THE Court of Directors of the East India Company publish, for the information of the Proprietors of Promissory Notes of the Bengal Five Per Cent. Loan of 1841-42, who may not be resident in India, the following Notification which has been issued by the Government of India, and published in the Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary of the 28th October 1853.

"No. 34.

"Fort-William, Financial Department, " 28th October 1853.

"NOTIFICATION.

"Notice is hereby given, that all the Notes of the Five Per Cent. Loan, bearing date the 30th June 1841, from No. 19,001 to the last num-ber on the Register, will be discharged at the General Treasury in Calcutta, on the 30th January next, on which date the Interest thereon will cease.

"Proprietors of the notes hereby advertised for payment are permitted, on or before the 30th January next, to transfer the amount of their promissory notes into a new loan, which shall bear interest at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 31st December, and on the 30th June.

" Proprietors who may transfer their promissory notes into this new loan, through the Government Agent, shall not be subjected to the payment of the fees prescribed in the rules of the Government Agency for transferring notes from one loan to another.

" All officers authorised to receive subscriptions to Government Loans, are hereby required to receive applications, in writing, from individuals who may desire to transfer the amount of their loans into the new Four per Cent. Loan.

"These applications, together with the pro-missory notes in reference to which they may have been received, shall, without fee or expense of any kind to the proprietors, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant-General at Fort-William, who will forthwith cause an entry to be made on the face of the note, acknowledging the transfer, and giving the number of the note on the register of the new loan.

"This entry shall be deemed tantamount to the issue of a new note, bearing interest at Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, on the 31st December and 30th June, and shall be in the following form :

"' No. of the Four per Cent. Loan of 1854-55. "' By transfer :

"'Interest is payable on this note at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the 31st December and the 30th June.'

"Prompt settlement of the Principal and Interest at the rate of Five per Cent. per annum, to the date of advertised discharge, will be made with proprietors who may tender their notes for transfer into the new Loan; provided however that the principal only will be transferred, and that the Interest up to the 30th January inclusive, will be discharged in Cash, as well as anticipation Interest up to the 30th June 1854.

" It is further notified that the Most Noble the Governor-General in Council has, for the accommodation of proprietors who are not in India, autho-rised the Deputy Accountant-General to allow the conditional transfer of their notes to the new Four per Cent. Loan on the application of agents or friends, leaving it optional with proprietors to confirm the transfer or to require payment in cash, provided however that no potice disallowing the

transfer will be received after six months from the present date.

"The promissory-notes of the new Loan will not be re-payable until after the expiration of three months from notice of payment duly advertised in the Calcutta Gazette, under the authority of the Governor-General of India in Council."

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor-General of India in Council.

> (Signed) C. Allen.

Secretary to the Government of India;

JAMES C. MELVILL, Secretary.

ORDERED,

THAT two Warehouses belonging to Messrs THORNE & CURTIS, situate at Church Street, Greenock, in Ayr Collection, be approved as GENERAL WAREHOUSES for the deposit therein of BRITISH SPIRITS, under the provisions of the Act 11 and 12 Vict., cap. 122.

W. JOHNSON, Storekeeper.

INLAND REVENUE,

27, Norfolk Street,

January 20, 1854.

Sequestration of JOHN DIXON & COMPANY, Iron-Founders, Abercorn Foundry, Paisley, and John Dixon, Iron Founder there, the Individual Partner of the said Company, as a Partner and as an Individual.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the said John NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the said John Dixon has applied to the Sheriff of Renfrewshire, by Petition, for his Discharge: Upon which Petition his Lordship pronounced the following deliverauce:— Pais-'ley, 21st January 1854.—Having considered the fore-'going Petition, ordains the same to be intimated in the 'Edinburgh Gazette, and any parties intending to op-'pose the Petitioner's discharge, are required to state 'appearance, by lodging their objections or grounds of 'opposition with the Clerk of Court at Paisley, not later 'than twenty-one days from the publication of such In-timation : certifying, that if no appearance be made, the timation; certifying, that if no appearance be made, the Sheriff will thereafter pronounce a deliverance, find-ing the Petitioner entitled to his discharge, in terms of the 16th Section of the Act of Parliament 16 and 17 Victoria, chapter 53.

"R. ROBERTSON GLASGOW." (Signed) -Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

ALEX. MORRISON, Agent for the Petitioner. Glasgow, January 23, 1854.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that JAMES WALKINSHAW & COMPANY, Merchants in L WALKINSHAW & COMPANY, merchants in Glasgow, and Paper Makers at Overton, near Greenock, as a Company, and James Walkinshaw, Merchant in Glasgow, and Paper Maker at Overton aforesaid, the sole Partner of that Company, and as an Individual, have presented a Petition to the Lord Ordinary on the Bills, praying for a discharge of all debts and obligations contracted by the said Company, or by the said James Bills, praying for a discharge of all debts and obligations contracted by the said Company, or by the said James Walkinshaw, as the sole Partner thereof, or as an In-dividual, prior to the 14th day of August 1847, the date of their sequestration; and that, on advising the said Pétition, Lord Benholme of this date appointed Inti-mation thereof to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Status terms of the Statute.

WOTHERSPOON & MACK, Agents. January 23, 1854.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

M R JOHN MQUEEN, Ironmonger in Paisley, having this day executed a Trust-Disposition for behoof of his Creditors, all Parties having Claims against him or the Trust-estate are hereby required to lodge the same, properly vouched and verified, with Mr James Caldwell, Writer, 33, Old Sneddon Street, Paisley, within one month from this date, in order to entitle them to participate in the funds of the estate. Paislar, James 10, 1954

Paisley, January 19, 1854.