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## COURT OF SESSION.

ACT OF SEDERUNT EXTENDING THE WINTER SESSION 1852-3 OF THE FIRST DIVISION OF THE COURT OF SESSION TO THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL.

EDINBURGH, 26th January 1853.

THE Lords of Council and Session having considered a representation made to them by the Lord President, as to the great number of causes presently on the Roll of the First Division of the Court, and the great number that will remain on the Roll undisposed of at the termination of the present Winter Session on the 11th day of March next; and having taken into consideration the provisions of the Act of Parliament passed in the second and third year of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 36, § 10, whereby it is enacted, "That it shall be lawful for the said Court of Session, and they are hereby authorised and empowered, if there shall be arrears of business in the said Court, or as the state of business otherwise may require, from time to time to direct, by Act or Acts of Sederunt, that the Winter and Summer Sessions of the Court of Session, or either of them, shall be extended, and to specify the time or times of such extension, and the precise duration thereof, and to direct that such extension shall apply either to the whole Court of Session, or to either of the Divisions thereof, or to all or any of the Lords Ordinary, and to make all regulations which may be required in consequence of any such extension, or connected therewith," Do hereby, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the before-recited Act of Parliament, Enact, Direct, and Declare as follows:—

I. That the present Winter Session of the Court, in so far as regards the First Division thereof, shall extend to the 1st day of April next inclusive, with power to the said First Division, during the said extended period, that is between the 11th day of March and the 1st day of April next, to sit on Mondays as well as on other days.

II. That, as the object of the foresaid extension of the Winter Session, in so far as regards the First Division of the Court, is to enable that Division to dispose of causes on the Long Roll thereof; and as it is expedient that this object should be attained as fully as possible, and with as little disturbance of the existing regulations, in regard to other business, as possible, it is hereby Enacted and Declared that

the foresaid extension shall have no operation or effect in regard to Petitions or incidental applications or Appeals from Inferior Courts, or in regard to the currency of reclaiming days, or in regard to the powers and duties of the Lords Ordinary on the Bills, or the procedure connected with the Bill-Chamber, or in regard to any matters or causes whatever, excepting only causes which shall be on the Long Roll of the First Division on the 11th day of March next; and that in regard to all matters and causes, other than causes on the Long Roll of the First Division as aforesaid, the existing regulations and procedure shall remain in force, and receive effect as if the Winter Session of both Divisions terminated on the 11th day of March as usual.

And the Lords Appoint this Act to be inserted in the Books of Sederunt, and to be published in the usual manner, and copies thereof to be transmitted to both Houses of Parliament, in terms of the before-recited Act.

DUN. M'NEILL, *I.P.D.*

## COURT OF EXCHEQUER.

Saturday the 29th day of January 1853,

This Court will, in addition to the Sitting already appointed for Saturday the 12th day of February next, hold a Sitting on Monday the 14th day of February next, and will, at such Sittings on Saturday the 12th and Monday the 14th days of February next, proceed in disposing of the business then pending in the Paper of New Trials, and in the Special Paper, and also in giving judgment in cases then standing for judgment.

FRED. POLLOCK.  
J. PARKE.  
E. H. ALDERSON.  
SAML. MARTIN.

WHITEHALL, January 28, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Pyemont, otherwise John Smith, of Willow Lodge, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Gentleman, second son of Samuel Smith, of Leeds aforesaid, Surgeon, by Amelia his wife, second daughter and co-heir of George Pyemont, late of Tarishelf, in the parish of Pontefract, in the said county, Esq. deceased, who was eldest son of John Pyemont, late of Lofthouse, in the