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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

April 18, 1854.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee at St. James's-Palace, on Friday, the 9th June next, at Two o'Clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE AT ST. JAMES'S-PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Levee at St. James's Palace are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are hereby informed it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office before Wednesday the 7th of June next, by twelve o'clock, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above Regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The State Apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court until half-past one o'clock.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having Petitions or Addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come,) to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twelve o'clock, on Wednesday the 7th of June next, and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee; one to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord Chamber-

lain, who will read its contents to The Queen; and on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

ST JAMES'S-PALACE, May 19, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Anne Duchess of Athole, to be one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Anne, Countess of Charlemont, resigned.

WHITEHALL, May 1, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Bush Cooper, of No. 3, Verulam Buildings, Gray's-Inn, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

WHITEHALL, May 8, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Nethaneel Lindo, of No. 17, King's Arms Yard, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed John George Bonner, of No. 15, London Street, City, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Henry Hill, of No. 1, Bury Court, St Mary Axe, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

WHITEHALL, May 13, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Hawke, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed George Page, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

WHITEHALL, May 15, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Richard Stevens, of Witham, in the county of Essex, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer Oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Postmaster-General to remit any of the rates of British postage for the time being, payable by law on the transmission of post letters, newspapers, or other printed papers, to such extent as the Lords of the Treasury shall from time to time direct; and power is also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British or Inland postage, payable by law on the transmission by the Post of Foreign or Colonial letters or newspapers, or any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant.

And whereas it is expedient that regulations should be made for the transmission by the Post of the letters hereinafter mentioned.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the power or authority in us for such purpose vested, in and by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, (under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided,) order and direct that on every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted in or addressed to any part of the United Kingdom, and sent from or to any commissioned or non-commissioned officer, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier employed in Her Majesty's regular forces, artillery, or royal marines, in Turkey or the Black Sea, or sent from or to any commissioned or warrant officer, midshipman, master's mate, or seaman employed in Her Majesty's Navy, or any of Her Majesty's ships in Turkey or the Black Sea, transmitted by the Post between any place in the United Kingdom and any port or place in Turkey or the Black Sea (the conveyance between the United Kingdom and Turkey or the Black Sea being through France, viâ Marseilles, by the French Mediterranean Packet Boats), there shall be charged and taken, in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such letters, an uniform British rate of one penny.

And we direct that on every letter transmitted as is mentioned in this Warrant, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid progressive and additional rates of postage as follows; that is to say:—

On every such letter, exceeding half an ounce in weight, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, two rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of postage.

And for every ounce in weight above the weight of three ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage; and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of three ounces shall be charged as one additional ounce; and each progressive and additional rate, chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

And we further direct, that in respect of letters sent by any non-commissioned officers, serjeants,

corporals, drummers, fifers, private soldiers, or seamen, under the regulations of this Warrant, the following conditions shall be observed (that is to say), upon each such letter shall be superscribed the name of the writer, and his class or description in the regiment, detachment, or vessel to which he shall belong; and upon every such letter there shall be written in the handwriting of, and signed by, the officer having at the time the command of the regiment, detachment, or vessel, to which the privileged person belongs, the name of such officer, and the name of such regiment, detachment, or vessel.

And we further direct that in respect to letters received by the Post under this Warrant by any commissioned or warrant officers, midshipmen, or master's mates, or any non-commissioned officers, private soldiers, or seamen, the following conditions shall be observed, that is to say:—the postage of each such letter posted in the United Kingdom shall be prepaid, either in money or by the proper stamp or stamps being affixed thereto, at the time of the same being posted; and as to letters received by any non-commissioned officers, private soldiers, or seamen, each letter shall be directed to the privileged person, specifying on the superscription thereof the regiment, detachment, or vessel to which he shall belong.

And we further direct that if in any case the conditions hereinbefore prescribed be not complied with, the letter shall be charged with the same rates of postage as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct that all letters which shall be sent by the Post under the regulations of this Warrant, shall be subject, in addition to the British rates hereby fixed, to the payment of any Foreign postage which may be chargeable thereon.

And we further direct that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any letters passing by the Post between the United Kingdom and Turkey or the Black Sea, under the provisions of a certain Warrant, under the hands of two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 3d day of April 1854, which are to be charged with the same rates of postage as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct that the several terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as they would have had if inserted in the said recited Act.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare and direct that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any two of them, by Warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

Whitehall, Treasury-Chambers, the seventeenth day of May 1854.

ALFRED HERVEY.
ELCHO.

WAR-OFFICE, May 19, 1854.

3d Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Cornet Arundell Neave to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wright, who retires. Dated 19th May 1854.

6th Regiment of Dragoons—John Baillie Baillie, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Stewart, promoted. Dated 19th May 1854.



16th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Captain William Thomas Dickson to be Major, by purchase, vice Allen, who retires. Dated 19th May 1854.

Lieutenant Julius Alexander Sartoris to be Captain, by purchase, vice Dickson. Dated 19th May 1854.

Cornet James Christine Hart to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sartoris. Dated 19th May 1854.

17th Light Dragoons—Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Hampden Hugh Massy, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Gibson, promoted on the Staff. Dated 19th May 1854.

Scots' Fusilier Guards—Henry Turner, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 19th May 1854.

8th Regiment of Foot—Ensign William Raymond Ximenes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Bagenall, deceased. Dated 25th May 1853.

12th Foot—Major Thomas Brooke to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice St Maur, who retires. Dated 19th May 1854.

Captain John Francis Kempt to be Major, by purchase, vice Brooke. Dated 19th May 1854.

Lieutenant Thomas George Vereker to be Captain, by purchase, vice Kempt. Dated 19th May 1854.

Ensign Morley Caulfield Saunders to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Vereker. Dated 19th May 1854.

Coningsby Michael Harward, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Saunders. Dated 19th May 1854.

27th Foot—Thomas Stephenson Teevan, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Irwin, promoted in the 80th Foot. Dated 19th May 1854.

36th Foot—Stephen Massett Webb, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Dowding, promoted on the Staff. Dated 19th May 1854.

78th Foot—Captain John Henderson, from half-pay Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. G. McMurdo, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 19th May 1854.

91st Foot—Ensign Henry Wood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gordon, promoted. Dated 19th May 1854.

John Edward Burton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wood. Dated 19th May 1854.

Lieutenant William Squirrel to be Adjutant, vice W. G. C. Gordon, who resigns the appointment. Dated 19th May 1854.

97th Foot—Allen Bryson, M. D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 19th May 1854.

98th Foot—Edwyn Frederick Temple, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Raper, promoted. Dated 19th May 1854.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon James Brown Gibson, M. D., from the 17th Light Dragoons, to be Staff-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 19th May 1854.

Assistant-Surgeon William Mills Dowding, from the 36th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Massy, appointed to the 17th Light Dragoons. Dated 19th May 1854.

MEMORANDUM.

The Local Commission of Brevet Major George Balfour, of the Madras Artillery, East India Company's Service, has been antedated to the 27th March 1844.

The Local Commission of Brevet Major William Maunsell Gabbett, of the Madras Artillery, East India Company's Service, has been antedated to 1st May 1849.

Commission 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.

Hamlet William Millett, the younger, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th May 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Charles Fishlake Cundy to be Captain, vice Bailey, who retires, retaining his rank.

Ensign Samuel Jones Remnant to be Lieutenant, vice Cundy, promoted.

Peter Wells, gent. to be Ensign, vice Remnant, promoted.

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

North York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

John Sherlock, gent. to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 12th May 1854.

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

1st or Western Regiment of Militia.

Major Hambleton Francis Custance to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Nelthorpe, deceased. Dated 16th May 1854.

Captain Charles Bedingfeld to be Major, vice Custance, promoted. Dated 16th May 1854.

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

Radborne Troop of Derbyshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Childers Charles Radford, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th May 1854.

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

Royal 1st Devon Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry. Thomas Holdsworth Newman to be Lieutenant, vice Kekewich, resigned. Dated 6th April 1854.

[This Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Tuesday last.]

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

East Kent Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

Charles Wheler Wheler, gent. to be Cornet. Dated 9th May 1854.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended May 13, 1854.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
78 9-829	37 1-042	29 5-936	52 1-650	48 9-880	46 9-961

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
78 3	36 11	28 2	50 7	46 8	44 3

Published by Authority of Parliament,

HENRY FENTON JADIS,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

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 10th May 1854.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above, (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported).						Quantities Entered for Home Consumption, at the same Ports.						Amount of Duty received thereon.						Rates of Duty (Foreign and Colonial).				
	Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Corn and Grain of all sorts, per qr.	Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.			
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.
Wheat and Wheat Flour	142	24 4	469	4	143	194 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	789	8 8	29	11 9	792	0 5					
Barley and Barley Meal	238	78 1	—	—	238	78 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1193	18 4	—	—	—	1193	18 4				
Oats and Oat Meal	159	60 2	—	—	159	60 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	798	1 2	—	—	—	798	1 2				
Rye and Rye Meal	—	4 2	0	4	4	6	—	—	—	See Note.	—	—	0	4 3	0	0 9	0	5 0					
Pease and Pea Meal	231	5 3	0	2	231	5 5	—	—	—	—	—	—	115	15 6	0	0 3	115	15 9	1	0	0	4½	
Beans and Bean Meal	517	0 1	—	—	517	0 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	258	10 5	—	—	—	258	10 5				
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	499	37 7	—	—	499	37 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	2509	10 7	—	—	—	2509	10 7				
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal..	—	0 1	0	2	0	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0 2	0	0 5	0	0 7					
Bear or Bigg.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
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NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported, shown in the first section of the preceding statement.

MONTHLY RETURN.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour, imported into the United Kingdom in the Month ended 5th May 1854, the Quantities upon which the Duties have been paid for Home Consumption during the same Month, and the Quantities remaining in Warehouse at the close thereof.

SPECIES OF CORN, GRAIN, MEAL, AND FLOUR.	Quantities Imported into the United Kingdom in the Month ended 5th May 1854.					
	Imported from Foreign Countries.		Imported from British Possessions out of Europe.		TOTAL	
	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.
Wheat	474,291	0	1,820	0	476,111	0
Barley	63,448	6	...	...	63,448	6
Oats	121,623	4	...	...	121,623	4
Rye	328	0	...	...	328	0
Pease	6,094	0	0	3	6,094	3
Beans.....	20,911	4	...	...	20,911	4
Maize or Indian Corn.....	163,490	3	...	...	163,490	3
Buck Wheat.....	16	0	...	...	16	0
Total of Corn and Grain.....	850,203	1	1,820	3	852,023	4
	Cwt.	qrs.	lb.	Cwt.	qrs.	lb.
Wheat Meal or Flour	512,699	3	25	2,073	1	11
Oat Meal.....	7	2	23	...	...	...
Indian Meal.....	8,920	3	18	1	3	0
Buck Wheat Meal.....	1	3	16	...	...	...
Total of Meal and Flour.....	521,630	1	26	2,075	0	11
	Cwt.	qrs.	lb.	Cwt.	qrs.	lb.
Wheat Meal or Flour	512,699	3	25	2,073	1	11
Oat Meal.....	7	2	23	...	...	...
Indian Meal.....	8,920	3	18	1	3	0
Buck Wheat Meal.....	1	3	16	...	...	...
Total of Meal and Flour.....	521,630	1	26	2,075	0	11

NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the Month, were identical with the Quantities Imported, shewn in the preceding Statement.

The only Quantity of Imported Corn remaining in the Bonded Warehouses at the end of the Month was 140 qrs. 6 bush. of Wheat, imported from Foreign Countries (the same having been Warehoused on 16th January 1849).

Custom House, London, 17th May 1854.

(Signed) W. MACLEAN, *Secretary.*

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 13th day of May 1854.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued.....	£ 25,857,270	Government Debt.....	£ 11,015,100
		Other Securities.....	2,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion.....	11,857,270
		Silver Bullion.....	.....
	<u>£25,857,270</u>		<u>£25,857,270</u>

Dated the 18th day of May 1854.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital.....	£ 14,553,000	Government Securities (including	£
Rest	3,214,897	Dead Weight Annuity).....	11,625,492
Public Deposits (including Exchequer,		Other Securities.....	15,144,039
Savings Banks, Commissioners of		Notes	4,713,280
National Debt, and Dividend		Gold and Silver Coin.....	732,096
Accounts).....	2,748,437		
Other Deposits....	10,587,010		
Seven Day and other Bills.....	1,111,563		
	<u>£32,214,907</u>		<u>£32,214,907</u>

Dated the 18th day of May 1854.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

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 16th day of May 1854,

Is Twenty-four Shillings and Two Pence Farthing 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-three Shillings and Eleven Pence Three Farthings 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-four Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight;

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

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-four Shillings and Two Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, May 19, 1854.

BANKRUPTS
FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Frances Fanny Nevett and John Finlayson, late of No. 10½, Hampstead Road, Middlesex, brassfounders and engineers.

Sir Evan Mackenzie, Baronet, Robert Cameron, and James Holmes Boyle, all of Saint Helen's Place, Bishopsgate Street, London, merchants, trading in copartnership together, under the style or firm of Sir Evan Mackenzie, Baronet, and Company, at Saint Helen's Place aforesaid.

Henry Season Champion, of No. 18, Austin Friars, London, ship and insurance broker, trading under the name, style, or firm of Messrs Henry Season Champion and Company,

Frederick Dimsdale, of King's Arm's Yard, Coleman Street, London, dealer in iron, share dealer and scrivener.

Charles Smith, of No. 9, Air Street, Regent Street, Piccadilly, Middlesex, hotel and coffee house keeper.

Hugh Eldrid, of Witney, Oxford, grocer and tea dealer.

John Wilson, of Barking, Essex, corn and coal dealer.

Lewis Benjamin, of No. 56, Princess Street, Leicester Square, Middlesex, jeweller.

Charles Ogalbe, of Tavistock Street, Plymouth, Devon, builder and contractor.

Samuel Boulton and John Swindells, both carrying on business at the Greenfield Works, near Holywell, Flint, as spelter manufacturers and cement makers, under the style or firm of S. Boulton and Company,

Benjamin Redfern, of Granby Row, Manchester, stone mason and contractor.

NOTICE.

JACOB BLACKLOCK, Writer in Maxwelltown, Stewartry of Kirkcubright, has applied to the Commissary of Dumfries to be decerned and confirmed Executor-Creditor of the Deceased WILLIAM EDGAR, sometime residing in Dumfries.—Of which application Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Dumfries, May 18, 1854.

THE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give Notice, that applications have been made by the under-mentioned Persons, for the Advance of the under-mentioned Sums by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Act of the 13th and 14th Vict., cap. 31, for the Drainage of the Lands hereinafter specified:—

Name of Applicant.	Name of Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
Henry Hugh Onslow, of Balkissock, in the County of Ayr, Esquire,	Auchensoul,	Barr,	Ayr,	£500
The Right Honorable Lord William Robert Keith Douglas,	Lands in	Carnbee,	Fife,	200
James Neish, of Laws House, in the County of Forfar, Esquire,	"	Monifieth,	Forfar,	1,200
Sir Adam Hay, of Hays-toune, in the County of Peebles, Baronet,	"	Peebles,	Peebles,	490
Harry Maxwell Inglis, Esquire, Trustee for Duncan Davidson, of Tulloch, Esquire,	"	Dingwall,	Ross,	250
Robert Bruce Æneas Macleod, of Invergordon Castle, in the County of Ross, Esquire,	"	Fearn, Rosskeen,	"	1,400

Witness my hand, this 19th day of May, in the year of our Lord 1854.

A. M. ATTREE,
By Order of the Board.

NOTICE.

THE Estates of **WILLIAM LUMSDEN MACALASTER**, Yarn Merchant and Commission Agent in Paisley, were sequestrated on the 19th day of May 1854.

The first deliverance is dated the 19th May 1854.

The Lord Ordinary on the same day nominated and appointed **Walter Lamont Houston**, Writer in Paisley, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said **William Lumsden Macalaster** against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within the **Saracen's Head Inn**, Paisley, on Friday the 2d day of June next, at one o'clock.

To entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 20th day of September 1854.

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

J. B. DOUGLAS, W. S., Agent.

15, Drummond Place,
Edinburgh, May 22, 1854.

THE Estates of **SAMUEL WOOLFELD**, Goldsmith and Jeweller in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 19th of May 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 19th May 1854.

The Lord Ordinary, on the said 19th May 1854, nominated and appointed **John Miller**, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said **Samuel Woolfeld** against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on the 7th day of June next, within **Carrick's Royal Hotel**, George Square, 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 19th day of September next.

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

AW. HOWDEN, Writer to the Signet,
No. 7, Howe Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

Edinburgh, May 20, 1854.

THE Estates of **ALEXANDER & ALEXANDER**, Tea Merchants in Glasgow, and **James Alexander**, Tea Merchant there, the sole Partner of that Company, as Partner thereof, and as an Individual Partner of the now dissolved Firm of **RENWICK & ALEXANDER**, Tea Merchants and Drysalters in Glasgow, and also as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 23d May 1854.

The first deliverance is dated the 23d May 1854.

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed **Walter Mackenzie**, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estates, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said **James Alexander** against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect one Trustee on the estates of the said **Alexander & Alexander**, and **James Alexander**, or separate Trustees, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held within the **Buck's Head Hotel**, Argyle Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 5th day of June 1854, 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 23d day of September 1854, in the event of the period for payment of the said dividend not being accelerated in the manner provided for in the Statute.

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

ANDREW GRIERSON, W. S.,

15, St Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of **GEORGE MACDONALD**, lately Farmer, and Horse and Cattle-Dealer at **Teawig**, Ross-shire, now in **Inverness**.

CHARLES ROBERTSON, residing at **Allangrange**, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **Henry Mackenzie Fowler**, Esquire, of **Raddery**, **Alexander Allan Gregory**, Merchant, **Inverness**, and **Daniel Cameron**, Horse-Hirer there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court-House in **Inverness**, upon Wednesday the 31st day of May current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the **Caledonian Hotel**, **Inverness**, upon Friday the 9th day of June next, at one o'clock P. M.

CHARLES ROBERTSON, Trustee.

Allangrange, May 18, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of **RAILSTON & HOUSTON**, Commission Merchants in Paisley, as a Company, and **Robert W. Ralston** and **John Macalaster Houston**, both Commission Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners, and as Individuals.

JAMES THOMSON, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Company and Individual estates; and **Robert Kerr**, Manufacturer in Paisley, **David Sandeman**, Commission Agent in Glasgow, and **Thomas Risk**, Agent at Paisley for the Western Bank of Scotland, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Monday the 29th day of May current, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs **Reid and Henderson**, Writers, 3, County Place, Paisley, on Wednesday the 7th day of June next, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun., Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **WATT, PIRRIE, & CO.**, Grain and Commission Merchants in Glasgow, and **James Watt** and **David Pirrie**, the Individual Partners of that Company.

JAMES M'CLELLAND, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the estates, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within his Counting-house here, on Monday the 26th day of June next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application for his discharge.

JAMES M'CLELLAND, Trustee.

128, Ingram Street,
Glasgow, May 22, 1854.

JOHAN CLARK, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ALEXANDER GREEN**, Saddler in Aberdeen, intimates, that the estate being wound up, and a final division of the funds made, a meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, 3, Queen Street, Aberdeen, on Wednesday the 14th June next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for his discharge as Trustee, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN CLARK, Trustee.

Aberdeen, May 19, 1854.

WILLIAM MYLES, Accountant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the deceased **WILLIAM BENNET**, Merchant and Manufacturer in Dundee, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 5th day of May current, and a state of the funds belonging to the estate as at the same date, have been made up, and audited and approved of by the Commissioners on the said estate,—all in terms of the Statute: Farther, that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 5th day of May current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, being all the Creditors who have made claims thereon; and that a dividend out of the funds of the estate will be paid by him at his Office, Reform Street, Dundee, on and after the 6th day of July next, to the said Creditors of the Bankrupt who have lodged their claims and grounds of debt on or before the 5th day of May current, and who have proved the same, in terms of the Statute.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

WM. MYLES, Trustee.

Dundee, May 20, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of the Company carrying on Business as Manufacturers and Warehousemen in Paisley, London, and Paris, under the Firm of **SAWTELL, MUNN, & DESGRAND**, as a Company, and of **Frederick Sawtell**, Manufacturer and Warehouseman in Paisley, **James Munn**, Manufacturer and Warehouseman there, and **James Vincent Desgrand**, Manufacturer and Warehouseman in London, and residing there, the Individual Partners of said Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals.

AS Trustee on said sequestrated estates, I hereby intimate that the Sheriff of Renfrewshire has granted warrant to accelerate payment of the first dividend, by making the same payable upon the 7th day of July next, and appointed Notice thereof to be given by advertisement in the **Edinburgh Gazette**, and by circulars to the Creditors, intimating that to entitle them to participate in said dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged with the Trustee on or before the 7th day of June next.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun., Trustee.

Glasgow, May 22, 1854.

ROBERT M'COWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES HOWIE**, Stock and Share Broker in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that his accounts with the funds of the estate, as at 4th current, and states of the funds as at said date, have been made up and audited, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the Creditors who lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said date, and made up lists of those entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate. Farther, that a first and final dividend will be paid to the Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at his Counting-house, 17, Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 5th day of July next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROB. M'COWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 22, 1854.

JAMES BROWN, Slater in Kilmarnock, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **PETER CLARK**, Slater and Contractor in Kilmarnock, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 6th 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 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 within the statutory period, and completed a state thereof. Farther, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Office of James Meikle, Writer, 102, King Street, Kilmarnock, on the 7th day of July next.

JAMES BROWN.

Kilmarnock, May 18, 1854.

STEPHEN ADAM, Wool Merchant in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **THOMAS MONTEATH & SON**, Woollen Manufacturers at Devon-side, as a Company, and **Thomas Monteath** and **William Monteath**, both Woollen Manufacturers at Devon-side, and residing there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the several estates, brought down to the 5th 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 estates, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors on the estate of the said **Thomas Monteath & Son**, who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 5th current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-house, Leith, on the 6th day of July next. Further, the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend on the individual estates of the said **Thomas Monteath** and **William Monteath** till the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

STEPH. ADAM, Trustee.

Leith, May 16, 1854.

SAMUEL RALEIGH, Accountant, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the Deceased **ALEXANDER NAIRNE**, Writer in Edinburgh, and Solicitor before the Supreme Courts, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of said estate, brought down to 5th instant, and a state of the funds realised and outstanding as at the same date, have been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners on said estate: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said 5th instant, and has prepared lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Further, that a first and final dividend of Eight Shillings and Sixpence per pound will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Chambers, No. 5, North St David Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 6th day of July next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

SAMUEL RALEIGH, Trustee.

Edinburgh, May 22, 1854.

ALEXANDER ALLAN, Upholsterer, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES M'NAB**, Teacher in Musselburgh, and Builder and Share-dealer there, hereby intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 21st 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 5th current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part: Further, that a second and final dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Counting-house, No. 1, Shandwick Place, on the 15th day of June next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statutes thereanent.

ALEX. ALLAN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, May 23, 1854.

JOHN CRAWFORD, Drysalter in Paisley, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES WAGSTAFF**, Dyer in Paisley, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 19th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Six Shillings per pound to his Creditors, payable by equal instalments at the distance of six and twelve months after the Bankrupt's final discharge, and offered **Hugh Wagstaff**, Dyer in Paisley, as his security. The said **James Wagstaff** further offered to pay or provide for the whole 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 Office of **David Campbell**, Writer, 5, County Place, Paisley, on Monday the 12th day of June next, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

JOHN CRAWFORD, Trustee.

NOTICE.

ROBERT LINDSAY, Merchant and Grocer in Montrose, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES & ALEXANDER CRABB**, Grocers and Bakers in Montrose, and **Alexander Crabb**, Grocer and Baker in Montrose, as an Individual, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intronmissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 6th day of May current, and states of the funds outstanding and recovered as at said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estates, in terms of the Statute; and in respect of the states of the funds the Commissioners have postponed the period for making a dividend, and have also dispensed with the sending of circulars to the Creditors with copies or abstracts of the said states.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBERT LINDSAY, Trustee.

Montrose, May 19, 1854.

NOTICE to the Creditors of **GEORGE BORLAND**, of Byres of Bankhead, &c.

MATHEW M'KERRROW, Bank Agent in Cumnock, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **George Borland**, of Byres of Bankhead, Farmer, Grain and Cattle Dealer, and Grazier, at High Braidley, in the parish of Loudoun, sometime Prisoner in the Prison of Hamilton, presently in the General Prison, Perth, intimates, that an account of his intronmissions with the funds of the sequestrated estate, brought down to the 15th instant, and the 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 the said estate, in terms of the Statute; and farther, that the Commissioners have necessarily postponed the payment of a dividend, and have also dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

MATHEW M'KERRROW, Trustee.

Cumnock, May 20, 1854.

DONALD LINDSAY, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **SIR ANDREW LEITH HAY** of Rannes, Aberdeenshire, Knight, a Banker, and an Underwriter or Insurance Broker in Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners upon the estate have examined and audited an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate from the 9th day of January last to the 9th day of May current, and approved of the same, and have postponed the period for the payment of a dividend, and dispensed with intimation to the Creditors by circulars.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. LINDSAY, Trustee.

Edinburgh, May 23, 1854.

ROBERT GREIG, Merchant in Perth, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **DONALD CAMERON**, sometime Agent, and Wine and Spirit Merchant in Perth, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the said estate, brought down to the 6th current, and states of the funds recovered and those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the Statute; and farther, that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of any dividend until the next statutory period, being the 8th day of October next; and to entitle Creditors to payment thereof, they must lodge their oaths and grounds of debt with the Trustee on or before the 8th day of August next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROB. GREIG, Trustee.

Perth, May 20, 1854.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of the deceased **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, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 7th instant, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at same date, have been made up by him, and audited and approved of by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute, that they have postponed the payment of another dividend at present, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 22, 1854.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN THOMSON**, Mason and Builder in Glasgow, residing at No. 9, Hozier Street, Dalmarnock Road, Bridgeton there, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 7th instant inclusive, and state of the funds as at same 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.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.

Glasgow, May 22, 1854.

The Commissioners on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM LAWSON**, sometime Keeper of the Star and Garter Hotel, Linlithgow, have audited the Trustee's intrusions to the 7th instant; and, in respect there are no available funds for distribution, have postponed the declaration of any further dividend and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

JAMES LEARMONTH, Trustee.

Linlithgow, May 18, 1854.

ADAM PATERSON, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **GILBERT DUNCAN**, Writer in Lerwick, and Purser in the Royal Navy, deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 8th May current, and a state of the funds recovered and outstanding as at the same date, have been audited by the Commissioners on the said estate, in terms of the Statutes; and that payment of any farther dividend has been postponed till the recurrence of another statutory period, and circulars to the Creditors have been dispensed with.

ADAM PATERSON, Trustee.

Edinburgh, May 22, 1854.

RALPH ERSKINE SCOTT, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN BOWIE**, W.S., Kelp Agent, and Underwriter and Insurance Broker in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 8th instant, and a state of the funds then realized and outstanding, have been made up by him, and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. The Commissioners have postponed payment of a further dividend to the Creditors till the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have dispensed with the transmission of any circular or abstract state of the affairs to the Creditors.

R. E. SCOTT.

Edinburgh, 127, Prince's Street, May 22, 1854.

NOTICE to the Debtors and Creditors of the late **WILLIAM DUNLOP**, Wine and Spirit Merchant, South Shields.

ALL Parties indebted to Mr Dunlop are requested to make payment of their debts to the Subscriber, Executor of the said William Dunlop; and those having Claims against him are required to lodge the same here, with oaths of verity thereto, within three months from this date; certifying to those Creditors who shall fail to claim within that time, that the Executor will proceed to divide the Executory funds so far as then realized.

JAMES TURNBULL.

15, John's Lane,
Leith, May 22, 1854.

1, Old Hall Street,
Liverpool, May 15, 1854.

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS & SHIPPERS.

MESSRS WILLIAM CUTHBERT & COMPANY, of No. 1, Old Hall Street, Liverpool, hereby beg to intimate, that Mr **WALTER RUTHERFORD**, of No. 13, Dixon Street, Glasgow, ceased upon the 6th day of May instant to act as Agent, or in any capacity for them.

WM. CUTHBERT & CO.

ALEX. THAIN, Witness.
SAMUEL EVERS, Witness.

NOTICE.

Irvine, May 18, 1854.

THE Company sometime carrying on Business under the Firm or Denomination of **JOHN STEWART & COMPANY**, Ironfounders in Irvine, and at or near the Kilbirnie Station of the Glasgow and South Western Railway Company, was **DISSOLVED** as on the 15th day of May current, by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the Sole Partners. The Business will continue to be carried on from said date by the undersigned John Stewart and Andrew Stewart, in name, and under the Firm of **JOHN STEWART & SON**, Ironfounders in Irvine, and at Kilbirnie; and John Stewart & Son are authorized to receive payment of, and discharge all accounts due to the late Company, and pay all claims against the same.

JOHN STEWART.
ANDREW STEWART.

JAS. GOODWIN, Witness.
FRANCIS GOODWIN, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Copartnery Business carried on by the Subscribers, as Millers in Market Street, Glasgow, under the Firm of **M'GIBBON & TURNBULL, Jr.**, was this day **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

All debts due to and by the Concern will be discharged by the Subscriber, William M'Gibbon, Jr., and by whom the Business will be carried on as heretofore.

WM. M'GIBBON, Jr.
ALEX. TURNBULL, Jr.

JAMES M'DONALD, Grain Merchant, Witness.
T. C. Young, Writer, Witness.
Glasgow, May 20, 1854.

Edinburgh, May 23, 1854.

THE Subscriber hereby gives notice, that he ceased on the 4th day of April 1854 to be a Partner of the Company carrying on Business in St Andrew Square, Edinburgh, as Silk Mercers, &c., under the Firm of **JAMES SPITTAL & SON**, latterly **JAMES SPITTAL & COMPANY**.

ARCHIBALD MARSHALL.

JOHN ANDERSON, Witness.
ROBERT INNES, Witness.

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

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