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WAR-DEPARTMENT, January 8, 1855.

HIS Grace the Duke of Newcastle has this day received a Despatch, of which the following is a copy, addressed to His Grace by Field-Marshal the Lord Raglan, G.C.B.

*Before Sevastopol,
December 18, 1854.*

MY LORD DUKE,

Nothing has occurred since I had the honour to address your Grace on the 13th instant.

The Weather which was then fine, changed on the following afternoon, and from that time to the evening of the 16th, it hardly ceased either to rain, hail, or snow.

The night of the 16th was particularly severe; but it cleared up yesterday, and to-day it is again dry.

The bad days above mentioned have however rendered the communications more difficult, and materially retarded the movement of supplies and stores.

The 89th and 17th Regiments have arrived from Gibraltar, and will take their place in the 3d and 4th Divisions this day.

A considerable portion of the warm clothing has been received, and is in course of issue; and the men are most grateful to Her Majesty's Government for having provided for them what conduces so essentially to their comfort.

I have the honour to transmit Returns of the casualties between the 11th and 16th.

I have, &c.,
RAGLAN.

*His Grace the Duke of Newcastle,
&c. &c. &c.*

WAR-OFFICE, January 8, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary-at-War has received from His Grace the Duke of Newcastle the following list of Casualties amongst the Non-commissioned Officers and Privates in the Forces under the command of Field-Marshal the Lord Raglan, G.C.B., from the 11th to the 16th December 1854, both days inclusive.

*Return of Casualties from 11th to 16th December
1854, inclusive.*

1st Royals—1 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, wounded.
4th Regiment of Foot—1 rank and file, killed.

19th Regiment—2 rank and file, wounded.
20th Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded.
21st Regiment—1 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, wounded.
28th Regiment—2 rank and file, wounded.
50th Regiment—2 rank and file, wounded.
57th Regiment—2 rank and file, killed; 7 rank and file, wounded.
68th Regiment—3 rank and file, wounded.
1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—2 rank and file, wounded.
Total—5 rank and file, killed; 2 serjeants, 21 rank and file, wounded.

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT
Adjutant-General.

*Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men
Killed, from 11th to 16th December 1854, inclu-
sive.*

KILLED.

14th December.

1ST ROYALS.

2095 Private Edward Daniels

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1954 Private Charles Murphy

2795 John Nowlan

15th December.

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2909 Private Joseph Maddocks

16th December.

21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3004 Private William Pearce

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

*Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men
Wounded, from 11th to 16th December 1854,
inclusive.*

WOUNDED.

11th December.

28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3676 Private James Coleman, slightly

3611 Michael Toomey, slightly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2723 Corporal Samuel Barwell, severely
3723 Private Thomas Swindell, slightly

12th December.

1ST ROYALS.

2519 Serjeant John Smart, slightly

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1480 Private Henry Thompson, severely
2479 Stephen Bates, slightly
1647 Simon Doyle, severely

13th December.

68TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2970 Lance Corporal James Lyons, slightly
3263 Private John Lawrisson, slightly

14th December.

20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3186 Private William Tickner, severely

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4063 Private James Dougherty, severely
3579 Joseph Hatton, severely

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Private John Carruthers, slightly (this
man is a volunteer, his regimental
number in former regiment
not known)

2170 Patrick Redmond, slightly
2282 William McConnell, slightly
1034 Peter Golding, slightly
1646 Michael Hanley, slightly

15th December.

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3024 Private Michael Frawley, severely
2815 William Morey, slightly

16th December.

1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2256 Private John Innes, severely

21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2290 Serjeant Michael Boulger, slightly
3105 Private Thomas Holdern, severely

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

WAR-DEPARTMENT, January 9, 1855.

His Grace the Duke of Newcastle has this day
received two Despatches, of which the following
are copies, addressed to His Grace by Field-
Marshal the Lord Raglan, G.C.B.—

Before Sevastopol,
December 23, 1854.

My Lord Duke
A great deal of rain has fallen in the last
forty-eight hours, and the weather has again
become very inclement.

The only occurrence in the siege operations has
been a Sortie made by the enemy on both our

right and left attack, during the night of the 20th,
the one being conducted silently, the other with
drums beating, and shouting; the first being prob-
ably the real object of the advance, as nearer to
the Inkerman heights.

Owing to the extreme darkness of the night
the enemy were enabled to come very near the
right attack without being perceived, and having
made a sudden rush upon the most forward parallel,
they compelled the men occupying it to withdraw,
until reinforced by a party under Major Welsford,
of the 97th Regiment, when it was regained pos-
session of, and the Russians retired, not however
without occasioning some loss in both killed,
wounded, and missing,—Lieutenant Byron, of the
34th Regiment, being amongst the latter.

On the left attack, the enemy were met with
great gallantry by Lieutenant Gordon, of the 38th
Regiment, who, when supported by the covering
party of the trenches, under Lieutenant-Colonel
Waddy of the 50th, succeeded in at once driving
them back. But here too I regret to say the loss
was still more severe, Major Möller of the 50th,
fell mortally wounded, and I am concerned to add
is since dead, and Captain Frampton, and Lieu-
tenant Clarke, both of the 50th Regiment, are
missing. Sir Richard England speaks in high
terms of the gallantry and vigilance of these
troops, and of the distinguished conduct of
Lieutenant-Colonel Waddy.

I enclose the Return of casualties to the 20th
inclusive.

Two regiments of French cavalry under
General D'Allonville, made a reconnoissance on
the 20th, towards the ground recently occupied
by the enemy in front of Balaklava, while the
42d Regiment, a detachment of the Rifle Brigade,
under Colonel Cameron, 42d Regiment, and a
battalion of Zouaves, made a corresponding move-
ment on the extreme right. The latter saw only
a picket of Cosaques, which retired upon their
approach, the former exchanged shots with the
enemy, and ascertained that they had scarcely any
troops on the left bank of the Tchernaya.

I have, &c.,

RAGLAN.

His Grace the Duke of Newcastle,
&c., &c., &c.

Return of Officers Wounded and Missing, from
17th to 20th December, inclusive.

WOUNDED.

20th December.

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Major J. O. Möller, dangerously, (since dead)

MISSING.

20th December.

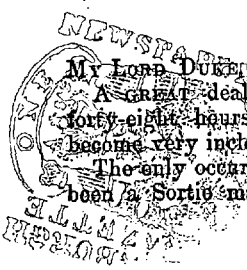
34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Lieutenant J. Byron

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Captain H. J. Frampton
Lieutenant M. A. Clarke

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.



Before Sevastopol,
December 26, 1854.

MY LORD DUKE,

I HAVE nothing to report to your Grace to-day.

The rain which prevailed on Saturday was succeeded by snow on Sunday, and it was almost the worst day I ever saw. At night it froze, and the frost has continued ever since, without being severe; but it has not as yet tended to dry the ground, still in a lamentable state.

Every effort is making, that the state of the roads will permit, to bring up ammunition and the materials of siege, and General Canrobert is in this respect affording us every possible assistance.

The garrison keeps up a heavy fire upon our trenches, particularly at night, and your Grace will regret to see by the Returns which I enclose, that we daily sustain some casualties.

I have, &c., RAGLAN.

His Grace the Duke of Newcastle,
&c. &c. &c.

WAR-OFFICE, January 9, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Secretary-at-War has received from His Grace the Duke of Newcastle the following List of Casualties amongst the Non-commissioned Officers and Privates in the Forces under the command of Field-Marshal the Lord Raglan, G.C.B., from the 17th to the 24th December 1854, both days inclusive.

Return of Casualties from 17th to 20th December 1854.

7th Regiment of Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
19th Regiment—1 rank and file, missing.
23d Regiment—1 rank and file, killed; 7 rank and file, wounded; 9 rank and file, missing.
33d Regiment—2 rank and file, killed; 4 rank and file, wounded; 2 rank and file, missing.
34th Regiment—2 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 4 rank and file, wounded; 1 officer missing.
38th Regiment—1 rank and file, killed; 4 rank and file, wounded.
44th Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded.
46th Regiment—1 rank and file, killed.
50th Regiment—2 serjeants, 12 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 18 rank and file, wounded; 2 officers, 8 rank and file, missing.
55th Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded.
62d Regiment—1 rank and file, killed.
63d Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded.
68th Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded; 1 rank and file, missing.
97th Regiment—1 rank and file, killed.
1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—2 rank and file, killed; 1 rank and file, wounded.

Total—2 serjeants, 23 rank and file, killed; 1 officer, 1 serjeant, 43 rank and file, wounded; 3 officers, 21 rank and file, missing.

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men Killed, from 17th to 20th December 1854, inclusive.

KILLED.

17th December.

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3383 Private John Thomas

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3152 Private Charles Mulock
3412 Thomas Mulford

18th December.

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3105 Lance Serjeant Thomas Andrews

62D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3117 Private Leighton Gunter

19th December.

97TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1959 Private Robert Turton

20th December.

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1333 Private James McMahon

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2522 Private Timothy Holroyd
2513 Stephen McGarry

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1315 Private George Bloxam
3733 Henry Watts

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3624 Private Alexander Blair

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3079 Serjeant James Howarth
3396 Corporal Benjamin Inglefield
4191 Private James Carmichael
3175 James Collis
4048 Stephen Connolly
3902 Patrick Cooney
2488 Samuel Derming
2999 Timothy Keefe
4007 James Mailey
3392 James Moran
3985 Samuel Thompson
3994 Patrick Thompson
3757 Edward Wood

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men Wounded, from the 17th to 20th December 1854, inclusive.

WOUNDED.

17th December.

55TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3244 Private Edward Nugent, severely

18th December.

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3338 Private George Kidler, severely
2561 John Wilson, slightly

44TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3100 Private Alfred Tawks, severely

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4238 Private John Darragh (since dead)
1979 William Doran, severely
4115 William Walcroft, severely

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3701 Private Frederick Hart, slightly

20th December.

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1106 Private Thomas Ball, severely
3849 Edward Buckingham, severely
4040 James Newell, severely
3876 Joseph Hughes, slightly
3781 Thomas Watkins, severely
3307 William Watts, slightly
2817 John Farmer, slightly

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3087 Private John Dineen, severely
3577 Thomas Veins, severely
3170 John Fitzgerald, severely
3364 Edward Dickenson, slightly

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3380 Serjeant George Strachan, severely
3375 Private Edward Bowcott, severely
3848 Bartholomew Connell, severely
3778 Peter McCreagh, severely
3650 Thomas Hitchen, severely

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2156 Private John Sell, severely
3282 William Malpas, slightly

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2940 Private Jeremiah Buckley, severely
4182 Robert Barrett, severely
3718 Henry Crawshaw, severely
2832 Patrick Connors, slightly
3441 Michael Cummins, slightly
2818 Charles McCarthy, slightly
3689 Thomas Maloney, severely
3042 Patrick O'Brien, slightly
1851 William Price, slightly
3988 Oswald Taylor, severely
3941 Joseph Toker, severely
3507 Christopher Walsh, severely
4204 Michael Wallis, slightly
3006 John Brace, slightly
3453 Michael Nicholson, severely
2271 John Ward, severely
1959 John Taylor, slightly
3142 James Gormley, severely

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men Missing, from 17th to 20th December 1854, inclusive.

MISSING.

19th December.

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3042 Private William Voisey

68TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3404 Private James Maher

20th December.

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3595 Private Thomas Munt
2521 John Gilmore
3565 Thomas Golling
2489 George Sparks
3818 Patrick Fogarty
2889 John Thompson
3552 Robert Cose
2122 Matthew Fell
3692 Ambrose Hudson

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

— Private Henry Smith
— Thomas Baldwin

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2864 Corporal Timothy Callaghan
3277 Private John Callaghan
3429 Thomas Corcoran
4097 Matthew Dagan
4000 George Doyle
3155 Edward Hattigan
2956 Lawrence McAuliffe
3932 Thomas Sinnett

Return of Casualties from 21st to 24th December 1854.

20th Regiment—3 rank and file, wounded.
23d Regiment—1 rank and file, missing.
28th Regiment—1 rank and file, wounded.
38th Regiment—2 rank and file, wounded.
46th Regiment—1 serjeant wounded.
49th Regiment—1 rank and file, killed.
55th Regiment—2 rank and file, killed.
57th Regiment—5 rank and file, killed; 2 rank and file, wounded.
89th Regiment—2 rank and file, wounded.
1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—2 rank and file, wounded.

Total—8 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 12 rank and file, wounded; 1 rank and file, missing.

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men Killed, from 21st to 24th December 1854.

KILLED.

23d December.

49TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2815 Private James Edwards

55TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2646 Private Thomas McGrath
3266 John McMahon

24th December.

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1419 Private James Graham
2278 Thomas Webb
2553 Thomas C. Bennett
— Hugh McCasspin
2811 John Mullen

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT
Adjutant-General.

*Return of Non-commissioned Officers and Men
Wounded, from 21st to 24th December 1854.*

WOUNDED.

21st December.

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1742 Serjeant William Brommell, severely

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3248 Corporal Richard Brooks, severely
3089 Private Charles Bailey, severely

22d December.

20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3676 Private James Hawkins, slightly
3548 Isaac Jennings, severely
3807 Thomas Keefe, severely

28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2632 Private Charles Smith, slightly

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3206 Private James Atkins, slightly
3327 James Paisingham, severely

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2840 Private Christopher Carroll, severely

89TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2972 Private John Laughlin, slightly
1188 James Nugent, slightly

24th December.

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2796 Private William Fagan, severely

MISSING.

20th December.

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2719 Private Edward Buckingham, omitted in
last Return.

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,
Adjutant-General.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
January 6, 1855.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Valparaiso, inclosing two Chilian Commercial Decrees, of which the subjoined are translations.

(Copy.)

Extract from El Araucano, Chilian Official Gazette,
No. 1555. Oct. 31, 1854.

Treasury Department.

GALVANIZED IRON PLATES.

Santiago, October 23, 1854. — The preceding Petition of the house of Williamson, Duncan, and Co., seen :

And considering—

- 1st. That according to the reports of the Ministers, and of the searchers, appraisers ("vistas") of the Customs of Valparaiso, Galvanized Iron Plates are used only for roofing houses.
- 2d. That Slates and Zinc for roofing are by Article III, cap. 2, of the Ordnance of Customs, declared to be free of duty.

Upon the report of the Minister of Customs of Valparaiso.

Let Galvanized Iron Plates be declared to be free of duty on importation, adding this article to the list of those articles of merchandize which are not liable to duty on importation.

Let note be taken : let this be communicated and published.

MONTT.

JOSE MARIA BERGANZA.

(Copy.)

Published in El Araucano, at Santiago,
19th September 1854.

Treasury Department.

The PRESIDENT of the Republic.

Whereas the National Congress has discussed and approved the following Law Project :—

Single Article. Manufactures entirely of Silk, or of Silk mixed with fine Silver or Gold, or of Silk mixed with counterfeit Silver or Gold, Silk twisted, Silk untwisted, and Raw Silk, shall pay on importation for home consumption an ad valorem duty of fifteen per cent.

This Law shall come into operation six months after its promulgation.

And whereas the Council of State heard, I have thought proper to approve and sanction it : therefore I do ordain that the same be promulgated and entirely carried into effect as a Law of the Republic.

Given at Santiago, the 16th September 1854.

MANUEL MONTT.

JOSE MARIA BERGANZA.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, January 6, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, an extract from the *Moniteur*, containing Decrees regulating the Duties on certain Articles of Colonial and Foreign Produce, of which the subjoined are translations.

(Copy.)

ART. I.—Until it shall be otherwise decreed, the Duties upon the Importation of the following Articles are fixed provisionally as follows, viz:—

		Per 100 Kil.	
		fr.	c.
Animal Grease of all sorts,	In French vessels - - -	{ From India - - -	2 0
		{ „ elsewhere - - -	5 0
	„ Foreign vessels - - -	- - -	8 0
Fish Grease of Foreign take	In French vessels - - -	{ From places beyond Cape Horn and the	10 0
		{ Cape of Good Hope - - -	15 0
		{ „ other places out of Europe - - -	20 0
	„ Foreign vessels - - -	- - -	30 0
Fixed Pure Oil, viz:—			
Olive - -	In French vessels - - -	{ From the country of production - - -	10 0
		{ „ elsewhere - - -	13 0
	„ Foreign vessels - - -	- - -	15 0
Seed - -	In French vessels - - -	- - -	10 0
		„ Foreign vessels - - -	15 0
Palm, Cocoa, &c.	In French vessels - - -	{ From French Colonies and settlements in	1 50
		{ India - - -	1 50
		{ „ the West Coast of Africa - - -	5 0
		{ „ other places out of Europe - - -	8 0
		{ „ Entrepôt - - -	10 0
Oil Seeds -	In French vessels	{ From French settlements in India - - -	0 40
		{ „ other parts of India - - -	2 0
		{ „ French American Colonies - - -	0 80
		{ „ the West Coast of Africa - - -	3 0
		{ „ countries on the White Sea, the	4 0
		{ Baltic, the Black Sea, or the Medi-	
		{ terranean, beyond Capes Razat and	
		{ Matapan - - -	
		{ „ elsewhere - - -	5 0
		„ Foreign vessels	7 0
By land - - -	From neighbouring countries - - -	5 0	
„ - - -	„ elsewhere - - -	7 0	
Oil Seeds -	In French vessels	{ From French settlements in India - - -	0 20
		{ „ other parts of India - - -	1 0
		{ „ French American Colonies - - -	0 40
		{ „ the West Coast of Africa - - -	1 50
		{ „ countries on the White Sea, the	2 0
		{ Baltic, the Black Sea, or the Medi-	
		{ terranean, beyond Capes Razat and	
		{ Matapan - - -	
		{ „ elsewhere - - -	3 0
		„ Foreign vessels	5 0
By land - - -	From neighbouring countries - - -	3 0	
„ - - -	„ elsewhere - - -	5 0	
Oil Seeds -	In French vessels	{ From French settlements in India - - -	0 10
		{ „ other parts of India - - -	0 75
		{ „ French American Colonies - - -	0 20
		{ „ the West Coast of Africa - - -	1 0
		{ „ countries on the White Sea, the	1 50
		{ Baltic, the Black Sea, or the Medi-	
		{ terranean, beyond Capes Razat and	
		{ Matapan - - -	
		{ „ elsewhere - - -	2 50
		„ Foreign vessels	4 50
By land - - -	From neighbouring countries - - -	2 50	
„ - - -	„ elsewhere - - -	4 50	
Candles, Tallow, - - -	- - -	- - -	10 0
Stearic Acid	{ In the lump - - -	- - -	25 0
	{ Manufactured - - -	- - -	35 0

ART. II.—The drawback on the exportation of soap will be reduced in proportion to the reduction of duty decreed by the above Art. I. This reduction will not come into force until two months after the date of the present Decree.

ART. III.—Our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Public Works, and the Department of Finance, are charged, so far as concerns their respective Departments, with the execution of the present Decree, which shall be immediately printed and published in all the Frontier Departments, to be there in force from the day of publication, in conformity with the Royal Ordinances of 27th November 1816, and 18th January 1817.

Done at the Palace of the Tuileries, the 20th December 1854.

(Signed) NAPOLEON.

By the Emperor.

The Minister Secretary of State for the Department
of Agriculture, Commerce, and Public Works.

(Signed) P. MAGNE.

ART. I.—Until it shall be otherwise decreed, the duties payable on the importation of the under-mentioned articles are fixed provisionally as follows:—

Sugar of quality not exceeding that of the pre- sent standard. No. 1.	In French vessels	From French Colonies	{ Beyond the Cape of Good Hope } { America - - - - - }	The present duties.	
				Per 100 Kil.	
	In Foreign vessels	From China, Cochin China, the Philippines, and Siam		48 0	fr. c.
		„ other Countries of India		50 0	
„ other places out of Europe			53 0		
	„ Entrepôt		63 0		
			68 0		

Sugar of quality exceeding that of the present standard, No. 1, the same duties as above, and further 3 fr. per 100 kil.

Raisins dry	{ In French vessels	- - - - -	0 25
	{ „ Foreign vessels	- - - - -	2 0

ART. II.—Molasses imported for the purpose of being converted into Alcohol to be subject to the following duties:—

Molasses	In French vessels	From French Colonies	- - - - -	Free.
		„ Countries out of Europe	- - - - -	3 0
	„ Foreign vessels	„ Entrepôt	- - - - -	8 0
			- - - - -	13 0

The distillation of molasses imported under the above conditions can be carried on only in the establishments under the permanent superintendence of the Customs or of the Excise; whilst carried on all other operations are forbidden.

The minimum return in Alcohol of the molasses is fixed at 33 litres for every 100 kil.

A sealed sample, taken according to the forms prescribed in cases of transit, shall accompany the molasses, and serve to identify it on its arrival at the distillery.

The carriage of molasses shall take place only in conveyances sealed and secured by the Customs.

ART. III.—Our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Public Works, and the Department of Finance, are charged, so far as concerns their respective Departments, with the execution of the present Decree.

Done at the Palace of the Tuileries, 20th December 1854.

(Signed) NAPOLEON.

By the Emperor.

The Minister Secretary of State for the Department
of Agriculture, Commerce, and Public Works.

(Signed) P. MAGNE.

WAR-OFFICE, January 9, 1855.

7th Royal Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-General Sir George Brown, K. C. B., from the 77th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General the Right Honourable Sir Edward Blakeney, G.C.B., removed to the 1st Foot. Dated 22d December 1854.

36th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General William Henry Scott to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Lord Frederick Fitz-Clarence, deceased. Dated 31st October 1854.

77th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General George Leigh Goldie, C. B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir George Brown, K. C. B., removed to the 7th Royal Fusiliers. Dated 22d December 1854.

WAR-OFFICE, January 9, 1855.

66th Regiment of Foot—Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Gordon, Bart. to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet Colonel John Heneage Grubbe, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 9th January 1855.

Brevet Major George Maxwell to be Major, without purchase, vice Gordon. Dated 9th January 1855.

Lieutenant John Walker to be Captain, without purchase, vice Maxwell. Dated 9th January 1855.

Ensign Richard Thomas Hughes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Walker. Dated 9th January 1855.

BREVET.

Brevet Colonel John Heneage Grubbe, on retired full-pay of the 66th Foot, to be Major-General in the Army, the rank being only honorary. Dated 9th January 1855.

WAR-OFFICE, January 9, 1855.

BREVET.

In consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Goldfinch, and the retirement upon full-pay of Major-Generals Calder and M. C. Dixon, a vacancy having occurred upon the effective list of General Officers of the Royal Engineers, Colonel Thomas Blanshard to be promoted to be Major-General. Dated 16th December 1854.

The following Officers of the Royal Engineers, who have been permitted to retire upon full-pay, to receive a step of honorary Brevet Rank, viz.—

To be MAJOR-GENERALS.

Colonel William Henry Slade. Dated 16th December 1854.

Colonel James Conway Victor. Dated 16th December 1854.

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

West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry. Harry Kersteman, gent. to be Cornet. Dated 2d January 1855.

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

Royal Pembrokehire Artillery Regiment of Militia. John Brogdon Labarte, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 5th January 1855.

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

Royal South Lincoln Militia.

George Frederick Sheppard, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 18th December 1854.

William Augustus Trydell Helden, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 19th December 1854.

Montagu Stephen Williams, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 20th December 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

East York Regiment of Militia.

William Thomas David Lloyd, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Buckle, not joined since 1852. Dated 19th December 1854.

Allen Mackarmich Beauchant, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Wilkinson, resigned. Dated 20th December 1854.

Jonathan Wynyard Haynes, gent. to be Ensign, vice Ward, resigned. Dated 21st December 1854.

George Fraser Smith, gent. to be Ensign, vice Holmes, promoted, and since resigned. Dated 27th December 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Baker Bridge, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th December 1854.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

Christopher Spencer Brearey, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 27th December 1854.

Henry Robert Markham, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 27th December 1854.

Henry Hartley Taylor, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th December 1854.

John George Mayo, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th December 1854.

2d Regiment (Light Infantry) West York Militia.

Ensign John Edward Hawker English to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January 1855.

Ensign George Cleghorn to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January 1855.

Arthur Murray, Esq. late 62d Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 1st January 1855.

Francis Morley, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 1st January 1855.

Lloyd Salisbury Baxendale, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 1st January 1855.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Thomas Bischoff, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 1st January 1855.

MEMORANDUM.

That the name of Lieutenant Stoddart of the 6th Regiment of West York Militia, was by mistake gazetted as Stodhart.

And that the Christian names of Ensign Staines, of the 5th Regiment of West York Militia, are John Augustus.

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

Renfrewshire Regiment of Militia.
William Cunninghame Bontine, Esq. to be Major. Dated 6th January 1855.
James Lowndes, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 6th January 1855.
James Stewart, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 6th January 1855.
Francis Robertson Reid, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th January 1855.
Daniel Shaw Stewart, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th January 1855.
William Cunninghame, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 6th January 1855.

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

Wigtownshire and Kirkcudbright Regiment of Militia, called the Galloway Rifle Corps.
William Charles Stewart Hamilton, Esq. to be Lieutenant, vice David Hannay, retired. Dated 25th December 1854.

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

Inverness, Banff, Elgin, and Nairn Regiment of Militia.
James Duff, late of Her Majesty's 74th Regiment, to be Major. Dated 2d January 1855.
James William Whyte, M.D., to be Lieutenant. Dated 2d January 1855.
Thomas Brown, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 2d January 1855.

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 North Gloucester Regiment of Militia.
Newton Jones Pauli, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 6th January 1855.

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

King's Own Rifle Regiment of Staffordshire Militia.
George Cole, gent. late 35th Foot, to be Ensign. Dated 29th December 1854.
Henry Banks Wright, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 29th December 1854.
John Price Mackinnon, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 2d January 1855.

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

East Kent Regiment of Militia.
Ensign Augustus Walter Lewis to be Lieutenant, vice Fitz-Patrick, resigned. Dated 4th January 1855.
Robert Fraser, gent. to be Ensign, vice Griffith, promoted. Dated 3d January 1855.
Thomas William Vallance, gent. to be Ensign, vice Zaba, promoted. Dated 4th January 1855.

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

West Essex Militia.
George Richard Layton, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th December 1854.
Humphrey Richard George Marriott, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Chapman, resigned. Dated 6th January 1855.
Charles Gabriel Alfred Barnes, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 6th January 1855.

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

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.
Lieutenant Charles Bayntun, from Royal Sussex Militia Artillery, to be Lieutenant, vice Simmons, resigned. Dated 1st January 1855.
Marmaduke Constable, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 1st January 1855.
Captain Charles Foveaux Kirby to be Major, vice Tyndale, deceased. Dated 4th January 1855.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Beckham, half-pay, Unattached, to be Captain, vice Cotter, resigned. Dated 17th November 1854.

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

East Suffolk Regiment of Militia Artillery Corps.
Edward Head Everard, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th January 1855.

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

Hampshire Regiment of Militia Artillery.
William Samuel Greatehead, late Lieutenant 41st Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 30th December 1854.
James Harry Bartlett Reynolds, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 30th December 1854.

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

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.
Henry Charles Tempest Graham, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 6th January 1855.

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

Royal Flintshire Militia.
Reginald Bythell, gent. to be Ensign.

Officers appointed to the Londonderry Regiments of Militia. (Infantry.)

William Edward Scott to be Captain, vice Conolly Skipton, deceased. Commission dated 10th December.
John Blackall to be Captain, vice Samuel Bateson, resigned. Commission dated 10th December.
Henry Stacey Skipton, M.D. and F.R.S.I., to be Surgeon, vice John Ribton Ferguson, resigned. Commission dated 10th December.
Dated this 1st day of January 1855.

WILLIAM GREGG, Clerk of the Peace,
City and County of Londonderry.

Commissions in the Leitrim Rifle Regiment of Militia, signed by the Earl of Leitrim, Lieutenant of the County of Leitrim.

Arthur J. Vesey Lindsey Birchall, Esq. to be Captain, vice Andrew Johnston, deceased. Dated 26th December 1854.
William Robert Thompson, Esq. to be Captain, vice George H. C. Peyton, deceased. Dated 30th December 1854.
John Alexander Wray, Esq. to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Harrison, deceased. Dated 28th December 1854.

ALEXANDER FARIS, Clerk of the Peace,
County Leitrim.

Antrim Artillery Regiment of Militia.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel—Lord Viscount Massereene. Commission dated 15th November 1854.

To be Captains—Stephen Rice, Esquire. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Frederick H. Henry, Esquire, late 35th Regiment. Commission dated 18th December 1854.

William Verner, Esquire. Commission dated 19th December 1854.

Henry M'Clintock, Esquire. Commission dated 20th December 1854.

To be Lieutenants—James O'Hara, gent. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Adolphus John Spencer Chichester, gent. Commission dated 15th November 1854.

To be Ensigns—James Buchanan Whitla, gent. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Robert Clarke, gent. Commission dated 18th December 1854.

Alexander Munro, gent. late Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant. Commission dated 1st December 1854.

Dated 27th December 1854.

GEO. A. H. CHICHESTER, Clerk of the Peace, County Antrim.

Peace Office, Belfast.

County of Dublin.

The Earl of Howth, Lieutenant of said County, has appointed John O'Connell, Esq., M.P., to be Captain in the County of Dublin Regiment of Militia, vice Wilson, resigned. Commission dated 5th December 1854.

G. A. POLLOCK, Deputy Clerk of Peace, County Dublin.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that Richard Wingfield, Esq. of Abbeyleix, has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as Lieutenant in the Queen's County Regiment of Militia of Light Infantry, and which Commission bears date the 29th day of November 1854.

Dated this 27th day of December 1854.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that Robert White, Junior, has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as a Captain of a Company in the Regiment of Militia of Foot for the Queen's County, and which Commission bears date the 2d day of September 1846.

Dated this 30th day of December 1854.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that Adjutant Robert Carr Coote has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as a Captain of a Company in the Regiment of Militia of Foot for the Queen's County, and which Commission bears date the 24th day of November 1854.

Dated this 30th day of December 1854.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that George Carey has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as a Captain in the Royal Rifle Regiment of Militia of Foot for the Queen's County, he having held the rank of Captain in the 77th Regiment of the Line, and

which Commission bears date the 4th day of December 1854.

Dated this 1st day of January 1855.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that Elliot Armstrong has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as an Ensign in the Royal Rifles of Militia of Foot for the Queen's County, and which Commission bears date the 4th day of December 1854.

Dated this 1st day of January 1855.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Queen's County,—To Wit.

I do hereby certify that Alexander Duprie Dunne has this day lodged in my Office his Commission as an Ensign in the Royal Rifle Regiment of Militia of Foot for the Queen's County, which Commission bears date the 4th day of December 1854.

Dated this 1st day of January 1855.

WM. CALDBECK, Clerk of the Peace for the said Queen's County.

Carlow Militia.

Names of Officers appointed by the Right Honourable the Earl of Bessborough, Lieutenant of the County of Carlow.

Colonel—Sir Thomas Butler, Baronet.

Lieutenant-Colonel—John Henry Keogh.

Major—Walter Butler, late Captain in 27th Foot. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Lieutenants—Clement Walseley. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Henry Rudkin Vigors. Commission dated 18th December 1854.

Ensigns—Rowland O'Connor. Commission dated 16th December 1854.

Philip H. Newton. Commission dated 18th December 1854.

Daniel Carey. Commission dated 19th December 1854.

Adjutant—George Marshall Knipe. Commission dated 23d December 1854. Commission granted by His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

A. J. HUMFREY, Clerk of the Peace for County Carlow.

Westmeath Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Commissions signed by Lord Westmeath.

Ensign William Edward Smyth to be Lieutenant, vice Rupert Fetherston H., resigned. 29th December 1854.

William Smyth, gent. to be Ensign, vice William Edward Smyth, promoted. 2d January 1855.

S. RADCLIFF FETHERSTON H.,

Clerk of the Peace, County Westmeath.

Colonel Henry White, Lieutenant of the County of Longford, has been pleased, with the sanction of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, to make the following appointments in the Royal Longford Rifles:—

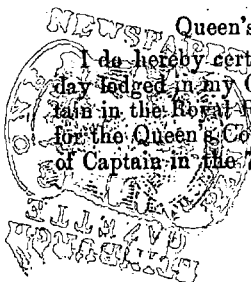
Francis Samuel White, Esq. to be Captain, vice Thomas Barnwell, resigned.

Robert Shuldham, Esq. to be Lieutenant, vice Ross Carthy, resigned.

Arthur Nassau Bolton, Esq. to be Lieutenant, vice John Alexander Fearn, resigned.

Peace Office, Longford, January 2, 1855.

JOHN V. CRAWFORD, Clerk of the Peace, County of Longford.



Royal Tyrone Regiment of Militia.

Major—

Thomas Viscount Northland, vice Irwin, who retires, retaining his rank. 3d January 1855.

Captains—

Arthur Willoughby Cole Hamilton, Esq. vice Lord Claud Hamilton, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st November 1854.

Francis Ellis, Esq. vice Eccles, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st November 1854.

James Galbraith, Esq. vice Ogilby, who retires, retaining his rank. 15th November 1854.

Lieut. Letablere John Litton, vice Goff, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st December 1854.

Martinus Van Kirkwick Bowie, Esq. from the 52d Light Infantry, vice Viscount Northland, promoted to be Major. 3d January 1855.

Lieutenants—

Edward Moore, gent. vice Young, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st January 1852.

Richard White, gent. vice Anketell, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st September 1854.

Rowley Millar, gent. vice Richardson, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st October 1854.

Luke Frederick Scott, gent. vice Speer, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st October 1854.

Abraham Anderson, gent. vice Hyde, who retires, retaining his rank. 1st October 1854.

Lewis Mansergh Buchanan, gent. vice Stronge, who retires, retaining his rank. 3d January 1855.

Ensigns—

John Maxwell, gent. vice Patterson, retired. 1st May 1846.

James Mayne, gent. vice Irvine, retired. 1st November 1854.

John Moore Cochrane, vice Maxwell, retired. 1st December 1854.

Thomas Andrew Young, vice Mansergh, who retires. 1st December 1854.

John Hamilton Maginnis, vice Byers, who retires. 1st December 1854.

Robert Edward Sproule, vice Falls, who retires. 1st December 1854.

Jackson Lloyd, vice Greer, appointed to the Line. 1st December 1854.

Assistant-Surgeon—

William Scott, M. D., vice Carmichael, retired. 2d January 1855.

J. C. STRONGE, Clerk of the Peace,
County of Tyrone.

The following Commissions have been granted in the Cork City Militia Regiment :—

John Longfield, Esq. Lieutenant, to be Captain, vice Hon. W. H. W. Hedges, promoted to be Lieutenant-Colonel 3d Artillery County Cork Militia. Commission dated 22d December 1854.

Richard Spread Morgan, Esq. to be Captain, vice W. H. Longfield, promoted to be Major 3d Artillery County Cork Militia. Commission dated 22d December 1854.

John Richard Wheeler, Esq. to be Lieutenant. Commission dated 10th February 1853.

Corliss Hawkes, Esq. to be Ensign, vice John Dunscombe, deceased. Commission dated 22d December 1854.

Forster Longfield, Esq. to be Ensign, vice Josh. F. Barter, resigned. Commission dated 22d December 1854.

GEORGE FOOTT, Clerk of the Peace,
City of Cork.

Commissions signed by the Lieutenant of the County of Down.

Royal North Down Rifle Regiment of Militia.

John Sharman Crawford, Esq. to be Major, vice Read, promoted. Commission dated 7th June 1852.

Francis Octavius Montgomery, Esq. (late Major 45th Regiment), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Read, retired, retaining his rank. Commission dated 2d December 1854.

Royal South Regiment of Militia.

Captain William Brownlow Forde (late 67th Regiment), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lord Edwin A. Hill, retired, retaining his rank. Commission dated 2d November 1854.

Peter Rutledge Montague Browne, Esq. (late Captain 9th Regiment), to be Major, vice Kennedy, deceased. Commission dated 30th November 1854.

Frederick Colborne Curtis, gent. (late 13th Light Infantry), to be Adjutant, vice Hodgson, deceased. Commission dated 22d December 1854.

ROWLAND CRAIG, Clerk of the Peace.

James Hay, late Captain of the 15th Foot, to be Adjutant of the Royal Meath Regiment of Militia. Date of Commission 19th day of December 1854.

ROBERT CHAMBERS, Clerk of the Peace,
County Meath.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY DISMISSED.

Charles Parker and Edwin Parker, of Commercial Street, Northampton, boot and shoe manufacturers.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Joseph Sewell, of Brackley, Northampton, and also of No. 42, Twyford Street, Caledonian Road, Islington, Middlesex, timber merchant and wheelwright.

Henry Simons, of No. 36, Church Street, Woolwich, Kent, linen draper.

Meyer Jacobs, of No. 36, Steward Street, Spitalfields, Middlesex, warehouseman and merchant.

Juan Oliver, of Daventry, Northampton, ironmonger.

William Hall, of Fordingbridge, Southampton, butcher.

James Whiting Fisher and James Bassey, both of Norwich, cabinet makers and upholsterers.

William Burrige, of No. 1, Stainsby Road, East India Road, Limehouse, Middlesex, builder.

Jesse Shaw, of Longton, Stafford, stationer.

Edward Goldsmith, of Nottingham, hatter and tailor.

Joseph Harriman, of Loughborough, Leicester, hosier.

William Davey, of Wellington, Somerset, baker.

John Dixon, of Liverpool, Lancaster, cooper.

James Aitken, of Liverpool, Lancaster, draper.

James Hall, of Manchester, Lancaster, commission agent.

Charles Dixon, of Gateshead, Durham, draper.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

DONALD GRAHAM, Tailor and Clothier in Barrhead, having, on the 6th day of January current, executed a Trust-Disposition of his estates in favor of Trustees for behoof of all his just and lawful Creditors, all Parties having Claims against the said Donald Graham are hereby required to lodge verified statements thereof with the Subscribers, within one month from this date; certifying to those who fail to do so, that they will be excluded from participation in the funds to be immediately thereafter divided.

THOMSONS, RITCHIE, & CRAIG.

101, Miller Street,
Glasgow, January 11, 1855.

EAST INDIA HOUSE, January 8, 1855.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the annexed **CODE of REGULATIONS** for the "Examination for Appointments to the Civil Service of the East India Company," which will take place in July next, has been framed by the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India, under the provisions of the Act 16th and 17th Vict., cap. 95, sec. 38.

EXAMINATION for APPOINTMENTS to the CIVIL SERVICE of The EAST INDIA COMPANY.

1. In July 1855, an Examination will take place, by Examiners appointed by the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India, of Candidates for appointments to the Civil Service of the East India Company.

2. Any natural-born Subject of Her Majesty who shall be desirous of entering the Civil Service of the Company will be entitled to be examined at such Examination, provided he shall, on or before the 1st of May 1855, have transmitted to the Board of Commissioners:—

- A Certificate of his age being above eighteen years and under twenty-two years.
- A Certificate, signed by a Physician or Surgeon, of his having no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity, unfitting him for the Civil Service of the Company.
- A Certificate of good moral character, signed by the head of the School or College at which he has last received his education; or, if he has not received education at any School or College since the year 1852, then such proof of good moral character as may be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners.
- A Statement of those of the branches of knowledge hereinafter enumerated in which he desires to be examined.

3. The Examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge:—

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Composition	500
English Literature and History, including that of the Laws and Constitution	1,000
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Language, Literature, and History of Greece	750
" " " Rome	750
" " " France	375
" " " Germany	375
" " " Italy	375
Mathematics, pure and mixed	1,000
Natural Science—that is, Chemistry, Electricity and Magnetism, Natural History, Geology, and Mineralogy.....	500
Moral Sciences—that is, Logic, Mental, Moral, and Political Philosophy.....	500
Sanscrit Language and Literature.....	375
Arabic Language and Literature	375
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4. The merits of the persons examined will be estimated by marks, according to the ordinary system in use at several of the Universities, and the numbers set opposite to each branch in the preceding paragraph denote the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

5. No Candidate will be allowed any marks in respect of any subject of Examination, unless he shall, in the opinion of the Examiners, possess a competent knowledge of that subject.

6. The Examination will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers, and by *viva voce* examination, as the Examiners may deem necessary.

7. After the Examination shall have been completed, the Examiners shall add up the marks obtained by each Candidate, in respect of each of the subjects in which he shall have been examined, and shall set forth, in order of merit, the names of the twenty Candidates who shall have obtained a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining Candidates; and such twenty Candidates shall be deemed to be selected Candidates for the Civil Service of the East India Company. Their choice of the Presidency in India to which they shall be appointed, shall be determined by the order in which they stand on such list.

8. In August 1856, and August 1857, further Examinations of the selected Candidates will take place by Examiners appointed by the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India in the following subjects:—

Law, including the ordinary rules of taking evidence and the mode of conducting Civil and Criminal Trials.....	1,000
The History of India.....	400
Political Economy.....	400
Any language of India in which the selected Candidate shall have given notice of his desire to be examined,	200

and such further Examinations will be conducted in the same manner as that above described. (The numbers set opposite to each subject denote the greatest number of marks which can be obtained in respect of such subjects.)

9. Each selected Candidate, desirous of being examined at either of the further Examinations of 1856 and 1857, shall, two months previously to such Examination, transmit to the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India, a statement mentioning the language or languages of India in which he is desirous of being examined.

10. Any selected Candidate who, having been examined in the further Examination of 1856, shall not have passed, may, nevertheless, be again examined at the further Examination of 1857.

11. Any selected Candidate who shall not have passed at one or other of the further Examinations of 1856 and 1857, shall be struck off the list of selected Candidates.

12. The selected Candidates who, at either of such further Examinations, shall be deemed by the Examiners to have a competent knowledge of Law, the History of India, Political Economy, and at least one language of India, shall be adjudged to have passed and to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of the East India Company; and the names of the selected Candidates who shall have so passed shall be placed in a list, in the order of their merit in such Examinations, estimated as above by the total number of marks which they shall have obtained in respect of all the subjects in which they shall have been examined at such Examination.

13. The seniority in the Civil Service of the East India Company of the selected Candidates shall be determined by the date of the further Examination at which they shall be adjudged to have passed; and, as between those who passed at the same further Examination, their seniority in such Civil Service shall be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from such Examination.

14. No person will, even after such Examination, be allowed to proceed to India unless he shall comply with the Regulations in force at the time for the Civil Service of the East India Company, and shall be of sound bodily health and good moral character.

JAMES C. MELVILL, Secretary.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, in terms of Interlocutors by the Lords of Council and Session, Commissioners for the Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Tents, dated the 12th of July and 20th of December 1854, and pursuant to the Statute 7th and 8th Vict., chapter 44, that the Petition presented to their Lordships on 23d June last, for and in name of the Reverend JAMES ROBERTSON, D.D., Convener, and on behalf of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland's Committee on the Endowment of Chapels of Ease, and Others, Contributors to the Endowment of the proposed New Church and Parish of Newark, in the Parish of Port-Glasgow, and Presbytery of Greenock, as altered and amended in terms of said Interlocutor of 20th December last, and Minute of Amendment therein referred to, prays their Lordships, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the Acts of Parliament therein recited, to DECERN and ERECT the said CHURCH of NEWARK into a PARISH CHURCH in connection with the Church of Scotland, and to MARK OUT and DESIGNATE the District last specially set forth in the said Petition as amended, consisting of a portion of the Parish of Port-Glasgow, or such other District as their Lordships should see fit, as the District to be attached to the said Church of Newark *quoad sacra*, and to DISJOIN such District *quoad sacra* from the Parish of Port-Glasgow, to which the same now belongs, and to ERECT such District into a Parish *quoad sacra* in connection with the Church of Scotland, to be called the Church and Parish of Newark, Port-Glasgow; and to FIND and DECLARE that the Minister and Elders of the

said Church and Parish so to be erected shall have and enjoy the status, and all the powers, rights, and privileges of a Parish Minister and Elders of the Church of Scotland; and to FIND and DECLARE that upon the said Church of Newark, and District to be attached thereto, being erected into a Church and Parish *quoad sacra*, in terms of the foregoing cravings, the Patronage thereof shall be thereafter vested in the parties pointed out by the Eighth Article of the Constitution, recited in the said Petition, as amended, granted to the said Church by the General Assembly of the said Church of Scotland on the 29th day of May 1854, but always under the reservation of the right of the Presbytery of the bounds to present to the said Church *jure devoluto*, according to law, and as provided in the said Act of the 7th and 8th Victoria, chapter 44; and to FIND, DECERN, and DECLARE in the premises, in terms of the foregoing cravings, or in such other terms as to their Lordships shall seem meet, as the said Petition, as amended, and Minute of Amendment, in themselves more fully bear; and Intimation is hereby further given, that agreeably to the appointment in said Interlocutors, the Petitioners have lodged printed copies of the said Petition, as amended, and Minute of Amendment, with the Session-Clerks of the Parish of Port-Glasgow, and of the said Church or Chapel of Newark, for the use of such parties interested as may apply for them.

Wm. YOUNG, W.S., Agent for the Petitioners.
Edinburgh, 3, Moray Place,
January 5, 1855.

Pursuant to the Acts for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England.

See Notice at the End.

The following Prisoner, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and whose Petition and Schedule duly filed have been severally referred and transmitted to the County Court herein-after mentioned, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, is ordered to be brought up before the Judge of the said Court, as herein set forth, to be dealt with according to law.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Durham, holden at the County Court-house in Durham, in the said County, on the 29th day of January 1855, at the hour of Ten in the Morning precisely,

ISAAC OATES, formerly residing at No. 2, Barrington Place, Bensham, Gateshead, in the County of Durham, and carrying on business as a Commission Agent and Wholesale Provision Merchant, at No. 12, Sandhill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, afterwards residing at the same place, and carrying on business as a Dealer in Bacon, Cheese, Salt Fish, and other Provisions, at No. 9, Sandhill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, afterwards residing at the same place, out of business, afterwards lodging with George Handy, Carver and Gilder, Bedford Street, Bishopwearmouth, in the said County, out of business, afterwards lodging with Robert Heron, Farmer, Bildershaw Lane, near West Auckland, in the said County, out of business, and late lodging at No. 2, Barrington Place, Bensham, Gateshead aforesaid, out of business.

N.B.—1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given to the said Prisoner in writing, which may be left at the Gaol two clear days before the day of hearing above-mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of giving such notice and of the said day of hearing.

2. The Petition and Schedule will be produced by the proper officer for inspection and examination at the office of the Court in London, between the hours of Eleven and Three, on this notice being exhibited, and copies of the Petition and Schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer according to the Act 1 and 2 Vict. c. 110, sec. 105.

N.B.—Entrance to the Office in Portugal Street, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields.

3. The duplicates of the Petition and Schedule, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the Clerk or Assistant-Clerk of the said County Court, for inspection and examination, at the offices of the said County Court respectively, at the Town aforesaid; and copies of the Petition and Schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided according to sec. 106 of the Act.

The Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland.

The following Prisoner, whose Estate and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court, having filed his Schedule, is ordered to be brought up before the Court, at the Court-House, No. 3, Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin, on the 27th day of January instant, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute,

HORATIO NELSON, late of Lower Sackville Street, in the City of Dublin, and formerly of Princes Street, Edinburgh, Scotland, Miniature Painter.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

The late Mr PATRICK GILLESPIE, or PATRICK GILLESPIE WOODIN, Shipmaster, sometime in Glasgow, latterly in Leith.

ALL Parties having Claims against the deceased are requested to lodge the same with Messrs Murdoch & Boyd, S.S.C., Leith, Agents for the Executor, within three weeks from this date; certifying those who fail to do so that the Executor will then proceed to divide the funds among the Next-of-Kin.

Leith, January 11, 1855.

NOTICE.

ROBERT WEIR & COMPANY, Stationers, Queen Street, Glasgow, have applied to the Commissary of Lanarkshire to be decerned and confirmed Executors *qua* Creditors to the Deceased JOHN LEITCH, Fancy Paper-Box Maker, Argyle Street, Glasgow.—Of which Intimation is hereby given to all concerned.

AND. GEMMILL, Agent.

38, Queen Street,
Glasgow, January 12, 1855.

ROBERT DE LA CONDAMINE, Wine Merchant in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM WRIGHT, deceased, Keeper of the Anchor Tavern, and Tailor and Clothier in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that in terms of a resolution of the Creditors, the Outstanding Debts due to the estate will be exposed to Public Roup and Sale on Wednesday the 14th day of February next, within the Sale-Room of Mr Thomas Chapman, Auctioneer, No. 5, Melbourne Place, Edinburgh, at 12 o'clock noon. A List of the Debts lies with Mr Chapman, for inspection.

R. DE LA CONDAMINE, Trustee.

JOHN ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, C.S., Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES JACKSON SMITH, Solicitor Supreme Courts, and Banker in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that his accounts, brought down to 24th December last, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners, and that the same lie at his Chambers for the inspection of all concerned.

Edinburgh, January 3, 1855.

WILLIAM DODS, Merchant in Haddington, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOSEPH THORNTON, Wool Dealer and Merchant in Leith, and now or lately residing at Jessfield, near Newhaven, in the County of Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intronmissions, brought down to the 24th December last, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners; and that these accounts, with states of the Bankrupt's affairs, lie at his Counting-House, Haddington, for the inspection of all concerned. The payment of the dividend has been postponed by the Commissioners until the next statutory period, and they have dispensed with the Trustee sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. Dods, Trustee.
Haddington, January 3, 1855.

GEORGE ROBSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM STEWART, Farmer, Dumbreck, in the Parish of Kirkintilloch, Dumbartonshire, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intronmissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 30th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and 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 the Commissioners have postponed a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with the Trustee sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Geo. ROBSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 10, 1855.

THE Estates of WILLIAM HARVIE of Auchingree, formerly Writer and Cattle-Dealer, Dalry, presently residing furth of Scotland, were sequestrated on the 10th day of January 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 10th November 1854.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed James Anderson, Accountant in Kilmarnock, to be Interim Factor on the said sequestrated estate.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Thursday the 25th day of January 1855, at one o'clock afternoon, within Mr Thomson's Hotel, Dalry.

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 10th day of May 1855.

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

CHARLES G. REID, W.S., Agent.

3, St Colme Street,
Edinburgh, January 12, 1855.

A Petition having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Andrew Rutherglen, Wholesale Stationer in Glasgow, a Creditor to the extent required by Law, praying for warrant to cite the persons therein named, alleged Successors of ARCHIBALD M'LELLAN, (sometime designed Archibald M'Lellan, Junior,) Coach Builder in Glasgow, and lately carrying on Business there as a Coach Builder, under the Firm of ARCHIBALD M'LELLAN & Son, now deceased, with a view to sequestration of his Estates: And a Supplementary Petition having been thereafter presented by him, praying for warrant to cite certain other persons therein named; and the said Andrew Rutherglen having thereafter withdrawn from said application, and Archibald Livingston, Writer in Glasgow, a Creditor to the requisite extent, having subsequently lodged a Minute craving to be sisted instead of the said Andrew Rutherglen, and of C. R. Brown & J. M'Indoe, Auctioneers in Glasgow, (who had, upon the withdrawal of the said Andrew Rutherglen, been sisted in his place, but had afterwards also withdrawn from said application,) the Lord Ordinary granted Warrants dated respectively 23d and 28th November, and 12th December 1854, for citing the following persons named in said Original and Supplementary Petitions, and in said Minute, being the whole Successors of the said Archibald M'Lellan, to appear in Court within twenty-one days after citation, to shew cause why sequestration of the said estates should not be awarded, in terms of the Statute, viz.—Henry Glassford Bell, Esquire, Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, at Glasgow; Doctor James Adair Lawrie, Physician, Glasgow; David Dreghorn, Accountant, Glasgow; James Smith, Architect, Glasgow; and James Stevenson, Writer in Glasgow; the alleged accepting Trustees and Executors nominated and appointed by the said Archibald M'Lellan; The Right Honorable Andrew Orr, Lord Provost of the City of Glasgow; Robert Baird, Esquire, Dean of Guild of Glasgow; James Craig, Esquire, Deacon Convener of the Trades of Glasgow; The Very Reverend Doctor Duncan Macfarlan, Principal of the College of Glasgow; William Ramsay, Professor of Humanity; Edmund Law Lushington, Professor of Greek; Doctor William Fleming, Professor of Moral Philosophy; William Thomson, Professor of Natural Philosophy; Doctor Allen Thomson, Professor of Anatomy; Doctor Thomas Anderson, Professor of Chemistry; all in the said College of Glasgow; Sir Archibald Alison, Baronet, Sheriff of Lanarkshire; George Skene and Archibald Smith, Esquires, Sheriff-Substitutes of Lanarkshire, at Glasgow; John Neil Dyce, Esquire, Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, at Lanark; Hugh L. Tennent, Esq. Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, at Airdrie; James Veitch, Esquire, Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, at Hamilton; Alexander Morrison, Writer in Glasgow, Dean of the Faculty of Procurators in Glasgow; Doctor John Strang, City Chamberlain, Glasgow; Robert Salmond, Banker, Glasgow; Isabella Hutchison, residing in Glasgow; and Archibald M'Lellan, or Hutchison, her son, Isabella Park, residing at _____, and Christian Park, her daughter; the other Trustees, Executors, and Beneficiaries of the said deceased Archibald M'Lellan; and James Nairn, Joiner, Dalvait, Balloch, Dumbartonshire, the Heir-at-Law and legal Representative of the said deceased Archibald M'Lellan, and the Tutors and Curators of such of the said Successors as are pupils or

minors, if they any have, for their interest.—The said Successors having been duly cited to appear accordingly, and no appearance having been made, the Lord Ordinary, upon the 12th day of January 1855, ordered intimation of the foresaid Warrants to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and of new ordained the Successors of the said deceased Archibald M'Lellan to appear within a further space of twenty-one days from the date of publication of the said Intimation, to shew cause why sequestration of his estates should not be awarded, in terms of the Statute.

MURRAY & BEITH,
50, Castle Street,
Agents for Mr Livingston.

Edinburgh, January 12, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES M'LINTOCK,
Boot and Shoe Maker in Greenock.

DAVID EGLIN, Leather Merchant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said James M'Lintock; and Adam Kirk, Tanner and Currier in Greenock, Richard Muir, sometime Currier in Greenock, now residing there, and James Anderson, Leather Merchant and Currier in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Court-House in Greenock, upon Wednesday the 24th day of January instant, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the White Hart Inn, Cathcart Street, Greenock, upon Monday the 5th day of February next, at two o'clock afternoon. And Notice is also given, that at the general meeting of the Creditors held at Greenock upon Wednesday the 3d day of January current, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Seven Shillings in the pound upon all the debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable in equal instalments at three, six, and nine months after the date of his discharge being approved of by the Court, and also offered to pay or provide for the Interim Factor's fee, Trustee's commission, and the Law expenses attending the sequestration, and proposed John Lamont, Commission Merchant, Glasgow, as cautioner; which offer and security were entertained for consideration: And the said offer and security will be finally decided upon at the said meeting of Creditors to be held after the Bankrupt's examination.

DAVID EGLIN, Trustee.
W. R. BUCHAN, Agent.

Glasgow, January 10, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION of BURTON & THOMSON,
Merchants in Glasgow, and William Burton and David Thomson, Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

JOHN SIMPSON, Merchant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and Robert Thomson, Candlemaker, Dalkeith, James Thomson, Candlemaker there, and Charles John Small, Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Friday the 19th of January current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs Hamilton & Sinclair, Writers, No. 14, Miller Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 27th day of January current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors have entertained two offers of composition by the Bankrupts, which will be brought before the meeting for disposal on 27th January current.—Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statutes.

JOHN SIMPSON, Trustee.

Edinburgh, January 10, 1855.

JOHN CLARK, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ALEXANDER JAMIESON, Tea and Coffee Merchant in Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, 3, Queen Street, Aberdeen, on Tuesday the 6th day of February next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application by the Trustee for his discharge.

JOHN CLARK, Trustee.

Aberdeen, January 11, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION OF JAMES CLELAND, Deceased.
ROBERT M'OWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of James Cleland, once of Ravenshall, afterwards residing at Mavisbank Cottage, Govan Road, near Glasgow, and afterwards at No. 25, William Street, Glasgow, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 26th ultimo, and states of the funds received and of those outstanding as at 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 said date, and made up lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a first dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at his Counting-house, 17, Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 27th day of February next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROB. M'OWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 12, 1855.

WILLIAM AULD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM JAMIESON**, Stock Broker and Dealer in Shares in Glasgow, residing at Garthland Place, Paisley, hereby intimates, that the account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, to the 25th ultimo, has been audited and approved of by the Commissioners; that states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up: That he has examined the claims of the Creditors who lodged their oaths on or before the 25th ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate, and of those whose claims have been in part rejected. Farther, that a dividend of about Six Shillings per pound will be paid at his Counting-House on Monday the 26th day of February next, to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and sustained.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WILLIAM AULD, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 8, 1855.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **LAWRIE & COMPANY**, Engineers and Iron Shipbuilders at Whiteinch, Partick, near Glasgow, and James Gray Lawrie and Thomas Alexander Thomson, Engineers and Iron Shipbuilders there, the only Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 26th ultimo, 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 26th ultimo, 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, No. 59, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, on the 26th day of February next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 10, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION OF JOHN WALKER, Merchant
 Glasgow.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

JOHN ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Walker, with consent of the Commissioners, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held within his Counting-house, No. 9, Prince's Square here, on Monday the 22d day of January current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of receiving their instructions as to realizing the heritable property belonging to the estate. Farther, he hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, 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 by him, and examined and audited by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have also dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JOHN ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 11, 1855.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **BROWNS & FINDLAY**, Patent Metallic Cask Manufacturers, Port-Dundas, Glasgow, and Samuel Brown, Alexander Brown, and James Nelson Findlay, Manufacturers there, the Individual Partners of that Company, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Writing-Chambers of Mr John Kerr, 85, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 22d day of January current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering an application by the Bankrupts for a renewal of their personal protection.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, January 9, 1855.

WILLIAM MONCREIFF, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM PATRICK GRANT**, Esquire of Rothiemurchus, Banker, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 26th ultimo, and state of funds outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute: That the Commissioners postponed any dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. MONCREIFF, Trustee.

Edinburgh, January 10, 1855.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

DONALD MACDONALD, of Skeabost, sometime Merchant, Fish-Curer, and Dealer and Shipowner at Lochinver, Sutherlandshire, and at Tanara, Cromartyshire, and thereafter Cattle-Dealer and Road Contractor at Skeabost, Isle of Skye, Invernessshire.

ROBERT CHRISTIE, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Donald Macdonald, hereby intimates, that his intrusions with the funds of the estate, from the 27th day of August to the 27th day of December 1854, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaring a dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBT. CHRISTIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, January 10, 1855.

WILLIAM DODS, Merchant in Haddington, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ANDREW PRINGLE**, Wool Dealer and Merchant in Haddington, hereby intimates, that the accounts of his intrusions, brought down to the 25th December last, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners; and that these accounts, with states of the Bankrupt's affairs, lie at his Counting-House, Haddington, for the inspection of all concerned. The payment of the dividend has been postponed by the Commissioners until the next statutory period, and they have dispensed with the Trustee sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. DODS, Trustee.

Haddington, January 3, 1855.

WILLIAM HALL, Blacksmith, Eaglesham, present Prisoner in the Prison of Paisley, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Renfrewshire, craving liberation and interim protection against the execution of diligence, and for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on the 13th day of February next, 1855, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for public examination.

WM. REID, Petr's. Pror.

Paisley, January 11, 1855.

JOHN BROWN, Wood and Coal Merchant, formerly at Sandhill, Newcastle-on-Tyne, now in Aberdeen, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Aberdeenshire, craving interim protection from diligence and decreet of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Court-house of Aberdeen, on the 16th day of February next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JAMES BRYCE, Petitioner's Agent.

Aberdeen, January 10, 1855.

JAMES SMITH, Cab Proprietor in Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 12th day of February next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JAMES SMITH, Petr.

Glasgow, January 11, 1855.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers, who have for sometime been Copartners in carrying on Business as Grocers and Bakers at No. 23, Hamilton Street, Greenock, and No. 9, Cathcart Street, Greenock, under the Firm of **A. & D. M'CALL**, beg to intimate that said Copartnership was **DISSOLVED** as at the 1st day of January current: That the Business carried on in the Shop, No. 23, Hamilton Street, will, from and after said date, be carried on by the Subscriber **Archibald M'Call**, for his own behoof; and that the Business in the Shop, No. 9, Cathcart Street, will, from and after said date, be carried on by the Subscriber **Dugald M'Call**, for his own behoof. Further, that all accounts incurred in the Shop, No. 23, Hamilton Street, will be received and discharged by the Subscriber **Archibald M'Call**; and all accounts incurred in the Shop, No. 9, Cathcart Street, will be received and discharged by the Subscriber **Dugald M'Call**; and that all accounts due by the said Firm will be paid by the Subscriber **Archibald M'Call**.

Subscribed at Greenock, the 10th day of January 1855.

ARCHIBALD M'CALL.
DUGALD M'CALL.

ROBERT WRIGHT, Writer, Greenock, Witness.
THO. G. LAMONT, Clerk, Greenock, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Business for sometime hitherto carried on at Ingleston Street, and 18, Roxburgh Street, Edinburgh, under the name of **LYALL & SWINTON**, Masons, is this day **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

JAMES LYALL.
ALEXANDER SWINTON.

DANIEL FORBES, Witness.
NINIAN ROMANES, Witness.

Edinburgh, January 11, 1855.

THE Concern carried on in Glasgow, as Manufacturers, under the Firm of **W. CLARK & COMPANY**, was **DISSOLVED** by the Subscriber on the 30th day of December last, in virtue of powers to that effect contained in the Contract of Copartnership.

JOHN CLARK.

DAVID G. SPENCE, Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.
ROBERT BAIN, Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, January 10, 1855.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between us the Undersigned, as Oil Merchants and Drysalters at Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, under the Firm of **LAUDER, GREEN, & CO.**, and at Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, in Scotland, under the Firm of **RICHD. LAUDER & CO.**, was, on the 25th day of December 1854, **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

All debts due by or to the above mentioned Firms will be paid by them respectively.

Dated 3d January 1855 years.

RICHD. LAUDER.

Witnesses to the Signature of Richard Lauder,
J. GEBBIE, of Glasgow, Writer, Witness.
WM. BEVERIDGE, of Glasgow, Clerk-at-Law,
Witness.

J. HARTER GREEN.

Witnesses to the Signature of James Harter Green,
HENRY FORSHAW, of Liverpool, Attorney-at-Law,
Witness.
FREDERICK JAMES HAWKINS, of Liverpool,
Book-Keeper, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Business carried on in Airdrie and elsewhere, by the Subscribers, the sole Partners, under the Firm of **TAYLOR & SNEDDEN**, as Wood Merchants, has been **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent, on the 19th day of August 1854.

EDWARD TAYLOR.
JAMES SNEDDEN.

MATHEW LOUDON, Witness.
THOMAS FERGUSON, Witness.

New Dundyn, near Airdrie,
January 6, 1855.

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

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