

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH
CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended April 28, 1855.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
88 4.685	31 6.723	25 9.435	40 10.400	41 6.327	39 2.735

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
68 2	30 10	25 6	39 11	40 10	38 5

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HENRY FENTON JADIS,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that FREDERICK LEWIS MAITLAND HERIOT, Esquire of Ramornie, Advocate, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of RAMORNIE, in the parishes of Kettle and Collessie, and County of Fife, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session (First Division, Mr Walker, Clerk), in terms of the Act 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, entitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' and of the Act 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, entitled 'An Act to extend the benefits of the Act of the 11th and 12th years of Her present Majesty, for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' praying their Lordships to find and declare that the improvements therein mentioned are of the nature contemplated by the Act of 10 Geo. III., cap. 51, and that the expenditure of L.2,123 : 8 : 4, or such other sum as shall be ascertained as therein mentioned, was *bona fide* made by the Petitioner while Heir of Entail in possession of said Estate, and does not exceed the amount authorised by the said last mentioned Act; and to grant warrant to the Petitioner to execute in favour of any party or parties he may think fit, a Bond or Bonds of Annualrent in common form over the said Entailed Estate, or any portion thereof, for the amount of the above expenditure, binding the Petitioner and his Heirs of Tailzie to make payment of an Annualrent during the period, of the amount, and at the terms particularly set forth in the said Petition, with legal interest and penalties in case of failure; or otherwise, in the opinion of the Petitioner, to grant warrant to and authorise him to charge the fee and rents of said Entailed Estate, other than the Mansion-house, Offices, and Policies thereof, or the fee and rents of any portion of such Estate, other than as aforesaid, with two-third parts of the sum on which the amount of such Bond or Bonds of Annualrent, if granted, would be calculated, in terms of the said Act of 11 and 12 Victoria, cap. 36, by granting in favour of any creditor or creditors who may advance the amount of such two-third parts, a Bond and Disposition in Security, or Bonds and Dispositions in Security, over such Estate, or any portion thereof, other than as aforesaid, as prayed for in the said Petition: On which Petition the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—*Edinburgh, 3d May 1855.*—The Lord Ordinary on the Bills appoints the Petition to be intimated on the Walls of the Bill-Chamber and in the Minute-Book for fourteen days, and to be served on the persons on whom it prays for an order of service to be made, and them to answer the same, if advised so to do, within the proper periods, in terms of the Statute and relative Acts of Sederunt; also appoints the same to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and

once weekly for six successive weeks in the North British Advertiser and Fife Herald Newspapers.

(Signed) CHARLES NEAVES,
J., J. M., & J. BALFOUR, W.S.,
Agents for the Petitioner.

Edinburgh, 9, Picardy Place,
4th May 1855.

FINAL NOTICE.

EAST LOTHIAN CENTRAL RAILWAY
COMPANY.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the Directors nominated by, and acting under the Act 12 and 13 Vict., Sess. 1848-9, entitled "An Act for the Dissolution of the East Lothian Central Railway Company, and for the Abandonment of the Railway," having, in terms of said Act, duly advertised the Abandonment of the Undertaking, and also advertised for, called in, and settled all legal claims and demands upon the Funds thereof, are now in a position to pay over and distribute the whole remaining Assets of the Company: That a FIRST and FINAL DIVIDEND of £1 : 9 : 3, per Share, being the whole balance remaining of the Deposits received upon the Shares, will be paid on and after the 21st day of May current, "to all persons, for the time being, entitled to Shares in the said Company," in terms of Section 7th of said Act, and in accordance with the decision of the Court in the Case *Lauder v. Drew and Others*.

Payment of the above Return will be made at the Chambers of James Wilkie, Accountant, 74, Queen Street, Edinburgh, on and after said date,—the Share and Scrip Certificates, and the Secretary's Receipts therefor, being delivered up, and proper discharges granted for the money so paid.

By Order of the Directors,

WM. DODS, Chairman.

Haddington, May 3, 1855.

NOTICE.

JAMES JOHNSTON, Farmer, Mains of Drumwhindle, Parish of Ellon, has raised an Edict before the Commissary of Aberdeenshire, for having himself decerned and confirmed Executor-Dative *qua* Creditor to the Deceased JOHN COWIE, Miller, Mill of Calliston, Parish of Slains.—Of which Notice is hereby given.

JAMES LEASK, Raiser's Agent.

Aberdeen, May 5, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION of ADOLPH BREYSIG, Merchant and Commission Agent in Dundee.

GEORGE BURNETT, Merchant in Dundee, the Trustee, hereby intimates, that at a meeting of Creditors held within the British Hotel, Castle Street, Dundee, on Thursday 26th April 1855, he laid before the meeting an offer by the Bankrupt, in the following terms, viz.—"To George Burnett, Esq., Trustee on my sequestrated estate. *Dundee, 26th April 1855.* SIR,—I hereby make offer of a composition of 1s 6d., say "One Shilling and Sixpence sterling, per pound, on all "debts due by me at the date of sequestration of my "estate, payable in cash on the final approval by the "Lord Ordinary, and also to pay and provide for the "expences of sequestration and the Trustee's remuneration. I farther offer Mr Frederick William "Timm, Merchant, Dundee, as cautioner for payment "of said composition and expences. I am, SIR, your mo. "obt. Servt. (Signed) AD. BREYSIG." And that the said meeting unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration. In consequence of such Resolution, the Trustee hereby calls another meeting of Creditors to be held at one o'clock, on Monday the 21st day of May 1855, within the British Hotel, Castle Street, Dundee, to consider and dispose of the said offer and security.

GEO. BURNETT, Trustee.

Dundee, May 4, 1855.

WILLIAM CURR, Manufacturer, Arbroath, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES DEWAR, Manufacturer, New Scone Factory, near Perth, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 22d April last, and state of funds recovered and of those outstanding, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That the Commissioners have resolved to postpone payment of a dividend until the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WM. CURR, Trustee.