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WHITEHALL, *Septemr 19.*

The King has been pleased to grant unto William Thomas Sheppard, Esq. (eldest son of Thomas Sheppard of Littlecore, in the county of Bucks, Esq. by Elizabeth his wife, only child of William Cotton, late of Crakemarth, in the county of Stafford, Doctor of Laws, deceased), his royal licence and authority that he and his issue may assume and take the surname of Cotton, and also bear the arms of Cotton, in addition to his present surname and arms of Sheppard (such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office), pursuant to the last will and testament of his said late maternal grandfather William Cotton: And also to order that this his Majesty's concession and declaration be registered in his College of Arms.

WHITEHALL, *September 21.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Francis Small, of Margate, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES ROBERTSON and Company, Manufacturers in Glasgow, and of JAMES and JOHN ROBERTSON, the individual partners of the Company.

At a general meeting of the creditors of the said James Robertson and Company, and of James and John Robertson, held at the Star Inn, Glasgow, on the 20th September current, being the meeting after the second public examination of the bankrupts, the said James Robertson made a proposal of composition upon their whole debts, and also offered caution to a certain extent, which the creditors then present unanimously approved of. William Atchison, the trustee, hereby intimates, that, in conformity to the statute, a general meeting of the creditors is to be held upon Friday the 11th of October next, at one o'clock afternoon, at the Star Inn, Glasgow, for the purpose of deciding upon the said offer.

Glasgow, Sept. 21. 1799.

[Price 6d.]

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES TAYLOR, Merchant in Muthill.—
 The creditors of the said James Taylor are requested to lodge their grounds of debt, and oaths of verity thereon, either with Mess. Alexander Porteous, merchant in Perth, or John Thomson, schoolmaster in Muthill, the trustees, or Robert Peddie, writer in Perth, their agent, on or before the 10th day of October next; certifying those that do not comply, that they will be cut out of any share of the effects recovered under the trust deed, which are, upon the said 10th day of October next, to be divided among such creditors as have lodged their claims and affidavits.

TO THE CREDITORS ON THE SEQUESTERED ESTATE OF

WILLIAM GIBB and COMPANY, Soap Manufacturers in Aberdeen, and of WILLIAM GIBB, formerly Merchant in Mauchline, afterwards Soapmaker in Aberdeen, as an individual.

A state of the affairs, and scheme of a further division among the creditors, is prepared, and lies for inspection in the hands of Robert Allan, Esq. Sun Fire Office, Edinburgh, the trustee, till Friday the 22d November next, at 12 o'clock noon; when the creditors are requested to meet, in the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, to authorize the division, receive their dividends, and give such instructions to the trustee as may appear necessary.

COPARTNERY DISSOLVED.

THE Copartnery lately carried on here by the Subscribers, under the firm of AITKEN & FLEMING, Woollen Drapers, being Dissolved, they have appointed CHARLES CAMPBELL, merchant here, to collect their debts and wind up the business; to whom they request all those indebted to them will make payment without delay, as he has instructions to prosecute those who may neglect this intimation.

**JAMES AITKEN.
 HUGH FLEMING.**

Glasgow, 21st September 1799.

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