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WAR-DEPARTMENT, October 23, 1855.  
**L**ORD PANMURE has received a Despatch and its Enclosures, of which the following are Copies, addressed to his Lordship by General Sir James Simpson, G.C.B. :—

MY LORD, *Sevastopol, October 9, 1855.*  
 I HAVE the honour to transmit to your Lordship the complimentary letters which I have received from His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, on the occasion of the termination of the siege of Sevastopol.—I have, &c., **JAMES SIMPSON,**  
 General Commanding.  
*The Lord Panmure, &c., &c., &c.*

Enclosure 1.

**GENERAL,**  
 UNE Victoire brillante obtenue par un courage héroïque vient de couronner les armes de l'Alliance. Moi et mon pays nous vous félicitons, vous et la brave Armée que la Reine mon auguste et intime Alliée a mise sous votre commandement, comme j'ai félicité nos braves Alliées les Français et les Sardes. La Turquie vous est reconnaissante avec l'Angleterre comme elle vous admire avec le monde entier.  
 La prise d'une place dont le siège sera toujours mémorable dans les annales militaires est la récompense la plus glorieuse des efforts héroïques que les enfans de ces pays intimement unis ont faits depuis le commencement de cette campagne.  
 Le Tout-Puissant en bénissant leurs armes les a rendus la gloire et l'orgueil de leur pays.  
 Soyez, Monsieur le Général, mon interprète auprès de votre brave Armée pour lui exprimer ces sentiments.  
 Le Président du Conseil-Général de Guerre, le Général de Division Rifaat Pacha, que je charge de vous remettre ces présentes, vous communiquera de vive-voix mes félicitations les plus sincères à vous et à vos braves compagnons d'armes.  
 Sur ce je prie Dieu de vous avoir toujours en Sa Sainte et digne garde.

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 Fait au Palais de Tchéragan, le 11 de la lune de Moharrem 1272, 23 Septembre 1855.  
*Au Général Simpson, Commandant-en-Chef des Troupes Britanniques en Crimée,*  
 &c., &c., &c.

Enclosure 2.

*Le 22 Septembre 1855.*

**MONSIEUR LE GENERAL,**  
 SA Majesté Impériale le Sultan, mon Auguste Souverain, désirait déjà depuis longtemps vous donner une marque éclatante de la haute considération qu'il ressent pour vos mérites en vous conférant Sa décoration Impériale du Médjidié. Il saisit donc l'occasion de la victoire brillante que les armes Alliées viennent de remporter pour charger le Président du Conseil-Général de la Guerre, Général de Division Rifaat Pacha, de vous remettre de sa part les insignes de l'Ordre Impérial du Médjidié, de Première Classe, ainsi que le diplôme y relatif, comme une témoignage de sa haute bienveillance et du cas tout particulier qu'il fait de vos mérites.  
 Quant à moi, Monsieur le Général, je m'empresse de vous offrir mes félicitations bien sincères pour cette haute marque de distinction, et en même temps de vous exprimer mes sentiments à l'occasion des victoires brillantes que les armes de l'Alliance ont remportées depuis le commencement de campagne.  
 Agréez, Monsieur le Général, les assurances de ma plus haute considération.

**FUAD.**

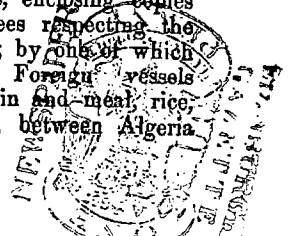
*A son Excellence le Général Simpson, Commandant-en-Chef des Troupes Britanniques en Crimée.*

FOREIGN-OFFICE, October 22, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr Nicolaus Duus as Consul at Hong Kong for the King of Sweden and Norway.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 22, 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 Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copies of two French Imperial Decrees respecting the export of cereals from Algeria; by one of which the period during which Foreign vessels will be permitted to carry grain and meal, rice, potatoes, and dried vegetables, between Algeria



and France, is extended until the 31st December 1856, whatever may be the date of the vessel's arrival at destination, provided the departure from the port of clearing take place prior to the above date.

By the other Decree, the prohibition to export corn and barley from Algeria is continued until the 31st December 1856.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
October 22, 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 Vice-Consul at Galatz, reporting the following increase of the duty on grain exported from Wallachia :—

- Wheat raised to 10 piastres per kilogramme, equal to 1s. 4d. per quarter.
- Indian Corn, raised to 5 piastres per kilogramme, equal to 8d. per quarter.
- Barley, raised to 3 piastres per kilogramme, equal to 5d. per quarter.

WAR-OFFICE, October 23, 1855.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Cornet F. G. S. Curtis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Wight, deceased. Dated 24th September 1855.

1st Dragoons—Macdonald Hall, gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Hartopp, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

3d Light Dragoons—Arthur Lautour, gent. to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Murphy, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

7th Light Dragoons—Riding-Master George Haynes to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Paulet, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

Cornet George Haynes to be Adjutant, vice Trenerry, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

10th Light Dragoons.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Cornet C. H. Uniacke, vice Richmond, appointed to the 3d Dragoon Guards. Dated 23d October 1855.

Cornet A. A. de Bourbel, vice Clark, appointed to the 15th Light Dragoons. Dated 23d October 1855.

12th Light Dragoons—Cornet Arthur Murray to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Steele, appointed to the 15th Light Dragoons. Dated 23d October 1855.

13th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant G. M. Goad to be Captain, by purchase, vice King, who retires. Dated 23d October 1855.

14th Light Dragoons—Cornet Leonard Redmayne to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ling, promoted, by purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 23d October 1855.

Grenadier Guards.

For, Ensign and Lieutenant J. B. B. Coulson, to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice *Honourable* Frederick Ponsonby, promoted,—dated 9th October 1855;

Read, &c., &c., vice *Henry* Frederick Ponsonby, promoted.

15th Regiment of Foot—Ensign John Fitzmaurice, from the Kerry Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 23d October 1855.

16th Foot—William Robert Welch Lea, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kelsall, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

18th Foot—Ensign Sidney Darvell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Esmonde, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

19th Foot—Major J. L. R. Rooke to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Unett, died of his wounds. Dated 15th September 1855.

Captain R. O. Bright to be Major, without purchase, vice Rooke. Dated 15th September 1855.

Lieutenant E. R. W. Bayley to be Captain, without purchase, vice Godfrey, died of his wounds. Dated 14th September 1855.

20th Foot—The name of the Ensign promoted to be Lieutenant in the Gazette of 16th October 1855, with date 21st September 1855, is W. D. *Nunn*, and not W. D. *Munn*, as previously stated.

25th Foot—Charles H. Layard, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 23d October 1855.

26th Foot—Ensign William Beers to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nunn, who retires. Dated 23d October 1855.

Henry Gandy, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wardell, appointed to the 83d Foot. Dated 23d October 1855.

31st Foot—John Theodore Austin Gardiner, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 23d October 1855.

41st Foot—Lucas Waring, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Boddington, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

The Christian names of Ensign Gwynne are *Nadolig Ximenes*.

42d Foot—Captain F. G. Wilkinson to be Major, without purchase, vice Alexander Cameron, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 9th October 1855.

Lieutenant H. H. Moseley to be Captain, without purchase, vice Wilkinson. Dated 9th October 1855.

Ensign G. A. Furse to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Moseley. Dated 9th October 1855.

Ensign C. Shuttleworth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hesketh, whose promotion by purchase, on 25th September 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 23d October 1855.

Lieutenant Samuel Gordon M'Dakin, from the North Lincoln Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Furse. Dated 23d October 1855.

48th Foot—Thomas Gilling Gilling, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice C. Campbell, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

The surname of the Ensign appointed on the 16th instant, is *Chauncey*, and not *Chauncey*, as previously stated.

55th Foot.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Ensign R. F. Dalton. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign F. Heberden. Dated 23d October 1855.

To be Ensign, without purchase.

Norman Fitzgerald Uniacke, gent. vice Dalton. Dated 23d October 1855.

57th Foot—Assistant-Surgeon Michael James Griffin, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Scott, appointed to the Staff. Dated 23d October 1855.

60th Foot.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Ensign J. B. Shackle. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign James Forbes. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign R. M. Hazen. Dated 23d October 1855.  
Ensign C. J. Phillipps. Dated 23d October 1855.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Robert John Hickman, gent. vice Shackle. Dated 20th October 1855.

Thomas Monsell Warren, gent. vice Forbes. Dated 21st October 1855.

George Hatchell, gent. vice Hazen. Dated 22d October 1855.

John Owen Young, gent. vice Phillipps. Dated 23d October 1855.

62d Foot—Ensign George Fox Grant to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Drought, promoted in the 92d Foot. Dated 23d October 1855.

Charles John Miles, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Holder, promoted. Dated 22d October 1855.

John Paine Sargent, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Grant. Dated 23d October 1855. The surname of the Ensign appointed on the 9th instant, is *Crickitt*, and not *Crickett*, as previously stated.

68th Foot—Lieutenant Hugo Shelley Light to be Adjutant, vice Vaughan, promoted. Dated 27th August 1855.

76th Foot—Ensign W. B. O'Malley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Westropp, promoted in the 19th Foot. Dated 23d October 1855.

Martin Samuel Sharpe, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice O'Malley. Dated 23d October 1855.

78th Foot—Lieutenant R. B. A. Purvis to be Captain, without purchase, vice Ridge, deceased. Dated 4th October 1855.

Ensign John Swanson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Purvis. Dated 4th October 1855.

80th Foot—Quartermaster Wellington Browne to be Paymaster, vice Bodle, appointed to a Depot Battalion. Dated 1st July 1855.

Quartermaster-Serjeant William Maloney to be Quartermaster, vice Browne, appointed Paymaster. Dated 23d October 1855.

81st Foot—Ensign T. C. S. Speedy to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Wright, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

George Frederick Jellicoe, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Speedy. Dated 23d October 1855.

Lieutenant W. E. Todd to be Adjutant, vice Wright, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

89th Foot.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Ensign J. Dunn. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign J. J. Bowness. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign B. Helme. Dated 23d October 1855.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Owen H. Strong, gent. vice Dunn. Dated 22d October 1855.

William Sealy, gent. vice Bowness. Dated 23d October 1855.

The promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel Caledon Richard Egerton to bear date 9th March 1855, instead of 7th September 1855, as previously stated.

90th Foot—Lieutenant W. J. Rous to be Captain, by purchase, vice Grove, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign William Knight to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 23d October 1855.

Louis Worthington Wilmer, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Knight. Dated 23d October 1855.

93d Foot—Ensign G. C. Gooch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clayhills, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

99th Foot—George Clayton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Purcell, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

Rifle Brigade.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Ensign Charles Edward Buckley, vice Ryder, killed in action. Dated 9th September 1855.

Ensign L. Percival. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign FitzRoy Stephen. Dated 23d October 1855.

Ensign E. G. Johnson. Dated 23d October 1855.

To be Ensigns, by purchase.

Lieutenant William George Swinhoe, from the Bedford Militia, vice Morgan, promoted. Dated 18th October 1855.

Ensign Nicholas William Butler, from the 2d Warwick Militia, vice D. A. Gordon, promoted. Dated 19th October 1855.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

James Edward Vaughan, gent. vice Buckley. Dated 20th October 1855.

Lovick Emilius Cooper, gent. vice Percival. Dated 21st October 1855.

Frederick William Marsh Chalmers, gent. vice Stephen. Dated 22d October 1855.

Arthur Blundell George Sandys Hill, gent. vice Johnson. Dated 23d October 1855.

2d West India Regiment—Meyrick William Bidwell Edwardes, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice O'Shaughnessy, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

3d West India Regiment—Charles O'Loughlin L. Prendergast, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Vieth, appointed to the 40th Foot. Dated 23d October 1855.

Cape Mounted Riflemen—Lieutenant Walter Henry Gill has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his commission. Dated 23d October 1855.

Royal Canadian Rifles—Julian Stewart Onian, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Williams, promoted. Dated 23d October 1855.

BRITISH GERMAN LEGION.

George Henry Shuttleworth, Esq. to be Paymaster. Dated 2d July 1855.

The second Christian name of Lieutenant Saunders, of the 2d Hussars, is *Howard*.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Gilbert William Francklyn, from the 37th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 23d October 1855.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William C. E. Napier, 25th Foot, to have the Substantive Rank of Major Unattached, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 13th October 1855.

STAFF.

Brevet-Colonel Terence O'Brien, half-pay Unattached, to be Assistant Quartermaster-General at Head-Quarters, vice Clarke, appointed Colonel on the Staff. Dated 1st November 1855.

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Talbot, 43d Foot, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General to the Queen's Troops serving in Madras, with the rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Felix. Dated 23d October 1855.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Albert Denison, 52d Foot, to be Deputy-Adjutant-General to

the Queen's Troops serving in Madras, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, vice Pratt. Dated 23d October 1855.  
 Captain Charles Scarlin Naylor, Paymaster 29th Foot, to be Paymaster for Army Services. Dated 13th August 1855.  
 Captain Robert Law, 31st Foot, to be Assistant-Adjutant of a Depôt Battalion. Dated 23d October 1855.  
 George Western, gent. to be Veterinary Surgeon to the Forces. Dated 23d October 1855.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

To be Assistant-Surgeons to the Forces.  
 Assistant-Surgeon John James Scott, from the 57th Foot, vice Griffin, appointed to the 57th Foot. Dated 23d October 1855.  
 Acting Assistant-Surgeon Robert Graham Dickson, M.D., vice Bawtree, promoted on the Staff. Dated 14th December 1854.  
 Acting Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Stawell Barry, vice Clarke, promoted. Dated 22d February 1855.  
 Acting Assistant-Surgeon Henry Robbins Dew, vice Johnson, appointed to the 44th Foot. Dated 12th March 1855.  
 Acting Assistant-Surgeon David Stranaghan, M.D., vice Franklyn, appointed to the 77th Foot. Dated 8th April 1855.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel Frederick G. Shewell, C.B., 8th Light Dragoons, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General in Turkey. Dated 23d October 1855.  
 John Paul Vertú, Esq., having been appointed Barrack-Master and Storekeeper to the British Italian Legion, to have the temporary rank of Captain while so employed. Dated 23d October 1855.

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

Henry Richards, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th October 1855.  
 Arthur Henry Saunders Davies, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22d October 1855.

Commissions 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.

2d Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Foster Gray, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 16th October 1855.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Ensign Henry Robert Franklin to be Lieutenant, vice Massey, appointed to the 82d Regiment. Dated 16th October 1855.

Ensign Henry Barrow to be Lieutenant, vice Spiller, appointed to the 82d Regiment. Dated 16th October 1855.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Reubens Huvert, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 25th September 1855.

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

Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

Henry Chandos Rivers, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 12th October 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 South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Ensign George Henry Lynch to be Lieutenant, vice Lovesy, promoted. Dated 17th October 1855.

Ensign John James Croft to be Lieutenant, vice Gurney, Gazetted to the 7th Fusiliers. Dated 18th October 1855.

Ensign Frederick George Holbrooke to be Lieutenant, vice Forrest, resigned. Dated 19th October 1855.

Henry Le Patourel, gent. to be Ensign, vice Laire, resigned. Dated 19th October 1855.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

Lieutenant Charles Augustus North to be Captain, vice Hook, resigned. Dated 14th September 1855.

Henry Jobbing Wallack, Esq. late a Captain in the 77th Regiment, to be Captain, vice Simpson, resigned. Dated 14th September 1855.

Lieutenant Francis Jennings to be Captain, vice Humby, resigned. Dated 14th September 1855.

Ensign Richard James Lamb Gibbon Monypenny to be Lieutenant, vice North, promoted. Dated 18th September 1855.

Ensign William Hyland to be Lieutenant, vice Jennings, promoted. Dated 18th September 1855.

Edward Conduit Bicknell, gent. to be Ensign, vice Voules, promoted. Dated 18th September 1855.

Henry de Daubrava, Esq. to be Captain, vice Henry William Burgess. Dated 3d October 1855.

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

Huntingdonshire Rifle Regiment of Militia.

First Lieutenant Gilbert John Ansley to be Captain, vice George Onslow Newton, resigned. Dated 19th October 1855.

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

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Captain Frederick Alexander Blackford to be Major, vice Scriven, promoted. Dated 15th October 1855.

Lieutenant William Elias Taunton to be Captain, vice Burslem, displaced. Dated 15th October 1855.

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

Lieutenant Joseph Deane Freeman, to be Captain, vice Scotland, resigned. Dated 15th October 1855.

Ensign Philip Oliver Coote to be Lieutenant, vice Freeman, promoted. Dated 15th October 1855.

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

1st Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Frederick Severne, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 13th October 1855.

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

Stirlingshire, &c., or 90th Regiment of Militia.  
John Cornelius Craigie Halkett, Esq. to be Captain. vice Carter, resigned.

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

Ross, Caithness, Sutherland, and Cromarty Regiment of Rifle Militia.  
James Stewart, gent. late Quartermaster Inverness Highland Light Infantry Militia, to be Ensign.

Ross, Caithness, Sutherland, and Cromarty Regiment of Rifle Militia.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of Colonel Charles Mackenzie Fraser, commanding the Ross, &c., Regiment of Militia, becoming Honorary Colonel thereof. Dated 6th October 1855.

County of Dublin Regiment of Militia.  
The following Commissions have been signed by the Earl of Howth, Lord Lieutenant of said County:—

Lieutenant Wm. Westby Moore to be Captain. Commission dated 5th October 1855.

Ensign John Hatchell to be Lieutenant. Commission dated 13th October 1855.

William Porter, gent. to be Ensign, vice Fleming, appointed to the Line. Commission dated 6th September 1855.

Thomas Erskine Barton to be Ensign, vice Eaton, resigned. Commission dated 11th September 1855.

Henry Gason, gent. to be Ensign. Commission dated 13th October 1855.

EDWARD C. CARLETON,  
Deputy Clerk of the Peace, County of Dublin.

**BANKRUPTS**  
FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

**BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.**

- Frederick Littler, of No. 7, High Street, Shadwell, Middlesex, and No. 11, Gibson Street, Lambeth, Surrey, oil and colourman.
- George Whiffin Bradbee, the elder, and George Whiffin Bradbee, the younger, both of No. 115, Newgate Street, London, fringe manufacturers, trading under the name, style, or firm, of G. W. Bradbee & Son.
- Alexander John Leslie, of Herne Bay, Kent, and of Conduit Street, Saint George, Hanover Square, Middlesex, coal merchant and gas contractor.
- Ebenezer Lawrance, of New Barnet, East Barnet, Herts, builder.
- John Mallin, of Rowley Regis, Stafford, miller.
- Benjamin William Bowring, of Sydling, Saint Nicholas, Dorset, miller and baker.
- Thomas Edwards, of Tonpandy, Ystradyfodwg, near Pontypridd, Glamorgan, grocer.
- Thomas Furneaux Honywill, of Torquay, Devon, ironmonger.
- Jonathan Ogden, of Liverpool, Lancaster, tailor and draper.
- James Hunter, of Burscough, Lancaster, shipwright.

**JOHN BLAIKIE**, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **THOMAS ABERCROMBY DUFF**, of Haddo, hereby intimates, that his accounts, and state of the funds as at 10th current, have been made up, and that payment of a further dividend has been postponed by the Commissioners.

**JOHN BLAIKIE**, Trustee.  
Aberdeen, October 25, 1855.

**DOCTOR THOMAS FRASER**, residing at Kerrow, in Strathglass, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN MUNRO**, sometime Distiller and Road Contractor at Tealaggan, in the Parish of Kirkhill, and County of Inverness, and afterwards residing at Drynie, in the Parish of Dingwall, and County of Ross, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the Creditors called by the Trustee, with consent of the Commissioners, for the purpose of receiving and considering an offer of settlement by the Bankrupt, and held on the 9th day of October current, the Bankrupt made an offer of Twenty Shillings in the pound to all his just and lawful Creditors, (but denying the claim of Mr Patrick Rose to be just and lawful,) the composition to be payable in ready cash, within one month from the date on which it is agreed to by the Creditors. The said John Munro further offered to pay and provide for the expense of the sequestration and the Trustee's remuneration, and offered Murdo Cameron, Tacksman of Leanag of Ferrintosh, and John Fraser Cameron, residing at Muckle Findon, as Cautioners for payment of the said composition. The Creditors present at the meeting, being a majority in number and four-fifths in value, (and being all the Creditors present except the said Patrick Rose, Writer in Dingwall, who dissented,) entertained the said offer and security, and directed the Trustee to give the necessary notices for having the offer and security decided upon at another meeting to be called, in terms of the Statute. Notice is hereby given, that another meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Writing-Office of John Fraser, Solicitor, Inverness, on Saturday the 3d day of November next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

The Trustee will also, at the meeting called as above, take the instructions of the Creditors, or request them to come to a resolution or resolutions regarding any other matter or matters connected with the estate that may be submitted for their consideration.

**THOMAS FRASER**, Trustee.  
Inverness, October 19, 1855.

**JOHN HYSLOP**, of Blackcraig, Parish of New Cumnock, and residing at Bank, parish aforesaid, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN BRYAN**, Innkeeper, and Grain, Cheese, and Wool Merchant in New Cumnock, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 20th October current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable four months after the Bankrupt's final discharge; and offered William Baird, Farmer and Cheese-dealer at Hall of Glenmuckloch, Kirkconnell, as his security. The said John Bryan further offered to pay or provide for the whole expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee: That a majority in number, and four-fifths in value of the Creditors present at said meeting, having resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Castle Inn, New Cumnock, on Monday the 12th day of November next, at three o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

**JOHN HYSLOP**, Trustee.  
Bank House,  
New Cumnock, October 24, 1855.

**NOTICE.**  
**JOHN MILLER**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **ANDREW THOMAS**, Saddlers' Ironmonger, Saddle Tree, Cart Hame, and Chain Manufacturer, Maxwell Street, Glasgow, and Coach Maker, Coleraine, Ireland, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the said estates, brought down till 9th current, have been examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute: That the other statutory requisites relative to the declaration of a dividend have also been complied with; and that, at his Counting-House, 71, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 10th day of December next, an equalizing dividend will be paid to those Creditors who did not participate in previous divisions, and whose claims have since been lodged and admitted; and a third and final dividend will be paid to the whole of those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted, in terms of the Statute.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

**JNO. MILLER**, Trustee.  
71, Queen Street, Glasgow,  
October 23, 1855.

**THE** Estates of JOSEPH NIXON, Currier and Leather Merchant, World's End Close, High Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 23d day of October 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 23d October 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Samuel Raleigh, Accountant in Edinburgh, Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect a Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held on Wednesday the 7th day of November 1855, at 12 o'clock noon, within Dowells & Lyon's Rooms, 18, George Street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 23d day of February 1856.

The Lord Ordinary, when awarding sequestration, granted to the Bankrupt a Warrant of Personal Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

Geo. C. ADAMS, S.S.C., Agent,  
51, Prince's Street, Edinburgh.

**THE** Estates of COLIN MORISON, Wine and Spirit and General Merchant, and Fish-Curer at Stornoway, in the Island of Lewis, and County of Ross, were sequestrated on the 23d day of October 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 23d October 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Colin Morison 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 on Monday the 5th day of November 1855, at 12 o'clock noon, within the National Hotel, Dingwall.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 23d day of February 1856.

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.

**THE** Estates of ARCHIBALD FALCONER, Merchant in Port-Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 23d day of October 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 23d October 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed James Inglis, Sheriff-Clerk-Depute, Greenock, to be Interim Factor on the said sequestrated estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Archibald Falconer 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 on Tuesday the 6th day of November 1855, at two o'clock afternoon, within the White Hart Hotel, Greenock.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 23d day of February 1856.

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

JOHN GALLETTY, S.S.C.,  
31, London Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**THE** Estates of JAMES SMITH, Junior, Commission Merchant and Storekeeper in Glasgow, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the Company now or lately carrying on Business at Sandridge, near Melbourne, in Australia, under the Firm and Designation of MURDOCH SMITH & Co., Ship Chandlers and Wholesale Wine Merchants, and also Butchers and Provision Merchants, were sequestrated on the 26th day of October 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 26th October 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed Walter Mackenzie, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Smith, Junior, 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, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners is to be held within the Buck's Head Hotel, Argyle Street, Glasgow, on the 9th day of November next, 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 27th day of February next.

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

J. R. SRODART, W.S., Agent.  
Edinburgh, 2, Drummond Place,  
October 26, 1855.

**THE** Estates of JAMES SMITH, Surgeon, Druggist, and Dealer in Drugs, in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 26th day of October 1855.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of October 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Henry Kerr, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Smith 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 12 o'clock noon, upon Thursday the 8th day of November 1855, within the Globe Hotel, George Square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 27th day of February 1856.

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

DAVID MANSON, S.S.C.,  
23, Thistle Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**SEQUESTRATION** of JOHN WALKER, Baker and Grain Dealer, Maryhill, near Glasgow.

HENRY KERR, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Gray Cochran, Grain Merchant in Leith, William Taylor, Grain Merchant, Glasgow, and Alexander Ewing, Grain Merchant there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 7th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs Kerr, Anderson, & Brodie, Accountants, 33, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 15th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. Farther, at the meeting of Creditors held on the 16th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Five Shillings per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable by equal instalments at one, six, and nine months after his final discharge; and offered James Walker, Baker, residing in Maryhill, as his security; and as a farther security, the Bankrupt offered that the whole heritable properties belonging to him shall remain vested in the Trustee till the composition is paid, and he also offered to pay or provide for the whole expences attending the sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee; and which offer the Creditors present at said meeting unanimously resolved should be entertained for consideration. Notice is therefore hereby given, that at the meeting of Creditors to be held as aforesaid, the said offer will be submitted for the final decision of the Creditors.

HENRY KERR, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 24, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION** of the Estates of JAMES MITCHELL, Commission Merchant in Glasgow.

JOHN L. MACKIRDY, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Andrew Hosie Burton, Commission Merchant, Glasgow, John Macfarlane Smith, Merchant and Shipowner there, and John Orr, Commission Merchant there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 6th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of James Smith, Writer, 5, Prince's Square, Glasgow, on Friday the 16th day of November next, at one o'clock afternoon.

J. L. MACKIRDY, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 23, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION** of PATRICK WALLACE, Coach Builder, lately residing in Athole Street, Perth, now deceased.

JAMES MORISON, Accountant in Perth, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and David Craigie, Esquire, Cashier of the Perth Banking Company, Dr Charles Murray Duff, of the Honorable East India Company's Madras Establishment, presently residing in

Perth, and Walter M'Lellan, Esquire, Iron Merchant in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Royal George Hotel, Perth, on Tuesday the 6th day of November 1855, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAMES MORISON, Trustee.

Perth, October 23, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HETHERINGTON RAE**, Commission Merchant and Merchant, Howard Court, Glasgow.

**CHARLES GAIRDNER**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on this estate; and Robert Hill, Writer in Glasgow, William Boyd, of the Firm of Boyd & Penman, Coalmasters, Wishaw, and James Reid, Sub-Manager of the Union Bank of Scotland at Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 6th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of Messrs Wilkie & Faulds, 46, George Square, Glasgow, on Thursday the 15th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon.

CHAS. GAIRDNER, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 24, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER KING & COMPANY**, Merchants, Borrowstounness, in the County of Linlithgow, and Alexander King, residing there, the only Individual Partner of that Company, as Partner thereof, and as an Individual.

**NEIL CAMPBELL DUFF**, Ham Curer and Provision Merchant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estates of the said Company and Individual Partner; and James Thom, Writer in Linlithgow, Robert Fulton, Merchant, Edinburgh, and Adam Heugh, Wholesale Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Sheriff-Court-House, Linlithgow, upon Thursday the 1st day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Star and Garter Hotel, Linlithgow, upon Saturday the 10th day of November next, at one o'clock P.M.

NEIL CAMPBELL DUFF, Trustee.

Edinburgh, October 24, 1855.

**NOTICE to the CREDITORS of the Company carrying on Business as Commission Agents and Merchants in Greenock, under the Firm of JOHNSTON, SCOTT, & COMPANY, and in Demerara, in the Colony of British Guiana, under the Firm of JOHNSTON, CHAMBERS, & COMPANY, and of John Stuart Johnston, Commission Agent and Merchant in Greenock, one of the Individual Partners of that Company, as a Partner thereof, and as an Individual.**

**ANDREW MACEWAN**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on said sequestrated estates, having made a final division of the funds of the said Company, and of the said John Stuart Johnston, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held in the Office of William McClure, Writer, 40, Cathcart Street, Greenock, on Saturday the 17th day of November next, at one o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application by the Trustee for his discharge.

AND. MACEWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, October 26, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION of Mrs ANNE MACKAY.**

**ALEXANDER LESLIE**, Writer in Dornoch, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of Mrs Anne Mackay, Merchant in Dornoch, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 8th instant, have been made up and submitted by him to the Commissioners on the said estate, who have audited the same as required by the Statute:

AND

The funds of the estate being now all realized and divided (with the exception of a few outstanding claims considered to be worthless, or almost worthless), the Trustee hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors of the said Mrs Anne Mackay to be held within the Trustee's Office in Dornoch, on Monday the 19th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made to the Court for his discharge.

A. LESLIE, Trustee.

Dornoch, October 22, 1855.

**INTIMATION.**

**JAMES VINCENT DESGRAND**, Manufacturer and Warehouseman in London, and residing there, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Renfrew, with the statutory concurrence, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him as a Partner of the Company carrying on Business as Manufacturers and Warehousemen in Paisley, London, and Paris, under the Firm of SAWTELL, MUNN, & DESGRAND, and as an Individual, before the date of the sequestration of his estate; and his Lordship ordered the Petition to be intimated in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Bankrupt Statutes. DAVID SEMPLE, Agent for Petitioner.

Paisley, October 24, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION of the Estate of the Deceased ANDREW CHRISTIE**, late Banker and Merchant in Cupar-Fife.

**THOMAS ARNOTT**, Esquire of Chapel, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said deceased Andrew Christie, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Chambers of Messrs W. & G. Pagan, Writers, Cupar-Fife, upon Tuesday the 27th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application by him, the said Thomas Arnott, for his discharge as Trustee.

THOMAS ARNOTT, Trustee.

Cupar, October 25, 1855.

**JAMES SMITH**, Accountant, 20, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **PETER GIBSON**, Spirit Merchant, 35, Clyde Place, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 9th October current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on 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 9th October current, 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, at his Counting-house, 20, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on the 12th day of November next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

Glasgow, October 23, 1855. JAMES SMITH, Trustee.

**JOHN SYMONS**, Writer in Dumfries, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM THOMSON**, sometime of Pleasance, now residing at Clerkhill, near Dumfries, Tile Manufacturer at Whinnyrigg, near Annan, and Dealer in Railway and other Shares in Dumfries, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 10th current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that said Commissioners have postponed the payment of any farther dividend till the recurrence of the next statutory period, and resolved that circulars to the Creditors shall at this time be dispensed with.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. SYMONS.

Dumfries, October 23, 1855.

**SEQUESTRATION of WALTER JAMIESON**, Merchant and Flour Miller in Dundee.

**GEORGE HAIR NEWALL**, Merchant in Dundee, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Walter Jamieson, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to this date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that the Commissioners have resolved that payment of a farther dividend be postponed till next statutory period.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GEO. H. NEWALL, Trustee.

Dundee, October 25, 1855.

**NOTICE.**

The Commissioners on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM HACKNEY**, Merchant in Dundee, deceased, having audited the Trustee's accounts, with states of the funds as at 11th instant, have postponed the declaration of a further dividend, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

JAMES MORISON, Trustee.

Perth, October 25, 1855.



NOTICE.

**JAMES REID**, Carter, Nitshill, present Prisoner in the Prison of Paisley, a Partner of the Company which sometime carried on Business as Grocers in Johnstone, under the name or Firm of **REID & ORR**, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Renfrewshire for the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and Tuesday the 27th day of November next, 1855, at 12 o'clock noon, within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, is appointed for the examination of the Petitioner.—Of which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the Statute.

WM. REID, Petr's. Agent.

Paisley, October 25, 1855.

**NOTICE** is Hereby Given, that **WILLIAM CLARK**, Merchant and Commission Agent, lately carrying on Business at 24, St Vincent Place, presently residing at 19, South Apsley Place, Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire craving interim protection and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 4th day of December next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

ADAM MORRISON, Pror. for Petitioner.

Glasgow, October 24, 1855.

**THE** Copartnership for sometime subsisting betwixt the undersigned John Bell Sherriff and Robert Brown, sole Partners thereof, as Merchants, Commission Merchants, and Agents, under the respective Firms of **SHERRIFF, BROWN, & COMPANY**, and **J. B. SHERRIFF**, has been, and is hereby declared to be **DISSOLVED** as at the 1st day of October current.

The debts due to and by the above Firms will be received and paid by the Subscriber Mr Sherriff.

J. B. SHERRIFF.  
ROBERT BROWN.

JOHN W. MUIRHEAD, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

A. M'KINNON, Law-Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, October 23, 1855.

NOTICE.

**THE** Partnership which existed between me, Thomas Arthur Bushby, and Joseph Hampson, John Leigh Catrall, and William Richard Figg, as Brokers at Liverpool, under the Firm of **BUSHBY & COMPANY**, was ended and **DISSOLVED** by me the undersigned, on the

4th of October instant, under the power and authority given and reserved to me in the Articles of Partnership of the said Firm, bearing date the 3d of August 1852.

Dated Liverpool, 17th day of October 1855.

THOS. A. BUSHBY.

WILL. WAREING, Witness.

NOTICE.

**THE** Deceased **JOHN PEARSON**, Merchant and Coal-master in Glasgow, and his Representatives, have ceased to have any interest as Partners in the Business of Coalmasters at Wishaw, carried on under the Firm of **JAMES ANDERSON & COY.**

A. G. KIDSTON, } A quorum of the Exe-  
ADAM PEARSON, } cutors of the Deceased  
WM. KIDSTON, Jr. } JOHN PEARSON.

JAMES GILCHRIST, Witness.

JAMES B. STEVENSON, Witness.

NOTICE.

**THE** Partnership between the Subscribers, the sole Partners, as Joiners in Glasgow, under the Firm of **WALLACE & LINDSAY**, is this day **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

The Subscriber, Alexander Wallace, is authorised to uplift and pay the debts due to and by the Partnership.

ALEXANDER WALLACE.  
DAVID LINDSAY.

JAMES AITKEN, Witness.

JOHN WILSON, Witness.

Glasgow, October 22, 1855.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

**THE** Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers, as Grain Merchants in Glasgow, under the Firm of **MACKAY & ROSS**, was **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent on the 26th day of September last.

The Subscriber, Ja. B. Mackay, is authorised to uplift and discharge all accounts due to and by the Concern.

JA. B. MACKAY.  
JAMES ROSS.

JAS. M'FARLANE, Junr., Witness.

WILLIAM FINDLAY, Witness.

Glasgow, October 22, 1855.

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

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