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WAR-DEPARTMENT, August 20, 1855.

LORD PANMURE has this day received a Despatch and its Enclosures, of which the following are Copies, addressed to his Lordship by General Simpson:—

*Before Sevastopol,  
August 7, 1855.*

MY LORD,

SINCE the 5th instant nothing has occurred to form the subject of a Despatch.

I have the honour to enclose the List of Casualties to the 5th instant. I regret to have to inform your Lordship of the death of Colonel Cobbe, 4th Regiment, which took place yesterday; he was an excellent officer, and is a serious loss to Her Majesty's service.

Captain Layard, 38th Regiment, Deputy-Assistant-Quartermaster-General, died this morning of diarrhoea, on board the steamer Faith, in Balaklava harbour, to which ship he had been removed in the hopes of benefitting his health.

I have, &c.,

JAMES SIMPSON,  
General Commanding.

*The Lord Panmure, &c., &c., &c.*

Enclosure 1.

Supplementary Numerical Return of Casualties on 17th June 1855.

31st Regiment of Foot—1 Officer wounded.

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 2.

Supplementary Nominal Return of an Officer serving in the Crimea, who was WOUNDED.

WOUNDED.

17th June 1855.

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Lieutenant Charles Prevost, slightly

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 3.

Numerical Return of Casualties from the 3d to the 5th of August 1855, inclusive.

- 3d Battalion Grenadier Guards—1 rank and file, killed; 4 rank and file, wounded.
- 1st Battalion Scots Fusilier Guards—1 rank and file, killed; 1 Officer, 1 rank and file, wounded.
- 1st Battalion 1st Regiment of Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 5 rank and file, wounded.
- 3d Foot—1 serjeant, 2 rank and file, wounded.
- 7th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.
- 17th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.
- 18th Foot—4 rank and file, wounded.
- 19th Foot—1 rank and file, killed.
- 21st Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 23d Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.
- 30th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 31st Foot—1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 9 rank and file, wounded.
- 33d Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 3 rank and file, wounded.
- 34th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 38th Foot—1 serjeant, killed; 2 rank and file, wounded.
- 41st Foot—4 rank and file, wounded.
- 42d Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 44th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.
- 46th Foot—1 rank and file, killed.
- 47th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 50th Foot—1 serjeant, wounded.
- 55th Foot—1 Officer, 2 serjeants, 16 rank and file, wounded.
- 62d Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 63d Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.
- 72d Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.
- 77th Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 1 rank and file, wounded.
- 79th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.
- 89th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.
- 90th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.
- 95th Foot—1 serjeant, killed; 3 rank and file, wounded.
- 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 rank and file, killed; 2 rank and file, wounded.



2d Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 rank and file, wounded.

Total—3 serjeants, 9 rank and file, killed ;  
2 Officers, 5 serjeants, 84 rank and file,  
wounded.

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 4.

Nominal Return of Officers who have been  
WOUNDED, from the 3d to the 5th August 1855,  
inclusive.

WOUNDED.

4th August 1855.

1ST BATTALION SCOTS FUSILIER GUARDS.  
Captain Hon. W. C. W. Coke, slight contusion.

55TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Lieutenant C. H. Evans, dangerously

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 5.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and  
Privates KILLED, from the 3d to the 5th  
August 1855, inclusive.

KILLED.

3d August 1855.

1ST BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
2040 Lance-Corporal Michael Horan

77TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3482 Private William Conelly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3430 Private John Delaney

4th August 1855.

3D BATTALION GRENADEIER GUARDS.  
6368 Private Thomas Miller

1ST BATTALION SCOTS FUSILIER GUARDS.

5095 Private Daniel Thompson

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2997 Colour-Serjeant Thomas Behan

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2031 Serjeant R. McGhee

5th August 1855.

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1844 Private George Moore

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2843 Private Henry Oaten

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3538 Private Edward Ryan

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3059 Private Michael Spencer

95TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2197 Serjeant Maurice McGrath

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 6.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers  
and Privates WOUNDED, from the 3d to the 5th  
day of August 1855, inclusive.

WOUNDED.

3d August 1855.

1ST BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3640 Private Thomas Sevvill, dangerously  
3826 George Reeves, severely  
3906 James Mathews, slightly

17TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3179 Private William Dowdall, slightly

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4149 Private John Fowler, severely  
4880 David Richardson, dangerously

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3385 Serjeant James Stevenson, severely

89TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2306 Private George Clarke, slightly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3329 Private William Russell, severely  
3779 William Davies, slightly

4th August 1855.

3D BATTALION GRENADEIER GUARDS.

5627 Private John Pullen, severely  
6326 George Withall, slightly  
5123 Charles Shepperd, slightly  
6278 William Holyrood, severely

1ST BATTALION SCOTS FUSILIER GUARDS.

5017 Private Thomas Burns, slightly

1ST BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1789 Private Charles Nichols, slightly  
2614 William Salsbury, slightly

18TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3059 Private James Cautlin, severely  
2781 John Stanley, slightly  
3359 Thomas Medhurst, slightly  
3718 Daniel O'Connell, slightly

21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2996 Lance-Corporal George Edwin, severely

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2719 Serjeant James Forrest, slightly  
3099 Corporal William Roberts, slightly  
2875 Private Edward Leeson, slightly  
3041 William Critchely, slightly  
3530 Thomas Cardell, slightly  
3720 Michael Sheridan, slightly  
3431 John Weekly, slightly  
3110 James Weir, severely  
3603 Henry Walton, slightly

41ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2746 Corporal John Creedon, slightly  
2584 Martin O'Dea, slightly  
2279 Private G. P. Gee, severely  
3593 William Mannix, severely

42D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1520 Lance Corporal Robert Ingram, severely

44TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3147 Private James Dugan, slightly

47TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2466 Private James Anderson, slightly

55TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3547 Serjeant Robert McGarry, slightly  
2624 Patrick Callaghan, slightly  
2798 Lance-Serjeant Benjamin Holdick, slightly  
2868 Corporal Daniel Tierney, severely  
3447 Private Jeremiah Learey, severely  
2472 William Mortile, slightly  
3116 William Hanley, slightly  
3297 William Dagan, slightly  
2315 Edward Bloomfield, slightly  
2820 Thomas Steadman, slightly  
3527 Thomas Graham, slightly  
3048 Thomas O'Reilly, slightly  
3611 Henry Adams, slightly  
3666 James McCann, slightly  
3217 John Cronan, slightly  
3320 William Mara, slightly  
3259 Michael Conway, slightly  
3696 John Cain, slightly

62D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2519 Private James Stranford, dangerously

63D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3436 Private Richard Caffrey, slightly  
3508 Francis Lakey, slightly  
3227 Richard Mulcabe, slightly

72D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2744 Lance-Serjeant John McGilvray, slightly  
1870 Private John Campbell, severely  
3121 Hugh McKee, dangerously

79TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3185 Private Robert Rea, slightly  
4080 John Urquhart, dangerously

89TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3508 Corporal Mathew Burke, dangerously

95TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2815 Private James Swan, slightly

5th August 1855.

3D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2800 Serjeant Thomas Creaven, slightly  
3302 Private Thomas Milton, slightly  
3512 Duncan M'Crae, slightly

7TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3810 Private James Johnson, slightly  
3997 Henry Birch, slightly  
3643 William Clements, slightly

17TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2912 Private Michael Walsh, slightly

23D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4578 Private Levi Ball, slightly

30TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3205 Private Mathew Long, slightly

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2157 Private Joseph Rennox, slightly

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3838 Private Denis Ryan, mortally  
2176 Patrick Brazel, dangerously  
3828 Thomas Walker, dangerously

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3044 Private James Thompson, slightly

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3690 Private Joseph Linnahan, slightly  
2976 Patrick Mayle, slightly

44TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3939 Private John Leahy, severely

77TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3118 Private William Carr, slightly

90TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3317 Private Joseph Crowrick, slightly

95TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3276 Private George Shearman, dangerously  
3368 John Smith, slightly

2D BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

4195 Private Thomas Hathaway, slightly  
W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

ADMIRALTY, August 18, 1855.

**D**ESPATCHES, of which the following are Copies, have been received from Rear-Admiral Sir Edmund Lyons, Bart., G.C.B., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the Mediterranean and Black Sea :—

No. 633. *Royal Albert, off Sevastopol,*  
SIR, *August 4, 1855.*

IN continuation of the proceedings of the squadron in the Sea of Azof since those which were reported in my letter of the 30th ultimo, No. 613, I have the honour to enclose, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a copy of a Letter from Commander Sherard Osborn, of the *Vesuvius*, the senior officer in that sea, reporting to me the steps he had taken to harass the enemy as much as possible, and to punish him at Berdiansk for having fired at some of our people, although the town had been previously spared on the plea of its being defenceless.

Commander Osborn does not fail to point out and to do justice to the merits of the officers by whom he has been so ably seconded, and he particularly mentions Commander Rowley Lambert, of the *Curlew*, the officer next in seniority to himself, who has on all occasions been conspicuous for his activity and gallantry.

Commander Osborn has also on several occasions borne the highest testimony to the merits of those gallant officers, Lieutenant William Horton, commanding the *Ardent*, and Lieutenant John E. Commerell, commanding the *Weser*.

I am, &c.,  
(Signed) EDMUND LYONS,  
Rear-Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.

*The Secretary of the Admiralty,*  
&c., &c., &c.

SIR, *Her Majesty's Ship Vesuvius,*  
*Arabat Spit, July 25, 1855.*

SINCE my last letter I have fully succeeded in destroying, by means of submarine explosions, the four Russian steamers sunk in Berdiansk Bay, and as the enemy had, from the houses of the western suburb of Berdiansk, twice fired upon our people, whilst peaceably and unguardedly employed, I considered it right that such a dishonourable course, from a town which had been spared under plea of being defenceless, should be severely punished, and the more so as Berdiansk had been treated with unusual leniency upon the occasion of our former visits.

I therefore, on the 22d of July, caused to be destroyed the western suburb, which had screened their riflemen, and succeeded in discovering and setting fire to no less than ten large granaries filled with wheat, each averaging about two hundred tons in capacity, and several flour mills, which have been employed night and day grinding for the use of the Russians.

The church and major portion of the town I spared, although nearly every house we searched contained grain in large quantities, and the whole place might be considered little else than a general granary.

The dangerous service of landing in so large a town, with bodies of Cossacks threatening, was entrusted to Commander Rowley Lambert, Lieutenant Hubert Campion (senior of this ship), Lieutenant Hewett, Her Majesty's steam-vessel *Beagle*, and Lieutenant Marryat, Her Majesty's steam-vessel *Cracker*, and the skill with which it was executed reflects the highest credit upon their zeal and judgment.

The operations were admirably covered by the gun-boats under Lieutenants Grylls, Commerell, and Townsend, and Her Majesty's ships *Vesuvius* and *Curlew*; the latter under charge of her zealous First Lieutenant, C. J. Rowley.

On the 24th July I rejoined Lieutenant Horton, Her Majesty's steam-vessel *Ardent*. He, I found, had not been idle; and with the assistance of the *Clinker*, Lieutenant Smithett, and *Wrangler*, Lieutenant Burgoyne, very much damage had been done to the enemy from Ghenitch to Obitotchna Spit, in the destruction of forage, fish, stores, and launches.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) SHERARD OSBORN,  
Commander and Senior Officer.

*Rear-Admiral Sir Edmund Lyons, Bart.,*  
*G.C.B., Commander-in-Chief.*

With reference to the above Despatches, the undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted :—

*To be Captain.*  
Commander Sherard Osborn.  
*To be Commander.*  
Lieutenant William Horton.

ADMIRALTY, August 20, 1855.

**D**ESPATCHES, of which the following are Copies, have been received at the Admiralty from Rear-Admiral the Honourable R. S. Dundas, Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's ships and vessels in the Baltic :—

SIR, *Duke of Wellington, before Sweaborg,*  
*August 13, 1855.*

I HAVE the honour to report, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that after my arrival here on the 6th instant, with the squadron under my orders, I was joined the same evening by Rear-Admiral Pénaud, in the *Tourville*, and on the following day by the remainder of the French squadron, including, in addition to the ships of the line, five mortar vessels and five gun-boats, with store ships and steam-vessels.

On the 7th instant the *Amplion* arrived from Nargen, completing the British squadron, to the

ships and vessels named in the margin,\* and the intention of Rear-Admiral Pénaud and myself being to commence operations against the fortress and arsenal of Sweaborg, no time was lost in making the necessary preparations.

My former reports will have informed their Lordships that during the past year, and in the course of the last five months, the enemy has been actively employed in strengthening the defences of the place and completing the sea defences, by erecting batteries on every advantageous position, and commanding every practicable approach to the harbour in this intricate navigation.

It has therefore formed no part of my plan to attempt a general attack by the ships on the defences; and the operations contemplated by the Rear-Admiral and myself were limited to such destruction of the fortress and arsenal as could be accomplished by means of mortars.

The intricate nature of the ground, from rocks a-wash and reefs under water, rendered it difficult to select positions for the mortar vessels at proper range. In completing the arrangements for this purpose I have derived the greatest advantage from the abilities of Captain Sullivan, of Her Majesty's ship *Merlin*, and the positions ultimately chosen were in a curved line on either side of the Islet of Oterhall, with space in the centre reserved for the mortar vessels of the French squadron, as concerted with Rear-Admiral Pénaud.

The extremes of the line were limited with reference to the extent of the range and the distance from the heavily-armed batteries of Bak-Holmen to the eastward, and of *Stora Rantan* to the westward, of Sweaborg; and a most effective addition to the force of the Allied squadrons consisted in a battery of four lighter mortars, established by Admiral Pénaud on an islet in advance of Oterhall.

To carry these arrangements into effect I directed Captain Ramsay, of Her Majesty's ship *Euryalus*, with Captain Glasse, of the *Vulture*, Captain Vansittart, of the *Magicienne*, and Captain Stewart, of the *Dragon*, to anchor to the southward of Oterhall, and the mortar vessels, under the charge of Lieutenant the Hon. Augustus C. Hobart, of the Duke of Wellington, being distributed to the care of those officers, the whole were anchored on the evening of the 7th instant in position, in readiness to warp into action, and hawsers for that purpose were laid out before daylight. Much assistance in towing was rendered by the officers of the gun-boats, and great praise is due to all concerned for their active exertions.

In the course of the same night Rear-Admiral Pénaud had commenced the establishment of his battery with sand-bags, on the rocks within Oterhall, but the active arrangements could not be completed before the morning of the 9th instant.

During the whole of the previous day the royal standard of Russia was flying upon the citadel of Gustafsvard, but was not afterwards observed.

The success of our operations being dependent entirely on the state of the weather and the rapi-

dity with which shells could be thrown, no time was lost in trying the ranges of the mortars, which proved to be accurate, and general firing commenced soon after 7 o'clock. The direction of this service was confided to Captain T. M. Wemyss, of the Royal Marine Artillery, assisted by Captain Lawrence and Captain Schomberg, and every exertion was used by these officers to press the fire of the mortars to the fullest extent which could be deemed proper.

The gun-boats, having been previously armed with additional guns of heavy calibre, removed temporarily from ships of the line, and the *Stork* and *Snapper* gun-boats being armed with Lancaster guns, I availed myself of the experience of Captain Hewlett to direct the fire of the two latter vessels to the greatest advantage, and his attention was specially directed to a three-decked ship of the line moored to block the passage between Gustafsvard and Bak-Holmen.

Commander Preedy, of the ship bearing my flag, was directed to take the *Starling* and four other gun-boats under his orders, and to manœuvre and attack the batteries in front of the mortar-vessels towards the west extremity of the line.

The remainder were distributed in a similar manner to stations assigned to them; with orders to engage the batteries and protect the mortar-vessels under the general direction of Captain Ramsay, assisted by Captains Glasse, Vansittart, and Stewart.

On the evening of the 8th instant I had despatched Captain Key in Her Majesty's ship *Amphion*, to proceed off *Stora Miölö*, and to place himself under the orders of Captain Wellesley, of Her Majesty's ship *Cornwallis*; and I instructed the latter officer to employ the *Hastings* and the *Amphion*, and to take advantage of any proper opportunity to engage the enemy at the east end of the Island of Sandhamn.

Captain Yelverton, in Her Majesty's ship *Arrogant*, was detached to the westward, with the *Cossack* and *Cruiser* under his orders, and was directed to occupy the attention of troops which were observed to be posted on the Island of Drumsio, and to watch the movements of small vessels which had been noticed occasionally in creeks in that direction.

Early in the day I observed that the detached squadrons in both directions had opened fire upon the enemy, and the action was general upon all points. A rapid fire of shot and shells was kept up from the fortress for the first few hours upon the gun-boats, and the range of the heavy batteries extended completely beyond the mortar vessels; but the continued motion of the gun-boats, and the able manner in which they were conducted by the officers who commanded them, enabled them to return the fire with great spirit, and almost with impunity throughout the day.

About ten o'clock in the forenoon fires began first to be observed in the different buildings, and a heavy explosion took place on the Island of Vargon, which was followed by a second about an hour afterwards; a third, and far more important explosion, occurred about noon on the Island of Gustafsvard, inflicting much damage upon the defences of the enemy, and tending greatly to slacken the fire from the guns in that direction.

The advantage of the rapidity with which the fire from the mortars had been directed, was apparent in the continued fresh conflagrations, which spread extensively on the Island of Vargon.

The intricate nature of the reefs on which the gun-boats had occasionally grounded, compelled me also to recall them before sunset, and the fire of the enemy was slack. The boats of the fleet

\* Duke of Wellington (bearing my flag), *Exmouth* (bearing the flag of Rear-Admiral Sir Michael Seymour), *Euryalus*, *Arrogant*, *Pembroke*, *Cornwallis*, *Cossack*, *Merlin*, *Vulture*, *Hastings*, *Edinburgh*, *Amphion*, *Magicienne*, *Dragon*, *Belleisle*, *Cruiser*, *Geyser*, *Locust*, *Lightning*, *Eolus*, *Princess Alice*, *Volcano* (arrived on the 10th).

Gun-Boats.—*Starling*, *Lark*, *Thistle*, *Redwing*, *Magpie*, *Badger*, *Pelter*, *Snap*, *Dapper*, *Weazel*, *Stork*, *Pincher*, *Gleaner*, *Biter*, *Skylark*, *Snapper*.

Mortar Vessels.—*Rocket*, *Surly*, *Pickle*, *Blazer*, *Mastiff*, *Mainly*, *Drake*, *Porpoise*, *Prompt*, *Sinbad*, *Carron*, *Redbreast*, *Beacon*, *Grappler*, *Havock*, *Growler*.

were then ordered to be assembled with rockets before dark, and under the direction of Captain Caldwell, in command of the ship bearing my flag, they maintained a continuous fire for upwards of three hours, which was attended with considerable success, causing fresh fires, and adding much to the general conflagration.

At daylight on the morning of the 10th instant, the positions of several of the mortar vessels had been advanced within easier range, and the gun-boats were again directed to engage.

The three-decked ship which had been moored by the enemy to block and defend the channel between Gustafsvard and Bak-Holmen had been withdrawn during the night to a more secure position, but the fire from the batteries was increased, and the engagement was renewed with activity on both sides; fires continued to burn without intermission within the fortress, and about noon a column of smoke, heavier and darker than any which had yet been observed, and succeeded by bright flames, gave signs that the shells had reached combustible materials in the direction of the arsenal; the exact situation was at first concealed from our view, but the flames continuing to spread, it was soon evident that they extended beyond the Island of Vargon, and that many buildings on the Island of Svarto were already in progress of destruction.

By the judicious management of the officers of Artillery, a steady fire was kept up during the whole of the following night.

The rocket-boats in the evening were again assembled, when the gun-boats were recalled, and proceeded successively in separate divisions: The first, under the direction of Captain Seymour, of the Pembroke, made excellent practice, at a distance of about 2,000 yards from the fortress; the second, under the direction of Captain Caldwell, at a later period of the night, succeeded also in adding to the fires already burning; but the glare of the flames exposing the boats to the view of the enemy, they maintained their ground, under a smart fire of bursting shells, with steady gallantry.

Considering the extent of injury which had now been inflicted upon the enemy, and reflecting that few buildings of importance remained to be destroyed on the Island of Vargon, and that those still standing upon Svarto were at the extreme extent of our range, and in positions where no shells had yet reached them, I was of opinion that no proportionate advantage was to be gained by continuing the fire during another day.

I accordingly despatched Captain Seymour, of Her Majesty's ship Pembroke, to communicate with Rear-Admiral Pénaud, and with the cordiality and ready concord which I have invariably experienced from that Officer, arrangements were immediately concerted, and orders given to cease firing after daylight. Little fire, except at the rocket boats, had been returned by the enemy during the night, and it ceased almost entirely on his side before daylight, although the sea defences in general were little injured.

It remains for me to transmit now, for their Lordships' information, the enclosed Reports of the proceedings of Captain Wellesley, of Her Majesty's ship Cornwallis, with the detached squadron to the eastward, on the 9th instant; and I beg you will inform their Lordships that the troops on Drumsio having offered no resistance to the ships under the orders of Captain Yelverton, he returned to his former anchorage the same evening.

Enclosed are the Lists of Casualties which have occurred in execution of the service which I have had the honour to detail; and I am thankful to say that they have been fewer than could possibly have been expected under the fire to which those who were engaged were repeatedly exposed. Some of the most severe injuries are those which unfortunately occurred from explosions of the rockets in the boats of the Hastings and Vulture.

Their Lordships will observe that I abstain entirely from reports on the proceedings of the squadron under the command of Rear-Admiral Pénaud, which will, no doubt, be fully and ably explained to his own Government; but I may be permitted to acknowledge my deep sense of the valuable co-operation they have afforded, and to express my admiration of the gallant conduct of those under his orders, and my warmest thanks for the cordial support which I have received.

I have much satisfaction in reporting in the most favourable manner on the conduct of the officers, seamen, and marines, under my command; and I transmit, for their Lordships' information, the Lists of the officers and others who were employed on the various detached services which occurred during the operations.

My best thanks are due to Rear-Admiral Sir Michael Seymour, who has at all times afforded me the most ready assistance.

From Commodore the Honourable Frederick Pelham, Captain of the Fleet, I have received the most valuable support, and the energy and ability with which he has performed the important duties of his station have tended greatly to further the execution of the service, and demand my warmest thanks.

I am much indebted to Captain Ramsay, of Her Majesty's ship Euryalus, for his active and useful exertions, as well as to Captain Glasse, of the Vulture, and Captain Vansittart, of the Magicienne, and to none more than to Captain Stewart, of Her Majesty's ship Dragon, whose zeal and ready resource attracted my particular attention.

The services allotted to Captain Wellesley, as well as those assigned to Captains Seymour, Hewlett, and Caldwell, were executed to my entire satisfaction; and my best thanks are due for the assistance rendered by Captain Hall, of Her Majesty's ship Exmouth, on several occasions.

Late on the evening of the 10th instant, Her Majesty's ship Merlin, under the command of Captain Sullivan, struck upon an unknown rock, on ground which he had himself repeatedly examined while conducting me along the line of the mortar vessels.

No blame whatever can attach to this officer on the occasion, and I gladly avail myself of the opportunity which is thus afforded me of calling the especial attention of their Lordships to the unwearied activity of this valuable officer. It is to the singular ability and zeal with which his arduous duties have been performed that much of the success of the operations of the fleet may be attributed; and I trust that I may be permitted on this occasion to recommend to the especial notice of their Lordships the services of Lieutenant R. B. Creyke of that ship, whose conduct has been most favourably reported.

My especial thanks are due to the officers and men of the Royal Marine Artillery for the manner in which their important duties have been performed. The cool and steady courage with which they continued to conduct the duties of their stations deserves the highest praise; and I have

much pleasure in calling their Lordships' attention to the services of Captain Wemyss, as well as to those of Captains Lawrence and Schomberg of that distinguished corps.

Great praise is also due to the officers and crews of the mortar vessels on the occasion.

The admirable manner in which the officers in charge of gun-boats maintained their stations under fire, and the general activity of the crews of those vessels upon all occasions, is deserving of the favourable notice of their Lordships; but in referring to the enclosed list of the officers employed, I am unwilling to particularize any, when all have been highly deserving of their Lordships' favour; and the gallant conduct of the crews has been conspicuous.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) R. S. DUNDAS,  
Rear-Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.

*The Secretary of the Admiralty.*

SIR,  
*Her Majesty's ship Cornwallis,  
off Stora Miölö, August 9, 1855.*

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you that in compliance with your memorandum of the 8th instant, on observing the mortar vessels open fire this morning, I immediately weighed in Her Majesty's ship under my command, in company with the Hastings and Amphion, and proceeded to attack the forts at the south-east end of Sandhamn.

Our attack was more particularly directed against the battery on the south-eastern entrance and another on Storholm; but, on arriving within long range, a general fire was opened from the whole of the batteries on the south side of Sandhamn.

A very brisk and extremely well-directed fire was kept up from the ships, which did considerable damage to one of the batteries at Sandhamn, and one or two of the guns were silenced for a short period, but no permanent effect was produced.

At 10.50, therefore, considering that the object contemplated in your memorandum had been attained, I made signal to discontinue the engagement, and anchored the ships in the positions they left this morning.

I deem it my duty to represent to you the effective co-operation I received from Captains Caffin and Key, as well as the steadiness and activity of the officers and crews of the ships engaged.

I beg to enclose a List of Casualties.

I have, &c.,  
(Signed) GEORGE G. WELLESLEY,  
Captain.

*Rear-Admiral the Hon. R. S. Dundas, C.B.,  
Commander-in-Chief.*

Casualties on board Her Majesty's ship Amphion, while engaging the batteries to the eastward of Sweaborg,—August 9, 1855.

WOUNDED.

Mr Charles Sturgess, Assistant - Paymaster, severely  
John Breacher, Leading Seaman, severely  
John Markham, A.B., slightly  
(Signed) J. E. BUCHANAN,  
Surgeon.

List of Wounded on board Her Majesty's ship Cornwallis, before Sweaborg, on the 9th August 1855.

Mr Frederick Bowen, mate, slightly  
John Osborne, 1st class boy, severely  
Edward Peters, quartermaster  
William Brundy, ordinary seaman, slightly  
John Coady, 2d class boy, severely  
Robert Kitchener, gunner's mate  
John McGuire, marine, severely  
John Axworthy, carpenter's crew  
Thomas Hodge, carpenter's crew  
Edward Farrell, leading seaman  
(Signed) ALEXR. ARMSTRONG, M.D.,  
Surgeon, R. N.

SIR,  
*Her Majesty's ship Cornwallis,  
off Stora Miölö, August 10, 1855.*

I HAVE the honour to inform you that in further prosecution of your orders of the 8th instant, I despatched last night after dark, under the direction of Lieutenant Tattnall, senior of the Cornwallis, the barges and pinnaces of this ship, Hastings, and Amphion, each armed with rockets, to endeavour with them, if possible, to set fire to a frigate moored head and stern in Kung's Sound.

Moored as she was down under the land with only her lower masts in she was quite invisible, but the boats maintained a very well-directed fire in her direction, which, although not effecting the object of setting her on fire, drew the attention of the enemy, whose batteries, as well as the frigate, opened fire on the boats, without, I am happy to say, any casualty to them.

I regret however to add, that in the pinnace of the Hastings two men were wounded, one severely, by the rocket bursting in the tube.

I beg to enclose a list of the officers employed on this occasion, and to express to you how much pleased I was with the manner in which Lieutenant Tattnall carried out my orders, and of the zeal and activity of the other officers and men employed. I have, &c.,

(Signed) GEORGE G. WELLESLEY,  
*Rear-Admiral* Captain.  
*The Hon. Richard S. Dundas, C.B.,*  
    &c.,           &c.,           &c.

List of Officers employed in the Rocket Boats on the 9th of August 1855.

Cornwallis.—  
Barge—Lieutenant Tattnall.  
    Mr Holmes, Midshipman.  
    Mr Taylor, Gunner.  
Pinnace—Lieutenant Fox.  
    Mr Holden, Midshipman.  
Gig—Dr Armstrong, Surgeon in charge.  
3d Cutter—Mr Powell, Midshipman.  
    Mr Evans, Assistant-Surgeon.

Hastings.—  
Barge—Lieutenant McCrea.  
    Mr Hornby, Midshipman.  
    Mr Holt, Assistant-Surgeon.  
Pinnace—Lieutenant Goodenough.  
    Mr Singleton, Midshipman.

Amphion.—  
Barge—Lieutenant Wodehouse.  
    Mr Carey, Midshipman.  
Pinnace—Lieutenant Clutterbuck.  
    Mr Campbell, Mate.  
1st Cutter—Mr Stirling, Midshipman.  
    Mr Lightbody, Assistant-Surgeon.  
(Signed) GEORGE G. WELLESLEY, Captain.

List of Casualties occasioned by the premature explosion of a rocket in the Pinnacle of Her Majesty's ship Hastings, on the night of the 9th August 1855, (whilst endeavouring to burn the Russian Frigate lying between Kungs Holman and Sandhamn,) during the Rocket attack on Sweaborg.

Joseph Hopkinson, A.B., severely wounded  
James Bowles, Ord., slightly wounded

I can only account for this accident by the rocket being a damaged one; perhaps the composition was cracked, or had loosened from its case, which caused it to explode like a common detonating tube, bursting the shell at the same time, and shattering the rocket-tube to pieces.

(Signed) J. CRAWFORD CAFFIN,  
Captain.

(Signed) JOHN J. D. BURNS, Surgeon.

Approved.

J. CRAWFORD CAFFIN, Captain.

*Her Majesty's Ship Euryalus,*  
August 12, 1855.

List of Casualties which occurred during the Bombardment of Sweaborg.

9th August 1855.

Euryalus—

John Bynon, captain maintop and rigger, slightly burnt in hands, arms, and feet, caused by a 24-pounder rocket-tube bursting.

Robert Glason, A.B., coast guardsman, severely burnt in face and wrists, caused by a 24-pounder rocket-tube bursting.

John Robinson, A.B., dangerously burnt in face and wrists, caused by a 24-pounder rocket-tube bursting.

William Thompson, carpenter's crew, slightly burnt in arms and face, caused by a 24-pounder rocket-tube bursting.

10th August 1855.

Pincher—

William Cousins, A.B., slight contusion of knee, on board Pincher gun-boat.

(Signed) EDWARD GROVES, M.D., Surgeon.

Approved.

(Signed) G. H. RAMSAY, Captain.

List of Casualties that occurred in the Gun-boats and Mortar Vessels attached to Her Majesty's ship Magicienne, during the Bombardment of Sweaborg, between the 9th and 11th August 1855.

August 9, 1855.

Dapper—

Samuel Curtain, private, Royal Marines, hernia, produced by exertion in heaving round the gun.

August 10, 1855.

Redbreast—

Jacob Light, gunner, Royal Marine Artillery, lacerated wound (slight) of the finger.

(Signed) R. CLARK, M.D., Surgeon.

Approved.

(Signed) R. VANSITTART.

List of Casualties in the Pinnacle of Her Majesty's ship Vulture, on the night of 9th August 1855.

John Eldridge, leading seaman, dangerously

Henry Bailey, captain foretop, severely

Adolphus Reynolds, A.B., severely

Henry Searle, A.B., severely

William Odgers, A.B., severely

Lieutenant R. B. Miller, very slightly

Mr Horatio Packe, mate, slightly

Henry Wright, gunner's mate, slightly

Richard Pitcher, A.B., slightly

(Signed) R. B. MILLER,

Senior Lieutenant.

J. D. CRONIN, Surgeon.

The above Casualties occurred chiefly by accident in the rocket-boats, and not from the fire of the enemy.

(Signed) R. S. DUNDAS,

Commander-in-Chief.

List of Casualties which occurred on board the Gun-boat Badger, employed at the Bombardment of Sweaborg on the 9th and 10th of August 1855.

Thomas Burton, R.M., fracture; compound fracture of left leg (both bones), from the breaking of a hawser in getting the Badger off the rocks.

(Signed) GEORGE BANKS,

Assistant-Surgeon.

Approved.

(Signed) G. W. PREEDY,

Commander.

List of Officers and Men WOUNDED by the Enemy during the Bombardment of Sweaborg, on the 9th and 10th of August 1855.

Thistle gun-boat—

Joseph Bailey, private, R.M., contusion; slight, of right foot from fragment of shell.

(Signed) A. McKECHNIE,

Medical Inspector.

List of Officers employed in the Mortar Vessels during the Bombardment of Sweaborg, on the 9th and 10th of August 1855.

Honourable Augustus C. Hobart, First Lieutenant of Duke of Wellington.

Mr F. M. L. Carter, Mate in charge of First Division.

Mr W. Howarth, Acting Mate in charge of Second Division.

Mr Geo. Rivington, Mate on board Sinbad.

Mr G. Taylor, Acting Gunner in charge of Redbreast.

Mr John J. Terdre, Acting Boatswain in charge of Carron.

Mr Thomas Hawkins, Acting Boatswain in charge of Grappler.

Mr Richard Fowell, Acting Gunner in charge of Mastiff.

Mr John Thoms, Boatswain in charge of Rocket.

Mr Henry Wallace, Acting Gunner in charge of Sinbad.

Mr Josiah Hunt, Acting Gunner in charge of Blazer.

Mr Richard Jones, Acting Boatswain in charge of Pickle.



Mr Charles Blofield, Boatswain in charge of Lively.  
 Mr John Dew, Acting Gunner in charge of Drake.  
 Mr Charles Haydon, Acting Boatswain in charge of Porpoise.  
 Mr Charles Ford, Acting Boatswain in charge of Prompt.  
 Mr Richard Broad, Acting Boatswain in charge of Beacon.  
 Mr Thomas Foreman, Boatswain in charge of Havock.  
 Mr John Bosanquet, Acting Boatswain in charge of Manly.

Marine Artillery Officers employed.

Captain J. M. Wemyss.  
 Captain J. E. W. Lawrence.  
 Captain G. A. Schomberg.  
 Lieutenant E. R. Horsey.  
 Lieutenant R. T. Ansell.  
 Lieutenant G. H. Winford.  
 Lieutenant J. Poore.  
 Lieutenant H. L. Searle.  
 Lieutenant G. Brydges.  
 Lieutenant E. S. L. Durnford.  
 Lieutenant F. E. Halliday.  
 Lieutenant R. Woolcombe.

(Signed) R. S. DUNDAS,  
 Rear-Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.

List of Gun-Boats engaged in the Bombardment of Sweaborg on the 9th and 10th August 1855.

Abreast of eight English eastern mortar vessels :

Under the orders of Captain George Ramsay, Her Majesty's ship Euryalus—Pincher, Lieutenant Keith Stewart ; Skylark, Lieutenant F. W. Pym ; Lark, Lieutenant M. Pechell.

Under the orders of Captain F. H. H. Glasse, Her Majesty's ship Vulture—Snap, Lieutenant C. A. Wise ; Gleaner, Mate A. G. Bogle.

Under the orders of Captain N. Vansittart, Her Majesty's ship Magicienne—Dapper, Lieutenant H. T. Grant ; Redwing, Mate W. G. Silverlock.

Round Oterhall :

Under the orders of Captain Wm. H. Stewart, Her Majesty's ship Dragon—Magpie, Lieutenant B. C. T. Pine ; Weazel, Lieutenant R. Craigie.

To keep Vargon church open east of Rantan Island.

In front of the western mortar vessels :

Under the orders of Commander G. W. Preedy, Duke of Wellington—Starling, Lieutenant S. B. Piers ; Thistle, Lieutenant David Spain ; Pelter, Lieutenant William F. Lee ; Biter, Lieutenant W. H. Anderson ; Badger, Mate W. H. Cumming.

For service of the Lancaster guns :

Under the orders of Captain R. S. Hewlett, C.B., Her Majesty's ship Edinburgh—Snapper, Lieutenant A. J. Villiers ; Stork, Lieutenant G. J. Malcolm.

(Signed) R. S. DUNDAS,  
 Rear-Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.

A List of Officers in the Rocket-boats of Her Majesty's ships employed on the night of the 9th August 1855, in an Attack upon the Fortress of Sweaborg, under the command of Captain Henry Caldwell, of Her Majesty's ship Duke of Wellington.

Duke of Wellington.—

Four boats—

Lieutenants, L.° E. H. Somerset, T. Barnadiston.  
 Second Master D. Moore.  
 Midshipmen, J. de Wahl and Holford  
 H. Washington.  
 Hospital Dresser J. Moore.

Exmouth.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant C. M. Luckcraft.  
 Lieutenant C. B. Mitchel, R.M.  
 Mate C. H. Carpenter.  
 Assistant-Surgeon J. Caldwell.

Arrogant.—

Two boats—

Lieutenants, H. B. Woolcombe and Martin.  
 Mate R. T. Clark.  
 Midshipman — Montague.

Pembroke.—

Two boats—

Lieutenants, J. B. Scott, F. M. Prattent.  
 Mate — Garbeh.  
 Midshipman — Brownlow.

Vulture.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant E. B. Miller.  
 Lieutenant W. P. Burton, R.M.  
 Mate Horatio Packe.

Edinburgh.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant J. L. Pritchard.  
 Second Master J. Taylor,  
 Midshipman — Waller.

Cossack.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant J. B. Field.  
 Mate — Douglas.  
 Midshipman — Stevens.

Dragon.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant Thomas Stackhouse.  
 Mate W. R. Stubbs.

Magicienne.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant H. B. King.  
 Mate E. Richards.

Geyser.—

Lieutenants, W. N. Cornwall and Francis B. Herbert.

(Signed) J. CALDWELL, Captain



A List of Officers employed in Rocket-boats on the night of the 10th of August 1855, in the Division under the command of Captain G. H. Seymour, of Her Majesty's ship Pembroke.

Exmouth.—

Lieutenant Robert J. Wynniatt.  
Lieutenant Campbell.

Euryalus.—

Senior Lieutenant Charles M. Luckcraft.  
Mr Charles H. Carpenter, acting mate.  
Mr John Calwell, assistant-surgeon.

Arrogant.—

Lieutenant Henry B. Woolcombe.  
Lieutenant N. C. Martin.

Pembroke.—

Senior Lieutenant J. B. Scott.  
Gunnery Lieutenant Francis M. Prattent.

Magicienne.—

Lieutenant Henry B. King.  
Mr Edmund E. Richards, acting mate.  
(Signed) G. H. SEYMOUR,  
Captain.

A List of Officers employed in Rocket-boats on the night of the 10th of August 1855, in the Division under the command of Captain Henry Caldwell, of Her Majesty's ship Duke of Wellington.

Duke of Wellington.—

Four boats—

Lieutenant L. E. T. Somerset, T. Barnadiston.  
Second Master D. Moore.  
Midshipmen J. de Wahl and H. Holford Washington.  
Hospital Dresser J. Moore.

Edinburgh.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant J. A. Pritchard, W. H. Blake.  
Second Master J. Taylor, Midshipman Waller.

Vulture.—

One boat—

Lieutenant E. B. Miller.  
Lieutenant W. B. Burton, R.M.A.

Dragon.—

One boat—

Mate W. B. Stubbs.

Cossack.—

Two boats—

Lieutenant J. B. Field, — Douglas, mate, — Stevens, midshipman.  
(Signed) H. CALDWELL,  
Captain Commanding Division.

WAR-DEPARTMENT, August 23, 1855.

**L**ORD PANMURE has this day received a Despatch and its Enclosures, of which the following are Copies; addressed to his Lordship by General Simpson :—

MY LORD,

I HAD the honour to acquaint you that during the past week the Army has been unceasingly employed in strengthening and improving the advanced works, which are now so close to the enemy that it is with the greatest difficulty any approach can be made. By the Casualty Return which I enclose, your Lordship will regret to see a large number, though the proportion of wounded over the killed is considerable.

Brevet-Major Macgowan, of the 93d, is supposed to have fallen a prisoner into the hands of the enemy. I have caused a letter to be addressed to the Governor of the place, to ascertain his fate, but up to this time I have received no answer.

The health of the Army is, on the whole, good, although the cholera still continues to take daily several victims.

I have, &c.,

JAMES SIMPSON,  
General Commanding.

*The Lord Panmure, &c., &c., &c.*

Enclosure 1.

Numerical Return of Casualties from the 6th to the 9th of August 1855, inclusive.

3d Battalion Grenadier Guards—1 rank and file wounded.

1st Battalion Coldstream Guards—7 rank and file, wounded.

1st Battalion 1st Regiment of Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.

2d Battalion 1st Regiment of Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

3d Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.

4th Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 2 serjeants, 4 rank and file, wounded.

7th Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 3 rank and file, wounded.

9th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.

14th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.

17th Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 2 rank and file, wounded.

18th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

19th Foot—4 rank and file, wounded.

31st Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.

33d Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

34th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

41st Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 7 rank and file, wounded.

42d Foot—6 rank and file, wounded; 1 rank and file, missing.

46th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.

48th Foot—1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, wounded.

49th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

57th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.

63d Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.

68th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

72d Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

77th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.

88th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.

90th Foot—1 Officer, 5 rank and file, wounded.

93d Foot—2 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 1 rank and file, wounded; 1 Officer, missing.

97th Foot—1 rank and file, killed; 9 rank and file, wounded.

1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 8 rank and file, wounded.

2d Battalion Rifle Brigade—2 rank and file, wounded.

Royal Artillery—5 rank and file, wounded.

Total—8 rank and file, killed; 1 Officer, 5 serjeants, 103 rank and file, wounded; 1 Officer, 1 rank and file, missing.

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 2.

Nominal Return of Officers who have been WOUNDED, from the 6th to the 9th August 1855, inclusive.

WOUNDED.

8th August 1855.

90TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Lieutenant N. Grahame, slightly

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 3.

Nominal Return of Officers MISSING, from the 6th to the 9th August 1855, inclusive.

MISSING.

7th August 1855.

93D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

Brevet-Major J. A. Macgowan, supposed to have fallen into the hands of the enemy

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 4.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates KILLED, from the 6th to the 9th August 1855, inclusive.

KILLED.

6th August 1855.

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3035 Private John Finlay

17TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3311 Private Nicholas Carolan

7th August 1855.

7TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3838 Private George Lee.

93D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3072 Private James Wedderspoon  
2734 Donald Fraser

8th August 1855.

41ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3366 Private Thomas Harman

9th August 1855.

97TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1366 Private John McAllister

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2905 Private Peter Cairney

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 5.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates WOUNDED, from the 6th to the 9th August 1855, inclusive.

WOUNDED.

6th August 1855.

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3403 Serjeant Michael McLeod, slightly  
3672 Private Peter McArragher, slightly

7TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

4044 Private Edward Byrne, severely

14TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3552 Private James Beattie, slightly

17TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2686 Private John Kearns, severely

18TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3013 Private Thomas McMahan, severely

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3169 Private Joseph Holyoak, severely

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3977 Private Thomas White, severely

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2862 Private Joseph Papworth, slightly

68TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2784 Private William Gorry, severely  
3676 James Delaney, slightly  
3007 Thomas Wyatt, slightly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3815 Private Cornelius Cleus, dangerously  
2878 Peter McDonell, slightly  
5236 Robert Mathews, slightly

2D BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3539 Private John Green, slightly

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

2914 Corporal Robert Taylor, severely  
3753 Gunner W. Collins, slightly

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3D BATTALION GRENADIER GUARDS.

4418 Private Samuel Bandy, slightly

1ST BATTALION COLDSTREAM GUARDS.

4774 Private John Hartlane, severely  
3974 John Doherty, severely  
2509 William Smith, severely  
5293 William Andrew, slightly  
3346 John Russell, severely  
4000 James Alexander, dangerously  
5151 David Thompson, dangerously

1ST BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3711 Private William Smith, severely  
3862 William Howard, severely

2D BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2255 Private James Lackey, severely

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3896 Serjeant John Hodgkin, severely  
2660 Private Samuel Stevens, slightly

31ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3425 Private Henry Paris, slightly  
3700 Richard Cooke, slightly

42D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3356 Private Donald McDonald, slightly  
3593 James Logan, slightly  
3517 John Formby, slightly  
2369 Duncan McDougall, severely  
3502 Festus Henna, severely  
3700 Neil McNeil, severely

48TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1759 Serjeant Michael Kennedy, severely  
1376 Private H. McManus, severely

72D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3064 Private William Birkmyre, slightly  
2973 William Chalmers, slightly  
3174 John Barr, severely

93D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2326 Serjeant John McDonald, slightly  
2788 Private Alexander Barclay, severely

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

2607 Gunner Alexander Gray, severely  
3923 Philip Gadsby, slightly

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2D BATTALION 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2281 Private John Harriatt, slightly  
1780 Joseph Herbert, slightly

7TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3943 Private Joseph Carpenter, severely

17TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2776 Lance-Corporal John Fowler, severely

19TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2742 Private Frederick Osborne, mortally  
3199 David Cooper, slightly  
1192 Michael Lydon, severely

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3375 Private James Smith, slightly

34TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2607 Private J. Morton, slightly  
3554 W. Walmsley, slightly

41ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1199 Private Thomas Bolter, dangerously  
3696 James Pace, severely  
3414 Alfred Reed, severely  
2302 Michael Richardson, slightly  
3653 John Bannister, slightly  
3815 Richard Dunnigan, slightly  
1866 Joseph Wilson, dangerously

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3650 Private George Pullen, severely

49TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3463 Private James Lennon, severely  
3412 Peter Rielly, slightly  
2692 James Handlin, slightly

57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2763 Private Richard Keefe, severely

63D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2487 Private Hugh Goodwin, slightly

77TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3371 Lance-Corporal Benjamin Hands, severely  
2861 Private Peter M'Cabe, slightly  
1277 George Barber, slightly

88TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3508 Private Samuel Provens, severely  
3560 Patrick Hurtney, slightly

90TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3025 Private Patrick Burke, severely  
2852 John Hines, slightly  
3208 Mathew Elvin, severely  
3491 William Pearce, severely  
3296 James Coonan, dangerously

97TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3629 Private William Phillips, slightly  
3258 Henry McAllister, slightly  
3431 James Ratcliffe, slightly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3422 Private William Willoughby, dangerously  
3987 William Wells, slightly

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

3628 Gunner John Wilson, slightly

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3D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3542 Private Andrew Ainley, severely  
3067 John Mark, slightly

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2995 Private John Ryan, slightly  
3468 James McGravey, slightly

7TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2575 Private Joseph Hamlet, dangerously

9TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3571 Private Michael O'Brien, slightly

18TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2741 Private John Halinan, slightly  
3047 Michael Collins, slightly

33D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2833 Private Thomas Monaghan, dangerously  
3810 James Clarke, dangerously

97TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1426 Corporal Thomas Marks, slightly  
3055 Private William Manville, severely  
3632 Joseph Wilton, severely  
3757 George Tuff, severely  
1955 Stephen Fainham, slightly  
2171 Thomas Johnston, slightly

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2414 Serjeant William Gibson, slightly  
4606 Private Thomas Caleb, slightly  
3674 George Jones, severely  
4284 James Farquharon, slightly

2D BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2726 Private Peter Palled, slightly  
W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

Enclosure 6.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers  
and Privates MISSING from the 6th to the 9th  
August 1855, inclusive.

MISSING.

7th August 1855.

42D REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3620 Lance-Corporal William Dick, supposed to  
have fallen into the hands of the enemy

W. L. PAKENHAM,  
Adjutant-General.

ERRATA in SUPPLEMENT to the LONDON GAZETTE  
of Friday the 17th August, No. 21765, in the  
Despatch from Rear-Admiral Dundas, respecting  
the Bombardment of Sweaborg.

Page 3172.—*In List of Officers employed in the  
Mortar Vessels.*

Mr John Thoms, Boatswain in charge of  
Rocket. For Rocket, read Growler; and  
insert Mr John Miller, Boatswain in charge  
of Rocket.

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Mr Chas. Blofield, Boatswain in charge of  
Lively. For Lively, read Surly.

*In Marine Artillery Officers employed.*

For Lieutenant G. H. Winford, read Wriford.  
For Lieutenant E. S. L. Durnford, read  
E. C. L. Durnford.

*In List of Gun-Boats under the orders of Captain  
V. Vansittart.*

For Lieutenant H. T. Grant, read H. J.  
Grant.

*In those under the orders of Captain Wm. H.  
Stewart.*

For Lieutenant B. C. T. Pine, read Pim.

*In List of Officers in the Rocket Boats, second  
column,*

After those belonging to Duke of Wellington,  
insert—

Exmouth.—

Two boats—

Lieutenants H. B. Beamish and W.  
Menzies.

Mate G. J. Richards.

Midshipman — McKenzie.

Hospital Dresser — Swayne.

For Exmouth, read Euryalus.

*In List of those belonging to Pembroke.*

For Mate—Garbeh, read Garlick.

*In those of Vulture.*

For Lieutenant E. B. Miller, read R. B. Miller,  
and at page 3174.

*In those of Edinburgh.*

For Lieutenant J. L. Pritchard, read J. A.  
Pritchard.

*In those of Dragon.*

For Mate W. R. Stubbs, read W. B. Stubbs.

After *Geysler*, insert Two Boats.

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*In those of Arrogant.*

For Lieutenant N. C. Martin, read C. W.  
Martin.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 17, 1855.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to  
appoint the Right Honourable Sir Richard  
Pakenham, K.C.B., late Her Majesty's Envoy  
Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to  
the King of Portugal and the Algarves, to proceed  
to Lisbon on a Special Mission, to convey to His  
Most Faithful Majesty the Queen's congratulations  
on attaining His majority, and entering upon the  
full exercise of His royal functions.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 20, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of  
Mr Frederick John Scott as Consul in the Island  
of Trinidad for the Queen of Spain.

WHITEHALL, August 14, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto  
William Henry Wilson, of Halnaby Hall, in the  
parish of Croft, in the North Riding of the county  
of York, Esquire, late a Captain in the 39th  
(Dorsetshire) Regiment of Foot, and to Jane

Marian Rutherford, his wife, only child and heir of John Todd, late of Halnaby Hall aforesaid, and of Tranby Park, in the East Riding of the said county of York, Esquire, in the Commission of the Peace for the said East Riding and for the borough of Hull, deceased, Her royal licence and authority that they may take and henceforth use the surname of Todd, in addition to and after that of Wilson, and that he, the said William Henry Wilson, may bear the arms of Todd quarterly with those of Wilson, and that such surnames and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by the issue of their marriage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

DUBLIN CASTLE, August 16, 1855.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Nicholas Dunscombe, Esq. of Mount Desert, to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Cork.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
August 20, 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 Plenipotentiary in China (a copy of which is subjoined) relative to certain inaccuracies which have been found to exist in the official charts of the Gulf of Siam.

(COPY.)

*Her Majesty's Ship Rattler,  
Off Singapore, May 5, 1855.*

MY LORD,

I beg leave to solicit that your Lordship will kindly call the attention of the Lords of the Admiralty to the following errors which we have detected in the official charts of the Gulf of Siam; and to suggest, in anticipation of the probable extension of trade in these regions, that a thorough survey of the Gulf should be made. Many inaccuracies have to be corrected besides those I shall now point out.

In our charts the Island of Pulo Paujang is placed about 18 miles too far to the westward. Its real position is, north latitude  $9^{\circ} 18'$ , longitude  $103^{\circ} 36'$ .

Cape Liant stands 25 miles too far to the east, and six miles too far to the south. Its true position is latitude  $12^{\circ} 34'$ , longitude  $101^{\circ} 11'$ .

The anchorage at Meinam Bar, in four fathoms, is 52 miles too far to the eastward; it really being latitude  $13^{\circ} 24' 50''$ , longitude  $100^{\circ} 36' 30''$ . Some of these errors were pointed out by Mr Crawford in the account of his Mission to Siam in the year 1822.

The situation of Bangkok and its neighbourhood is given, erroneously, as a necessary consequence of the errors I have noticed.

I have, &c.

(Signed) JOHN BOWRING.

*The Earl of Clarendon,  
&c., &c., &c.*

CROWN-OFFICE, August 20, 1855.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Kilmarnock District of Burghs.

The Right Honourable Edward Pleydell Bouverie, President of the Poor Law Board.

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

1st Devon Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Wentworth William Buller to be Cornet. Dated 25th July 1855.

Henry Langford Brown to be Cornet. Dated 25th July 1855.

1st Devon Regiment of Militia.

Halifax Wyatt to be Captain, vice Lord Kingsale, resigned. Dated 6th July 1855.

Ferdinand Yates to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th July 1855.

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

West Kent Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Henry Stephen Hodges to be Lieutenant, vice Ashburnham, appointed to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st August 1855.

Ensign Thomas Arthur Farrell to be Lieutenant, vice Parker, resigned. Dated 2d August 1855.

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

East York Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Donald Robert Ferguson to be Lieutenant, vice Waymouth, appointed to the 17th Lancers. Dated 17th August 1855.

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

Royal Anglesey Regiment of Militia.

Charles Robert Tennant, late Lieutenant 35th Regiment, to be Lieutenant.

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Francis Jones Haseltine to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Annesley, appointed to the 97th Regiment. Dated 1st May 1855.

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

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Thomas Meyrick Charlton, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 17th August 1855.

Robert Maesfield, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 17th August 1855.

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

Warwickshire Militia.

1st Regiment.

Captain Thomas Barnard to be Major, vice Stuart, resigned. Dated 8th August 1855.

2d Regiment.

Albert Stanley Prescott Knight, gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 6th August 1855.

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

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Thomas Frederick Bulkeley to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Newton Harrison, resigned. Dated 15th August 1855.

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

- 2d Somerset Regiment of Militia.  
 Senior Lieutenant William Barrett to be Captain, vice Thackeray, resigned. Dated 11th August 1855.  
 Ensign Alfred Hudson Ricketts to be Lieutenant, vice Helyar, resigned. Dated 11th August 1855.  
 Ensign William John Evered Poole to be Lieutenant, vice Barrett, promoted. Dated 13th August 1855.  
 Charles Fraser, gent. to be Ensign, vice Marshall, resigned. Dated 10th August 1855.  
 John Fenwick Wilkinson, gent. to be Ensign, vice F. J. B. Spurway, promoted. Dated 11th August 1855.  
 Hugh Hamilton Parkes, gent. to be Ensign, vice Duffin, appointed to 20th Regiment. Dated 13th August 1855.  
 Robert Edwards, gent. to be Ensign, vice Clarke, promoted. Dated 14th August 1855.  
 John Bellamy, gent. to be Ensign, vice Bennett, appointed to 59th Regiment. Dated 15th August 1855.  
 Kilner Augustus Arthur Brasier Creagh, gent. to be Ensign, vice Wingfield, appointed to Warwickshire Militia. Dated 16th August 1855.  
 George Clarke, gent. to be Ensign, vice Ricketts, promoted. Dated 17th August 1855.  
 Charles James Osborn Chambers, gent. to be Ensign, vice W. J. E. Poole, promoted. Dated 18th August 1855.

Antrim Rifle Regiment of Militia.

- Ensign Skeffington Thompson to be Lieutenant, vice Robinson, appointed to the 31st Foot. Commission dated 2d July 1855.  
 William Magee Hunter, gentleman, to be Ensign, vice Thompson, promoted. Commission dated 2d July 1855.  
 Alexander Markham, gentleman, to be Lieutenant, vice Hill, appointed to the Line. Commission dated 10th July 1855.  
 Ensign Thomas Dawson to be Lieutenant, vice Coulson, resigned. Commission dated 24th July 1855.  
 Charles William Tallmadge, gentleman, to be Ensign, vice Stannus, resigned. Commission dated 27th July 1855.

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

**BANKRUPTS**

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

**BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.**

- Anthony Gibson, of Lloyd's Coffee-House, Royal Exchange, London, underwriter.  
 Henry Scrase, of Centurion Place, Brighton, Sussex, stone mason and builder.  
 Robert Austin, of No. 46, Pembroke Square, Kensington, Middlesex, linen draper, and formerly of No. 2, Allason Terrace, Kensington aforesaid, linen draper.  
 Robert Nicol, late of No. 7, Idol Lane, Tower Street, London, grocer, tea dealer, and dealer in ship stores, trading under the firm of Robert Nicol & Co., now a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, London.  
 John Hobson, of Leeds, York, grocer.  
 John Williams, of Ffynnon Groyw, Llanasa, Flint, grocer and draper, carrying on business in copartnership with Walter Bell, an infant, at Ffynnon Groyw aforesaid, and lately also at Gronant, Llanasa, Flint, as grocers and drapers.  
 Thomas Younger, the Elder, of Sunderland, Durham, builder and contractor.

**I**NTIMATION is Hereby Given, That the Right Honourable CHARLES ADOLPHUS EARL of DUNMORE, Heir of Entail in possession of the LANDS and BARONY of ELPHINSTONE, PLEAN, POWHOUSE, and Others, now called Dunmore, lying in the County of Stirling, and CATHARINE COUNTESS of DUNMORE, Widow of the deceased Alexander Edward Earl of Dunmore, sole Tutor and Curator, nominated and appointed by the said deceased Earl to his only Son, the said Charles Adolphus Earl of Dunmore, have presented a Petition to the Court of Session (First Division, Mr Walker, Clerk), in terms of the Act of Parliament 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, entitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' praying their Lordships to authorise the application of the sum of L.2,475, or such other sum as may be fixed, to be uplifted from the sum of L.2,512 : 15 : 4, consigned in the Branch of the Commercial Bank of Scotland at Falkirk, as specified in the Petition, and that, in executing certain permanent improvements, therein specified, on the said Entailed Lands, Barony, and Estate, or in payment of such sums as have been already expended in executing the same, and to authorise the said Bank to make payment of the amount so fixed for said expenditure, as mentioned in the Petition; and if there shall be any balance over of the said consigned sum less than L.200, to pay the same to the Petitioners, the said Charles Adolphus Earl of Dunmore, and the said Catharine, Countess of Dunmore, as his curator, for his use and behoof; and lastly, to decern against the Scottish Central Railway Company for the payment of the costs of the said application, and proceedings under the same, in terms of the Act 8th Vic., c. 19, (the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act,) sec. 79; or out of the said consigned fund, in so far as the said Railway Company may not be found liable for the same, in terms of the said Act 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, or to do otherwise in the premises as to their Lordships should seem proper: On which Petition the Lords of the First Division have pronounced the following Deliverance:—'*Edinburgh, 18th July 1855.*—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for fourteen days, and to be served on the persons 'and on the Railway Company, on whom it prays for a warrant for service to be granted, 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, appoint the same to be publicly advertised, once in the Edinburgh Gazette, and once weekly for six successive weeks in the North British Advertiser and Stirling Journal Newspapers.

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

TAIT & CRICHTON, W.S., Petitioners' Agents.  
 2, Park Place, Edinburgh, 24th August 1855.

**J**AMES MURRAY, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of THOMAS BEST, lately Merchant in Aberdeen, presently residing there, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions, brought down to the 8th current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the recurrence of another stated period for making a dividend, and have dispensed with the Trustee sending circulars containing an abstract of the said state to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAS. MURRAY, Trustee.

Aberdeen, August 21, 1855.

**T**HE Estates of DAVID SMITH, Ship and Commission Agent and Merchant in Leith, carrying on Business in the Name of DAVID SMITH, and DAVID SMITH & COMPANY, as Ship and Commission Agents and Merchants, and as the sole Partner of said Firm, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 22d August 1855.

The first deliverance is dated the 22d August 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Mr John Warrack, Average Stater, Leith, Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 6th day of September 1855, within M-Lean's New Ship Hotel, No. 20, Shore, Leith.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle the Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 22d day of December 1855.

A personal protection has been granted to the said David Smith against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, till the meeting of the Creditors for the election of the Trustee.

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

A. W. SNODY, S.S.C., Agent,  
26, Gayfield Square, Edinburgh.

**T**HE Estates of ALEXANDER MORTON, Manufacturer, residing in Kilmarnock, were sequestrated on the 23d day of August 1855.

The first deliverance is dated the 23d August 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Thomas Bishop Andrews, Writer in Kilmarnock, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Alexander Morton against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within the Black Bull Hotel, Portland Street, Kilmarnock, on Friday the 7th day of September 1855, at one o'clock afternoon.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 24th day of December 1855.

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

PATRICK, M'EWEN, & CARMENT, W.S.,  
32, Albany Street, Edinburgh, Agents.

**T**HE Estates of WILLIAM SKINNER, Builder, Baker, and Merchant in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 24th day of August 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 24th August 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed James McClelland, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said William Skinner against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 6th day of September 1855, within Brown & Macindoe's Rooms, 119, St Vincent Street, 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 24th December 1855.

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

JOHN WALLS, S.S.C., Agent,  
9, London Street, Edinburgh.

#### NOTICE.

**I**N the Sequestration of the Estates of JAMES FORBES, Tanner, Currier, Grocer, and General Merchant in Inverness, the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has granted Warrant of Personal Protection to the Bankrupt against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the 7th of September next, being the day appointed for the election of a Trustee.

GRAHAM BINNY, W.S., Agent.

Edinburgh, August 21, 1855.

**S**EQUESTRATION of JAMES HENDERSON, Baker in Glasgow.

**H**ENRY KERR, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Alexander Ewing, Grain Merchant in Glasgow, Robert Wilson, Grain Merchant in Glasgow, and Robert Gilmour, Miller in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-

Court-House, Glasgow, on Monday the 3d day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs Kerr, Anderson, & Brodie, Accountants, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 13th day of said month of September, at one o'clock afternoon.

HENRY KERR, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 23, 1855.

**S**EQUESTRATION of JOHN KILGOUR, Baker in the Village of Auchtertool, in the County of Fife, now deceased.

**W**ILLIAM DRUMMOND, Writer in Cupar, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Mitchell, Writer in Cupar, Alexander Bogie, of Balass, and Peter Christie, Farmer, Scotsraig, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Tontine Hotel, Cupar-Fife, on Monday the 10th day of September 1855, at two o'clock afternoon.

WM. DRUMMOND, Trustee.

Cupar-Fife, August 23, 1855.

#### NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

**J**OHAN MUNRO, sometime Distiller and Road Contractor, Tealaggan, in the Parish of Kirkhill, and County of Inverness, and afterwards residing at Drynie, in the Parish of Dingwall, and County of Ross.

**T**HE Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said John Munro hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to hold within the Caledonian Hotel, Inverness, on Tuesday the 11th day of September next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing Commissioners in room of those formerly appointed,—two of whom have died, and the third has ceased to act as Mandatory for the party whom he represented; and also to give instructions as to what further steps shall be adopted in regard to the estate.

T. FRASER, Trustee.

Inverness, August 21, 1855.

**S**EQUESTRATION of the Estates of LIEUTENANT ALEXANDER MACPHERSON, sometime Tacksman of Ruthven, in Badenoch, deceased.

**T**HOMAS FALCONER, Solicitor in Inverness, Trustee on the said sequestrated estates, hereby intimates and calls a meeting of the deceased's Creditors, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers, No. 42, High Street, Inverness, on Tuesday the 4th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect a Commissioner on said estates, in room of Mr Andrew Smith, Solicitor, late of Inverness, now in Dingwall, who has resigned.

T. FALCONER, Trustee.

Inverness, August 21, 1855.

**S**EQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MACKAY, Merchant at Muie, in the Parish of Rogart, and County of Sutherland.

**J**OHAN GRANT, Writer in Golspie, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors held on the 15th instant, the Bankrupt offered a composition of Six Shillings in the pound on all debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable, with security, in equal instalments, at two, four, and six months after the date of the Bankrupt's final discharge, and also to pay and provide for the expence attending the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee; which offer having been unanimously entertained, will be finally decided upon at another meeting of the Creditors to be held within Hill's Inn, Golspie, on Thursday the 6th day of September next, at two o'clock afternoon.

JOHN GRANT, Trustee.

Golspie, August 16, 1855.

**S**EQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER MELDRUM, Clothier and Merchant in Grantown.

**J**OHAN M'GILLIVRAY, Road Contractor, Garten, Abernethy, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 8th instant, and a state of the funds recovered and outstanding as at that date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the estate, in terms of the Statute, who have postponed the payment of a further dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular notices to the Creditors.

JOHN M'GILLIVRAY, Trustee.

Garten, by Grantown, August 18, 1855.



NOTICE is Hereby Given, that a Petition has been presented by WILLIAM CUNNINGHAME BONTINE, Esquire of Ardoch, to the Sheriff of the County of Dumbarton, in pursuance of the Act passed in the third and fourth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, chap. 43, praying for authority to the Petitioner to grant a Feu-Charter of a Piece of Ground, part of the Lands of CRAIGEND, (forming part of the Entailed Estate of ARDOCH,) lying in the Parish of Cardross, and County of Dumbarton, particularly described in said Petition, in favour of the Trustees therein named, for the purpose of erecting thereon a Manse, and for a Garden, for the Minister of the Congregation of the body of Christians called The FREE CHURCH of SCOTLAND in Cardross, and under the conditions and provisions of the foresaid Act: And that, on considering the said Petition, the Sheriff of the said County, by Interlocutor of the date hereof, *inter alia*, appointed Notice thereof to be published three times in each of the Edinburgh Gazette and North British Advertiser Newspapers, at intervals of fourteen days.—Of all which Notice is hereby given accordingly.

R. MACOME, Petitioner's Agent.

Dumbarton, August 1, 1855.

NOTICE.

THOMAS BEST, residing in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ANDREW JAFFRAY, Paper Manufacturer at Waterton Mills, Stoneywood, Parish of Newhills, and County of Aberdeen, and Farmer and Coach Proprietor at Ruxton, Parish of Tarves, and County of Aberdeen, (now deceased,) as an Individual, and as a Partner of the Company carrying on Business at Waterton Mills foresaid, under the Firm of THOMAS JAFFRAY, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with funds belonging to the estate, only recently discovered and realized, brought down to the 9th current, and state of the funds recovered as at that 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, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Further, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, and an equalizing dividend to those of them whose claims were not lodged in time to share in the former dividend, at the Office of Messrs Fleming & Paull, Advocates, 12, King Street, Aberdeen, on the 9th day of October next.—Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

THO. BEST, Trustee.

Aberdeen, August 23, 1855.

D. S. LOVE, Writer, Beith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM HARVIE, of Auchengree, formerly Writer and Cattle Dealer, Dalry, in the County of Ayr, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited his accounts up to the 10th instant, postponed any further dividend till the next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

D. S. LOVE, Trustee

Beith, August 21, 1855.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER GILLAN, Farmer, Ballimore, in the Parish of Abernethy, and Grazier, Sheep and Cattle Dealer there.

WILLIAM FLEMING, Banker in Grantown, Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th August current, and a state of the funds recovered and outstanding as at that date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute, who have postponed the payment of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular notices to the Creditors.

WM. FLEMING, Trustee.

Grantown, August 20, 1855.

JOHN LOCKHART, Senior, residing at East Nempflar, near Lanark, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Lanark, having applied to the Sheriff of the Shire of Lanark for the benefit of the Process of Cessio Bonorum: and interim liberation, his Lordship has appointed the said John Lockhart, Senior, to appear within the Sheriff-Court-House at Lanark, on Tuesday the 2d day of October next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for examination;—all in terms of the Statute.

JOHN C. WADDELL, Petitioner's Agent.  
Lanark, August 21, 1855.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

Arbroath, August 22, 1855.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the Partnership carried on here by the undersigned, under the Firm of BROWN & SALMOND, Drapers and Haberdashers, was DISSOLVED this day by mutual consent. All debts due by the Firm will be paid by Mr Salmond, at the Shop, No. 118, High Street, and he is hereby authorised to uplift and discharge all debts due to the Company.

A. BROWN.  
PATK. S. SALMOND.

JAMES ANDERSON, Witness.  
J. C. ANDERSON, Witness.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on under the Style or Firm of THE WILLINGTON SMELTING COMPANY, at Willington Quay, in the County of Northumberland, was DISSOLVED, so far as regards the undersigned Alexander Robertson Arrott, on the 1st day of August 1855.

A. R. ARROTT.

Witness,—

EDW. BANKS, Clerk to Mr Haddock, Solr.,  
St Helen's.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers ceased on the 5th day of September 1853, to be Shareholders and to have any interest in THE BARRHEAD GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.

MITCHELL & LOCKE.  
THOMAS MITCHELL.  
HUGH LOCKE.

GEO. YOUNG, Agent, Glasgow, Witness.  
ROBT. HENDERSON, Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.  
West Arthurlie, August 21, 1855.

NOTICE.

THE Trustees and Executors of the Deceased MATHEW ORR, Shipowner, and Rope and Sailmaker in Greenock, hereby intimate, that the said Mathew Orr ceased at his death, upon the 23d day of February 1853, to be a Partner in the Company or Concern carrying on Trade and Business as Rope and Sailmakers in Greenock, under the Firm of ORR, HUNTER, & COMPANY.

Dated at Greenock the 18th day of August 1855.

ANDREW R. ORR, { A quorum of said  
H. MACFARLANE, Jr. { Mathew Orr's Trus-  
JOHN H. CARMICHAEL, { tees and Executors.

ORR, HUNTER, & COY.

JNO. MACDOUGALL, Writer, Greenock, Witness.  
JOHN P. DUNCAN, Clerk to John Macdougall,  
Writer, Greenock, Witness.

Glasgow, August 23, 1855.

THE Subscriber, Peter Weir, as on the 30th day of June last, retired from, and ceased to be a Partner in the Concern carried on by him and the other parties hereto subscribing, under the Firm of WILLIAM WEIR, Junior, & COMPANY, Sewed Muslin Manufacturers in Glasgow and Belfast.

WILLIAM WEIR.  
GILBERT WEIR.  
PETER WEIR.

JOHN B. GRAY, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.  
ADAM PATERSON, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

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

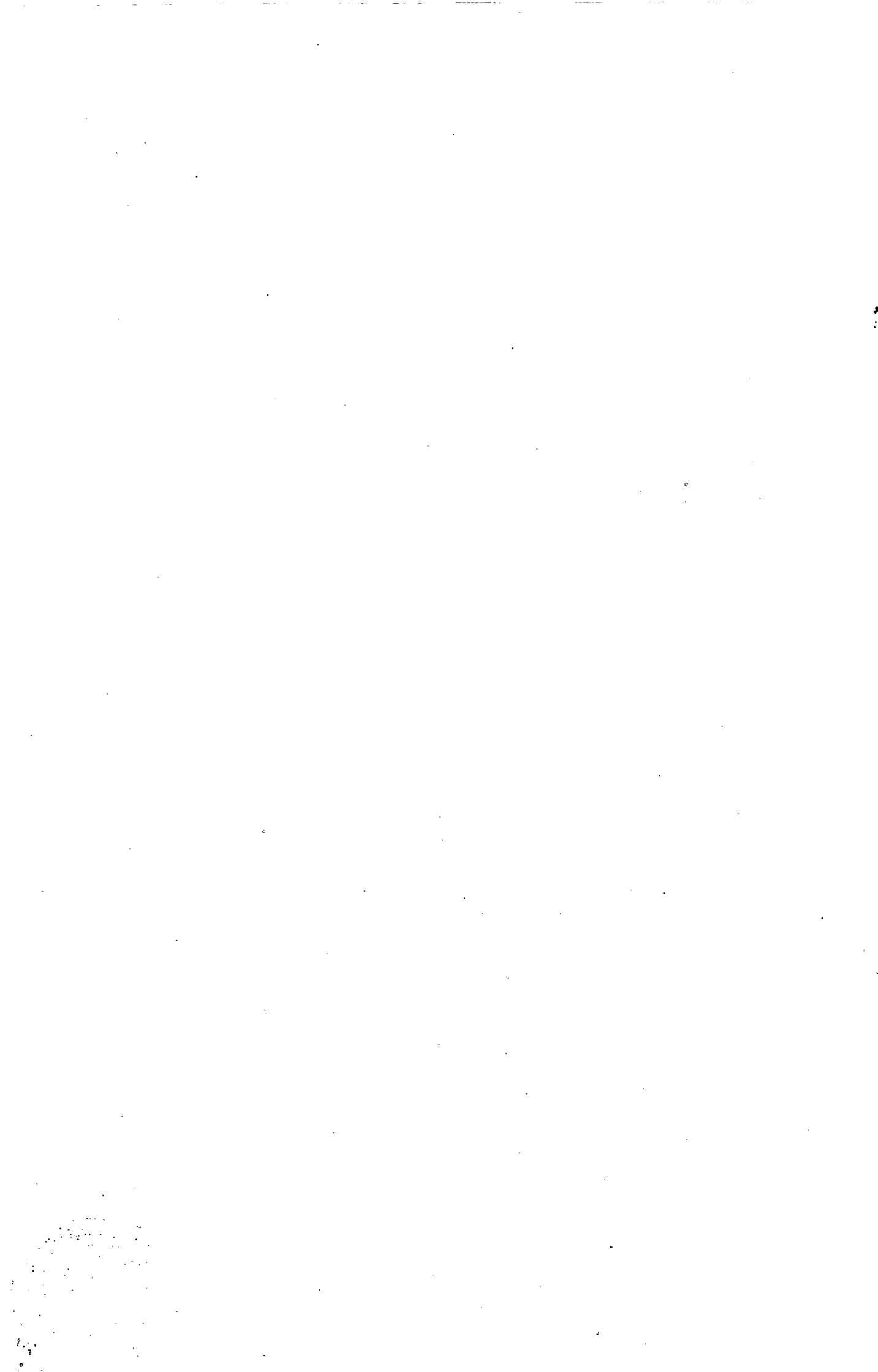
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