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INDIA-BOARD, April 28, 1853.

THE papers, of which the following is a copy, have been received at the East India House this day:—

NOTIFICATION.

Fort-William, March 19, 1853.

THE Most Noble the Governor-General in Council has much satisfaction in publishing, for general information, Extracts of a Despatch from Brigadier-General Steel, C.B., dated the 23d of February, in which he reports the occupation of Tounghoo, by the force under his Command, and the expulsion of the Burmese troops from the eastern side of the province.

Although the invariable retreat of the enemy before the force has afforded it little opportunity of proving its superiority in the field, yet its steady discipline, its forbearance from all excesses, and its alacrity in the performance of every duty, have well deserved the applause of the Governor-General in Council, and command his confidence.

His Lordship in Council desires to convey to Brigadier-General Steel his best thanks for the manner in which he has conducted the expedition to its successful issue; as well as to the several officers whom the Brigadier-General has specially named in his Despatch.

And to all officers, non-commissioned officers, and soldiers, the Governor-General in Council has to offer the assurance of his approbation.

By Order of the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council.

C. ALLEN, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.

Extract of a Despatch from Brigadier-General S. W. Steel, C.B., Commanding the Martaban Column, dated Camp Tounghoo, February 23, 1853, to C. Allen, Esq.

My last Despatch, dated the 15th instant, reported my having marched that day from Shoeegyne. Between that place and Kyouk-Ghee, the villages were entirely deserted from fear of the Burman Forces; a few of the inhabitants stole in from the jungle to communicate with us; they were supplied with copies of the Proclamation, and encouraged to return to their homes.

The force arrived at Kyouk-Ghee on the 17th instant, apparently before it was expected. No one had come out to meet us; and the few people

outside of the stockade looked in silent wonder on our approach across the fine running stream which nearly surrounds the place. The highest authority left within the town was an officer of inferior rank, called a Goung, who opened the gates and accompanied us around the enclosure, pointing out the guns and other arms, of which a Return is enclosed. The stockade is on the same simple plan, and about the same size as Beeling, but more dilapidated. Safeguards were posted to protect the place, and a fine bazaar was opened to which the troops and followers were admitted. Captain Clogstoun, an officer of the Quarter-Master-General's Department, had proceeded with an escort of Irregular Horse to reconnoitre the road in advance, when it was discovered that some of the chiefs who had left Kyouk-Ghee during the previous night, were but a short distance in front; the remainder of the horse were immediately sent on under their Commanding Officer, Lieutenant Lambert, to join the escort in advance. They fell in with the party, and a number of carts loaded with families, women, children, and baggage, about five miles from camp. There were with this party about 100 or more men, armed with muskets, two guns and some jingals; and in the first encounter, before it was discovered that they did not intend to fire, two or three of their men were hurt. Two of the chief officers belonging to Kyouk-Ghee, with two Tseetkays, or assistants to Mounbwa, Ex-Governor of Martaban, were brought in. They had no desire to escape, but asserted that they had been forced by Mounbwa to accompany him. I permitted them all, according to their desire, to return and reside in the town of Kyouk-Ghee. Mounbwa, riding in a cart and commonly dressed, was not recognised, and escaped in the crowd. A company of the 5th Madras Native Infantry, under Captain James, was sent out to escort the families into the town, which was safely effected by the evening. Five elephants and twenty-five ponies were captured on this occasion.

The force marched again the following morning, the 18th, and, coming on without a halt, was able to reach the Sitang river, at Thantabin, by a march of 18½ miles, on the 21st instant. On the opposite bank of the river, attended by a party of thirty men armed with muskets, a mounted officer was seen, who hailed the first of our advance who entered the bed of the river, asking what we wanted; saying we were both great Nations and

ought not to be at war! He was informed in reply that if he had any communication to make he might come across the river; he declined this proposal very peremptorily, and shortly afterwards the whole party disappeared. I have since learned that he is named Moungray, an officer of some rank, and that he returned direct to this city. The river, about four feet deep at the ford, with a rapid current, was passed yesterday, commencing at day-light. The guns were all over, the troops crossing on the elephants, and the line of march formed on the right bank in order for the advance, by 7 A.M. We were met, not far from the river, by two of the chief officers of this city, attended by a great number of the inhabitants, with offerings of fruits, and expressing in many ways, besides the open avowal in words, their extreme joy at our arrival. Thus accompanied, the troops, at 10 A.M. entered this extraordinary city. It is a large square enclosure, surrounded by a high brick wall, with solid rampart, and outside by a broad wet ditch; each face is considerably upwards of a mile in length. The town occupies but a small portion of the enclosure, temples, kyooms or monasteries, groves of lofty trees, and extensive fruit gardens, are interspersed among large open spaces, in one of which the force is now encamped. There is also a large natural tank. In the arsenal the guns and ammunition were found, of which a Return is enclosed. The wall is of very ancient date, and the place is untenable as a fortification, independently of its vast size, from the extensive dilapidation of the wall in many places, and the weak points offered by the exposed position of all the wooden gates; the latter have been newly put up within the last three months, and attempts recently made to repair the fallen wall.

The information given on my arrival here was, that Mounbwa and other chiefs were probably still within reach of a forced march, as they had only commenced their retreat by the high road to Ava, on the report brought by "Moungray" at noon the previous day, of our being then within nine miles of them. I was therefore induced to permit the detachment of Ramghur Irregular Cavalry, under Lieutenant Lambert, to proceed on their track, accompanied as volunteers by Captain Fanshawe, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Captain Clogstoun, and Lieutenant Maxwell, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, and by my A.-D.-C. Captain Travers. A very energetic pursuit was undertaken, and continued for more than twenty miles; it was given up on finding that the flying chiefs were then nearly ten miles in advance, and the horses unfit for farther rapid movement; they returned to camp at 10 P.M. I may therefore venture to state that that part of the Proclamation promulgated on the 20th of December last, which asserted that "such Burman troops as may still remain within the province shall be driven out," had been executed to the very letter by the 22d instant, as on that day the last of the broken forces of the Burman Army was driven beyond the utmost limit contemplated. The establishment of Civil Government will immediately follow; the Commissioner appointed to these Provinces having been expected at Shoee-Gyne by the 20th instant.

The instructions which I received on being honoured with the command of the force to advance from Martaban, having been fully carried out, I trust I may be permitted to bring to the notice of the Most Noble the Governor-General of India in Council, the exemplary conduct of the troops employed on that service; passing through a country never before traversed

by a disciplined army, by a difficult route, imperfectly known, and obliged, in all difficulties, to depend upon their own resources, I hope that the successful occupation of the country thus far, will be considered creditable to the Army of the East India Company. The enemy, by uniformly retreating before the force, has given it no opportunity of gaining those honours which are only won by brilliant deeds of arms, and every soldier so ardently covets; but the perfect state of discipline evinced by the whole of the troops; their kind treatment of the people, which inspired perfect confidence wherever they advanced; their forbearance from all excesses, and their high military bearing on all occasions, may well be taken as proof that the opportunity alone was wanting to add to the fame of their former fields. The victory which they have achieved is that difficult one of self-control, and to them is due the success of the campaign.

The Officers in Command, and on the Staff have, by their zealous co-operation, rendered my share of the service performed comparatively easy; the efficiency of the small park of Madras Artillery, commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel Anstruther, C.B., has been always conspicuous. Lieutenant A. Fraser, of the Bengal Engineers, Assistant Field Engineer, has been indefatigable in his exertions, both in the higher professional duties of an Engineer and at the head of the Company of Madras Sappers and Miners, who have maintained their well earned name, in overcoming the many difficulties of the route of march. To Lieutenant Colonel Poole, 5th Regiment of Madras Native Infantry, commanding the line of Infantry; Major Gerrard, commanding the 1st Bengal Fusiliers; Captain Geils, commanding the detachment 1st Madras Fusiliers; Major Shubrick, commanding the 5th Madras Native Infantry; Major Welchman, commanding the 10th Bengal Native Infantry; Major Forster commanding the details from Martaban; and to Lieutenant Lambert, commanding the detachment of Ramghur Irregular Cavalry; to each and all of them I am indebted for their ready and untiring aid on all emergencies. Of the European troops it is impossible to speak too highly. The sepoy of all the regiments of infantry have cheerfully turned out whenever required, to assist in working-parties on all occasions of difficulty, each vying with the other to forward the service. In the departments of the Assistant Adjutant-General under Major Neill, and of the Assistant Quartermaster-General under Captain Dallas, the duties have always been zealously and efficiently performed; Major Bayly, Deputy Judge Advocate-General, from the general good conduct of the force, has happily had but little to do in his own department, and I am indebted to him for willing assistance on all occasions. From my personal Staff, Captain Travers, Aide-de-Camp, I have ever received the most active service; Captain Dallas, as Extra Aide-de-Camp, has given to me all the time not taken up by his own department; Captain Hamilton, Deputy Baggage-Master, has performed the laborious duties of that office with exemplary zeal and patience. Staff-Surgeon Davidson has given unremitting attention to the care and comfort of those requiring the assistance of the Medical Department. To the most efficient arrangements of the Commissariat Department, made under the orders of Major Budd, Deputy Commissary-General at Rangoon, and at Moulmein by Acting Head-Overseer Norris, the Force is entirely indebted for having been enabled to continue its progress, unchecked by want of supplies. I am



very grateful to Major Hill, commanding at Pegu, for his ready assistance in passing on the convoys from Rangoon. Lieutenant Brander, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General in the Bengal Commissariat, and Lieutenant Chapman, of the Madras Commissariat, have exerted themselves in every way during the march of the column, and the result has been that the troops have been as well provisioned as if in garrison. I would apologize for this long detail, but I feel that when the State has been served so ably, it becomes the duty of him who has to report the result, to bring prominently forward the names of those who have had the good fortune to be employed during the service.

Memorandum of Guns and Jingals taken at and near Kyouk-Ghee.

Camp, Kyouk-Ghee, 17th of February 1853.
3½-pounder iron-guns, 9; brass jingals, 2; iron jingals, 9.

P. ANSTRUTHER, Captain and
Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel, Com-
manding Artillery.

Memorandum of Ordnance, Ammunition, &c., taken at the City of Tounghoo.

Camp, Tounghoo, 22d of February 1853.
6-pounder brass guns, 1; 5-pounder brass guns, 2; 4½-pounder brass guns, 2; 4-pounder brass guns, 4; 2-pounder brass guns, 2.
6-pounder iron guns, 3; 4-pounder iron guns, 3; 3½-pounder iron guns, 1; 3-pounder iron guns, 2; 2-pounder iron guns, 2; 1½-pounder iron guns, 2.
Brass jingals, 2; iron jingals, 119.

Total—brass guns, 11; iron guns, 13; jingals 121.

Flint muskets, 300; baskets of gunpowder, 201, or 8,040 lbs.; chatties of bullets, 1, or 600 lbs.; baskets of flints, 1, 500 flints; baskets of brimstone, 1; large quantity of iron balls.

P. ANSTRUTHER, Captain and
Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel, Com-
manding Artillery.

DOWNING-STREET, April 29, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Meade, Esq. to be Provost-Marshal for the Island of Montserrat.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint John Pownall Dale, Esq. to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Falkland Islands.

ST JAMES'S PALACE, April 28, 1853.

The appointment of James Peters, Esq. to be one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the Gazette of April 8, 1853, is hereby cancelled.

WHITEHALL, April 21, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Richard Heaviside, of Courtlands, in the parish of Withycombe Raleigh, in the county of Devon, and of Brunswick Square, Brighthelmstone, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, Captain in the 16th (Queen's) Lancers, only son of Richard Heaviside, late of Brighthelmstone aforesaid, Esquire, Lieutenant in the 1st (King's) Dragoon Guards, deceased, by Mary his wife (only child of William Frederick Spicer, Esquire, sometime a Colonel in

the Army), and grandson of Richard Heaviside, late of Peterborough House, in the parish of Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased, by Anne his wife, sister of the said William Frederick Spicer and also of William Francis Spicer, late of Courtlands aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of his maternal great uncle, the aforesaid William Francis Spicer, take and henceforth use the names of William Spicer, in lieu of that of Heaviside, and that he may be called and known by the name of Richard William-Spicer, and that he and they may bear the arms of Spicer; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the Heralds' 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 registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

WHITEHALL, April 28, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto James White Worsley, late of Thornton-le-Moor, in the North Riding of the county of York, and now of Ormesby Hall, in the same riding, Esquire, a Captain in the Royal Engineers, Her royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of Sir William Henry Pennyman, of Ormesby aforesaid, and of Beverly, in the East Riding of the said county of York, Baronet, deceased, use, assume, and take upon himself the surname of Pennyman only, instead of that of Worsley, and also bear the arms of Pennyman; and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise the said royal licence to be void and of no effect:

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

WHITEHALL, April 22, 1853.

The Right Honourable Sir John Jervis, Knt. Lord Chief-Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed William Machin Ingle, of Belper, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Derby.

CROWN-OFFICE, April 26, 1853.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Athlone.

William Keogh, Esq. of Rutland Square, in the city of Dublin, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Ireland.

April 27, 1853.

County of Carlow.

William Bunbury McClintock Bunbury, of Lisnevagh, in the said county, Esq. in the room of Henry Bruen, Esq. deceased.

WAR-OFFICE, April 29, 1853.

7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards.

Major-General Arthur William Moyses Lord Sandys to be Colonel, vice Major-General Robert Burd Gabriel, C.B., deceased, whose Commission as Colonel of that Regiment is hereby cancelled. Dated 18th March 1853.

MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Arthur William Moyses Lord Sandys has repaid the difference between the price of a Lieutenant-Colonelcy of Cavalry and Infantry on his appointment to 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 18th March 1853.

WAR-OFFICE, April 29, 1853.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Captain Herbert Dawson Slade, from the 4th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Peareth, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant Sir Thomas Gresley, Bart. to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hamilton, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Cornet Richard James Combe Marter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir Thomas Gresley, Bart. Dated 29th April 1853.

1st Dragoons—Lieutenant John Coltman Davenport to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thoroton, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Cornet Arthur Basset to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Davenport. Dated 29th April 1853.

4th Light Dragoons—Captain William Peareth, from 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice Slade, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

6th Dragoons—Cornet John Lavallin Puxley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Walters, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards—Ensign and Lieutenant Charles Baring to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice William Baring, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Ensign Arthur James Fremantle, from the 52d Foot, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Baring. Dated 29th April 1853.

4th Foot—Ensign Francis Fisher Hamilton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Knott, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

13th Foot—Lieutenant James Nicol to be Captain, by purchase, vice W. Auchmuty, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Ensign Robert Gosling to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nicol. Dated 29th April 1853.

17th Foot—Serjeant-Major John Campbell, from the 98th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Mulhall, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th April 1853.

25th Foot—Ensign William Henry Shafto, from the 13th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Tripp, promoted. Dated 29th April 1853.

30th Foot—Brevet-Major Archibald Campbell, from the 76th Foot, to be Captain, vice Cator, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

31st Foot—Lieutenant Frederick Simes Attree to be Adjutant, vice Scarman, who resigns the Adjutancy. Dated 26th March 1853.

44th Foot—Ensign William Gandy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ingham, whose promotion by purchase, on the 25th March 1853, has been cancelled. Dated 29th April 1853.

56th Foot—Captain Arthur William Byles to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Nicholas Palmer, who retires upon full pay. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant Hugh Whitchurch Austin to be Captain, without purchase, vice Byles. Dated 29th April 1853.

Ensign William Charles Coghlan to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Austin. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant William Clutterbuck to be Adjutant, vice Austin, promoted. Dated 29th April 1853. 59th Foot—Major Henry Hope Graham to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Mainwaring, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Brevet-Major Arnold E. Burmester to be Major, by purchase, vice Graham. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant John King to be Captain, by purchase, vice Burmester. Dated 29th April 1853.

Ensign Richard Michael Williams to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice King. Dated 29th April 1853.

64th Foot—Ensign John Hudson, from the 63d Foot, to be Ensign, vice Walter Carr Mackinnon, appointed to the 87th Foot. Dated 29th April 1853.

70th Foot—Captain Henry Frederick Saunders, from the 84th Foot, to be Captain, vice Willis, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

75th Foot—Ensign Leopold Brown, from 70th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Campbell Mitchell. Dated 29th April 1853.

76th Foot—Captain Thomas William Cator, from the 30th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Campbell, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

77th Foot—Lieutenant W. Wentworth Grant Dilke to be Captain, by purchase, vice Cary, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

Ensign Arthur Maurice Richards to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dilke. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant Howard St. George to be Adjutant, vice Dilke, promoted. Dated 29th April 1853.

80th Foot—Major Robert George Hughes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Lewis, deceased. Dated 31st October 1852.

Captain Samuel Tolfrey Christie to be Major, without purchase, vice Hughes. Dated 31st October 1852.

Lieutenant George Samuel Young to be Captain, without purchase, vice Christie. Dated 31st October 1852.

Lieutenant Henry George John Bowler to be Captain, without purchase, vice Young, whose promotion without purchase, on the 15th March 1853, has been cancelled. Dated 15th March 1853.

Ensign Richard Swift to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Young. Dated 31st October 1852.

Ensign James Tweedie to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Kirkland, deceased. Dated 17th April 1853.

83d Foot—Ensign Thomas Rowland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bookey, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

84th Foot—Captain Frederick Arthur Willis, from the 70th Foot, to be Captain, vice Saunders, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

92d Foot—Ensign James A. Wellesley Leith to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Buchanan, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

98th Foot—Lieutenant Charles Monckton Gibbons Quantrille, from the 3d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice F. G. N. Clarke, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

Rifle Brigade—Ensign William James Montgomery Cunninghame, from the 1st Foot, to be Second

Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sandford, deceased. Dated 29th April 1853.

1st West India Regiment—Captain Henry Hebden, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice John Sinnott, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 29th April 1853.

Lieutenant Courtenay Thomas Hammill to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hebden, who retires. Dated 29th April 1853.

3d West India Regiment—Lieutenant Frederick George Nuttall Clarke, from the 98th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Quantrille, who exchanges. Dated 29th April 1853.

Gold Coast Corps—Ensign Joseph Brownell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Horsley, deceased. Dated 10th February 1853.

BREVET.

Captain Henry Hebden, of the 1st West India Regiment, to be Major in the Army. Dated 23d November 1841.

Brevet-Major Henry Hebden, of the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 11th November 1851.

ADMIRALTY, April 26, 1853.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant Jermyn Charles Symonds to be Captain, vice John Henry Mercer, resigned.

Second Lieutenant Henry Rolt Tomlin to be First Lieutenant, vice Symonds, promoted.

MEMORANDUM.

The date of Commissions of the undermentioned officers in the Royal Marines is *18th*, not *19th*, April 1853, as previously stated :

Second Lieutenants :

Charles Hope Clendon ;
George Weatherall Thomas Hemmans ;
Fitzmaurice Creighton ;
Wyvill James Christy.

Commission signed by the Queen.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.
Charles Hamilton Fenton, Esq. to be Adjutant. Dated 16th March 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.
Adjutant Charles Hamilton Fenton, late Captain 9th and 53d Regiments of Foot, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 18th April 1853.

James Greenwood, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 19th April 1853.

John Weld, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 19th April 1853.

Ralph Holden, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 20th April 1853.

John Joseph Middleton, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 20th April 1853.

Thomas Goulburne Parker, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 21st April 1853.

Edward Petre, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 21st April 1853.

George Deeks Skingley, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 22d April 1853.

William Lister Sagar, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 22d April 1853.

John Pickup Lord, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 23d April 1853.

Frederic Broadbent, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 23d April 1853.

Philip Gilbert Hammerton, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April 1853.

Antony Buck Creek, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th April 1853.

Edward Francis Ward, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April 1853.

Daniel Grant Brereton, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st April 1853.

William Miller Coultate, gent. to be Surgeon. Dated 18th April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Regiment of Royal Surrey Militia.

To be Lieutenant.

Stewart Forbes, Esq. Dated 27th April 1853.

3d Regiment of Royal Surrey Militia.

To be Majors.

Major John William Gooch Spicer, Major 2d Regiment Royal Surrey Militia. Dated 22d April 1853.

Major Thomas Henry Clarke Terry, Major 1st Regiment Royal Surrey Militia. Dated 23d April 1853.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Frederick James Louis Wyatt to be Lieutenant, vice Robinson, who retires. Dated 12th April 1853.

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

Royal Glamorganshire Light Infantry Militia.

Charles Deacon, Esq. late Captain in Her Majesty's 9th Regiment of Light Dragoons (Lancers), to be Captain. Dated 25th April 1853.

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

2d Somerset Militia.

Lieutenant Alfred Waring to be Captain, vice Lethbridge, resigned. Dated 26th April 1853.

[The following Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Tuesday the 19th of April.]

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

2d Somerset Militia.

Frederick Joseph Blake Spurway, gent. to be Ensign, vice Stoodley, promoted. Dated 11th April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant William Philip Snell to be Captain, vice Hodges, resigned, retaining his rank. Dated 18th April 1853.

Ensign Christopher Charles Horne to be Lieutenant, vice Fox, deceased. Dated 18th April 1853.

Ensign Vincentio Corbet Lee to be Lieutenant, vice Middlemas, resigned. Dated 18th April 1853.

Ensign George Thomas West to be Lieutenant, vice McGregor, resigned. Dated 18th April 1853.

Ensign Henry Boscawen Ibbetson to be Lieutenant, vice Miller, resigned. Dated 18th April 1853.

Royal West Middlesex Rifle Regiment of Militia.
Constantine Hayward Read, gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th April 1853.

Royal Westminster Regiment of Middlesex Militia.
Henry Joseph Plumridge Woodhead, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April 1853.
Thomas Sturges Walford, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April 1853.

Royal West Middlesex Rifle Regiment of Militia.
Dottin Maycock, Esq. (late 6th Dragoons,) to be Captain. Dated 21st April 1853.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshire.

North York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Edward Tweddell Atkinson, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 23d April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.
Sherwood Rangers.

The Most Noble Henry Pelham, Duke of Newcastle, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, vice Sir Thomas Woollaston White, Bart. who retires.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

John Charles Long Marsh, gent. to be Ensign.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Queen's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Marwood Shuttleworth Yeatman to be Lieutenant, vice Bradshaw, retired. Dated 25th April 1853.

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

George Singer, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th April 1853.

George Panton, gent. to be Lieutenant and Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 26th April 1853.

Alexander Thomas Ewens, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 26th April 1853.

[The following Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Friday the 22d of April.]

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

King's Own 3d Regiment of Staffordshire Militia.

Phillips Buchanan, Esq. late of Her Majesty's 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 16th April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

The Lord Worsley, to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th April 1853.

Henry Valentine Grantham, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Queen's Own Regiment of Oxfordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Frederick Loftus Dashwood, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice George Astley Charles Dashwood, retired. Dated 27th April 1853.

Clement Cottrell Dormer, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Hugh Montgomery, retired. Dated 27th April 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

Hungerford Corps of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain George Willes to be Major. Dated 20th April 1853.

Lieutenant Henry Coe Coape to be Captain, vice Willes, promoted. Dated 20th April 1853.

Lieutenant Capel Coape to be Captain. Dated 20th April 1853.

Henry Richmond Seymour, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 20th April 1853.

Cornet William Willes to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Coe Coape, promoted. Dated 20th April 1853.

Albert Richard Tull, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Capel Coape, promoted. Dated 20th April 1853.

Henry Edward Astley, gent. to be Cornet. Dated 20th April 1853.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended April 23, 1853.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.
44 7-236	31 5-189	19 0-744	27 3-259	34 9-437	31 11-974

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.
44 9	31 7	18 11	30 6	34 5	32 8

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY FENTON JADIS,

Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

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 26th day of April 1853,

Is Twenty-three Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings 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-four Shillings and Four Pence 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-five Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

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

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-four Shillings and Seven Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, April 29, 1853.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be Issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four weeks ending Saturday the 16th day of April 1853.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland }	Edinburgh	£ 300485	112862	236053	348915	105528	18045	123573
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	183000	62132	113200	175332	34209	15931	50140
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	149846	272814	422660	114937	26198	141136
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	135980	278693	414673	86417	25942	112359
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	90405	191273	281678	40327	20408	60735
Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen	{ Union Bank of Scotland and Banking Company in Aberdeen }	Edinburgh	415690	166324	304998	471322	108650	32708	141358
Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank	Edinburgh	136657	53947	84122	138069	28083	9939	38022
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company }	Aberdeen	70133	36140	58325	94465	22637	10721	33358
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	82541	91422	173963	22608	9780	32388
Dundee Banking Company	Dundee Banking Company	Dundee	33451	11346	22307	33653	4652	991	5643
Eastern Bank of Scotland	Eastern Bank of Scotland	Dundee	33636	13385	20045	33430	6135	1499	7634
Western Bank of Scotland	{ Western Bank of Scotland, the Greenock Bank, the Dundee Union Bank, the Paisley Commercial Bank, and Ayrshire Banking Company }	Glasgow	337938	156834	331119	487953	168045	45149	213195
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	104028	33507	86103	119611	43836	5980	49817
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	66182	89472	155655	83118	7993	91111
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	16161	38078	54239	15571	5880	21451
Perth Banking Company	Perth Banking Company	Perth	38656	11838	25946	37785	8730	2905	11635
Central Bank of Scotland	Central Bank of Scotland	Perth	42933	16556	32663	49219	13280	1536	14817

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I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate, with the exception of _____, have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 28th day of April 1853.

P. DEANS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

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 20th April 1853.

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.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Corn and Grain of all sorts, per qr.	Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.									
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.
Wheat and Wheat Flour	50877	4	30	7	50908	3	50877	4	30	7	50908	3	2827	16	0	2	0	8	2829	16	8								
Barley and Barley Meal	10311	1	—	—	10311	1	10311	1	—	—	10311	1	515	11	5	—	—	—	515	11	5								
Oats and Oat Meal	2327	2	—	—	2327	2	2327	2	—	—	2327	2	116	7	4	—	—	—	116	7	4								
Rye and Rye Meal	167	2	—	—	167	2	167	2	—	—	167	2	8	7	3	—	—	—	8	7	3								
Pease and Pea Meal	586	6	—	—	586	6	586	6	—	—	586	6	29	6	10	—	—	—	29	6	10	1	0			0	4½		
Beans and Bean Meal	3591	3	—	—	3591	3	3591	3	—	—	3591	3	179	11	6	—	—	—	179	11	6								
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	2523	2	—	—	2523	2	2523	2	—	—	2523	2	126	3	3	—	—	—	126	3	3								
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal..	35	0	—	—	35	0	35	0	—	—	35	0	1	15	0	—	—	—	1	15	0								
Beer or Bigg.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—								
	70419	4	30	7	70450	3	70419	4	30	7	70450	3	3804	18	7	2	0	8	3806	19	3								

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-House, London, 27th April 1853.

R. D. WOODIFIELD,
Inspector-General of Imports and Exports.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 16th day of April 1853.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued.....	31,992,475	Government Debt.....	11,015,100
		Other Securities.....	2,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion.....	17,973,321
		Silver Bullion.....	19,154
	£31,992,475		£31,992,475

Dated the 28th day of April 1853.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital.....	14,553,000	Government Securities (including	
Rest.....	3,114,339	Dead Weight Annuity).....	13,221,382
Public Deposits (including Exchequer,		Other Securities.....	13,632,497
Savings Banks, Commissioners of		Notes.....	8,584,145
National Debt, and Dividend		Gold and Silver Coin.....	561,706
Accounts).....	3,712,989		
Other Deposits.....	13,206,923		
Seven Day and other Bills.....	1,412,479		
	£35,999,730		£35,999,730

Dated the 28th day of April 1853.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY DISMISSED AND ANNULLED.

- ✓ William Ward Andrews, of Wolverhampton, Stafford, ironmonger.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- ✓ William Howlings (not Horrlings, as advertized in last Tuesday's Gazette), of Basing, Hants, miller.
 ✓ Alexander Jacobs, of No. 6, Moorgate Street, London, and of Torquay, Devon, builder and silversmith.
 ✓ John Preston, of King's Arms Yard, Moorgate Street, London, woollen warehouseman.
 ✓ William Scales, of White Hill Paper Mill, near Chester-le-Street, Durham, paper manufacturer.
 ✓ William Stiles, of Stratford-upon-Avon, Warwick, out of business, late of Shottery, Old Stratford, Warwick, maltster and hop dealer.
 ✓ Joshua Bowker, of Hyde, Chester, innkeeper, nurseryman, and seedsman.
 ✓ John Henry Whitfield and Francis Lyth, of York, builders.

NOTICE.

ANDREW MACEWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of HUGH COCHRAN, Accountant and Sharebroker in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 16th current, has been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt, but who were not in time to participate in the former dividend; and that the Commissioners have authorized the payment of a dividend to those postponed Creditors whose claims have been admitted, and that this dividend will be paid at his Office, No. 28, St Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Friday the 17th day of June next. The Commissioners have farther dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors who received the first dividend,—all in terms of the Statute.

AND. MACEWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 28, 1853.

ORDNANCE SURVEY OF SCOTLAND.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the BOUNDARY SKETCH MAPS of the following PARISHES in the COUNTY OF FIFE, may be inspected at the County Buildings, Cupar, on Tuesday 3d, 10th, 17th, 24th, and at the Town Hall, Anstruther Easter, on Saturday 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th May, between the hours of Ten A. M. and Four P. M.; and all persons interested in the Boundaries of those Parishes are invited to examine them, and report to me in writing any errors they may observe. The Boundary Sketch Maps may also be inspected at this Office on any day during the month of June.

Names of Parishes.

Abdie.	Dairsie.	Leuchars.
Abernethy.	Dunbog.	Logie.
East Anstruther.	Denino.	Markinch.
West Anstruther.	Elie.	Moonzie.
Arngask.	Ferry-Port-on-Craig.	Monimail.
Auchtermuchty.	Flisk.	Newburgh.
Balmerino.	Forgan.	Newburn.
Cameron.	Kemback.	Pittenweem.
Carnbee.	Kennoway.	Scoonie.
Ceres.	Kettle.	St Andrews.
Collessie.	Kilconquhar.	St Leonards.
Crail.	Kilmany.	St Monance.
Creigh.	Kilrenny.	Wemyss.
Cults.	Kingsbarns.	
Cupar.	Largo.	

HENRY JAMES, Captain Royal Engineers.

Ordnance Survey Office,

13, Royal Circus, Edinburgh, April 1853.

SAMUEL RALEIGH, Accountant, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES BIGGAR, Commission Agent and Underwriter, residing at Maryholm, in the Parish of Terregles, and Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 18th April 1853, and a state of the funds as at the same date, have been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners on the estate, in terms of the Statute. No farther dividend to the personal Creditors will arise from this estate, the whole funds being exhausted by preferable claims.

SAMUEL RALEIGH, Trustee.

Edinburgh, May 2, 1853.

THE Estates of **MYLES MACPHAIL**, Publisher, Bookseller, and Stationer, No. 11, South Saint David Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 2d May 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 2d May 1853.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at 10 o'clock forenoon, on Friday the 13th of May 1853, within Stevenson's Rooms, George Street, Edinburgh; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 10 o'clock forenoon, on Friday the 3d of June 1853, within Stevenson's Rooms, George 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 2d day of November 1853.

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

JAMES SOMERVILLE, S.S.C.

25, Dundas Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of **GAVIN ELLIOT**, Merchant, Aberdeen, were sequestrated on the 3d day of May 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 3d day of May 1853.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 12th day of May 1853, within the New Inn, Dunfermline; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 7th day of June 1853, 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 3d day of November 1853.

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

RICHARD ARTHUR, S.S.C. Agent,

Chambers, 16, Royal Exchange, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of **COWAN, PATTON, & COMPANY**, Tanners in Port-Glasgow, as a Company, and William Cowan, Tanner there, John Fyfe, Flesher in Kilbirnie, and William Patton, sometime Grocer, and now residing at Kilbirnie, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners, and as Individuals.

JAMES MUIRHEAD, Leather Merchant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and Robert Patton, Land Surveyor in Kilbirnie, John Bulley, of the Western Bank, and Andrew Munroe, Merchant in Greenock, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Monday the 16th of May current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs Millar, Walker, and Millar, Writers, No. 5, County Place, Paisley, on Thursday the 2d of June next, at one o'clock afternoon.

JAMES MUIRHEAD, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of **WILLIAM GROSSET**, Joiner in Chirnside, in the County of Berwick.

WILLIAM DUNS, Builder in Dunse, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Hood, Merchant, Dunse, John Turnbull, Merchant there, and George Renton, Wood Merchant, Eyemouth, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Town-Hall, Dunse, on Monday the 16th day of May 1853, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the White Swan Hotel, Dunse, upon Wednesday the 1st day of June 1853, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAS. CUNNINGHAM, Writer, Dunse,
Agent for Sequestration.

Dunse, April 29, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES MUTRIE & CO.**, Merchants, Fancy Silk Manufacturers, Agents, and Warehousemen, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, as a Company, and James Mutrie and William Mutrie, the Individual Partners of said Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee, with consent of the Commissioners, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Office of Messrs Thomsons & Ritchie, Accountants, No. 101, Miller Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 18th current, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider and decide as to a renewal of the personal protection in favor of the Bankrupts.

JAMES THOMSON, JUN. Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **GILBERT KENNEDY BOGLE**, Merchant in Glasgow.

I hereby call a meeting of the Creditors on the above estate, with consent of the Commissioners, to be held in my Chambers, No. 59, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 17th day of May current, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration an offer of composition by the Bankrupt to be laid before them.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

WILLIAM CALDER, Cattle Salesman in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN MATHER**, Cattle Dealer, Gorbals, Glasgow, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors of the said John Mather to be held within the Writing-Chambers of Messrs Shand & Farquhar, Writers to the Signet, 24, Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 18th day of May next, at half-past one o'clock P.M., to consider as to the legal proceedings against the Representatives of the deceased John Morton, Cattle Dealer and Farmer, New Mills, in the parish of London, Ayrshire.

WILLIAM CALDER.

Edinburgh, May 2, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of **JOSEPH T. CRAWFORD & COMPANY**, Mill Wrights, Engineers, and Machine Makers, Hutchesontown, Glasgow, as a Company, and of Joseph Tucker Crawford, Mill Wright, Engineer, and Machine Maker there, the sole Partner of said Company, as a Partner thereof, and as an Individual.

ALEXANDER BALDERSTON, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on said estates, with consent of the Commissioners, hereby intimates, that the said Joseph Tucker Crawford having made offer of a composition of Nine Shillings per pound upon all debts due by the said Company, or by him, as sole Partner thereof, or as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration of their estates, payable in six days from the date of the final discharge, besides providing for and paying the expenses of the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee, and offered security therefor,—a meeting of the Creditors will be held in the Writing-Chambers of Messrs C. & R. Baird & Muirhead, No. 24, Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 18th day of May current, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of taking said offer into consideration, or entertaining the same for further consideration.

A. BALDERSTON, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

In the Sequestration of the Estate of **NORMAN MACLEOD**, Esquire, of MacLeod, Shipowner and Manufacturer of Tiles, in the Island of Skye, and County of Inverness.

JOHN SMITH, Advocate and Accountant in Aberdeen, Trustee on said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the Creditors of the said Norman MacLeod, held on 27th instant, an offer was made by the Bankrupt to pay to his Creditors a composition on the whole debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estate, with security for payment of the same, and that the Creditors present unanimously resolved that the said offer and security should be entertained for consideration; and I therefore give notice that another general meeting of the Creditors will be held within Cay & Black's Rooms, No. 45, George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 19th day of May next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of deciding on said offer of composition and the security proposed,—all in terms of the Statute.

JOHN SMITH.

Aberdeen, April 28, 1853.

JOSIAH LIVINGSTON, Mercantile Agent in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **SMITH & M'CALLUM**, Merchants in Leith, as a Company, and George Smith, residing at Claremont Cottage, Leith, the sole Individual Partner of that Company, as a Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that his accounts of intrusions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 17th current, and states of the funds as at the same date, have been made up and audited by the Commissioners, 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. Farther, that an equalizing, and a second and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at his Counting-House, No. 7, Roxburgh

Place, Edinburgh, on the 17th day of June next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOSIAH LIVINGSTON, Trustee.
Edinburgh, April 29, 1853.

ALLAN FREER, Writer in Melrose, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN JOBSON, lately Tenant of Upper and Lower Hayfield and Larichbane, and residing at Larichbane, in the County of Argyle, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 18th April last, and states of the funds which have been wholly recovered 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 18th April last, 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. And further, that a third and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Writing-Chambers of Adam Paterson, Esquire, W. S., 36, Heriot Row, Edinburgh, on Monday the 20th day of June next, at 11 o'clock forenoon; and equalizing dividends will be paid at same time to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, and who did not receive the first and second dividends.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Melrose, May 2, 1853.

FRANCIS EDMOND, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the Deceased WILLIAM DONALD, sometime Tanner and Merchant in Inverury, as a Partner of the Company of REID, SMITH, & COMPANY, Distillers, Union Glen Distillery, Aberdeen, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 16th instant, and states of the funds recovered by him as at the same date, have been made up by him, and audited and approved of by the Commissioners on said estates, 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 16th instant, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of said estates respectively, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part; and that a final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at his Writing-Rooms here, on the 16th June next.

FRANCIS EDMOND, Trustee.

22, Adelphi, Aberdeen,
April 16, 1853.

NOTICE.

JOHAN ANDERSON, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM MUIR, late Collector of the Tonnage Dues, Glasgow, and Dealer in Iron there, hereby intimates, that a continuation of his intromissions with the funds of the sequestrated estate, brought down to 15th April current, and states of the funds recovered and also of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and further, that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend until the next statutory period, and have also dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

JOHAN ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 29, 1853.

NOTICE.

JOHAN ANDERSON, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of J. & J. ALEXANDER, Tailors, Clothiers, and Wine and Spirit Merchants in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that a continuation of his intromissions with the funds of the sequestrated estate, brought down to 15th April current, and states of the funds recovered and also of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and further, that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend until the next statutory period, and have also dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

JOHAN ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 29, 1853.

ROBERT M'COWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DAVID M'KAY, Grocer, Bridgeton, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that his accounts with the estate, as at 18th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioner, that he has examined the claims, and made up lists of the Creditors entitled to be ranked at said date, and that a dividend will be paid to those whose claims have been admitted, at his Counting-house, 17, Gordon Street, Glasgow, on 20th proximo.

Rob. M'COWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

JAMES GOURLAY, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of HENDERSON, LAMONT, & COMPANY, Distillers at Camlachie, near Glasgow, and at Rhins, Port Charlotte, Islay, and of Hector Henderson and James Lamont, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 15th ultimo, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that a dividend has been postponed till the recurrence of the next statutory period, and that circulars to the Creditors have been directed to be dispensed with.

JAMES GOURLAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN RAE, Draper, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that his accounts have been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have instructed him to pay a first dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been sustained. He further intimates, that said dividend will be payable at his Office, 146, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 17th day of June next.

DAV. M'CUBBIN, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

ARCHIBALD HORNE, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DANIEL DUFF, Machine Maker and Flaxspinner in Dundee, deceased, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed declaring a farther dividend.

ARCHD. HORNE.

DONALD ROBERTSON, Tavern Keeper, residing in Glasgow, and present Prisoner in the North Prison, 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 4th day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

ALEXR. DICK, Jr. Agent.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

ANDREW M'GREGOR, Spirit Dealer, Cadogan Street, Glasgow, and present Prisoner in the North Prison, 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 4th day of June next, at one o'clock afternoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

ALEXR. DICK, Jr. Agent.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

NOTICE.

GEORGE DON, Baker in Crieff, presently a Prisoner in the Jail of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Perth, for the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and also for liberation and interim protection against the execution of diligence. On considering which the Sheriff-Substitute has appointed Friday the 3d day of June next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff-Court-Room in Perth, for the public examination of the Petitioner; at which time and place his Creditors are hereby required to attend.

JAMES SHARP, Petitioner's Pror.

Crieff, May 2, 1853.

THE Subscriber ceased to have any interest in the Firm of JOHN CHRISTIE & CO., Clothiers and Hatters, Glasgow, on and after 1st April 1852.

JAMES DONALDSON.

ANDREW CHRISTIE, Witness.

A. R. WILSON, Witness.

Glasgow, May 2, 1853.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

Galashiels, April 29, 1853.

THE Copartnership sometime carried on here, under the Firm of JAMES STIRLING & SONS, Builders, was, on the 2d February last, DISSOLVED by the mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners. The Subscribers, Robert Stirling and Adam Stirling, will continue the Business on their own account, in the same premises.

JAS. STIRLING.
WM. STIRLING.
ROBERT STIRLING.
ADAM STIRLING.

WM. RUTHERFORD, Witness.
ROBERT GRAHAM, Witness.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers, John Mortimer and Robert Anderson, (sole Partners,) as Pianoforte Makers in Edinburgh, under the Firm of MORTIMER, ANDERSON, & COMPANY,

has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent. Mr Mortimer is authorized to receive and discharge all debts due to the Company, and he will discharge all debts due by it.

JOHN MORTIMER.
ROBERT ANDERSON.

HENRY TOD, Writer to the Signet, Witness.

WILLM. ARCHD. HOWISON, Clerk to the said
Henry Tod, Witness.

Edinburgh, April 29, 1853.

Aberdeen, April 29, 1853.

THE Subscriber ceased, at 31st March last, to be a Partner of the Firm of WILLIAM M'KINNAN & CO., Merchants and Ironfounders in Aberdeen.

WILLIAM M'KINNAN.

JOHN SMITH, Advocate, Aberdeen, Witness.

JAS. MESTON, Writer, Aberdeen, Witness.

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