revenues; and power will be sought to provide compensation to the present Deans of the said Chapel Royal for the Salaries of which they will be deprived by the foresaid appropriation of the Revenues of the said Deaneries: And it is also intended by the said Bill or Bills to take powers to vest in Her Majesty and Her Royal successors the right of Patronage of three of the Churches of Edinburgh: And by the said Bill or Bills, it is intended to make provision for payment by the Magistrates and Council of Edinburgh of the annual sum of £2000, on account of the Rents derived by them from the Seats in the Churches of the said Ancient and Extended Royalties, to be applied towards payment of the Stipends of the said Ministers of Edinburgh and Canongate; to restrict the security of the Creditors of the City of Edinburgh over the free produce of the Seat-Rents of the thirteen City Churches, and of the Cellars underneath the same, constituted by the before-mentioned Act of the 1st and 2d year of the reign of Her present Majesty, to the extent of the said sum of £2000, to which annual payment the said security shall be postponed; and to provide security to the said Creditors over the Common good and Market Customs of the City, in lieu of the security of which they may be deprived by the foresaid payment from the said seat-rents. And by which Bill or Bills power is intended to be taken to repeal, or alter, existing Tolls, Rates, and Duties, leviable under the said recited Acts, or some of them; and to confer, vary, and extinguish all exemptions from payment of Tolls, Rates, and Duties, and other rights and privileges; and particularly, it is intended by the said Bill or Bills to repeal an annual Assessment of one per centum, leviable in aid of the Common good and patrimony of the City of Edinburgh, under the Act of 25th George the Third before-mentioned, and in lieu thereof, and for the purposes of the said intended Act, and in aid of such Common good and patrimony, to levy from all occupiers, including Members of the College of Justice, of dwelling-houses, warehouses, vaults, shops, cellars, stables, breweries, manufactories, workshops, mills, station-houses, and other buildings, and all yards and places where goods and property are deposited, or business carried on, within the Ancient and Extended Royalties of Edinburgh, an annual Assessment or Tax not exceeding £3, 10s. per centum, and within that part of the Parish of Canongate, in which the Annuity-Tax is at present leviable, an annual Assessment or Tax not exceeding £3 per centum, in both cases on four-fifths of the actual yearly rent or value of such subjects, according to a valuation to be made by a Surveyor to be appointed for that purpose by the Magistrates and Council, or according to the valuation made up under authority of the Act of the 11th and 12th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for more effectually Watching, Cleansing, and Lighting the Streets of the City of Edinburgh and adjoining Districts, for regulating the Police thereof, and for other purposes relating thereto," and with the exceptions in the said Act mentioned;

and which valuation the Commissioners of Police of Edinburgh, and their Surveyors and Assessors, acting under the said last mentioned Act, will be bound, if required, to furnish to the Magistrates and Council of Edinburgh; and it is intended to alter and amend the said last mentioned Act accordingly. And it is also intended to make provision for payment from the said Common good and patrimony of Edinburgh, including the proceeds of the intended Assessment or Tax, of such further sum as shall be required for payment of the Stipends of the Ministers of the Churches in the Ancient and Extended Royalties of Edinburgh, and Parish of Canongate, as the same shall be fixed under the said intended Act. And it is intended by the said Bill or Bills to abolish the offices of Stentmasters for the City of Edinburgh, and for Canongate and Pleasance, to substitute the Surveyor to be appointed as aforesaid, or the Surveyor of Police, for the said Stentmasters, to make alterations in the existing provisions as to the imposition and collection of the Land-Tax, within the said Ancient and Extended Royalties of Edinburgh, and within the Burgh of Canongate, Pleasance, North Leith, Coal-hill, and Citadel, and to confer on the Surveyor to be appointed under the said intended Act, or on the Surveyor of Police, the powers conferred on the Stentmasters by the Acts of 25th George the Third, and of the 1st and 2d of Her present Majesty before-mentioned. And it is also intended, in regard to the said Ministers of Canongate, to provide that, in addition to their respective Stipends to be derived from the sources before referred to, they shall be entitled to draw the proceeds of the Seat-Rents of the Church of Canongate, after deduction of the charges thereon, or, in the event of an additional Church being provided in said Parish, that each of the said Ministers shall be entitled to draw the free proceeds of the Seat-Rents of his Church; and further, if necessary, to assign to the Minister of the first charge and his successors, the use and occupation of the Manse of the said Parish, and to the Minister of the second charge and his successors, the Victual-Stipend of the said Parish, or to make such other provisions in regard to the said Seat-Rents, Manse, and Victual-Stipend, as shall be sanctioned by Parliament, and also to take powers to uncollegiate the Parish Church of Canongate, and to provide a separate Church for the second Minister.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN, That in addition to those Acts before-mentioned, whereby any privilege or exemption from taxation is conferred on the Members of the College of Justice, it is intended to repeal, for the purposes of the said intended Act, the provisions of the following Acts of the Parliament of Scotland by which any such privileges and exemptions are conferred on the said body, viz: an Act, dated the 17th day of May 1532, whereby the said College of Justice was instituted; an Act ratifying the institution of the said College, dated the 17th day of May 1537; Act, dated the 14th day of March 1540, intituled "Ratification of the Institution of the College of Justice;" Act ratifying the same, dated the 15th day of December 1543; Act, dated the 29th day of July 1587, intituled "Act in favour of the Session for ratification of their privileges," with an Act of the same date, intituled "An Act in favor of sic of the Lordis of Session as sall becum ageit and vnable;" Act, dated the 21st day of July 1593, intituled "Ratification of the privileges of the Colledge of Justice;" Act, dated the 8th day of June 1594, "Anent the privileges of the Colledge of Justice;" Act, dated the 28th day of June 1633, intituled "Ratification

“ of the liberties of the Colledge of Justice ;” Act, dated the 1st day of January 1661, intituled “ Act ratifying the privileges of the Colledge of Justice ;” Act, dated the 22d day of August 1670, intituled “ Act ratifying the privileges of the Ordinary Lords of Session ;” Act, dated the 23d day of April 1685, intituled “ Act ratifying the privileges of the Senators of the Colledge of Justice ;” with the Act passed in the year 1707, “ ratifying and approving the Treaty of Union of the two Kingdoms of Scotland and England,” (Article 19) ; and all other Acts of Parliament and of Sederunt of the Court of Session, and all Decrees of the said Court and other Acts and authorities conferring or ratifying such privileges and exemptions which might in any way interfere with the provisions of the said intended Act. And it is meant to apply by the said Bill or Bills for such further powers as may be necessary or seem calculated, and may be sanctioned by Parliament for carrying into effect the purposes embodied in a Report by a Select Committee of the House of Commons, appointed during the last Session of Parliament, to consider the state and operation of the Acts relating to the said Annuity-Tax, and to report thereon, and whether any amendment on these Acts or readjustment of the said Tax would be expedient, and whether any fund might be rendered available for the purpose to which the said Tax is now applied ; with such amendments and additions as may be requisite to make the Scheme embodied in the said Report fully operative ; which Report bears date on or about the 31st day of July last.

SPOTTISWOODE AND ROBERTSON,
Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

City Chambers, Edinburgh,
21st October 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of WALTER JAMIESON, Merchant and Flour Miller in Dundee.

GEORGE HAIR NEWALL, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Walter Jamieson, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 12th current, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute ; farther, that the Commissioners have resolved that payment of a farther dividend be postponed till next Statutory period.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GEO. H. NEWALL, Trustee.

Dundee, October 22, 1851.

NOTICE.

IN the Matter of a Patent granted to Mr JOHN BEATTIE of Liverpool, for his Invention of “ Certain Improvements in Steering Vessels,” bearing date at Edinburgh the fourteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty, the Specification of which has been enrolled : Since the enrolment of the Specification, the said John Beattie has, by a certain Deed of Assignment bearing date the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, vested the said Letters-Patent in himself, and Frederick Chapple of Liverpool, Merchant, who have been advised to apply for leave to file a DISCLAIMER and MEMORANDUM OF ALTERATION with the Clerk Keeper of the Register of Patents in Scotland, pursuant to the Statute passed in the fifth and sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty William the Fourth, entitled “ An Act to amend the Law touching Letters-Patent for Inventions,” Notice of which Application is hereby given to all concerned.

RICHARD TELFORD,
Agent for the Petitioners.

Patent Office, 72, Princes Street,
Edinburgh, October 27, 1851.

JOHN DUGUID MILNE, Senior, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES PIRRIE, Farmer and Cattle-Dealer, Mains of Colithie, Parish of Gartly, Aberdeenshire, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 12th October current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding 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 those Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt, and completed lists of the claims entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate ; further, that a first dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Writing-Chambers, 54, Union Street, Aberdeen, on the 13th of December next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. D. MILNE, Senr. Trustee.

Aberdeen, October 25, 1851.

JAMES GOURLAY, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of THOMAS WALLACE, formerly Merchant in Montreal, now Merchant in Glasgow, and residing at Govan Park, Govan Road, near Glasgow, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have examined and approved his accounts, postponed the payment of dividend till next Statutory period, and dispensed with the sending of circulars to the Creditors.

JAMES GOURLAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 27, 1851.

THE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that an application has been made by the under-mentioned Person for the advance of the under-mentioned Sum, under the provisions of the Private Money Drainage Act, 1849, for the drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Applicant.	Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sum applied for by way of Loan.
Alexander Oswald, of Auchincruive, in the County of Ayr, Esquire,	Lands in	St Quivox, Coynton, Dalrymple, Ayr, Monkton, Tarbolton, Craigie,	Ayr,	£3,000

Witness my hand, this 16th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1851.

H. C. MULES, Secretary.

THE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the under-mentioned Parties, for the Advance of the under-mentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 13th and 14th Vict., cap. 31, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Applicant.	Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
The Honorable Jane Macadam Cathcart and Colonel The Honorable Frederick Macadam Cathcart of Berbeth, in the County of Ayr,	Burnfoot,	Dalmellington,	Ayr,	£500
Archibald William Blane of Salthill, in the County of Middlesex, Esquire, Alexander Hunter of Edinburgh, W.S. The Reverend George Mackay of Burgie Lodge, in the County of Elgin, Hugh Blair of Edinburgh, Esquire, W.S. and David Cowan of Edinburgh, Esquire, W.S. Trustees of the late Robert Tulloch of Burgie, Esquire,	Burgie,	Rafford, Forres, Alves,	Elgin and Forres,	1,200
David Briggs, Esquire, Factor and Commissioner for Lieutenant David Briggs, of 17th Regiment of Bengal Native Infantry,	Over Carnbee and Strathairley,	Carnbee, Largo,	Fife,	600
Major James Tennent of Eden Villa, Worthing, in the County of Sussex,	Pool,	Carnwath,	Lanark,	700
The Reverend Donald Mackinnon of Fearn, in the County of Ross,	The Glebe,	Fearn,	Ross,	100
The Reverend Robert Williamson of Knockbain Manse, in the County of Ross,	"	Knockbain or Kilmuir Wester, and Suddie,	"	150

Witness my hand, this 16th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1851.

H. C. MULES, Secretary.

THE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the under-mentioned Parties, for the advance of the under-mentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 9th and 10th Vict., cap. 101, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Applicant.	Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Sir Thomas Erskine of Cambo, in the County of Fife, Baronet,	Airdrie,	Kilrennie and Crail,	Fife,	£400
Robert Scarth of Scarth, in the County of Orkney, Esquire,	Cursetter and Grimbister,	Firth,	Orkney,	400

Witness my hand, this 16th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1851.

H. C. MULES, Secretary.

THE Estates of JOHN CASSELS, Farmer and Contractor, Braidwood, in the Parish of Carluke, and County of Lanark, were sequestrated on the 25th day of October 1851.

The first deliverance is dated 25th October 1851.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 11 o'clock forenoon, on Wednesday the 5th day of November next 1851, within the Clydesdale Inn, East Nile Street, Gallowgate, Glasgow; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 26th day of November next 1851, within the same place.

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 26th day of April 1852.

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

DA. CRAWFORD, S. S. C. Agent,
7, India Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of WILLIAM STEWART BEVERIDGE, Hosier, Glover, and Lacesman, George Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 27th day of October 1851.

The first deliverance is dated 27th October 1851.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 5th day of November next, within the Albert Hotel, Rose Street, Edinburgh; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 3d day of December next, within the said Albert Hotel, Rose Street, 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 28th day of April 1852.

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

GEORGE COTTON, S.S.C. Agent,
47, York Place, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JOHN MILNE, formerly Innkeeper at Old Deer, now Spirit Dealer at Number 58, Marischall Street, Aberdeen, were sequestrated on the 27th day of October 1851.

The first deliverance is dated 27th of October 1851.

The meeting to elect an Interim Factor is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Saturday the 8th day of November next 1851, within Mrs Sheriff's Union Hotel, St. Nicholas Street, Aberdeen; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Saturday the 29th day of November next 1851, within the same place.

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 27th day of April 1852.

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

JAMES BELL, S.S.C. Agent,
25, York Place, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of WILSON, PHILP, & COY. Corn Merchants in Dundee, as a Company, and James Wilson and John Philp, both Corn Merchants in Dundee, the Individual Partners of the said Firm of Wilson, Philp, and Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals.

EBENEZER ERSKINE SCOTT, Accountant in Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and David Pitcairn, Merchant in Dundee, one of the Partners of David Martin and Company, Merchants in Dundee, James Ronald, Corn Merchant in Dundee, as Mandatory for Robert Hutchison and Company, Grain Merchants in Kirkcaldy, and George Mackenzie, Teller in the Office of the Dundee Banking Company, as Mandatory for the said Company, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts, James Wilson and John Philp, will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Dundee, upon Wednesday the 12th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the British Hotel, Dundee, upon Monday the 1st day of December next, at 12 o'clock noon.

E. ERSKINE SCOTT, Trustee.

Dundee, October 25, 1851.

APETITION having been presented to Lord Rutherford, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of WILLIAM ARKLEY, Wood Merchant, Dundee, a Creditor to the extent required by law of WILLIAM HUTTON, Engineer and Farmer, lately residing at Hill of Pitheavlis, in the County of Perth, now deceased, praying for sequestration of his estates, his Lordship, upon the 1st day of October last, granted warrant to cite Mrs Amelia Cooper or Hutton, residing at Hill of Pitheavlis, widow of the said deceased William Hutton, and all others the successors of the said deceased William Hutton, to appear in Court within twenty-one days after citation, to shew cause why sequestration of the estates of the said deceased William Hutton should not be granted, in terms of the Statute. The said Mrs Amelia Cooper or Hutton, and all others the successors foresaid, having been duly cited to appear accordingly, and no appearance having been made, Lord Fullerton, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, upon the 28th day of October inst. ordered intimation of the foresaid warrant to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and of new ordained the said Mrs Amelia Cooper or Hutton, and all others the successors of the said deceased William Hutton, to appear within a further space of twenty-one days from the date of publication of the said intimation, to shew cause why sequestration of the estates of the said deceased William Hutton should not be awarded, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES GRAHAM, Agent.

21, Pitt Street, Edinburgh,
October 28, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER DIXON, residing in Paisley, one of the Partners of the Concern which carried on Business under the Firm of JOHN DIXON & COMPANY, Iron-Founders, Abercorn Foundry, Paisley.

ROBERT FORRESTER, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Alexander MacKinlay, of the Shotts Iron Company, Glasgow, David Ralston, Iron Merchant, Glasgow, and Finlay Thomson, Merchant there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Friday the 7th day of November next, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Alexander and James Morrison, Writers, No. 40, St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 25th day of November next, at one o'clock afternoon.

ROBERT FORRESTER, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 25, 1851.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM WANLESS, Grocer, and Dealer in Grocery and other Goods, Market Stairs, North Bridge, Edinburgh.

FREDERICK ALEXANDER, Merchant, Clyde Street, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Robert Anderson, Senior, of the Firm of Robert Anderson and Son, Merchants, Giles Street, Leith, George Burn, Provision Merchant, High Street, Edinburgh, and William Reid, Agent, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 13th day of November next, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 3d day of December 1851, at two o'clock afternoon.

FREDK. ALEXANDER, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM LOCHHEAD, sometime Merchant at Ardrishaig, and presently residing there.

AALEXANDER ABERCROMBIE, Accountant in Paisley, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Lochhead, Farmer at Ingleston, near Paisley, and Alexander Craig, Grocer in Paisley, the only two Creditors ranked on the estate who are eligible, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Inveraray, on Friday the 7th day of November next, at seven o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Argyll Hotel, Inveraray, upon Tuesday the 25th day of November next, at seven o'clock afternoon.

ALEXANDER ABERCROMBIE, Trustee.

Paisley, October 24, 1851.



INTIMATION is hereby given, that **WILLIAM MURRAY**, Ironmonger in Dundee, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire, with the requisite concurrence, craving to be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable at the date of his sequestration; and that his Lordship, by Interlocutor dated 27th October current, appointed Intimation thereof to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Statute.

THO. WALKER, Pror. for the Petitioner.

Dundee, October 27, 1851.

GEORGE STODART, Merchant, Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN MARTINE**, Junior, Brewer and Merchant, Haddington, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 13th October 1851, and states of the funds recovered, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the 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, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part; further, that an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors who did not lodge their claims in time to participate in the first dividend, and that a second and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors who have received the previous dividend, at his Counting-House, No. 11, Mitchell Street, Leith, on the 15th day of December 1851, on production of the grounds of debt.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GEO. STODART, Trustee.

Leith, October 27, 1851.

AS Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES MINNES**, S.S.C. and Insurance Broker and Dealer in Shares in Edinburgh, I hereby intimate, that a state of my intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 12th inst., has been examined and approved of by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaration of a dividend, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, Accountant.

29, Northumberland Street, Edinburgh,
October 27, 1851.

NOTICE.

MR S **MARGARET RIACH** or **BARRON**, presently residing at Smallburn, Auchterless, has raised an Edict before the Commissary of Aberdeenshire, for having herself decerned and confirmed Executrix-Dative *qua* Creditor to the Deceased **WILLIAM COCKER**, Merchant, Smallburn, Auchterless.—Of which Intimation is hereby given.

JOHN PATERSON, Agent.

Aberdeen, October 25, 1851.

THE Copartnership between the Subscribers, the Sole Partners, carrying on Business as Wool Merchants in Glasgow, under the Firms of **CHARLES STEAD & COMPANY**, and of **DOWNIE & STEAD**, has been **DISSOLVED** of mutual consent.

ALEX. DOWNIE.
CHARLES STEAD.

JAMES MACKENZIE, Witness.
JAMES G. EWAN, Witness.
R. P. MACLEAN, Witness.
ALEX. MILLAR, Witness.
Glasgow, June 12, 1851.

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

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