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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1853.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of October 1853,

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 Thursday the twenty-seventh day of October instant, be further prorogued to Tuesday the twenty-ninth day of November next.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION,

In order to the Electing a Peer for Scotland.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Alexander George, Lord Saltoun, was duly elected and returned to be one of the Sixteen Peers of Scotland to sit in the House of Peers in the present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and is since deceased: In order to the electing another Peer of Scotland to sit in his room, We do, by the advice of Our Privy Council, issue forth this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood-House, at Edinburgh, on Wednesday the sixteenth day of November next ensuing, between the hours of Twelve and Two in the Afternoon, to nominate and choose another Peer of Scotland to sit and vote in the House of Peers in this present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the room of the said Alexander George, Lord Saltoun, deceased, by open election and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent, (such proxies being Peers, and producing a mandate in writing duly signed before witnesses, and both the constituents and proxy being qualified according to law): and the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made and duly examined, to certify the name of the Peer so elected, and to sign and attest the same in the presence of the said Peers the electors, and return such certificate into Our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain: And

We strictly charge and command that this Our Royal Proclamation be duly published at the Market-Cross at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns of Scotland, ten days at least before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed on such election.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this twenty-fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at Windsor, this 24th day October 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day the Right Honourable John Parker was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

DOWNING-STREET, October 22, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard Yates Cummins, Esq. to be Assistant Colonial Secretary to the Government of Mauritius; Stair Douglas, Esq. to be Chief Clerk in the Colonial Secretary's Office; and Frédéric Robert Nixon, Esq. to be Guardian of Woods and Forests in that Colony.

WHITEHALL, October 24, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters-patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto Admiral Sir William Hall Gage, Knt., the office or place of Rear-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Admiralty thereof, in the room of Admiral Sir George Cockburn, Bart., deceased.

CROWN-OFFICE, October 24, 1853.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Lisburn.

Jonathan Joseph Richardson, Esq. of the Island, in the said Borough of Lisburn, in the room of Roger Johnson Smyth, Esq. deceased.

WHITEHALL, October 24, 1853.

The Queen has been pleased to make the following appointments under the provisions and for the purposes of "The Charitable Trusts Act, 1853;" viz:—

Peter Erle, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, to be Chief Commissioner;
James Hill, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, to be Second Commissioner;
The Reverend Richard Jones, M. A. to be Third Commissioner;
The Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., G.C.B., to be Fourth Commissioner;
Henry Morgan Vane, Esq. to be Secretary; and
Thomas Hare, Esq. Barrister-at-Law, and
Walker Skirrow, the younger, Esq. to be Inspectors.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of two Despatches from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, the first inclosing the annexed translation of an Edict of the Board of Health in that City, relative to vessels arriving from ports suspected of infection; and the second reporting that the Board had declared London and Newcastle infected, and all other English ports suspected of infection with Cholera.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

(Copy.)

(Translation.)

The Council of Public Health of the Kingdom, wishing to prevent all disputes regarding the application of the Regulations contained in the Edicts of the 25th of July and 5th of December 1850, and 3d of July 1851, for the conditional admission to free pratique of ships, &c., proceeding from suspected ports, has deliberated upon, and hereby ordains the observance of the following:—

Art. 1. Ships proceeding from suspected ports, and having been eight days on their voyage, are to be allowed free pratique at all the ports of the Kingdom.

Art. 2. Ships proceeding from suspected ports, and having been less than eight whole days on their voyage, must complete them at the port of their arrival by a quarantine of observation.

Art. 3. The days of the voyage shall be reckoned from the moment of departure as shown by the Log Book.

Art. 4. The Edicts of the 24th and 25th of October 1850 continue in force.

Lisbon, September 29, 1853.

(Signed) MATHEUS CEZARIO.
RODRIGUEZ MOACHO.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Pro Consular Agent at Rome, inclosing the following translation of a Pontifical Edict, admitting free importation of Corn into the Papal States until the end of February 1854.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

(Copy.)

NOTIFICATION OF CARDINAL
ANTONELLI.

To do away with the uncertainty arising from the moveable Tariffs regulating the importation and exportation of corn, in the present state of things, the Holiness of our Lord, having heard the Council of Ministers, has ordered us to publish, as we do in his sovereign name, the free importation of wheat, Indian corn, and flour, large wheat ("farro"), barley, oats, pulse, (excepting lupins), potatoes, chestnuts, and their flours, until the end of February 1854, whatever may be the medium price of the said articles resulting from the corn tables, as well for the section of the Mediterranean as for that of the Adriatic, derogating for this purpose from every law or regulation to the contrary.

The Pro Minister of the Finances is charged with the apposite executiqu.

Secretary of State's Office, 5th October 1853.

(Signed) J. CARD. ANTONELLI.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Florence, the subjoined translation of a Roman Notification, admitting into the Papal States, free of duty, until the end of February next, the principal kinds of Vegetables.

By Order,

JAMES BOOTH.

"Giornale di Roma" (No. 226), Thursday,
6th October 1853.

(Translation.)

NOTIFICATION.

JAMES, of the Holy Roman Church, Cardinal Antonelli, Deacon of St. Agatha, in Suburra, Secretary of State of His Holiness, our Lord, Pope Pius IX.

In order to remove the uncertainty arising from the sliding scale, by which the importation and exportation of corn are regulated, His Holiness, our Lord, having heard the Council of Ministers, has, in the present state of things, ordered us to declare, as we do hereby declare, in his sovereign name, that the importation of wheat, of Indian corn, and the flour thereof, of (*Farro*), *Epeautre*, *Triticum spelta*) spelt, of barley, of oats, of legumes (except *lupini*), of potatoes, of chestnuts, and the flour thereof, shall be free until the end of February 1854, whatever may be the average price of the said articles, according to the Food Returns, as well for the section of the Mediterranean as for that of the Adriatic, every law and enactment to the contrary being for this purpose suspended.

The Pro-Minister of Finance is charged with the execution hereof.

From the Secretary of State's Office,
October 5, 1853,

(Signed) J. CARD. ANTONELLI.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary



of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Tripoli, reporting that the prohibition on the exportation of Grain from that Regency had been rescinded, and that free exportation was to be allowed after the 4th instant.

By Order,
JAMES BOOTH.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1853.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Brussels, enclosing copy of a Royal Ordinance prohibiting the exportation of potatoes and dry vegetables (that is to say):—peas, lentils, French beans (haricots), vetches, and horse beans, from the 15th instant.

By Order,
JAMES BOOTH.

DUBLIN CASTLE, October 21, 1853.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the Honourable L. H. King Harman, being appointed a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Longford, in the room of Sir George R. Fetherston, deceased.

OFFICE OF ORDNANCE, October 24, 1853.

Ordnance Medical Department.
Surgeon John Atkins Davis to be Senior Surgeon, vice Quigley, retired. Dated 13th October 1853.
Assistant-Surgeon Ross Hassard to be Surgeon, vice Davis. Dated 13th October 1853.
Temporary Assistant-Surgeon John Alexander McMunn to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hassard. Dated 13th October 1853.

ADMIRALTY, October 21, 1853.

Corps of Royal Marines.
Second Lieutenant Frédéric William Arthur Boyd to be First Lieutenant, vice T. A. M. D'V. Pennington, to half-pay.

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

Sir Elkanah Armitage, Knt., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th October 1853.
Henry Lomax Gaskell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th October 1853.

The Artillery Corps of the Royal Lancashire Militia.

First Lieutenant Charles Robert Crigan to be Captain, vice Hay, resigned. Dated 20th October 1853.

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

West Kent Regiment of Militia.
Reynell Hele Fowell Sprye, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th October 1853.
John Summons Ramsay, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th October 1853.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia,
Frederick Dolly Gosling, gent. to be Ensign.

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

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant William Wemyss Methven Dewar to be Captain, vice Fane, resigned. Dated 19th October 1853.

Ensign John James Ireland to be Lieutenant, vice Shum, resigned. Dated 19th October 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

John Lea, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 22d October 1853.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Joseph Matthews, of Little Waltham, and of Great Waltham, both of Essex, grocer and draper.
Thomas Pye, of Manor Street, Chelsea, Middlesex, sawyer and timber merchant.
John Dawson, of Tolleshunt D'Arcy, Essex, surgeon and apothecary.
Charles Sumpter Morris, late of Soham, Cambridge, ironmonger and gas manufacturer, and now of the same place, gas manufacturer.
Henry Braun, of No. 10, Old Fish Street Hill, London, importer of foreign glass, fancy goods, and general agent.
George Gillard, of No. 28, New Street, Covent Garden, Middlesex, boot and shoe, salesman.
George Bennett, of Birmingham, Warwick, licensed victualler.
Stephen Crute, of Liverpool, Lancaster, slater and plasterer.
William Brook, of Manchester, Lancaster, and late of the City of London, stuff merchant and warehouseman, trading under the style or firm of William Brook and Company.
Benjamin Nunnington Dodd, of Hetton-le-Hole, Durham, grocer and draper.

EDINBURGH, PERTH, & DUNDEE RAILWAY COMPANY,

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF DEBENTURES AND PREFERENCE STOCK.

IN pursuance of the Edinburgh, Perth, and Dundee Railway Company (Arrangements) Act, 1853, Notice is hereby given, that separate meetings of the Holders of the Debentures of the Company, ranking *primo loco* in terms of said Act,—Of the Holders of Debentures issued under said Act, in respect of advances made to, or for behoof of the Company, collaterally secured by £5 Preference Shares,—Of the Holders of Debentures issued under said Act, in respect of debts therein described as debts other than those therein-before provided for,—Of the Holders of Granton Preference Stock,—and of the Holders of £5 Preference Stock respectively, will be held within the Hopetoun Rooms, Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 9th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Five Directors, that is to say,—one by, and representing each of the said Classes of Debenture Holders and Preference Shareholders,—in terms of the said Act.

By Order,

HENRY LEES, Secretary.

Edinburgh, October 28, 1853.

UNITED DEPOSIT ASSURANCE COMPANY.

AT a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS, called in terms of the Contract of Copartnership, and held in Gibb's Hotel, 53, Prince's Street, Edinburgh, on 15th August, it was unanimously resolved that the Company be DISSOLVED and WOUND UP;—Notice is Hereby Given, that a SECOND SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held, in terms of the Contract, in the above Hotel, on Wednesday, 23d November 1853, at One o'Clock, finally to confirm said Resolution:

By Order of the Directors,
JAMES HOWDEN, Manager.

21, St Andrew Square,
Edinburgh, 17th August 1853.

EAST INDIA HOUSE,
the 26th October 1853.

THE COURT OF DIRECTORS OF THE EAST INDIA COMPANY do hereby give Notice That the rate of Interest payable upon the Company's Bonds will be raised from £2 : 10 : 0 per cent. per annum, to £3 : 5 : 0 per cent. per annum, from and after this day.

JAMES C. MELVILL, Secy.

WILLIAM LITTLEJOHN, Cashier of the Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ROBERT BLACK, Merchant and Shipowner in Newburgh, near Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 11th current, and states of the funds recovered and 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: That the said account and states lie with William Robison, Advocate in Aberdeen, Agent for the Trustee, for the inspection of all concerned; and that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory meeting, and have dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. LITTLEJOHN, Trustee.
Aberdeen, October 24, 1853.

JAMES RUSSELL, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN M'LAREN, Draper and Merchant in Blairgowrie, hereby intimates, that his account of intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 6th instant, has been audited and approved of by the Commissioners, who have instructed him to postpone declaring a dividend, and to dispense with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JAMES RUSSELL, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 24, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of the Company carrying on Business in Glasgow under the Firm of DUNLOP, ROWAND, & COMPANY, and in Liverpool under the Firm of ROWAND & DUNLOP, and of Alexander Rowand, Merchant in Glasgow, and Alexander Cunningham Dunlop, Merchant in Liverpool, Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners, and as Individuals.

THOMAS ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on said sequestrated estates, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners having audited his accounts as at 15th October current, have postponed a dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

THOS. ANDERSON, Trustee.
Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

In the Sequestration of GEORGE M'LEOD & COMPANY, Wholesale Chemists and Druggists in Glasgow, and George M'Leod, Doctor of Medicine, and Wholesale Chemist and Druggist there, the sole Partner of that Company.

THE Trustee hereby gives notice that a state of the funds has been made up till the 22d current, and the Trustee's accounts audited; and that the Commissioners have authorized any farther dividend to be postponed till the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend, and that they have farther authorized the Trustee to dispense with sending circulars to the Creditors.

ALEXANDER WYLIE, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 26, 1853.

THE Estates of JAMES DRUMMOND, Cattle-Dealer and Flesher in Crieff, were sequestrated on the 26th day of October 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th October 1853. John Ironside, Writer in Crieff, has been appointed Interim Factor on the sequestrated estate; and the meeting to elect a Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held within the Drummond Arms Hotel, Crieff, on Friday the 11th day of November 1853, at one o'clock afternoon.

A composition may be offered at this 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 February 1854, provided the time of payment shall not be accelerated; or, one month before the time fixed for payment of the first dividend, if such time shall be accelerated.

The Lord Ordinary, in awarding sequestration, granted Warrant of Protection to the Bankrupt against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

MALCOLM MACGREGOR, S.S.C.,
30, St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN HOLM, Farmer and Cattle Dealer at Auchindross, Parish of Kilmacollm, County of Renfrew, were sequestrated on the 26th day of October 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of October 1853.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed John Miller, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 9th day of November 1853, within the Wheat Sheaf Tavern, Port-Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this 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 March 1854.

The Lord Ordinary, while awarding sequestration, granted to the Bankrupt a Personal Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee and Commissioners.

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

RICHARD ARTHUR, S.S.C.,
Chambers, 16, Royal Exchange, Edinburgh.

APETITION having been presented to Lord Murray, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of ANDREW MILLAR, Writer in Paisley, a Creditor to the extent required by law of ALEXANDER NAIRNE, Writer in Edinburgh, and Solicitor before the Supreme Courts of Scotland, lately residing in No. 52, Northumberland Street, Edinburgh, now deceased, praying for sequestration of his estates,—his Lordship, upon the 5th day of October 1853, granted warrant to cite Michael Russell Nairne, lately residing at No. 52, Northumberland Street, Edinburgh, and now or lately on a voyage to China, or Australia, or elsewhere furth of Scotland; Sarah Janet Nairne, Elizabeth Nairne, and Harriet Nairne, all lately residing at No. 52, Northumberland Street, Edinburgh, and now or lately at Walmley Parsonage, near Birmingham, or elsewhere furth of Scotland, the children and successors of the said deceased Alexander Nairne, and their Tutors and Curators, if they any have, for their interest, to appear in Court within twenty-one days after citation, to shew cause why sequestration of the estates of the said deceased Alexander Nairne should not be awarded, in terms of the Statutes. The said successors, and their Tutors and Curators, if they any have, having been duly cited to appear accordingly, and no appearance having been made, Lord Robertson, Ordinary officiating on the Bills upon the 28th day of October 1853, ordered Intimation of the foresaid warrant to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and of new ordained the successors of the said deceased Alexander Nairne, and their Tutors and Curators, if they any have, for their interest, to appear within a farther 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 Alexander Nairne should not be awarded, in terms of the Statutes.

JOHN MARTIN, W.S.,
32, Great King Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

October 28, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of ANDREW SCOTT, Surveyor and Civil Engineer, and Agent for the Sale of Doulton's Stoneware Pipes, residing at Hope Park, near Hawick.

JAMES OLIVER, Accountant in Hawick, has been elected Trustee; and James Turnbull, Joiner, residing at Stitches Croft, Charles Nicoll, Plasterer, Wilton, and John Hobkirk, Joiner in Hawick, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Jedburgh, on Friday the 4th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Tower Inn, Hawick, on Monday the 14th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. JAMES OLIVER, Trustee.

Hawick, October 26, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN PATERSON, Grocer in Alloa.

JOHN LEISHMAN, Merchant in Alloa, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Paterson, Spirit Merchant in Alloa, John Donald, Writer there, and John Ewing, Writer there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt, the said John Paterson, has been dispensed with. The Creditors will meet within Stark's Crown Inn, Alloa, on Friday the 11th day of November next, 1853, at two o'clock afternoon.

JNO. LEISHMAN, Trustee.

Alloa, October 26, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of PETER FERGUSON, lately residing at No. 5, Burnbank Street, Glasgow, and lately carrying on Business as a Commission Agent at No. 33, Renfield Street, Glasgow, now deceased.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; Alexander Wingate, Merchant in Glasgow, Thomas Whyte, Muslin Manufacturer in Glasgow, and William Paul, Banker in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. A meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Office of the Trustee, No. 59, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 10th day of November next, at two o'clock afternoon.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM BAIRNER, Manufacturer in Cupar-Fife.

WILLIAM PAGAN, Banker in Cupar-Fife, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Patrick, Writer, Cupar-Fife, Alexander Nicholson, Writer, Cupar-Fife, and George McDonald, Dyer, Cupar-Fife, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-Room at Cupar, on Thursday the 8th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs W. & G. Pagan, Writers, Cupar-Fife, on Monday the 14th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon.

WILL. PAGAN, Trustee.

Cupar-Fife, October 26, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of ARCHIBALD MACDONALD, sometime Fish Dealer, George's Place, Glasgow, now residing in Glasgow.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Brander Christie, Writer in Glasgow, James Chrystal, Writer in Stirling, and Alexander Robertson, Accountant in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 8th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Crow Hotel, George's Square, Glasgow, on Friday the 18th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. At the meeting for election of Trustee, held on the 24th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable fourteen days after his final discharge, and offered James Macdonald, Officer of Inland Revenue, presently residing in Oban, as his security, and also offered to pay or provide for the whole expenses attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee; which offer and security were unanimously entertained by the Creditors present at said meeting, and will be finally decided upon at the meeting to be held after the Bankrupt's examination on the said 18th day of November next, within the place, and at the hour foresaid.

DAV. M'CUBBIN.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT FINDLAY, sometime Draper and Cloth Merchant in Airdrie, in the County of Lanark, now Warehouseman in Glasgow, and residing there.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Alexander Collic, Merchant in Glasgow, John Thomson, Annfield, Airdrie, and Robert Duncan Douglas, Writer in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Glasgow, on Monday the 7th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of John Clark, Writer, 146, Buchanan Street there, on Saturday the 5th day of November next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider whether the personal protection of the Bankrupt should be renewed; and the statutory meeting of the Creditors, after the examination of the Bankrupt, will be held in the same place, on Wednesday the 16th day of November next, at one o'clock afternoon. DAV. M'CUBBIN.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

JOHN LOVE, Western Bank, Ayr, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES HARPER, sometime Writer in Ayr, now deceased, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors of the said James Harper to be held within the Western Bank Buildings at Ayr, upon Tuesday the 15th day of November next, at two o'clock afternoon, to elect a Commissioner on said sequestrated estate, in room of Thomas Reid, Accountant, Western Bank, Ayr, now deceased.

JOHN LOVE, Trustee.

Ayr, October 27, 1853.

NOTICE to the Creditors of M'CRACKEN & CHALMERS, Manufacturers in Glasgow, as a Company, and of Robert M'Cracken and Thomas Chalmers, both Manufacturers there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee on said sequestrated estates, with consent of the Commissioners, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Counting-house of Thomsons and Ritchie, Accountants, 101, Miller Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 12th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving an offer of composition then to be submitted by the Bankrupt, Thomas Chalmers.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun. Trustee.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

DAVID DICKSON, Bank Agent at Laurencekirk, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOSEPH VALENTINE, Wood Merchant, Bridgemill, in the County of Kincardine, deceased, having made a final division of the funds recovered by him, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors of the said Joseph Valentine to be held within M'Bain's Inn, Laurencekirk, upon Saturday the 26th day of November 1853, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering an application for the discharge of the Trustee.

Dated at Laurencekirk, this 26th day of October 1853.

DAVID DICKSON, Trustee.

ROBERT M'COWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of J. & P. STEWART, Ironmongers in Glasgow, and John Stewart, Ironmonger there, the Sole Partner of said Firm, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Office of Robert Lamond, Writer, 36, St Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Monday the 21st day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by him for his discharge as Trustee.

ROB. M'COWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of JOHN PATERSON, Farmer, and Grain and Cattle-Dealer at Killeonan, near Campbelltown.

THE said John Paterson having presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Argyshire, praying *inter alia* to be discharged of all debts contracted by him prior to, or for which he was liable at the date of the sequestration of his estates, on the 5th day of April 1852,—which Petition is concurred in by a majority in number and four-fifths in value of the Creditors who have lodged oaths in the sequestration,—his Lordship the Sheriff-Substitute at Campbelltown has pronounced the following Order:—*Campbelltown, 24th October 1853.*—Having considered the foregoing Petition, appoints the same to be intimated in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Statute. (Signed) JAMES GARDINER, S.S.—Of which Intimation is hereby given accordingly.

WILLIAM MONCREIFF, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **R. B. NEILL & COMPANY**, Merchants in Leith, as a Company, and of **Robert Bruce Neill**, as an Individual, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors held on the 25th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of composition of Eight Shillings and Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of sequestration, and undertook to place in the hands of the Trustee, immediately on said offer being accepted by the Creditors, funds for payment of said composition on the debts then ascertained and claimed. That the Bankrupt offered Mr John Neill, Merchant, Leith, as security for said composition to the Creditors who may claim and be entitled to rank, and farther, offered to pay or provide for all the expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee: That the Creditors present at said meeting having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Rooms, of Messrs Cay & Black, 45, George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 17th day of November next at one o'clock a.m., for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's said offer and the security proposed.

W. MONCREIFF, Trustee.
Edinburgh, October 26, 1853.

ROBERT THOM, Junior, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the Deceased **JOHN MUNGALL**, Spirit Dealer in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the said estate, with states of the funds, 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 9th day of October current, and has completed lists of the Creditors entitled to be ranked, preferably and otherwise, on the said estate. Farther, that a first and final dividend of One Shilling and Ninepence sterling in the pound will be paid to the Creditors of the Bankrupt whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, within the Writing-Chambers of **W. R. Buchan**, Writer, 1, Royal Exchange Court, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 10th day of December next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBERT THOM, Jr. Trustee.

Glasgow, October 25, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HENRY, Boot and Shoemaker, Nethergate, Dundee.

GEORGE HALL NICOLL, Ironmonger, Dundee, Trustee on the estate, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the said William Henry's Creditors, held within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee, upon Monday the 10th day of October 1853, at 12 o'clock noon, and called for the purpose of receiving and taking into consideration another offer of composition by the Bankrupt to his Creditors, (his previous offer of the same having been withdrawn,) the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Four Shillings in the pound on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable six weeks after the date of his final discharge by the Court, and also to pay and provide for the expences of the sequestration and the Interim Factor's and Trustee's remuneration, and offered **William Maitland Henry**, Writer, Dundee, as cautioner for payment of said composition and expences. That the Creditors, or Mandatories of Creditors present having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that a general meeting of the Creditors will be held on Thursday the 10th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee, in order to decide upon the same.

G. H. NICOLL, Trustee.

Dundee, October 27, 1853.

ERRATUM in the Gazette published on the 11th day of October current, and which contained a Notice of a meeting of the Creditors of **WILLIAM HENRY**, Boot and Shoemaker, Nethergate, Dundee, to decide upon an offer of composition by the Bankrupt,—it was erroneously advertised that said meeting was to be held on Thursday the 20th current, at 12 o'clock noon, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee; whereas it ought to have been Thursday the 10th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, within said Hotel,—the date last mentioned being that fixed by the Creditors at a previous meeting.

Glasgow, October 26, 1853.
ROBERT MACGREGOR & JOHN PATERSON, General Stationers and Account Book Makers in Glasgow, whose estates, as Individuals, and as Partners of **Robert Macgregor & Company**, General Stationers and Account Book Makers in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 10th day of January 1848, have presented Petitions to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, praying that they be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by them, or for which they were liable at the said date of sequestration, either as Partners of said Firm, or as Individuals.

W. J. B. & J. KESTON,
Agents for Petitioners.

NOTICE.

JAMES FISHER & SON, late Drapers in Glasgow, and James Fisher, Merchant in Hardgate and Duntocher, in the County of Dumbarton, as one of the Individual Partners of that Company, and the said James Fisher, trading under the names of **JAMES FISHER, Junior**, and **JAMES FISHER**, Merchant aforesaid, and as an Individual, whose estates were sequestrated by the Lord Ordinary on 17th December 1847, have presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Dumbartonshire, praying to be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by them, or for which they were liable at the date of their sequestration; and his Lordship the Sheriff-Substitute, on considering said Petition, of this date appointed the same to be intimated in the Edinburgh Gazette, of which Intimation is hereby accordingly made, in terms of said deliverance.

HENRY LITTLE, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 25, 1853.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **ROBERT FRAME BARR**, Tea, Coffee, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Argyle Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 13th current, have been made up and examined 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, in terms of the Statute, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a first and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-House, 128, Ingram Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 14th day of December next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 25, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of **ROBERT RUTHERFORD**, Farmer and Dealer in Shares, residing in Jedburgh, (now deceased),

JOHN MAIR GRAINGER, Bank Agent in Jedburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Robert Rutherford, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds recovered and of those outstanding up to the 18th current, have been examined and approved of by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute, Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed making any further dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with circular notices being sent to the Creditors.

J. M. GRAINGER, Trustee.

Jedburgh, October 27, 1853.

JOHN ANDERSON MATHIESON, Merchant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **DAVID LEECH**, Land Agent and Builder in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th instant inclusive, and a state of the funds at said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Farther, the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular letters to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. A. MATHIESON, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

ROBERT CRAIG, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES DONALDSON**, Merchant and Underwriter, Virginia Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, brought down to the 18th current, in terms of the Statute; that they have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory period; and have authorised him to dispense with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

ROB. CRAIG.

JAMES TELFER, formerly Innkeeper in New Castleon, present Prisoner in the Castle of Jedburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Roxburghshire, craving decree of Cessio Bonorum, and liberation, and interim protection against diligence; and the Sheriff has appointed Wednesday the 30th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, within the Ordinary Court-Room at Jedburgh, for the Petitioner's Creditors appearing, and for the Petitioner also appearing at same place and time for examination.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, and the Petitioner's Creditors are required to appear accordingly;

Jedburgh, October 24, 1853.

ALEXANDER JEFFREY,
Solicitor for Petitioner.

JOHN MITCHELL, Teacher of English, residing in Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 28th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

Glasgow, October 27, 1853.

A. STRATHERN, Petr's. Agent.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers ceased in March last to be Shareholders or Partners of The **KILCREGGAN & LOCHGOILHEAD STEAMBOAT COMPANY.**

GEORGE BAIN,
for self, and **GEORGE M' AUSLAN**
BAIN, **CHRISTINA CATHERINE**
BAIN, and **JESSIE MARJORY**
BAIN, his Children.

JAMES G. MOFFAT, Witness.
JAMES CRUIKSHANK, Witness.
Kilcreggan, October 10, 1853.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Copartnership carried on under the Firm of **A. C. FULTON & CO.**, Rope and Twine Manufacturers at 259, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, has been this day **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

All claims against the late Firm of **A. C. FULTON & CO.** will be settled at 259, Buchanan Street, on or before the 8th November, and all debts due the Firm are requested to be settled by that time.

A. C. FULTON & Co. beg to state that the Business has been disposed of to **Mr Matthew Leitch, & Co.** whom they solicit the notice of the Public.

ANDREW FULTON.

MATTHEW LEITCH, Sole Partner.

JAMES TAYLOR, Witness.

JOHN FURNESS, Witness.

Glasgow, October 26, 1853.

Glasgow, October 24, 1853.

THE Copartnership Business carried on by the Subscribers, as Distillers and Commission Merchants in Glasgow, and at Islay Distillery, Islay, and Little-Mill Distillery, near Bowling, was **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent on the 31st August 1853.

Mr Hunter will in future carry on the Business of the Distillery at Islay, in his own name and on his own account, and **Mr Sharpe** will continue the Business at Little-Mill.

Mr Hunter will pay outstanding claims, and is authorised to draw and discharge the accounts due to the late Firm.

Witness our hands at Glasgow, this 24th October 1853.

WM. HUNTER.

JNO. F. SHARPE.

ALEXANDER BURELL, Writer in Glasgow, Witness.
JOHN CAMERON, his Clerk, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers, Trustees and Executors of the late **Captain JAMES PATRICK**, of Drumbuie, residing at Underwood, Paisley, ceased on the 6th day of November 1849 to be Partners in, or in anyway connected with The **EDINBURGH & GLASGOW BANK**, having on said date sold and transferred the Shares previously held by them in said Bank.

DUGALD BANNATYNE, } Three, being a
FRANCIS ORR, } Quorum of the
W. COCHRAN PATRICK, } Executors.

JNO. BARLEMORE, Writer, Paisley, Witness,
October 22, 1853.

THO. M'ROBERT, Clerk, Paisley, Witness,
October 22, 1853.

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

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