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Convention between Her Majesty and the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg, for the establishment of International Copyright, signed in the English and German Languages, at Hamburg, August 16, 1853.

[Ratifications exchanged at Hamburg, November 15, 1853.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, on the one part, and the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg, on the other part, being equally desirous of extending in each State the enjoyment of copyright to works of literature and of the fine arts which may be first published in the other; and Her Britannic Majesty having consented to extend to books, prints, and musical works published in Hamburg that reduction of the duties now levied thereon on importation into the United Kingdom, which she is by law empowered to grant, under certain circumstances, in favour of such works published in Foreign Countries; Her Britannic Majesty and the Free Hanseatic Republic of Hamburg have deemed it expedient to conclude a special Convention for that purpose, and have therefore named as their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say:—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, George Lloyd Hodges, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, &c., &c., Chargé d'Affaires to the said Free Hanseatic City;

And the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg, John Martin Lappenberg, Doctor of Laws, Archivist, and Secretary, &c., &c.;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles:

ARTICLE I.

The authors of works of literature or of art, to whom the laws of either of the two States do now or may hereafter give the right of property or copyright, shall be entitled to exercise that right in the territories of the other of such States for the same term, and to the same extent, as the authors of works of the same nature, if published in such other State, would therein be entitled to exercise such right; so that the re-publication or piracy in either State of any work of literature or of art published in the other, shall be dealt with

in the same manner as the re-publication or piracy of a work of the same nature first published in such other State, and so that such authors in the one State shall have the same remedies before the courts of justice in the other State, and shall enjoy in that other State the same protection against piracy and unauthorized re-publication as the law now does or may hereafter grant to authors in that State.

The terms "works of literature or of art" employed at the beginning of this Article, shall be understood to comprise publications of books, of dramatic works, of musical compositions, of drawing, of painting, of sculpture, of engraving, of lithography, and of any other works whatsoever of literature and of the fine arts.

The lawful representatives or assigns of authors, translators, composers, painters, sculptors, or engravers, shall, in all respects, enjoy the same rights which, by the present Convention, are granted to the authors, translators, composers, painters, sculptors, or engravers themselves.

ARTICLE II.

The protection granted to original works is extended to translations; it being however clearly understood that the intention of the present Article is simply to protect a translator in respect of his own translation; and that it is not intended to confer upon the first translator of any work the exclusive right of translating that work, except in the case and to the extent provided for in the following Article.

ARTICLE III.

The author of any work published in either of the two States, who may choose to reserve the right of translating it, shall, until the expiration of five years from the date of the first publication of the translation thereof authorized by him, be, in the following cases, entitled to protection from the publication in the other State of any translation of such work not so authorized by him.

§ 1. If the original work shall have been registered and deposited in the one State within three months after its first publication in the other.

§ 2. If the author has notified on the title-page of his work his intention to reserve the right of translating it.

§ 3. Provided always, that at least a part of the authorized translation shall have appeared within a year after the registration and deposit of the

original, and that the whole shall have been published within three years after the date of such deposit.

§ 4. And provided that the publication of the translation shall take place within one of the two States, and that it shall be registered and deposited according to the provisions of Article VII.

With regard to works which are published in parts, it will be sufficient if the declaration of the author, that he reserves the right of translation, shall appear in the first part. But with reference to the period of five years limited by this Article for the exercise of the exclusive right of translation, each part shall be treated as a separate work, and each part shall be registered and deposited in the one State within three months after its first publication in the other.

ARTICLE IV.

The stipulations of the preceding Article shall also be applicable to the representation of dramatic works, and to the performance of musical compositions, in so far as the laws of each of the two States are or shall be applicable in this respect to dramatic and musical works first publicly represented or performed therein.

In order however to entitle the author to legal protection in regard to the translation of a dramatic work, such translation must appear within three months after the registration and deposit of the original.

It is understood that the protection stipulated by the present Article is not intended to prohibit fair imitations, or adaptations of dramatic works to the stage of England and Hamburg respectively, but is only meant to prevent piratical translations.

The question whether a work is an imitation or a piracy, shall in all cases be decided by the courts of justice of the respective States, according to the laws in force in each.

ARTICLE V.

The importation into, and the sale in either of the two States of piratical copies of works, which are protected from piracy under Articles I, II, and III of the present Convention, are prohibited, whether such piratical copies originate in the Country where the work is published, or in any other Country.

ARTICLE VI.

In the event of an infraction of the provisions of the foregoing Articles, the pirated works or articles shall be seized and destroyed; and the persons who may have committed such infraction shall be liable in each State to the penalties and actions which are or may be prescribed by the laws of that State for such offences committed in respect of a work or production of home origin.

ARTICLE VII.

Neither authors, nor translators, nor their lawful representatives or assigns, shall be entitled in either State to the protection stipulated by the preceding Articles, nor shall copyright be claimable in either State, unless the work shall have been registered in the manner following, that is to say:—

1. If the work be one that has first appeared in Hamburg, it must be registered at the Hall of the Company of Stationers in London:

If the work be one that has first appeared in the Kingdom of Her Britannic Majesty, it must be registered in the catalogue kept for that purpose at the Office of the Public Library at Ham-

No person shall be entitled to such protection as aforesaid, unless he shall have duly complied with the laws and regulations of the respective States in regard to the work in respect of which such protection may be claimed. With regard to books, maps, and prints, and also with regard to dramatic works and musical compositions, unless such dramatic works and musical compositions shall be in manuscript only, no person shall be entitled to such protection, unless he shall have delivered gratuitously, at one or other of the places mentioned above, as the case may be, one copy of the best edition, or in the best state, in order to its being deposited at the place appointed for that purpose in each of the two States, that is to say, in Great Britain at the British Museum at London; and in Hamburg at the Public Library of that City.

In every case the formality of deposit and registration must be fulfilled within three months after the first publication of the work in the other State. With regard to works published in parts, the period of three months shall not begin to run until the date of the publication of the last part, unless the author shall have notified his intention to reserve the right of translating it, as provided in Article III, in which case each part shall be treated as a separate work.

A certified copy of the entry in the Registrar Book of the Company of Stationers in London shall confer, within the British dominions, the exclusive right of re-publication, until a better right shall have been established by any other party before a court of justice.

The certificate given under the laws of Hamburg, proving the registration of any work in that State, shall be valid for the same purpose throughout the territory of Hamburg.

A certificate or certified copy of the registration of any work so registered in either State, shall, if required, be delivered at the time of registration, and such certificate shall state the exact date at which the registration was made.

The charge for the registration of a single work under the stipulations of this Article, shall not exceed one shilling in England, nor twelve shillings currency in Hamburg; and the further charge for a certificate of such registration shall not exceed the sum of five shillings in England, nor four marks currency in Hamburg.

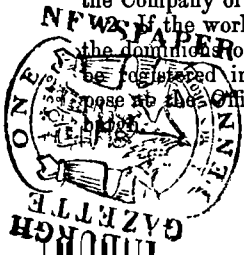
ARTICLE VIII.

With regard to any article other than books, prints, maps, and musical publications, in respect to which protection may be claimable under Article I of the present Convention, it is agreed that any other mode of registration than that prescribed in the preceding Article, which is or may be applicable by law in one of the two States to any work or article first published in such State, for the purpose of affording protection to copyright in such work or article, shall be extended on equal terms to any similar work or article first published in the other State.

ARTICLE IX.

During the continuance of this Convention, the duties now payable upon the lawful importation into the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland of books, prints, drawings, or musical works, published throughout the Republic of Hamburg, shall be reduced to, and fixed at the rates hereinafter specified, that is to say:—

1. Duties on books and musical works, viz.—
- a. Works originally produced in the £ s. d.
United Kingdom, and re-published in
Hamburg, the cwt. 2 10 0



| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
| b. Works not originally produced in the United Kingdom, the cwt. | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| 2. Prints or drawings :— | | | |
| a. Coloured or plain, single, each, | 0 | 0 | 0½ |
| b. Bound or sewed, the dozen, | 0 | 0 | 1½ |

It is agreed that the rates of duty above specified shall not be raised during the continuance of the present Convention, and that if hereafter, during the continuance of this Convention, any reduction of those rates should be made in favour of books, prints, drawings, or musical works published in any other Country, such reduction shall be at the same time extended to similar articles published in Hamburg.

It is moreover understood that all works published in Hamburg, of which any part may have been originally produced in the United Kingdom, shall be considered as works originally produced in the United Kingdom and re-published in Hamburg, and as such shall be subject to the duty of fifty shillings per cwt., although the same may contain also original matter not produced in the United Kingdom, unless such original matter shall be at least equal in bulk to the part of the work originally produced in the United Kingdom, in which case the work shall be subject only to the duty of fifteen shillings per cwt.

It is further agreed that during the continuance of this Convention, the rate of duties now payable on the importation into the territories of Hamburg of books, prints, drawings, and musical works published throughout the dominions of Her Britannic Majesty, shall not be raised, and shall not exceed the rates of duty which are or may be levied on the importation into the United Kingdom of similar works published in the territory of Hamburg.

ARTICLE X.

It is agreed that all books, prints, and drawings, published within the dominions of any other State that has concluded, or concludes, or has acceded, or accedes to a copyright Convention with Great Britain, and which may be legally imported into the United Kingdom, shall, if exported from Hamburg, be considered, for the purposes of this Convention, to have been exported from the Country of their publication.

ARTICLE XI.

It is further agreed that stamps shall be provided at Hamburg, according to a pattern to be made known to the Custom-house officers of the United Kingdom, and that such stamps shall be affixed to all books intended for exportation to the United Kingdom, unless they be already provided with the stamps of the States mentioned in the foregoing Article X.

ARTICLE XII.

In order to facilitate the execution of the present Convention, the two High Contracting Parties engage to communicate to each other the laws and regulations which may hereafter be established in their respective territories, with respect to copyright in works or productions protected by the stipulations of the present Convention.

ARTICLE XIII.

The stipulations of the present Convention shall in no way affect the right which each of the two High Contracting Parties expressly reserves to itself, of controlling or of prohibiting, by measures of legislation or of internal police, the sale, circulation, representation, or exhibition of any work or production in regard to which either State may deem it expedient to exercise that right.

ARTICLE XIV.

Nothing in this Convention shall be construed to affect the right of either of the two High Contracting Parties to prohibit the importation into its own dominions of such books as, by its internal law, or under engagements with other States, are or may be declared to be piracies or infringements of copyright.

ARTICLE XV.

The present Convention shall come into operation as soon as possible after the exchange of the ratifications. Due notice shall be given beforehand in each State, by the Government of that State, of the day which may be fixed upon for its coming into operation, and the stipulations of the Convention shall apply only to works or articles published after that day.

The Convention shall continue in force for ten years from the day on which it may come into operation: and if neither party shall, twelve months before the expiration of the said period of ten years, give notice of its intention to terminate its operation, the Convention shall continue in force for a year longer, and so on from year to year, until the expiration of a year's notice from either party for its termination.

The High Contracting Parties, however, reserve to themselves the power of making, by common consent, in this Convention, any modifications which may not be inconsistent with its spirit and principles, and which experience of its working may show to be desirable.

ARTICLE XVI.

The present Convention shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Hamburg, as soon as may be within three months from the date of the signature.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto their respective seals.

Done at Hamburg, the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) G. LLOYD HODGES.

(L.S.) J. M. LAPPENBERG, Dr.

At the Court at Windsor, the 25th day of
November 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas a Treaty has been concluded between Her Majesty and the Senate of the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg, whereby due protection has been secured by the said Senate, within the State of Hamburg, for the benefit of authors of books, prints, dramatic pieces, musical compositions, drawings, paintings, articles of sculpture, engravings, lithographs, and any other works of art in which the laws of Great Britain and of Hamburg do now, or may hereafter give their respective subjects the right of property or copyright, and for the benefit of the lawful representatives or assigns of such authors, with regard to any such works first published within the dominions of Her Majesty:

Now therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of Her Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority committed to Her by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the seventh and eighth years of Her reign, intitled "An Act to amend the law relating to international copyright," doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the sixteenth

day of December one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, the authors, inventors, designers, engravers, and makers of any of the following works; that is to say:—books, prints, articles of sculpture, dramatic works, musical compositions, and any other works of art in which the laws of Great Britain, give to British subjects the privilege of copyright, and the executors, administrators, and assigns of such authors, inventors, designers, engravers, and makers respectively, shall, as respects works first published within the State of Hamburg after the said sixteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, have the privilege of copyright therein for a period equal to the term of copyright which authors, inventors, designers, engravers, and makers of the like works, respectively first published in the United Kingdom, are by law entitled to; provided such books, dramatic pieces, musical compositions, prints, articles of sculpture, or other works of art, shall have been registered, and copies thereof shall have been delivered, according to the requirements of the said recited Act, within three months after the first publication thereof in any part of the State of Hamburg; or, if such work be published in parts, then within three months after the publication of the last part thereof.

And it is hereby further ordered, that the authors of dramatic pieces and musical compositions, which shall, after the said sixteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, be first publicly represented or performed within the State of Hamburg, or their assigns, shall have the sole liberty of representing or performing in any part of the British dominions such dramatic pieces or musical compositions, during a period equal to the period during which authors of dramatic pieces and musical compositions, first publicly represented or performed in the United Kingdom, are entitled by law to the sole liberty of representing and performing the same; provided such dramatic pieces or musical compositions have been registered, and copies thereof have been delivered according to the requirements of the said recited Act, within three months after the time of their being first represented or performed in any part of the State of Hamburg.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly:

C. C. GREVILLE.

At the Court at Windsor, the 25th day of November 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the ninth and tenth years of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of the seventh and eighth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, for reducing, under certain circumstances, the duties payable upon books and engravings," it is enacted, that whenever Her Majesty has, by virtue of any authority vested in Her for that purpose, declared that the authors, inventors, designers, engravers, or makers of any books, prints, or other works of art first published in any Foreign Country or Countries, shall have the privilege of copyright therein, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, if she think fit, from time to time, by any Order in Council, to declare that from and after a day to be named in such Order, in lieu of the customs from time to time payable on the importation into the United King-

dom of books, prints, and drawings, there shall be payable only such duties of Customs as are set forth in the said Act.

And whereas Her Majesty hath this day, by virtue of the authority vested in Her for that purpose, declared that the authors, inventors, designers, engravers, and makers of books, prints, and certain other works of art, first published within the State of Hamburg, shall have the privilege of copyright therein:

Now therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the sixteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, in lieu of the duties of customs now payable upon books, prints, and drawings, published at any place within the State of Hamburg, and imported from thence into the United Kingdom, there shall be payable only the duties of customs following: that is to say:—

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| Works originally produced in the United Kingdom, and re-published within the State of Hamburg, the cwt. | £ s. d. 5 10 0 |
| Works not originally produced in the United Kingdom, the cwt. | 0 15 0 |
| Prints or drawings:— | |
| Coloured or plain, single, each. | 0 0 0½ |
| Bound or sewed, the dozen. | 0 9 11½ |

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. GREVILLE.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable Henry Charles Fitzroy Somerset, commonly called the Marquis of Worcester, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the eastern division of the county of Gloucester, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, in the room of the said Henry Charles Fitzroy Somerset, commonly called the Marquis of Worcester, now a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued as aforesaid, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 15th day of December 1853.

C. S. LEFEBRE, Speaker.

DUBLIN CASTLE, December 14, 1853.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, transacting the Bishop of Limerick, Ardfert, and Aghadoe, to the United See of Derry and Raphoe, void by the death of Doctor Richard Ponsonby, and granting to the Reverend Henry Griffin, the Bishoprick of Limerick, Ardfert, and Aghadoe.

I, The Right Honourable Robert Monsey, Lord Cranworth, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, by virtue of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the 16th and 17th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act relating to the appointment of persons to administer oaths in Chancery, and to affidavits made for purposes connected with registration, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do, by these presents, appoint Thomas Oliver, II, of Jewry Chambers, London, Gentleman, being a practising Solicitor, whose place of business is within ten miles from Lincoln's-Inn Hall, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in Chancery, so long as he shall continue to practise as a Solicitor within such ten miles as aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 14th day of December 1853,

CRANWORTH, C.

WHITEHALL, December 6, 1853.

The Right Honourable Sir John Jervis Knt. Lord Chief-Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Edward Watts, of Hythe, in the county of Kent, 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 Kent.

WAR-OFFICE, December 16, 1853.

STAFF.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Major-General the Honourable Sir George Cathcart, K.C.B., (now serving as a Lieutenant-General at the Cape of Good Hope,) to be Adjutant-General to the Forces, vice Lieutenant-General Sir George Brown, K.C.B., resigned, with date of 12th December 1853.

WAR-OFFICE, December 16, 1853.

2d^d Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Patrick Alexander Watson Carnegie, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Bushman, promoted. Dated 16th December 1853.

7th Dragoon Guards—Regimental Serjeant-Major David Scotland to be Quartermaster, vice Henry Magill, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th December 1853.

8th Light Dragoons—Surgeon George Anderson, from the 12th Light Dragoons, to be Surgeon, vice Foaker, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1853.

12th Light Dragoons—Surgeon George Northon Foaker, from the 8th Light Dragoons, to be Surgeon, vice Anderson, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1853.

16th Light Dragoons—Robert Blair, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dew, appointed to the 14th Light Dragoons. Dated 16th December 1853.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards—The Honourable Amias Poulett to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Pierrepoint Lane Fox, whose retirement was announced in the Gazette of the 25th November 1853. Dated 14th December 1853.

George Arthur Ferguson, gent. to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Rumbold, whose retirement was announced in the Gazette of the 25th November 1853. Dated 15th December 1853.

Somerset Arthur Butler, Earl of Carrick, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Brandling, whose retirement was announced in the Gazette of the 25th November 1853. Dated 16th December 1853.

11th Foot—Captain Francis Barry Draw, from the 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice Goads, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1853.

14th Foot—Lieutenant Julius Chatham Strode to be Captain, by purchase, vice Proby, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign and Adjutant Charles Monck Wilson to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign Dawson Stockley Warren to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Strode. Dated 16th December 1853.

Angus William Hall, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Warren. Dated 16th December 1853.

27th Foot—Lieutenant-Colonel Edward St Maur, from the 51st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Arthur Augustus Thurlow Canninghame, who retires upon half-pay 51st Foot. Dated 16th December 1853.

30th Foot—Major William Francis Hoey to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Cavan, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Captain James Brodie Patullo, to be Major, by purchase, vice Hoey. Dated 16th December 1853.

Lieutenant Francis Topping Atcherley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Patullo. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign Augustus Henry Williamson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Atcherley. Dated 16th December 1853.

William Young Johnston, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Williamson. Dated 16th December 1853.

46th Foot—Captain David Fyffe to be Major, by purchase, vice Donald Stuart, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Lieutenant John Edward Lyons to be Captain, by purchase, vice Fyffe. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign Frank John Curtis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lyons. Dated 16th December 1853.

George Dickson Thomas Stockwell, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Curtis. Dated 16th December 1853.

60th Foot—Second Lieutenant Henry Semple to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nicholson, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

John Shuter Davenport McGill, gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Semple. Dated 16th December 1853.

64th Foot—Captain Winter Goode, from the 11th Foot, to be Captain, vice Draw, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign William Knox to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alexander, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Henry Turner, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Knox. Dated 16th December 1853.

82d Foot—Ensign Robert Maule to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hunte, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Charles Edward Gore Browne, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Maule. Dated 16th December 1853.

55th Foot—Lieutenant the Honourable Edmund John Boyle to be Captain, by purchase, vice Warde, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

Ensign Devereux Herbert Mytton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Boyle. Dated 16th December 1853.

Henry James Haydock, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mytton. Dated 16th December 1853.

2d West India Regiment—Lieutenant James Owen Bovill to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bennett, who retires. Dated 16th December 1853.

St Helena Regiment—John Baldwin Hainault Rainier to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Fox, appointed to 61st Foot. Dated 16th December 1853.

BREVET.

Brevet-Captain Francis Tower, of the Madras retired list, recruiting for the East India Company's Service at Liverpool, to have the rank of Captain in the Army while so employed. Dated 16th December 1853.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant John Henry Turner Warde, from 4th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 16th December 1853.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

John Coote Ovens, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Mackenzie, deceased. Dated 16th December 1853.

John Halyburton Ross, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Matthew, deceased. Dated 16th December 1853.

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

Richard Hall Clarke, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th October 1853.

North Devon Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

Henry Lee to be Captain, vice Ley, resigned. Dated 29th September 1853.

John Johnson to be Lieutenant, vice Lee, promoted. Dated 29th September 1853.

1st Devon Regiment of Militia.

Alexander Ridgway to be Ensign. Dated 20th September 1853.

Halifax Wyatt to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th September 1853.

Honourable John William Fortescue to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23d September 1853.

Henry Marsh to be Major. Dated 23d September 1853.

Edmund Pitman to be Captain. Dated 25th September 1853.

Henry Thomas Hartnoll to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th September 1853.

William Arnold to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th October 1853.

Henry Thomas Hartnoll to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 24th November 1853.

2d Devon Regiment of Militia.

John Butter Ashford to be Ensign. Dated 26th September 1853.

Nicholas William Prettjohn Pitts to be Ensign. Dated 7th October 1853.

Robert Treod to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October 1853.

William Kennell Coleridge to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October 1853.

Charles Augustus Coles to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October 1853.

Devon Militia Artillery.

Edward Barwell to be First Lieutenant. Dated 29th September 1853.

Adjutant John Lakin, during his Adjutancy to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 22d November 1853.

Exeter and South Devon Volunteer Rifle Battalion.

James Elliott to be Lieutenant, vice Buller, resigned. Dated 15th October 1853.

BANKRUPTS FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Claudius Alfred Scrivener, of Old Change, London, milliner and flower merchant.

Thomas Archer, of Braintree, Essex, woollen draper and clothier.

Daniel Edwards and William Bishop, of No. 39, Hartland Road, Camden Town, Middlesex, builders.

Daniel Antrobus, of Manchester, Lancaster, share-broker.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended December 10, 1853.

| Wheat. | Barley. | Oats. | Rye. | Beans. | Pease. |
|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| 71 11 723 | 39 9 201 | 25 4 000 | 43 3 018 | 50 6 375 | 51 5 150 |

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

| Wheat. | Barley. | Oats. | Rye. | Beans. | Pease. |
|--------|---------|-------|-------|--------|--------|
| s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| 72 5 | 41 4 | 25 9 | 43 3 | 50 9 | 54 4 |

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 13th day of December 1853,

Is Twenty-three Shillings and Three Pence 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-two Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-five Shillings and Eight Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

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

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty, Is Twenty-three Shillings and Seven Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, December 16, 1853.

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 7th December 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. | Foreign. | | Colonial. | Foreign. | | Colonial. | Total. | Corn and Grain of all sorts, per qr. | Meal and Flour of all sorts, per awt. |
| | Qrs. | Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | |
| Wheat and Wheat Flour | 73203 | 0 | 7650 3 | 80853 3 | 73203 0 | 7650 3 | 80853 3 | 3800 6 5 | 452 18 7 | 4253 5 0 | | |
| Barley and Barley Meal | 9046 | 0 | — | 9046 0 | 9046 0 | — | 9046 0 | 452 6 2 | — | 452 6 2 | | |
| Oats and Oat Meal | 9145 | 0 | 600 0 | 9745 0 | 9145 0 | 600 0 | 9745 0 | 457 5 4 | 80 0 0 | 487 5 4 | | |
| Rye and Rye Meal | 0 | 2 | — | 0 2 | 0 2 | — | 0 2 | 0 0 4 | — | 0 0 4 | | |
| Pease and Pea Meal | 1514 | 6 | 515 0 | 2029 6 | 1514 6 | 515 0 | 2029 6 | 75 15 0 | 25 15 0 | 101 10 0 | 1 0 | |
| Beans and Bean Meal | 8338 | 0 | — | 8338 0 | 8338 0 | — | 8338 0 | 416 18 9 | — | 416 18 9 | | |
| Indian Corn and Indian Meal | 8144 | 6 | — | 8144 6 | 8144 6 | — | 8144 6 | 412 0 3 | — | 412 0 3 | | |
| Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal.. | 0 | 3 | — | 0 3 | 0 3 | — | 0 3 | 0 0 7 | — | 0 0 7 | | |
| Beer or Bigg..... | 174 | 0 | — | 174 0 | 174 0 | — | 174 0 | 8 14 0 | — | 8 14 0 | | |
| | 109566 | 1 | 8765 3 | 118331 4 | 109566 1 | 8765 3 | 118331 4 | 5623 6 10 | 508 13 7 | 6182 0 5 | | |

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-House, London, 14th December 1853.

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

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BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 10th day of December 1853.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

| | | | |
|-------------------|-------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| Notes issued..... | 28,620,635 | Government Debt..... | £ 11,015,100 |
| | | Other Securities..... | 2,984,900 |
| | | Gold Coin and Bullion..... | 14,620,635 |
| | | Silver Bullion..... | |
| | £28,620,635 | | £28,620,635 |

Dated the 15th day of December 1853.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Proprietors' Capital..... | £ 14,553,000 | Government Securities (including | £ |
| Reserve..... | 3,181,817 | Dead Weight Annuity)..... | 15,043,730 |
| Public Deposits (including Exchequer, | | Other Securities..... | 16,525,237 |
| Savings Banks, Commissioners of | | Notes..... | 7,575,175 |
| National Debt, and Dividend | | Gold and Silver Coin..... | 720,650 |
| Accounts)..... | 10,027,166 | | |
| Other Deposits..... | 10,210,077 | | |
| Seven Day and other Bills..... | 1,192,741 | | |
| | £39,864,801 | | £39,864,801 |

Dated the 15th day of December 1853.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

Town Order for Hearing.

Pursuant to the Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland.

The Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, on Wednesday the 7th day of December 1853.

Upon the filing of the Schedule of

LEONARD GREENHAM, formerly of Inchaquire Mills, Ballytore, in the County of Kildare; also of Stratford-on-Slaney, in the County of Wicklow, trading with Francis Greenham, as "Leonard Greenham & Company," Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, then of Inchaquire Mills aforesaid, trading on his own account as Leonard Greenham only, and late of Inchaquire Mills aforesaid, trading with George Oates Greenwood, of Moorehouse, near Keighley, Yorkshire, England, and John Clayton, now of Bradford, Yorkshire aforesaid, as Manufacturers of Cloth made from Cotton, Silk, Wool, and other Fibrous substances, a Prisoner in the Four Courts, Marshalsea, Dublin, whose Estate and Effects have been duly vested in the Provisional Assignee, by Order pursuant to the Statute;

It is Ordered and Appointed, that the said Prisoner shall be brought up to be dealt with according to the provisions of the said Act, before the Court, at the Court-House, 3, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin, on Saturday the 31st day of December instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely; of which all Creditors and persons claiming to be Creditors of the said Insolvent for the sum of Five Pounds or more shall have Notice by service of a Copy of this Order made within such time and in such manner as is prescribed by the Rule of Court in that behalf: And in case any Creditor intends to oppose the said Prisoner's discharge, Notice of such intention must be given by entry thereof in the proper page and columns of the book kept for that purpose at the Office of the Court, between the hours of Ten in the forenoon, and Four in the afternoon, three clear days, exclusive of Sunday, prior to the said day of hearing.

By the Court,

JAMES PRINCEP, Chief Clerk,

JOHN MACNALLY, Attorney,

18, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin, and Cork.

NOTE.—The days for inspecting Schedules are Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, from Ten o'clock in the forenoon till Four in the afternoon, up to the last day for entering opposition.

Office, 3, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estate of the Most Noble GEORGE MARQUIS of HUNTLY, Earl of Aboyne, Lord Strathaven and Glenlivet, and Banker, Insurance Broker, and Underwriter in Aberdeen, now deceased.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th instant, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up by him, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed a dividend until the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend, and have also dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee,

Edinburgh, December 19, 1853.

GEORGE AULDJO ESSON, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM CHRISTIE, lately Merchant in Leith, sometime residing in London, and thereafter at Inveresk, near Musselburgh, now deceased, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 15th instant, and states of the funds recovered and outstanding, have been made up by him and audited by the Commissioner, in terms of the Statute; that the Commissioner has postponed the payment of a dividend until the next statutory period, and has dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

G. A. ESSON, Trustee,

Edinburgh, December 20, 1853.

JAMES MILNE, Wright in Kirriemuir, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DAVID BAXTER, Junior, Tannery, Currier and Leather Merchant there, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed declaring a further dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JAS. MILNE, Trustee.

Kirriemuir, December 16, 1853.

THE Estates of WILLIAM HENDERSON, Farmer, Cattle Dealer, and Grain Dealer at New Mills, Clackmannanshire, were sequestrated on the 16th day of December 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 16th December 1853.

The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, who awarded sequestration, has appointed John Donald, Writer in Alloa, to be Interim Factor.

The meeting to elect the Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 30th of December 1853, within the Royal Oak Hotel, in Alloa.

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 17th of April 1854.

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

HILL & ROBERTSON, W.S. Agents,
25, Frederick Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of CHARLES STEWART, Grocer, Wine, and Spirit Merchant in Dingwall.

JAMES URQUHART, Merchant in Dingwall, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Alexander Stewart, Messenger-at-Arms in Dingwall, John Mackenzie, Writer in Dingwall, and Thomas Palliser Dods, also Writer in Dingwall, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House of Dingwall, on Thursday the 22d day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Caledonian Hotel, Dingwall, on Friday the 30th day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon; and the Trustee hereby intimates that at the meeting for election of a Trustee and Commissioners held on the 12th day of December current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Four Shillings and Sixpence in the pound to his Creditors, on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable by two equal instalments at six and nine months after the Bankrupt's final discharge, and offered Alexander Stewart, Messenger-at-Arms in Dingwall, as his security; and a majority in number and four-fifths in value of the Creditors present at said meeting having resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby farther given, that the same will be decided upon at the said meeting to be held as above, after the examination of the Bankrupt.

JAMES URQUHART, Trustee.

Dingwall, December 16, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of KENNETH M'KENZIE THORBURN, Esquire, Writer to the Signet, lately residing in Edinburgh, now deceased.

JOSEPH MACK LIDDELL, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Evan Allan Hunter, Writer to the Signet, has been elected Commissioner. The Creditors will meet in Cay & Black's Sale-rooms, No. 45, George Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 6th day of January 1854, at three o'clock afternoon.

J. M. LIDDELL, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 8, South St David Street,
December 20, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM REID, formerly Builder in Lochee, in the County of Forfar, now deceased.

WILLIAM THOMS, Insurance Agent in Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estate, in room of William Copland Menzies, Writer in Dundee, now deceased, the former Trustee.

WILLIAM THOMS, Trustee.

Dundee, December 19, 1853.

ERRATUM in last Gazette.—In Notice of Sequestration of FENTON & BARLES, Builders and Quarriers at Maryland Quarry, near Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, and of John Barles, Builder and Quarrier, sometimes residing in Glasgow, now residing in Pollbeckshaws, near Glasgow, one of the Partners of the said Firm of Fenton & Barles, as an Individual, the first deliverance was omitted; and ought to have been as follows:—"The first deliverance is dated 6th December 1853."

ERRATUM in last Gazette.—In Notice of Sequestration of the Estates of DANIEL M'GIBSON, Shipowner and Fisherman, New Quay Head, Campbeltown, in the County of Argyle,—the hour of meeting for the election of Trustee and Commissioners should have been at 12 o'clock noon, within the White Hart Inn, Campbeltown, on Saturday the 31st day of December 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER CALLANDER, Portioner, and Wool and Waste Merchant, Paisley.

THOMAS FRASER, Accountant in Paisley, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Walter Peacock, Coal Merchant, Paisley, Robert Brown, Accountant in Paisley, and John McLean, Manufacturer, Causeyside, Paisley, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Paisley, on Wednesday the 28th day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of John Hart, Writer, 87, High Street, Paisley, on Thursday the 5th day of January 1854, at one o'clock afternoon.

THOMAS FRASER, Trustee.

Paisley, December 17, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER MURRAY, Merchant, Castletown, by Thurso.

JAMES BRIMS, Writer in Thurso, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and David Baikie, Merchant in Thurso, John Couper, Merchant in Thurso, and William Coghil, Flesher in Castletown, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House at Wick, on Tuesday the 27th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Caledonian Hotel, Thurso, on Thursday the 5th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon.

JAS. BRIMS, Trustee.

Thurso, December 17, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES HENDERSON, Grain Merchant and Commission Agent, No. 16, Hope Street, Glasgow.

HENRY KERR, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Reid Stewart, Merchant, Glasgow, a Partner of the Provanchall Coal Company, Glasgow, William Porteous, Grain Merchant, Edinburgh, and James Bald, Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Thursday the 29th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Counting-house of Kerr, Anderson, & Brodie, Accountants, 33, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 10th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon.

HENRY KERR, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 19, 1853.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow Trustee on the sequestrated estates of ROBERT MACNAIR, Merchant and Builder in Glasgow, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Writing-Chambers of John Boyle Gray, Number 51, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 29th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect two Commissioners, in room of John Steel, Esq. and George Dick, Esq. both deceased.

W. ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 19, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION of MARSHALLS & COMPANY, Coalmasters at Concypark, near Kilsyth, in Stirlingshire, and James Marshall, George Marshall, and the now deceased David Marshall, Coalmasters there, as Partners of the said Firm, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby convenes a General Meeting of the Creditors under this sequestration, to be held within his Counting-house, No. 21, Saint Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 28th day of December current (1853), at one o'clock afternoon, to consider a Report which the Trustee will submit to the meeting, and give instructions regarding the sequestrated estate generally, and particularly certain pending disputes which will be explained in said Report.

JOHN FLEMING, Trustee.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of DONALD M'INTYRE, Slater and Slate Merchant, No. 11, Oswald Street, Glasgow, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held in my Office here, on Thursday the 5th January 1854, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration an offer of composition by the Bankrupt.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.

42, West George Street,
Glasgow, December 19, 1853.

THE Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES ROBERTSON**, sometime Cotton Spinner in Glasgow, afterwards residing at Bardowie House, Parish of Baldernock, now residing at 106, St. George's Road, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that his accounts, as at 3d current, have been audited, in terms of the Statute; and that a first and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at his Counting-House, 17, Gordon Street here, on 4th February 1854.

The Trustee further intimates, that a general meeting of the Creditors will be held in his Counting-House, on 11th February 1854, at 12 o'clock noon, to authorise him to apply to the Court for his discharge.

ROB. M'COWAN.

Glasgow, December 17, 1853.

THOMAS ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **THE DUMBARTON GLASS-WORK COMPANY**, and of James Christie, Accountant in Glasgow, sole Partner of that Company, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that a general meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Counting-house of T. Anderson & A. Macnicoll, No. 58, St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 12th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering an application by him for his discharge as Trustee, in terms of the Act 2d and 3d Victoria, chapter 41, section 134.

THOS. ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 19, 1853.

NOTICE.

ROBERT DOW, Merchant and Linen Manufacturer, residing at Burnside, near Dunkeld, having presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Perthshire, to be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable at the date of his sequestration, the said Sheriff, upon the 17th day of October last, pronounced a delivrance thereon, ordering intimation of the said application to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the 16th Section of the Act 16th and 17th Victoria.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

JOHN KIPPEN, Petitioner's Agent.

Perth, December 17, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION OF PROUDFOOT & CROWL, Contractors and Builders in Inverness, and George Proudfoot and William Crowl, the Individual Partners of said Firm.

THOMAS ROSS, Merchant in Inverness, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of Proudfoot & Crowl, Contractors and Builders in Inverness, and George Proudfoot and William Crowl, the Individual Partners of said Firm, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 3d day of December current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 4th day of December current, and completed 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 dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Office, No. 47, Church Street, Inverness, on Saturday the 4th day of February next, 1854.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

THO. ROSS, Trustee.

Inverness, December 17, 1853.

JAMES M'CLELLAND, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee for the Creditors of the Concern formerly carried on in Glasgow under the Firm of **ALEXANDER WARDROP & CO.**, and at Penang, under the Firm of **ANDERSON, WARDROP, & CO.**, and of Alexander Wardrop, Merchant, residing in Glasgow, and William Anderson, Merchant, residing in London, the sole Partners of the said Concern, hereby intimates, that he has made up final accounts, and states of his intromissions with the *cumulo* funds received from Penang, and set apart for the Consigners of Goods to the said Anderson, Wardrop, & Co., and also with the funds of the estate of the said Alexander Wardrop & Co. since the period of paying the former dividends; and that the said accounts, with schemes of ranking and division among the said Consigners and the Creditors of the said Concern, will lie in his Counting-House, No. 123,

Ingram Street, for the inspection of all concerned, for one month from this date.

Farther, that on Friday the 27th day of January next, he will pay at his said Counting-House here, final dividends from each of the said accounts to those Consigners and Creditors of the said Concern whose claims, with oaths of verity thereto, have been previously lodged and sustained; certifying to any such Consigners or Creditors who may fail to prove their claims as aforesaid, that they will be excluded from any participation in the said final division.

JAMES M'CLELLAND, Trustee.

123, Ingram Street, Glasgow,
December 19, 1853.

JAMES EDMOND, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **CHARLES NEILSON**, Builder, lately residing in Summer Street of Aberdeen, now deceased, hereby gives notice, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 3d December current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the Statute, but the Commissioners have resolved to postpone a dividend till the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend.

JAMES EDMOND.

Aberdeen, December 16, 1853.

DONALD ROBERTSON, sometime Coal Merchant at the Dunkeld Road Station of the Scottish Midland Junction Railway, thereafter in the employment of the Dundee and Arbroath Railway Company, and presently Prisoner in the Prison of Dundee, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar, craving liberation from Prison, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Court-House, Dundee, on Wednesday the 25th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JAMES MILLER, Pror. for Petr.

Dundee, December 19, 1853.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Aberdeen, November 25, 1853.

THE Copartnership Business carried on by the Subscribers, under the Firm of **M'DONALD & LESLIE**, in Constitution Street of Aberdeen, and at No. 3, Quickset Row, New Road, Fitzroy Square, London, was **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent on the 26th day of August last. The Business of Granite and Marble Polishing will be carried on as formerly by Alexander M'Donald, at these Works; and the Business of Architect and Builder will be carried on as formerly by William Leslie, at Union Street, Aberdeen.

A. M'DONALD.

WM. YEATS, Advocate in Aberdeen,

JOHN WRYTE, Advocate in Aberdeen,

Witnesses to Mr M'Donald's Signature.

WM. LESLIE.

J. D. MILNE, Senr., Advocate in Aberdeen,

J. D. MILNE, Junr., Advocate in Aberdeen,

Witnesses to the Signature of Mr Leslie.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carrying on the Towing Business at Greenock and Glasgow, under the Firm of **THE "GLASGOW AND GREENOCK TOWING COY."** was, at a meeting of the Partners held this day, **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

The affairs of the Company have been entrusted to Mr James Welsh, Accountant in Greenock, who is authorised to receive payment of all accounts due to, and to settle all debts due by the Company.

Subscribed in name and by authority of the Partners present, **ALEX. SHEARER**, Chairman.

JOHN BLACK, Writer, Greenock, Witness.

JNO. BLACK, Jr., Writer, Greenock, Witness.

Greenock, December 16, 1853.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber ceased, upon the 22d day of November 1853, to have any interest in or connection with the Business carried on at No. 7, Suffolk Street, Glasgow, under the Firm of **THE EASTERN ACCOMMODATION COMPANY.**

RICHARD MUIR.

JOHN WEBSTER, Witness.

THOMAS BISSET, Witness.

Glasgow, December 17, 1853.

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

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