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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1854.

AT the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of December 1854,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the seventeenth and eighteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for allowing gold wares to be manufactured at a lower standard than that now allowed by law, and to amend the law relating to the assaying of gold and silver wares," it was enacted that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, by any Order or Orders to be from time to time made, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that any gold vessel, plate, or manufacture of gold, might be wrought of any standard not being less than one third part in the whole of fine gold to be declared in any such Order; and also to approve thereby of the instrument with which gold vessels, plate, and manufactures of gold should be marked or stamped, setting forth in figures the actual fineness thereof, according to the standard so declared.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Act, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and doth hereby order and declare that, from and after the day of the publication hereof in the London Gazette, any gold vessel, plate, or manufacture of gold may be wrought of any of the several standards hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

I. The standard of fifteen carats of fine gold in every pound weight troy.

II. The standard of twelve carats of fine gold in every pound weight troy.

III. The standard of nine carats of fine gold in every pound weight troy.

And Her Majesty, in further exercise of the powers so vested in Her as aforesaid, and by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to approve, and doth hereby approve, of the three several dies or instruments particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, as and for the instruments with which gold vessels, plate, and manufactures of gold of the several standards hereby authorised shall be marked or stamped, for the purpose of denoting and setting forth in figures the actual fineness thereof, according to such standards respectively, in addition to the mark of the worker

or maker thereof, and (in the case of gold vessels, plate, and manufactures of gold marked by the Company of Goldsmiths in London,) the leopard's head and a distinct variable mark or letter to denote the car in which such plate is made, and (in the case of gold vessels, plate, and manufactures of gold marked elsewhere,) the marks appointed to be used by the Assayers, or the several Companies of Goldsmiths or Guardians, at the places where the same are marked.

WM. L. BATHURST.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO BY THE FOREGOING ORDER.

1. Instrument for marking the standard of 15 carats;
A die for stamping the figures 15 and the decimal mark $\cdot 625$.
2. Instrument for marking the standard of 12 carats;
A die for stamping the figures 12 and the decimal mark $\cdot 5$.
3. Instrument for marking the standard of nine carats;
A die for stamping the figure 9 and the decimal mark $\cdot 375$.

CROWN-OFFICE, December 20, 1854.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Gloucester.

Eastern Division.

Robert Stayner Holford, Esq. in the room of Sir Michael Hicks Beach, Bart. deceased.

Borough of Marylebone.

Hugh Fortescue, Esq. commonly called Viscount Ebrington, in the room of Dudley Coutts Stuart, Esq. commonly called Lord Dudley Coutts Stuart, deceased.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 21, 1854.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received the following Notices to Mariners, issued by order of the United States Light-House Board.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Light-house at Boone Island, Maine.

A NEW LIGHT-HOUSE TOWER having been built on Boone Island, near the old Light-house, and fitted with a second order catadioptric illuminating apparatus upon the system of Fresnel, the new light will be exhibited for the first time on the evening of the 1st of January 1855, and every day thereafter, from sunset to sunrise, from which date the light from the old Tower will be discontinued.

The Tower is built of grey granite, 118 feet high; and the focal plane of the light is 133 feet above the level of the sea.

This light should be seen, in ordinary states of the atmosphere, from the deck of a vessel 15 feet above the water, at a distance of about $17\frac{1}{2}$ nautical or 20 statute miles.

The keepers' dwellings are situated west of the Tower, and of the same colour (grey.)

The following are bearings and distances from Boone Island Light-house to prominent objects in the vicinity, viz.—

- To Boone Island Ledge, East, distant 3 miles.
- To Beacon on York Ledge, W. by S., distant $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles.
- To Isle of Shoals Light-house, S. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. distant 15 miles.
- To Whalesback Light-house, S.W., distant 13 miles.

The bearings are magnetic.

The approximate position of this light is,

- Latitude, $43^{\circ} 08' 00''$ North;
- Longitude, $70^{\circ} 29' 00''$ West of Greenwich.

By Order of the Light-house Board,

WM. B. FRANKLIN, Light-house Inspector, 1st District.

Portland, Me., November 11, 1854.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Light at St Augustine, Florida.

A FIXED LIGHT, varied by flashes of the fourth order of Fresnel, will be substituted, on the evening of the 31st of December next, for the present fixed illuminating apparatus at St Augustine.

The elevation of the light is 68 feet above the level of the sea, and should be seen, under ordinary states of the atmosphere, from the deck of a vessel 15 feet above the water, 14 nautical miles.

The approximate position of the light is,

- Latitude, $29^{\circ} 52' 18''$ North;
- Longitude, $81^{\circ} 25' 00''$ West of Greenwich.

By Order of the Light-house Board,

D. P. WOODBURY, Inspector Sixth L. H. District.

Wilmington, N. C., November 15, 1854.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Light at Sapelo Island, Georgia.

On the 30th of December next a Fixed Light, varied by flashes, of the fourth order of Fresnel, will be substituted for the present revolving illuminating apparatus at Sapelo Island, Ga.

The elevation of the light is 74 feet above the level of the sea, and should be seen, under ordi-

nary states of the atmosphere, from the deck of a vessel 15 feet above the water, $14\frac{1}{2}$ nautical miles.

The proximate position of the light is,

- Latitude, $31^{\circ} 21' 30''$ North;
- Longitude, $81^{\circ} 24' 00''$ West of Greenwich.

By Order of the Light-house Board,

D. P. WOODBURY, Inspector Sixth L. H. District.

Wilmington, N. C., November 15, 1854.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

A BUOY BOAT has been placed on the N. end of Bass Rip, in 5 fathoms water, Sankaty Head Light-house bearing (per compass) W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., distant about three miles.

There has also been one placed on the S. end of Great Rip, in $5\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms water, Sankaty Head Light-house bearing (per compass) N. W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W., distant about 14 miles.

Both boats are painted white, with large Red Letters on both sides of each; the one "Bass Rip," and the other "Great Rip."

Per Order of the Light-house Board,

A. A. HOLCOMB, Light-house Inspector, 2d District.

WAR-OFFICE, December 22, 1854.

1st Regiment of Life Guards—Veterinary Surgeon Thomas Jex, 2d Dragoons, now serving on the Staff in Turkey, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Percival, deceased. Dated 22d December 1854.

2d Life Guards—Lieutenant Henry Dalton Wittit Lyon to be Adjutant, vice Sherwen, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 22d December 1854.

5th Dragoon Guards—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas W. McMahon to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Scarlett, promoted to the rank of Major-General. Dated 22d December 1854.

Captain Richard Thompson to be Major, without purchase, vice McMahon. Dated 22d December 1854.

Lieutenant Alexander James Hardy Elliot to be Captain, without purchase, vice Thompson. Dated 22d December 1854.

Cornet Richard G. B. Bolton to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Elliot. Dated 22d December 1854.

Sir Edward Synge Hutchinson, Bart., to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Honourable Grey Neville, deceased. Dated 22d December 1854.

1st Dragoons—Lieutenant Walter John Coney to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 22d December 1854.

8th Light Dragoons—Cornet James Bakery, from the Royal Horse Guards, to be Cornet, without purchase. Dated 22d December 1854.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards.

To be Lieutenants and Captains without purchase.

Ensign and Lieutenant Henry W. Verschoyle. Dated 22d December 1854.

Ensign and Lieutenant Fredk. T. A. H. Bathurst. Dated 22d December 1854.

Ensign and Lieutenant Hon. Windham H. Wyndham Quin. Dated 22d December 1854.



- To be Ensigns and Lieutenants without purchase.**
- Lieutenant the Hon. John B. J. Dormer, from the Royal Horse Guards, vice Fergusson, promoted. Dated 18th December 1854.
- Henry Fanshawe Davies, gent. vice Davies, died of his wounds. Dated 19th December 1854.
- Patrick Keith Murray, gent. vice Verschoyle. Dated 20th December 1854.
- Sudeley Charles George Hanbury Tracy, gent. vice Bathurst. Dated 21st December 1854.
- William Henry Parnell, gent. vice Quin. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Scots Fusilier Regiment of Foot Guards.
- To be Lieutenants and Ensigns without purchase.**
- The Hon. Edward Brownlow, vice Knollys, promoted. Dated 21st December 1854.
- Henry Jeff Sharpe, gent. vice Lindsay, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 1st Regiment of Foot—Lieutenant Thomas Henry Breedon to be Captain, without purchase, vice Carter, deceased. Dated 28th November 1854.
- Ensign George Rowe Fenwick to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Breedon. Dated 28th November 1854.
- Ensign James William Hassell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Fenwick, whose promotion on the 8th December 1854 has been cancelled. Dated 8th December 1854.
- 3d Foot—Ensign George Noble Roe to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Macneill, appointed to the 13th Light Dragoons. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 7th Foot—Brevet-Major Arthur John Pack to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Wilbraham, whose Brevet rank has been converted into substantive rank, in accordance with the Royal Warrant, 6th October 1854. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Lieutenant Hugh Robert Hibbert to be Captain, without purchase, vice Pack. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Ensign George Henry Waller to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hibbert. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Lieutenant H. N. C. Thurstone, from the 3d West York Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Lord R. H. Browne, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 11th Foot—Acting Assistant-Surgeon Francis Henry Macfadin, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Young, promoted on the Staff. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 12th Foot—Henry Nesbitt, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Stirke, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 13th Foot—Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Mark Kerr, from half-pay Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Stuart, who exchanges. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 14th Foot—Ensign Henry William Heaton, from the 3d West York Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 21st Foot—Major John Ramsay Stuart to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Ainslie, died of his wounds. Dated 15th November 1854.
- Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Paul Haines to be Major, without purchase, vice Stuart. Dated 15th November 1854.
- Lieutenant Edwin Ashley Tucker Steward to be Captain, without purchase, vice Haines. Dated 15th November 1854.
- Ensign Richard Stephens to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Steward. Dated 15th November 1854.
- Ensign William Cairnes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Stephens, whose promotion on the 8th December 1854 has been cancelled. Dated 8th December 1854.
- Isaac Tristram Coffin, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Cairnes. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 31st Foot—Lieutenant Alexander Francis Ball to be Captain, by purchase, vice Minnitt, who retires. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Ensign William George Herbert Taylor Fairfax to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ball. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Thomas Christian Rycroft, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Fairfax. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 37th Foot—John George Jarvis, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Evered, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 38th Foot—Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Jackson Lowth to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Sir John Campbell, Bart., promoted to be Major-General. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Brevet-Major Joseph Samuel Adamson to be Major, without purchase, vice Lowth. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Lieutenant J. T. Craster to be Captain, without purchase, vice Adamson. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Ensign John Bolton French to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Craster. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 41st Foot—Lieutenant Isaac King, from the Royal Bucks (King's Own) Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Fitz-Roy, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 49th Foot—Major John Thornton Grant to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Adams, promoted to be Major-General. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Brevet-Major C. S. Glazbrook to be Major, without purchase, vice Grant. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Lieutenant J. A. Conolly to be Captain, without purchase, vice Glazbrook. Dated 22d December 1854.
- Ensign Patrick Cahill to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Conolly. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 50th Foot—Edward John Miller, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Antrobus, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 60th Foot—Ensign James Arthur Morrah, from the Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Ensign, vice Fox, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 73d Foot—Ensign Bryan George Davies Cooke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Evans, who retires. Dated 22d December 1854.
- James Frederick Henley, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cooke. Dated 22d December 1854.
- 77th Foot—Lieutenant William Seward Le Feuvre, from the Hampshire Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Carden, promoted. Dated 22d December 1854.

78th Foot—Captain Jacob Meek, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice Bentley, who exchanges. Dated 22d December 1854.

Lieutenant Lawrence Pleydell-Bouverie to be Captain, by purchase, vice Meek, who retires. Dated 22d December 1854.

Ensign John Finlay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bouverie. Dated 22d December 1854.

Montagu Alexander Kirby, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Finlay. Dated 22d December 1854.

88th Foot—Ensign Courtenay William Aylmer Thomas Kenny to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Maule, died of his wounds. Dated 16th November 1854.

Ensign William Lambert to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Kenny, whose promotion on the 8th December 1854 has been cancelled. Dated 8th December 1854.

Lieutenant William Little to be Adjutant, vice Maule, died of his wounds. Dated 22d December 1854.

Berkeley Mitchell, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Lambert. Dated 22d December 1854.

89th Foot—Captain Daniel Tom, from half-pay 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice Knipe, who exchanges. Dated 22d December 1854.

90th Foot—Lieutenant Arthur D. Swift, from the Hampshire Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Jackson, appointed Quartermaster. Dated 22d December 1854.

93d Foot—Ensign Maxwell Wither Hyslop, from the 39th Foot, to be Ensign. Dated 22d December 1854.

Rifle Brigade—Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. R. Norcott to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Buller, promoted to be Major-General. Dated 22d December 1854.

Brevet-Major Alexander Macdonell to be Major, without purchase, vice Norcott. Dated 22d December 1854.

Lieutenant the Honourable Leicester Curzon to be Captain, without purchase, vice Macdonell. Dated 22d December 1854.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable H. Walter Campbell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Tryon, killed in action. Dated 21st November 1854.

Ensign Alexander Heywood to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Campbell, whose promotion on the 8th December 1854 has been cancelled. Dated 8th December 1854.

Ensign John Brett to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Curzon. Dated 22d December 1854.

BREVET.

Captain Jacob Meek, of the 78th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 28th June 1838.

Brevet-Major Jacob Meek, of the 78th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 11th November 1851.

Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Robert Wesley, of the Royal Marines, to be Colonel in the Army. Dated 13th December 1854.

Captain George Colt Langley, of the Royal Marines, to be Major in the Army. Dated 13th December 1854.

Brevet-Major George Colt Langley, of the Royal Marines, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 14th December 1854.

The undermentioned Cadets, of the East India Company's Service, to have the local and temporary rank of Ensign during the period of their being placed under the command of Colonel H. D. Jones, of the Royal Engineers, at Chatham, for Field Instructions in the Art of Sapping and Mining:—

Eneas Robert Ronaldson Macdonell, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

Edward Jones, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.
Henry Alexander Lindsay Carnegie, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

Edward Talbot Thackeray, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

William George Douglas Dick, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

John Greenlaw Forbes, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

Hugh Robert Meiklejohn, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

Frederick Colvin Mytton, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

Harry James Grant Gordon, gent. Dated 22d December 1854.

STAFF.

Veterinary-Surgeon John William Gloag, 11th Light Dragoons, to be Veterinary-Surgeon to the Army in the East, vice Jex, appointed to the 1st Life Guards. Dated 22d December 1854.

UNATTACHED.

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Wilbraham, of the 7th Foot, to have the Brevet rank of Lieutenant-Colonel converted into substantive rank Unattached, in accordance with the Royal Warrant of the 6th October 1854. Dated 12th December 1854.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

To be Acting Assistant-Surgeons.

James McNeill Beatty, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Arthur Henry Francis Lynch, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

John Wild Hulseberg, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Thomas Egerton Hale, B.A. Dated 14th December 1854.

Thomas Gideon Creasy, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Philip Frank, M.D. Dated 14th December 1854.

William Gordon, M.D. Dated 14th December 1854.

Robert Graham Dickson, M.D. Dated 14th December 1854.

William Edgeworth Lynch, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Charles Dodgson Madden, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Sampson Roeh, gent. Dated 14th December 1854.

Robert Thomas Simons, gent. vice Macfadin, promoted. Dated 14th December 1854.

Provisional Depôt Battalions.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alves, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 22d December 1854.

Lieutenant-Colonel Nathaniel Massey Stack, from the 71st Foot. Dated 22d December 1854.

To be Major.

Major Henry Law Maydwell, from the 41st Foot. Dated 22d December 1854.

To be Adjutants.

Captain Alexander Maclean, of the 94th Foot.
Dated 22d December 1854.
Captain Thomas Gilley, from half-pay Unattached.
Dated 22d December 1854.

To be Quartermaster.

Quartermaster John Taylor, from the 71st Foot.
Dated 22d December 1854.

MEMORANDA.

The appointment of Nicholas Conlethus Whyte, gent. to be Acting Assistant-Surgeon, which appeared in the Gazette of the 24th ultimo, has been cancelled.

The commission of Lieutenant Robert James Montgomery, of the 5th Dragoon Guards, to bear date 25th August 1854, in lieu of 8th December 1854, as previously stated.

The commissions of the undermentioned officers to bear date the 14th December 1854, instead of 15th, as previously stated:—

18th Foot—Ensign M. Josh. Cunningham.
55th Foot—Ensign James Scott.

Erratum in the Gazette of the 15th inst.

For *Captain* E. Fellowes, from the 12th Light Dragoons, to be Captain in the 11th Light Dragoons,
Read, *Brevet-Major* E. Fellowes, from the 12th Light Dragoons, &c.

ADMIRALTY, December 13, 1854.

STAFF.

Colonel Samuel Robert Wesley to be Deputy-Adjutant-General of Royal Marines, vice Major-General Sir John Owen, K.C.B. Dated 13th December 1854.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Colt Langley to be Assistant Adjutant-General of Royal Marines, vice Wesley, promoted. Dated 13th December 1854.

ADMIRALTY, December 16, 1854.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Second Lieutenant Charles Throckmorton Witham to be First Lieutenant, vice Douglas, to half-pay.

ADMIRALTY, December 19, 1854.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant and Adjutant Thomas Valentine Cooke to be Captain, vice W. M. Heriot, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Albert Higman to be First Lieutenant, vice Cooke, promoted.

Commissions signed by the Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Alexander Bethune, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

James Ogilvy Dalgleish, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

David Gillespie, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Frederick Louis Maitland Heriot, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Frederick Louis Scrymgeour Wedderburn, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

James Wemyss, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Major Alexander Anderson to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Captain Charles Ramsay Drinkwater Bethune to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

James Hay Erskine Wemyss, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

George Robertson Barclay, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

George William Mercer Henderson, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Captain William Maitland Heriot Dougal to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Sir Coutts Trotter Lindsay, Bart., younger, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th December 1854.

Fifeshire Regiment of Militia.

William Bonthron to be Surgeon, vice James Moore Graham, resigned. Dated 18th November 1854.

James William Reid Mackie to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Bonthron, promoted. Dated 18th November 1854.

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

2d or Eastern Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

To be Captains.

William Meybohn Ryder Haggard, Esq. vice Wodehouse, superseded. Dated 16th December 1854.

James Hay Wodehouse, Esq. Dated 18th December 1854.

To be Lieutenants.

Thomas Keating Nixon, gent. vice Freeman, resigned. Dated 15th December 1854.

Henry Gresham Paske, gent. vice Palmer, resigned. Dated 16th December 1854.

Robert Arthur Rising, gent. vice Mayhew, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

1st or Western Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

Edward Beevor Batchelor, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th December 1854.

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

2d Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Lieutenant Timothy Bristow Hughes to be Captain, vice Bradshaw, resigned. Dated 20th December 1854.

Edward Molyneux Seel, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December 1854.

Henry Morewood, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 15th December 1854.

Joseph Rowley, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th December 1854.

Edward Averill Lucas, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 17th December 1854.

Robert William John Barlow, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 18th December 1854.

Richard Borough, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th December 1854.

William Hesketh, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th December 1854.

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

- 1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.
 Thomas Buckland, gent. to be Ensign, vice Cumming, resigned. Dated 19th December 1854.
 William Henry Bent, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th December 1854.
 Robert Holden Stone, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th December 1854.
 John Irby Iles, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th December 1854.
 3d or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.
 John Stone Wigg, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th December 1854.
 5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.
 Stanley Mortimer, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 13th December 1854.

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

- 1st Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.
 Dudley Edward Saurin, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 9th December 1854.
 2d Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.
 Edmund Vernon Mackinnon, Esq. late 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 15th December 1854.
 James Wemyss Anderson, Esq. late 92d Highlanders, to be Captain, vice Phillips, resigned. Dated 16th December 1854.
 Rifle Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.
 John William Crowe, Esq. late 83d Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 16th December 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

- Kirkcudbright Quota of the Galloway Rifle Regiment of Militia.
 The Lord Viscount Garlies to be Lieutenant, vice McCrackan, retired. Dated 18th October 1854.
 David Alexander Gordon, Esq. younger, to be Ensign, vice Laurie, retired. Dated 18th October 1854.
 Arthur Nugent Dunbar, Esq. to be Ensign, vice Denniston, retired. Dated 4th November 1854.

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

- Thomas Frederick Bulkeley, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th December 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.
 Hertfordshire Militia.

- Captain Joseph Foskett to be Major, vice Dorrien, promoted. Dated 16th December 1854.
 Lieutenant James John Gape to be Captain, vice Foskett, promoted. Dated 16th December 1854.
 The Honourable Charles Grimston to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th December 1854.
 Henry Bingham, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th December 1854.

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

Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

- Thomas Stammers, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th December 1854.

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

Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

- The Right Honourable Arthur Lennox, commonly called Lord Arthur Lennox, late Lieutenant-Colonel of Her Majesty's 68th Regiment of Light Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Paine, resigned. Dated 14th December 1854.
 John Kincaid Smith, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th December 1854.
 Augustus Granville Morgan, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th December 1854.
 John Moore Clarke Travers, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 14th December 1854.

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

1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

- James Davidson, Esq. to be Major. Dated 9th December 1854.
 Lieutenant Douglas Hamilton to be Captain, vice Campbell, deceased. Dated 6th December 1854.
 Sir Alexander Charles Gibson Maitland, Bart., to be Captain, vice Stewart, deceased. Dated 7th December 1854.
 John Findlay, Esq. to be Captain, vice M'Lean, deceased. Dated 8th December 1854.
 William Hamilton Ramsay, Esq. to be Captain, vice H. C. J. Hamilton, retired. Dated 9th December 1854.
 James Coutts Crawford, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Currie, deceased. Dated 6th December 1854.
 Ensign Andrew Tennant to be Lieutenant, vice Douglas, deceased. Dated 7th December 1854.
 David Bremner, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Stevenson, deceased. Dated 8th December 1854.
 John William Henderson, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice M'Kenzie, deceased. Dated 9th December 1854.
 James Hamilton Henderson, gent. to be Ensign, vice Campbell, deceased. Dated 6th December 1854.

BREVET.

- Adjutant Willoughby Harcourt Carter to be Captain. Dated 6th December 1854.

2d Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

- Archibald Hamilton Tattnell, Esq. to be Major. Dated 6th December 1854.
 Andrew Frazer, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 5th December 1854.
 William Bertram, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 6th December 1854.
 John Dickson, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 7th December 1854.
 John George Brown, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 8th December 1854.
 Walter Scott, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 9th December 1854.
 Andrew Adam Pearson, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 11th December 1854.
 James Carmichael Robertson, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th December 1854.
 George M'Call, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th December 1854.

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

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

William Henry Bragge, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 15th December 1854.

Charles Edward Lambert, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 15th December 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshira.

North York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

William Swire, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th December 1854.

Robert Thompson, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th December 1854.

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

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

James Brooke O'Loghlin, gent. to be a Lieutenant.

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

2d Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia. Ensign Archibald Iver to be Lieutenant, vice Ashton, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

Ensign John Edward Knight to be Lieutenant, vice Edwards, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

John Burton Phillipson, gent. to be Ensign, vice Kemp, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

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

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Roger Carmichael Robert Owen to be Captain, vice Hill, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

Ensign William Henry Nicolls to be Lieutenant, vice Owen, promoted. Dated 18th December 1854.

Thomas Kennerly Gardener, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Boyce, resigned. Dated 18th December 1854.

Thomas Woodward, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 18th December 1854.

Edward Beck, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 18th December 1854.

Henrich Ap Eytton Parry Jones, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 18th December 1854.

[The following Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 21st of November last.]

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

Derbyshire Militia.

William Manjin, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 17th November 1854.

County of Cork.

Commissions, and dates thereof, signed by the Right Honourable the Earl of Bandon, the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cork.

Third Cork Artillery Regiment, County of Cork Militia.

Colonel—Earl of Shannon, 30th November 1854.

Lieutenant-Colonel—Hon. William Hare White Hedges, 30th November 1854.

Major—Wm. Henry Longfield, 30th November 1854.

Captains—1. Amos Langton Newman, 1st December 1854.

2. James Herrick, 2d December 1854.

3. Wallis Adams, 4th December 1854.

4. Patrick Duncan, 5th December 1854.

Lieutenants—1. Emanuel Basa, 30th November 1854.

2. William Samuel O'Sullivan, 1st December 1854.

3. Robert McClure John, 2d December 1854.

4. Crofton Uniacke, 4th December 1854.

5. Henry Fredk. Freke Evans, 7th December 1854.

6. Henry Longfield, 5th December 1854.

Ensigns—1. Arundell Hill Cotter, 30th November 1854.

2. Joseph Devonshire Jackson, 1st December 1854.

3. Richard P. Beamish, 2d December 1854.

4. Wm. Fredk. Knaresborough, 4th December 1854.

5. James Henry Morrogh, 5th December 1854.

6. Fredk. Hutchinson Warren, 8th December 1854.

NOBLE JOHNSON, Clerk of the Peace, County Cork.

County Cork Peace Office,
20th December 1854.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED AND DISMISSED.

William George Sharp Mockford, of Rood Lane, London, merchant, carrying on business with Morris Ellis Pemberton, of Lime Street, London, merchant, under the firm of M. E. Pemberton and Co.

Morris Ellis Pemberton, of No. 30, Lime Street, London, merchant, trading under the style or firm of M. E. Pemberton and Co., and lately carrying on business there, under the same style or firm, in partnership with William George Sharp Mockford, now of Rood Lane, London, merchant.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

George Hardin, of High Street, Stoke Newington, Middlesex, linen draper.

James Mortimer, of Grosvenor Road, Abbey Road, Saint John's Wood, Middlesex, builder.

John Batters, of No. 9, Tokenhouse Yard, London, shipowner.

Nicholson John Gardner, of No. 9, Water Lane, London, commission agent.

Henry Sheppard, of Salisbury, Wilts, grocer.

Will Buckwell and Thomas Jones, of Nos. 23 and 24, Duke Street, Southwark, dealers in cement, and stone manufacturers.

John Gower, of Lawrence Lane, London, warehouseman.

Richard Ginks, of Hartlebury, Worcester, wheelwright.

Thomas Edwards, of Shrewsbury, Salop, builder.

Joseph Poppleton, of Leicester, lambs' wool and worsted yarn spinner, and commission agent.

George Newmarch, of Nottingham, hatter and furrier.

Joseph Stoddart, of North Leach, Gloucester, draper.

William Chadwick, of Liverpool, Lancaster, limeburner, builder, and brick maker.

Samuel Highfield, of Liverpool, trader.

John Marshall, of Todmorden, York, cotton spinner and innkeeper.

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 13th December 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.	Foreign.		Colonial.	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. Bs.	Qrs. Bus.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
Wheat and Wheat Flour	17810	6	497 3	18308 1	—	—	—	1018 6 8	32 12 4	1050 19 0	}	1 0	0 4½
Barley and Barley Meal	54	1	—	54 1	—	—	—	2 14 2	—	2 14 2			
Oats and Oat Meal	5857	5	—	5857 5	—	—	—	292 17 11	—	292 17 11			
Rye and Rye Meal	880	0	—	880 0	—	—	—	44 0 0	—	44 0 0			
Pease and Pea Meal	2494	4	1595 0	4089 4	—	See Note.	—	124 15 0	79 15 0	204 10 0			
Beans and Bean Meal	14625	4	—	14625 4	—	—	—	731 5 7	—	731 5 7			
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	23227	5	109 0	23336 5	—	—	—	1161 8 0	5 9 0	1166 17 0			
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal..	—	—	0 5	0 5	—	—	—	—	0 0 7	0 0 7			
Beer or Digg	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
	64950	1	2202 0	67152 1	—	—	—	3375 7 4	117 16 11	3493 4 3			

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.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 16th day of December 1854.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued.....	£ 27,369,845	Government Debt	£ 11,015,100
		Other Securities	2,884,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion.....	13,369,845
		Silver Bullion.....	—
	£27,369,845		£27,369,845

Dated the 21st day of December 1854.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital.....	£ 14,553,000	Government Securities (including	£
Rest	3,132,039	Dead Weight Annuity).....	11,565,237
Public Deposits (including Exchequer,		Other Securities.....	13,869,287
Savings Banks, Commissioners of		Notes	8,330,780
National Debt, and Dividend		Gold and Silver Coin.....	659,034
Accounts).....	6,035,675		
Other Deposits.....	9,710,512		
Seven Day and other Bills.....	993,112		
	£34,424,338		£34,424,338

Dated the 21st day of December 1854.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended December 16, 1854.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
73 3-271	34 6-244	28 6-053	47 4-133	48 9-704	48 3-016

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
73 0	35 1	28 8	44 6	49 5	49 1

Published 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 19th day of December 1854,

Is Twenty-one 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 Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

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

Is Twenty-two Shillings and Seven 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-one Shillings and Three Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.
Grocers'-Hall, December 22, 1854.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES ADAIR, Toll Contractor and Spirit Merchant in Glasgow, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 9th instant, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding 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.

GRO. WINK, Trustee.
Glasgow, December 23, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS SCOTT, sometime Grocer and Spirit Dealer in Dundee, presently residing in Edinburgh.

THE Trustee hereby intimates, that his accounts, up to the 10th current, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners, and that the payment of a dividend has been postponed till the next statutory period.

D. S. PADDIE, Trustee.
Edinburgh, December 23, 1854.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that **JAMES SPROT**, Esquire of Spott, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of **SPOTT**, in the County of Haddington, has presented a Supplementary Petition to the Court of Session (Mr Lindsay, Clerk), in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, and of the Act 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, for warrant to uplift the consigned sum of L.3,607 : 10 : 6 from the Royal Bank of Scotland, and to apply same, to the extent of L.3,477 : 6 : 2, in repayment to the Petitioner of the sums of money expended by him in Improvements upon the said Entailed Lands and Estate of Spott, and to have the costs of the application decerned for out of the remainder of the said consigned sum, and the balance paid over to the Petitioner for his own use and behoof: On which Petition the Lords of the First Division pronounced the following Deliverance:—*Edinburgh, 22d December 1854.*—The Lords appoint this Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for fourteen days, and advertised in the *Edinburgh Gazette*, and Newspapers mentioned in the Petition, in terms of the Statute; and further, grant warrant for serving the same on the persons mentioned in the prayer thereof, in terms of the Acts of Sederunt; and ordain them to lodge Answers thereto, if so advised, within fourteen days from the date of service if within Scotland, and sixty days if furth thereof.

(Signed) 'DUN. M'NEILL, I.P.D.'

HUNTER, BLAIR, & COWAN, W.S.
Agents for the Petitioner.

Edinburgh, 7, York Place,
23d December 1854.

JAMES ALEXANDER BERNARD, Distiller, Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **RODERICK M'DONALD**, Spirit Merchant, Portobello, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 12th December current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up by him, and examined and approved of by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaring a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

JAMES A. BERNARD.

Edinburgh, December 25, 1854.

In the Sequestration of **WILLIAM LOW**, lately Machine Maker at Monifeth, now deceased.

JAMES KENNEDY, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said William Low, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of said estate, brought down to the 9th current, has been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that no dividend can at present be declared.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES KENNEDY, Trustee.

Dundee, December 25, 1854.

ALFRED SANDERSON, Commission Agent, residing at No. 6, Windsor Place, Portobello, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN WILLIAM DEANS**, Tea Dealer and Grocer, Hanover Street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 9th 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 the said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of any farther dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for doing so, and dispensed with intimation by circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

A. SANDERSON, Trustee.

Portobello, December 23, 1854.

THE Estates of JAMES HERBERTSON & BROTHERS, Wrights and Builders in Glasgow, as a Company, and of James Herbertson and Thomas Herbertson, Wrights and Builders there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 16th day of December 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 16th December 1854.

Upon the Petition of the Bankrupts and concurring Creditor the Lords of the Second Division pronounced the following Interlocutor:—*Edinburgh, 23d December 1854.*—The Lords having considered the Petition of James Herbertson & Brothers, and heard Counsel,—Recal the appointment of a meeting to be held on the 2d day of January next; appoint a meeting of the Creditors to be held on Friday the 5th day of January next 1855, at 12 o'clock, within the Globe Hotel, George Square, Glasgow, to elect one Trustee on the estates of the Company and Individual Partners thereof, of, therein mentioned, or separate Trustees, or Trustees in succession, and Commissioners, and to do the other acts provided in said Statutes; and appoint intimation thereof, and of the said sequestration, to be given in the *Edinburgh Gazette* within four days, and in the *London Gazette* within eight days after the date hereof, and likewise remit of new, as therein craved, to the Sheriff of the County where the said meeting is to be held, to proceed in manner mentioned in the Statutes therein mentioned; and lastly, grant Warrant of Protection to the said James Herbertson and Thomas Herbertson, the Individual Partners, against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for election of a Trustee.

(Signed) 'J. HOPE, I.P.D.'

D. J. MACBRAIR, S.S.C., Agent,
8, Darnaway Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of WILLIAM DOUGLAS, Stationer, Hutchison Street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 22d December 1854.

The first deliverance is dated the 22d December 1854.

The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has appointed Robert Macfarlane, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said William Douglas against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for election of Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 5th day of January 1855, within the Globe 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 23d day of April 1855.

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

JOHN LEISHMAN, W.S., Agent,
Edinburgh, 18, Drummond Place.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES PRENTICE, Warehouseman, Trogate, Glasgow.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Taylor, Photographer, Jamaica Street, Glasgow, William M'Lennan, Brassfounder, London Street, Glasgow, and Alexander M'Kinlay, Writer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 2d day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Office of John Buchanan, Writer, 87, Union Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 12th day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon.

(Geo. Wink, Trustee.)

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM SIMPSON of Smiddyhill, in the County of Kinross, and lately residing there, and now in Ireland, or elsewhere furth of Scotland, Grain Miller.

HUGH LAIRD, Writer in Kinross, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Monro, Writer in Kinross, has been elected a Commissioner, no other male Creditor having claimed on the estate. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-Room, Kinross, on Friday the 5th day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Salutation Inn, Kinross, on Friday the 19th day of January next, at one o'clock afternoon.

HUGH LAIRD, Trustee.

Kinross, December 23, 1854.

THOMAS MANSFIELD, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN RENNIE**, Esq. of Phantassie, Farmer, Corn Merchant, and Cattle Dealer at East Linton, in the County of Haddington, now deceased, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, No. 7, Thistle Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 29th day of January 1855, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application for his discharge, under the Act 54 Geo. III., cap. 137, sec. 72; and a full state of the Trustee's accounts will in the meantime lie in his hands for the inspection of the Creditors.

At this meeting three new Commissioners will be elected, in the room and place of George Banks, Merchant, Haddington, Thomas Allan, Banker, Edinburgh, and Thomas Stevenson, Merchant, Leith, all deceased.

THOMAS MANSFIELD, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 26, 1854.

ROBERT DE LA CONDAMINE, Wine Merchant in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM WRIGHT**, Tailor and Clothier, and Keeper of the Anchor Tavern, High Street, Edinburgh, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the Firm of **WRIGHT & HARTLEY**, Tailors and Clothiers, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 10th instant, has been audited and approved of by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory period. Further, the Trustee, as instructed by the Commissioners, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Anchor Tavern, 227, High Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 9th day of January next, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider and decide as to selling their interest in the outstanding debts due to the estate, in terms of the Statute.

R. DE LA CONDAMINE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 23, 1854.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

J. & G. LINDSAY, Wrights, Builders, and Cabinet-makers, Cowcaddens, Glasgow, as a Company, and of John Lindsay and George Lindsay, the Individual Partners of that Company, and as Individuals.

DAVID DREGHORN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the above sequestrated estates, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors of the said J. & G. Lindsay, and of John Lindsay and George Lindsay, to be held within the Counting-house of Archibald Livingston, Writer, 24, St Enoch Square, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 17th day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for the Trustee's discharge.

D. DREGHORN, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 25, 1854.

NOTICE.

PETER LIGHTBODY, Cabinetmaker, Joiner, and Upholsterer in Glasgow, has presented a Petition of this date to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, without consent of Creditors, praying to be finally discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable, of the Firm of **ALLAN & LIGHTBODY**, Cabinetmakers, Joiners, and Upholsterers in Glasgow, as a Company, and the said Peter Lightbody, as a Partner thereof, and as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration of their estates, 5th April 1852; and the Sheriff-Substitute has directed intimation of said Petition to be made; under certification, that if no appearance be made to oppose the same within the statutory period, the prayer of said application will be granted.

WM. MATHISON, Pror. for Petitioner.

Glasgow, December 23, 1854.

WILLIAM BARCLAY, Solicitor in Banff, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ANDREW JOHNSTON**, Spirit Merchant in Banff, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th December current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed making payment of any further dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending notices to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. BARCLAY, Trustee

Banff, December 23, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT HENDERSON, Chemical Manufacturer in Glasgow, and at Balmaha and Kirkintilloch, and residing at Helm, near Kirkintilloch, an Individual Partner of the Firm of **ALEXANDER LISFON & COMPANY**, Chemical Manufacturers in Glasgow, and at Balmaha and Kirkintilloch, and now deceased.

The Trustee hereby intimates, that he has had no intromissions with the funds of the estate since the date of last account; that the Commissioners have postponed declaring a dividend till the recurrence of next statutory period, and have dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

ADAM BRID, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 22, 1854.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN HUTCHISON**, Manufacturer in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that his accounts have been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have instructed him to pay a first dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been sustained. He further intimates, that said dividend will be payable at his Office, 146, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 12th day of February next.

DAV. M'CUBBIN, Trustee.

Glasgow, December 22, 1854.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is hereby given, that the Subscribers, Andrew Mitchell and Alexander Mitchell, Millmasters in Alloa, Andrew Thomson, Wood-merchant in Alloa, Nelson Mitchell, Merchant in Glasgow, John Mitchell, Baker in Cupar, and Alexander Wingate, Merchant in Alloa, Trustees and Executors of the deceased **WILLIAM MITCHELL**, late Merchant in Alloa, have ceased to be Partners, or to have any interest in the Companies or Concerns after-mentioned, having sold and transferred the Shares and interest held therein by them, as Trustees and Executors foresaid, viz.—

The Western Bank of Scotland;
The Clydesdale Banking Company;
The Alloa Gas Company;—and
The Stirling, Alloa, and Kincardine Steam-Boat Company.

A. MITCHELL.
ALEXANDER MITCHELL.
ALEX. WINGATE.
ANDREW THOMSON.

Signed the 14th December 1854, at Alloa, by Andrew Mitchell, Alexander Mitchell, Alexander Wingate, and Andrew Thomson, in presence of

WM. SPENCE, Witness, Writer in Alloa.
ROBERT GIBSON, Witness, Clerk to Mr Spence.

JOHN MITCHELL.

Signed by John Mitchell, at Cupar, the 15th December 1854, before

WM. MITCHELL, Writer in Cupar, Witness.
JOHN C. ORR, Witness, Writer in Cupar.

N. MITCHELL.

Signed by Nelson Mitchell, at Glasgow, the 20th day of December 1854, before

DAVID TODD, Witness, residing in Glasgow.
DUNCAN M'MILLAN, Witness, Clerk to Stephen Mitchell & Son, Tobacconists, Glasgow.

NOTICE OF

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between, and carried on by the Subscribers, under the Firm of **FRASER & LAIDLAW**, at 57, Union Street, Aberdeen, was of mutual consent **DISSOLVED** on the 2d day of December 1854.

Mr Fraser is authorised to collect the outstanding accounts due to the Firm.

Witness our hands at Aberdeen, this 18th day of December 1854 years.

WILL. FRASER.
CHAS. S. LAIDLAW.

JOHN PATERSON, Advocate, Aberdeen, Witness.
THOMAS RUXTON, Advocate, Aberdeen, Witness.

NOTICE.

JAMES SMITH, Miner, Blackbraes, in the Parish of Muiravonside, and County of Stirling, present Prisoner in the Jail of Stirling, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Stirlingshire, craving interim protection and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Ordinary Court-Place at Falkirk, on Friday the 26th proximo, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JOHN RUSSEL,
Procurator for the Petitioner.
Falkirk, December 23, 1854.

DAVID BROWN, Fruit Merchant at Low Howlet-hole, in the Parish of Dalsersf, and County of Lanark, at present a Prisoner in the Prison of Hamilton, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, praying for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum. All his Creditors are required to appear in Court within the Sheriff-Court-House, Hamilton, on Friday the 26th day of January next, 1856, at two o'clock afternoon, in terms of the deliverance of said Sheriff; when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

FRANCIS HAMILTON, Agent.
Hamilton, December 22, 1854.

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

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