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INDIA BOARD, April 2, 1857.

THE following Despatches have been this day received at the East India House:—

From the Governor of Bombay in Council to the Secret Committee of the East India Company, Bombay, March 5, 1857.

(Extract.)

We have the highest satisfaction in forwarding a copy of a letter, dated the 10th February last, to the address of His Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Somerset, K.C.B. and K.H., Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Army, from Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., reporting, that on the 3d of February 1857, a signal victory was obtained at Khoosh-ab, by the Expeditionary Force under his command, over the Persian Army, which was commanded in person by Shooja-ool-Moolk, the Persian Commander-in-Chief.

We have republished the above Despatch in a Government Gazette Extraordinary.

NOTIFICATION.

Political Department, Bombay Castle, March 3, 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has the highest satisfaction in publishing, for general information, the following Despatch received from Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., Commanding the Persian Expeditionary Force, dated the 10th of February 1857, announcing a decisive victory obtained on the 8th of the same month by the British Forces, over the Persian Army at Khoosh-ab.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council directs that a Royal salute be fired from the garrison of Bombay at noon, this day, in honour of this victory.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

H. L. ANDERSON,
Secretary to Government.

Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., Commanding Expeditionary Force, to His Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir H. Somerset, K. C. B. and K.H., Commander-in-Chief, Bombay.

Camp, near Bushire, February 10, 1857.

SIR,—I have the honor to report, for your Excellency's information, that the Persian Expeditionary Force obtained a signal victory over the Persian Army, commanded by Shooja-ool-Moolk in person, on the 8th instant.

2. The enemy's loss in killed and wounded must have been very great. It is impossible to compute the exact amount, but, from the number of bodies which strewed the ground of contest, extending several miles, I should say that full 700 must have fallen. Two brass 9-pounder guns, with their carriages and horses, 8 mules laden with ammunition, and several hundred stand of arms were taken; and the Persian Commander-in-Chief, with the remainder of his army, only escaped annihilation owing to the numerical weakness of our cavalry.

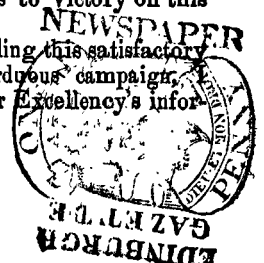
3. The loss on our side is, I am happy to say, comparatively small, attributable, I am inclined to believe, to the rapid advance of our artillery and cavalry, and the well-directed fire of the former, which almost paralyzed the Persians from the commencement. I have, however, to regret the loss of Lieutenant Frankland, 2d European Regiment, who was acting as Brigade Major of Cavalry, and was killed in the first cavalry charge. Captain Forbes also, who commanded, and most gallantly led the 3d Cavalry, and Lieutenant Greentree, 64th Foot, were severely wounded.

4. Returns of the killed and wounded, and also of the ordnance stores taken, are annexed, (A, B, C.)

5. I myself had little to do with the action, being stunned by my horse falling with me at the commencement of the contest, and recovering only in time to resume my place at the head of the army shortly before the close of this action.

6. To Major-General Stalker, and Colonel Lugard, Chief of the Staff, is the credit due for successfully guiding our troops to victory on this occasion.

7. The circumstances preceding this satisfactory termination of a brief but arduous campaign, now proceed to detail, for your Excellency's information.



8. On the 27th ultimo I landed at Bushire, and assumed the command of the army. The vast preparations of the Persian Government for the recovery of Bushire then came to my knowledge. Shooja-ool-Moolk, who commands the Persian troops, had assembled a force, said to amount to 8,500, and subsequently found to be as per margin,* at the town of Burazjoon, 46 miles distant from Bushire, and entrenched his position. This army was well supplied with food and ammunition, of which considerable magazines had been collected. It was intended that this force should form the nucleus of a very large army to be assembled for the re-capture of Bushire.

9. The 1st Brigade 2d Division, which arrived on the 31st ultimo and 1st instant, was landed by the 2d, and, on the evening of the 3d, the troops as per margin † marched from this camp, without tents or extra clothing of any sort, each man carrying his greatcoat, blanket, and two days' cooked provisions, the Commissariat being provided with three days' in addition; the protection of the camp and town of Bushire being duly provided for by a detachment of troops under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Shephard, reinforced by a party of seamen from all the ships in the harbour, which the senior naval officer was so good as to place at my disposal.

10. After a march of 46 miles in 41 hours, during which the troops were exposed to the worst of weather, cold nights, and deluging storms of rain, they reached the enemy's entrenched position on the afternoon of the 5th, and found it abandoned. The enemy, on hearing of our approach, had evacuated his entrenchments the previous night so precipitately that his tents and camp equipage and ordnance magazines were left behind. The former were being rapidly carried off by village plunderers operating for some hours before we arrived. I endeavoured to intercept the retreat of some of the "Eilkhanees'" Horse, who had held the camp during the night, and were still in sight, and a little skirmishing took place, but eventually they made off.

11. The enemy, having succeeded in withdrawing their guns to the strong Passes, where I did not deem it prudent to follow them, and being satisfied with the moral effect of our occupying their position for two days, I decided upon moving the troops back to Bushire. The return march was accordingly commenced on the night of the 7th, first destroying their magazines, found to contain about 40,000lbs. of powder, with small-arm ammunition, and a vast quantity of shot and shell, and carrying away large stores of flour, rice, and grain which the Persian Government had been collecting for a long time past for their army; thereby effectually crippling their future operations. Some of their guns are supposed to have been cast into wells, and as their wheels and axles fell into our hands, it will be impossible they can be used again for the present.

* Guards, 900; 2 Karragoozloo Regiments, 1,500; Shiraz Regiment, 200; 4 Regiments of Sabriz, 800; Arab Regiment, 900; Kashkai Regiment, 800;—5,100. Sufenghees, 1,000. Cavalry of Shiraz, 300; Eilkhanees Horse, 500;—800 Guns (said to be) 18.

† 3d Cavalry, 243; Poona Horse, 176;—419 Sabres. 64th Foot, 780; 2d Europeans, 693; 78th Highlanders, 739;—2,212 Enr. I. Sappers, 118; 20th N. I., 442; 4th Rifles, 523; 26th N.I. 479; Beloochees, 460;—2,022 N.I. 3d Troop, H.A., 6; 3d L.F. Batt., 6; 5th ditto, 6;—18 guns.

Camp:—

378 Europeans.
1,466 Native Infantry.
1 Company European Artillery.
14 Guns.

12. At midnight an attack was made upon the rear guard by the enemy's horse, and parties threatened the line of march on every side. The troops were halted, and so formed as to protect the baggage, and resist the horsemen in whatever direction they might attempt to charge. Four of the enemy's guns of heavy metal opened their fire upon the column, whilst the darkness of the night prevented any steps being taken to capture them.

13. I should here state that on abandoning their position, Shooja-ool-Moolk, with his force, had taken the direct road to Shiraz by the Mhak Pass; and the Eilkhanees with his horse had retired by the one leading to the Huft Moolla; and, from information subsequently received, I learn that they had planned a combined attack upon our camp the night we marched. Indeed, the explosion of their magazines gave them the first intimation of our departure, when they hastened after us in the expectation of being able to attack us on the line of march, and possibly create confusion and panic in the dark.

14. At daybreak, the Persian force, amounting to between 6,000 and 7,000 men, with some guns, was discovered on our left rear (north-east of our line of march) in order of battle.

15. Our artillery and cavalry at once moved rapidly to the attack, supported by two lines of infantry, a third protecting the baggage. The firing of the artillery was most excellent, and did great execution; the cavalry brigade twice charged with great gallantry and success; a standard (of the Kashkai Regular Infantry Regiment) was captured by the Poona horse; and the 3d Light Cavalry charged a square, and killed nearly the whole regiment; indeed, upon the cavalry and artillery fell the whole brunt of the action, as the enemy moved away too rapidly for the infantry to overtake them. By ten o'clock the defeat of the Persians was complete; two guns were captured; the gun ammunition, laden upon mules, fell into our hands; and at least 700 men lay dead upon the field. The number of wounded could not be ascertained, but it must have been very large. The remainder fled in a disorganised state, generally throwing away their arms, which strewed the field in vast numbers, and nothing but the paucity of our cavalry prevented their total destruction and the capture of the remaining guns.

16. The troops bivouacked for the day close to the battle-field, and at night accomplished a march of 20 miles, by another route, over a country rendered almost impassable by the heavy rain, which fell incessantly. After a rest of six hours, the greater portion of the infantry continued their march to Bushire, which they reached before midnight; thus performing another most arduous march of 44 miles, under incessant rain, besides fighting and defeating the enemy during its progress, within the short period of 50 hours. The cavalry and artillery reached camp this morning.

17. The result is most satisfactory, and will, I trust, have a very beneficial effect upon our future operations.

18. The greatest praise is due to the troops of all arms for their steadiness and gallantry in the field, their extraordinary exertions on the march, and their cheerful endurance of fatigue and privation, under circumstances rendered doubly severe by the inclemency of the weather, to which they were exposed without shelter of any kind; and I cannot too strongly express the obligation I feel to all under my command for the almost incredible exertions they have undergone, and the gallantry they have displayed on this occasion.

19. To Major-General Stalker and to Colonel Lugard my especial thanks are due.

20. To the heads of the several Departments, as well as to every officer belonging to those Departments, and to my personal Staff (including Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Dunkellin, who volunteered his services as Aide-de-camp), I am much indebted; from all I received every possible assistance; and although I do not now specify by name the departmental and personal Staff and other officers alluded to, I shall hereafter take an opportunity of bringing them individually to your Excellency's notice. Indeed, when all have behaved so nobly, it is difficult to specify individuals.

21. The rapid retreat of the enemy afforded but little opportunity for deeds of special gallantry. I have already alluded to the successful charges made by the 3d Cavalry and Poona Horse under Captain Forbes and Lieutenant-Colonel Tapp, and to the very efficient service performed by the artillery under Lieutenant-Colonel Trevelyan. The Brigadiers commanding the infantry brigades,—Wilson, Stisted, and Honner,—with the several commanding officers of regiments, and indeed every officer and soldier of the Force, earned my warmest approbation.

22. To the medical officers of the Force I am under great obligation for their untiring exertions throughout these arduous operations.

23. I cannot conclude without alluding in strong terms to the valuable assistance I have received from Major Taylor, whose services were placed at my disposal by the Honourable C.A. Murray, C.B.

I have, &c.,

J. OUTRAM, Lieutenant-General
Commanding Expeditionary Force.

A.

Return of Killed and Wounded belonging to the Persian Field Force during the Action at Khoosh-ab, on February 8, 1857.

Divisional Staff—Lieutenant Frankland, killed, gun-shot wound in head.

3d Troop Horse Artillery.—Gunner James Kelly, gun-shot wound in left leg, dangerous; Gunner James Ryan, gun-shot wound in right leg, dangerous; Farrier George Eagan, gun-shot wound in left forearm, dangerous; Horsekeeper Rowgee, gun-shot wound in right thigh, since dead; Horsekeeper Sullowa, gun-shot wound in right leg, amputated; Horsekeeper Kasseerow, left leg very slightly grazed.—Wounded 6.

1st Company, 1st Batt. Artillery.—Gunner John Abbott, right buttock grazed slightly; Horsekeeper Suddo, killed, gun-shot wound.—Killed 1, wounded 1.

4th Company, 1st Batt. Artillery.—Gunner James Courtney, right buttock grazed slightly; Trumpeter Joseph Manning, gun-shot wound on face, dangerous.—Wounded 2.

3d Light Cavalry.—Captain J. Forbes, ball through right thigh, severely; Havildar Runjeet Sing, ball through left lung, dangerous; Trooper Ram Sing, sword-cut on right foot, slightly; Trooper Raganath Sing, ball through left calf, severely; Trooper Ramdeen, ball anterior to humerus of left arm, severely; Trooper Wazier Khan, ball through fleshy part of right arm and left thigh; Trooper Shaik Yushun, ball through right thigh severely; Trooper Rowgee Jadoo, ball through left thigh, severely; Trooper Bugjoo Pursad, contusion on left ankle, slightly; Trooper Mahomed Hussein Khan, ball into arm,

below elbow joint, dangerous; Trooper Shaik Khooda Bux, ball through abdomen, since dead; Trooper Bindah Sing, killed, ball through chest; Trooper Nundah Khan, ball on the head, slight; Trooper Seetul Sing, ball wound in the hand, slight; Trooper Guideen, sword-cut in hand, slight; Trooper Sew Surrun Sing, ball struck left side of chest, slight.—Killed 1, wounded 15.

H.M.'s 64th Regiment.—Captain R. Mockler, contusion of calf of right leg from a round shot; Lieutenant J. Greentree, seriously, by a round shot, which caused loss of left foot; Colour-Serjeant W. Brady, slight contusion; Private Thomas Montgomery, slight abrasion in right axilla, from round shot; Private Frederick Reilly, slightly, right side; Private John Shaw, slightly, chest; Private William McCarty, dangerously, fracture of right femur; Private Charles Murchin, dangerously, fracture of right femur and wound of left knee; Private Alexander Ferguson, mortally, thigh amputated, since dead; Private Patrick Hagarty, mortally, compound fracture of both legs, since dead; Private Thomas Simmons, dangerously, lacerated wound of both thighs; Private Maj. Doncaster, slight contusion above right knee; Private John Prescott, slight wound in scalp.—Wounded 13.

2d European Regiment Light Infantry.—Ensign Wookcock, gun-shot, left shin, slightly; Private Thomas Deveran, killed, gun-shot; Private Thomas Gollaher, killed, gun-shot; Private Morgan Shield, gun-shot, right side, dangerous, since dead; Private Innis Clarke, gun-shot, right shin, severely; Private William Price, gun-shot, left leg, slightly; Private John Normill, gun-shot, right thigh, slightly; Private James Teague, gun-shot, right hand, slightly; Private James McArdell, gun-shot, right foot, dangerous, leg amputated; Private John McKay, gun-shot, left foot, severely; Private John Rhodenhurst, gun-shot, left leg, severely; Private James Doulin, gun-shot, right thigh, slightly.—Killed 1, wounded 10.

Poona Irregular Horse.—Duffedar Mhar Nubbee Bux, severe gun-shot wound in the loins, right inguinal region; Subedar Badoola Khan, killed, gun-shot; Bargeer Goolam Modhein Khan, killed, gun-shot; Bargeer Noorolla Khan, killed, gun-shot; Bargeer Shaik Jewan, gun-shot wound through thorax, since dead; Bargeer Pailwan Sing, slight gun-shot wound through right deltoid muscle; Bargeer Goolab Khan, slight gun-shot wound in the right arm; Syce Madoo, round shot, requiring amputation of left leg; Private Jugganal Dachil, severe gun-shot wound through left forearm; Private Luximon Doobay, gun-shot wound above knee, left; Private Aboo Sawant, severe contusion of the calf of right leg by spent ball.—Killed 3, wounded 8.

26th Regiment of Native Infantry.—Assistant-Surgeon J. M. Barnett, slightly, by spent musket ball, right arm; Havildar Nainan Nais, slight contusion of head; Private Doorjun, slight contusion of head; Private Bundo Kory, severe wound of head from round shot; Private Badoo Kulwar, severe gun-shot wound of right shoulder and chest.—Wounded 5.

2d Belooch Battalion.—Private Shaik Mahomed, killed, round shot through left breast.—Killed 1.

Ordnance Department.—Store Lascar Burwajee Coobajee, dangerously, gun-shot wound, left arm; Tent Lascar Luximon Balloo, seriously

sword-wound in face; Store Lascar Baboo Nanoo, killed, gun-shot wound in abdomen.— Killed 1, wounded 2.

Total Killed — Europeans 3, Natives 7;
Wounded—Europeans 31, Natives 31.

Grand Total { Killed - 10
Wounded 62—72

Died of Wounds since the Action—3 Europeans and 3 Natives.

M. STOVELL,
Suptg.-Surg. 1st Division Persian
Expeditionary Field Force.

B.

Return of Ordnance Captured on the Morning of the 8th instant.

Bivouac Khoosh-ab, February 8th, 1857.

1 brass gun, 9-pounder
2 brass guns, 9-pounder.

These guns are in good travelling order, mounted on travelling field carriages, each limber fitted with a limber box to contain about thirty rounds of ammunition. One gun was taken with three horses, harness, &c., complete.

The carriages are of block trail construction; the cheeks of one require to be replaced.

Eighteen rounds of ammunition and some food were in the limber boxes.

Besides the above were 262 rounds of gun ammunition, which I destroyed before leaving the bivouac on Sunday evening. The mules, eight in number, which carried it, I have brought into camp. I have 350 stand of arms, and I think fully treble that number must have been taken by camp followers and others.

One gun was spiked by our Horse Artillery, as they had to leave it when following on in pursuit. I have since removed the spike.

B. K. FINNIMORE, Captain,
Field Commissary of Ordnance, P.E.F.F.

C.

Return of Ordnance Stores found in the Enemy's Entrenched Position at Burazjoon, on the 5th instant.

Bivouac, Khoosh-ab, February 8, 1857.

*3,500 gun cartridges attached to 12, 6, 3,
and 1½ per shot.

*600,000 musket ball cartridges.

10 casks of flints (English).

5,000 fuzes.

Quickmatch, 20 lb.

Slowmatch, 400 yards.

1,000 portfires.

4,000 tubes for priming.

3 trumpets.

1 drum.

20 tents.

12 wheels.

A large quantity of bags, exact amount not known, of sulphur, indigo, saltpetre, tar, charcoal, rope, dragrope, and wood.

2,000 loose shot.

1,000 " shell.

74 pigs of lead.

7 axletrees.

7 Brass nave boxes.

Gunpowder, 10,000 lbs.

A large quantity of iron and red orpiment.

B. K. FINNIMORE, Captain,
Field Commissary of Ordnance.

* Cartridges and powder exploded in the mines amount together to about 40,000 lbs.

FOREIGN-OFFICE, April 1, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr F. Schott as Consul-General at Gibraltar for the Argentine Confederation.

DOWNING STREET, April 1, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Vickery Drysdale, Esq. to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Tobago.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Henry Hegart Breen, Esq. to be Colonial Secretary for the Island of St Lucia; John Huggins, Esq. to be a Member of the Council of the Island of Nevis; and John Earle, Esq. to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Province of New Brunswick.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

March 31, 1857.

The Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household has appointed William Bodham Donne, Esq. to be Examiner of Stage Plays, in the room of John Mitchell Kemble, Esq. deceased.

CROWN-OFFICE, March 31, 1857.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIAMENT summoned to be holden at Westminster, the 30th April 1857.

Borough of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis.
William Lockyer Freestun, Esq.
Robert James Roy Campbell, Esq.

County of Haddington.

The Honourable Francis Wemyss Charteris.

Haddington District of Burghs.

Sir Henry Robert Fergusson Davie, Bart., of Creedy.

City of Limerick.

Francis William Russell, of Westbourne Street, Hyde Park, London, Esq.
James O'Brien, of Stephen's Green, Dublin, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Serjeants-at-Law.

County of Bute.

The Right Honourable James Stuart Wortley.

County of Linlithgow.

George Dundas, the younger, of Dundas, Esq.

Borough of Southwark.

Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Napier, of Murchiston Hall, Hampshire, Knt.
John Locke, of Chester Street, Belgrave Square, Middlesex, Master of Arts, Barrister-at-Law.

April 1.

Borough of Gateshead.

William Hutt, of Gibside, Durham, Esq.

Borough of Bolton.

William Gray, of Wheatfield, Bolton, Esq.
Joseph Crook, of Chamber Hall, Bolton, Esq.

Montrose District of Burghs.

William Edward Baxter, Merchant, Dundee.

Borough of Oldham.

John Morgan Cobbett, of Sumner Terrace, Brompton, Middlesex, Esq.
James Platt, of Hartford House, Oldham, Lancashire, Esq.

Borough of Bury.

Robert Needham Philips, of the Park, Prestwich-cum-Oldham, Lancashire, Esq.

Borough of Wareham.

John Hales Calcraft, of Rempston Hall, Dorsetshire, Esq.

County of Banff.

The Right Honourable James Earl of Fife.

Borough of Preston.

Charles Pascoe Grenfell, of Belgrave Square, Middlesex, Esq.

Richard Assheton Cross, of Harcourt Buildings, Middlesex, Esq.

City of Manchester.

Sir John Potter, Knt.

James Aspinall Turner, Esq.

City of Oxford.

James Haughton Langston, Esq.

Charles Neate, Esq.

County of Pembroke.

John Frederick Campbell, commonly called Viscount Emlyn.

Borough of Harwich.

John Bagshaw, Esq., of Cliff House, Dovercourt, Essex.

George Drought Warburton, Esq. of Henley House, Frant, Sussex.

Borough of Cambridge.

Kenneth Macaulay, Esq.

Andrew Steuart, Esq.

County of Edinburgh.

William Henry Walter Montagu Douglas Scott, commonly called Earl of Dalkeith.

City of Edinburgh.

Charles Cowan, Esq., Paper Manufacturer, Edinburgh.

Adam Black, Esq., Bookseller, Edinburgh.

County of Cardigan.

The Right Honourable Ernest Augustus Earl of Lisburne.

Borough of South Shields.

Robert Ingham, of Westoe, Durham, Esq.

Borough of Tavistock.

The Honourable George Henry Charles Byng.

Sir John Salusbury Trelawny, Bart.

County of Inverness.

Henry James Baillie, Esq., of Letterfinlay.

Dumfries District of Burghs.

William Ewart, Esq., of Cambridge Square, London.

Borough of Sunderland.

Henry Fenwick, of South Hill, Durham, Esq.

George Hudson, of Whitby, Yorkshire, Esq.

County of Forfar.

Adam Duncan Haldane, commonly called Viscount Duncan.

Town of Dundee.

Sir John Ogilvy, of Inverquhar, Bart.

City of Durham.

William Atherton, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq.

John Robert Mowbray, of Cambridge Square, Hyde Park, Middlesex, Esq.

County of Hertford.

Sir Henry Meux, Bart.

Sir Edward George Earle Lytton Bulwer Lytton, Bart.

Christopher William Puller, Esq.

Borough of Hertford.

The Right Honourable William Francis Cowper.

Sir Walter Minto Townsend Farquhar, Bart.

County of Salop.

Northern Division.

John Whitehall Dod, of Cloverley, Shropshire, Esq.

The Honourable Rowland Clegg Hill, of Hawkestone, Shropshire, Esq.

Southern Division.

The Right Honourable Charles Bridgman, commonly called Viscount Newport.

The Honourable Robert Windsor Clive.

County of Gloucester.

Eastern Division.

Sir Christopher William Codrington, Bart.

Robert Stayner Holford, Esq.

Western Division.

Robert Nigel Fitzhardinge Kingscote, Esq.

John Rolt, Esq.

Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyne.

Samuel Christy, of Park Street, Westminster, Esq.

William Jackson, of the Manor House, Claughton, Cheshire, Esq.

Borough of Ludlow.

Colonel the Honourable Percy Egerton Herbert, of Powis Castle, Montgomeryshire.

Beriah Botfield, of Norton Hall, Northamptonshire, and Decker Hill and Hopton Court, Shropshire, Esq.

Borough of Bodmin.

The Honourable John Cranch Walker Vivian, of Glyn, Cornwall.

James Wyld, of Manor House, Regent's Park, London, Esq.

County of Westmorland.

The Honourable Henry Cecil Lowther.

The Honourable Thomas Taylour, commonly called Earl of Bective.

Borough of Denbigh.

Townshend Mainwaring, of Galtfaen, Denbighshire, Esq.

City of Lincoln.

Gervaise Tottenham Waldo Sibthorp, of Canwick, Lincolnshire, Esq.

George Fieschi Heneage, of Hainton, Lincolnshire, Esq.

Borough of Bedford.

Samuel Whitbread, Esq.

Thomas Barnard, Esq.

April 2.

Combined Counties of Clackmannan and Kinross.
William Hugh Elliot, commonly called Viscount Melgund.

County of Dumfries.

John James Hope Johnstone, Esq., of Annandale.

County of Selkirk.

Allan Elliott Lockhart, Esq., of Borthwickbrae.

County of Peebles.

Sir Graham Graham Montgomery, of Stanhope, Bart.

County of Renfrew.

Sir Michael Robert Shaw Stewart, of Greenock and Blackhall, Bart.

Town of Paisley.

Archibald Hastie, Esq., Merchant in London.

Town of Greenock.

Alexander Murray Dunlop, Esq., of Corsock.

Borough of New Shoreham.

Sir Charles Merrick Burrell, Bart.

The Honourable Alexander Francis Charles Gordon Lennox, commonly called Lord Alexander Gordon Lennox.

County of Suffolk,

Eastern Division.

The Right Honourable John Henniker Major, Lord Henniker.

Sir FitzRoy Kelly, Knt., of the Chantry, Ipswich.

Western Division.

Harry Spencer Waddington, of Cavenham, Suffolk, Esq.

Philip Bennet, of Rougham, Suffolk, Esq.

Borough of Rochdale.

Sir Alexander Ramsay, of Balmain, Kincardineshire, Bart.

County of Lancaster.

Northern Division.

John Wilson Patten, Esq.

The Honourable Spencer Compton Cavendish, commonly called Lord Cavendish.

Southern Division.

William Brown, Esq.

John Cheetham, Esq.

County of Fife.

John Fergus, of Strathore, Fifeshire, Esq.

Kirkcaldy District of Burghs.

Robert Ferguson, of Raith, Esq.

St Andrews District of Burghs.

Edward Ellice, Junior, of London, Esq.

City of York.

John George Smyth, of Heath Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, Esq.

Joshua Proctor Brown Westhead, of Lea Castle, Worcestershire, Esq.

Linlithgow District of Burghs.

James Merry, Esq. Merchant in Glasgow.

County of Worcester.

Western Division.

The Honourable Henry Lygon, commonly called Viscount Emlyn, of Madresfield Court, Worcestershire.

Frederic Winn Knight, of Wolverley Court, Worcestershire, Esq.

Eastern Division.

George Rushout, of Burford House, Tenbury, Worcestershire, Esq.

John Hodgetts Hodgetts Foley, of Prestwood House, Staffordshire, Esq.

Borough of Northampton.

The Right Honourable Robert Vernon Smith, of Farming Woods, Northamptonshire.

Charles Gilpin, of Moorgate Street, London, Esq.

County of Carnarvon.

The Honourable Edward Gordon Douglas Pennant.

Borough of Brighton.

Rear-Admiral Sir Brooke Pechell, of Castle Goring, Sussex.

William Conyngham, of Brighton, Sussex, Esq.

County of Nottingham.

Northern Division.

Robert Renebald Pelham Clinton, commonly called Lord Robert Clinton.

John Evelyn Denison, Esq.

Southern Division.

William Hodgson Barrow, Esq.

Sydney William Herbert Pierrepont, commonly called Viscount Newark.

April 3.

Wigton District of Burghs.

Sir William Dunbar, of Mochrum, Bart.

County of Stirling.

Peter Blackburn, of Killearn, Esq.

District of Burghs of Inverness.

Alexander Matheson, of Ardross, Ross-shire, Esq.

District of Burghs of Elgin.

George Skene Duff, Esq., of Milton.

County of Carmarthen.

David Arthur Saunders Davies, of Pentre, Pembrokeshire, Esq.

David Jones, of Pantglas, Esq.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,

April 3, 1857.

8th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Captain Edward Phillips, from half-pay 8th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Edward Tomkinson, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

9th Light Dragoons—Lieutenant Edward King has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

11th Light Dragoons.

To be Cornets, by purchase.

Richard John Somers, gent. vice Napier, promoted. Dated 2d April 1857.

George Coke Robinson, gent. vice Bingham, promoted. Dated 3d April 1857.

Military Train—Paymaster Frederick Francis Fereday, from the late Land Transport Corps, to be Paymaster. Dated 1st April 1857.

3d Regiment of Foot—Captain William Wainman, from half-pay 3d Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Smith, promoted to the Substantive Rank of Major, Unattached, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

4th Foot—Captain Augustus Joseph Sykes, from half-pay 4th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Patrick Robertson, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

12th Foot—Ensign and Adjutant George Gibson to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 3d April 1857.

Ensign John Warren to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Irving, who resigns. Dated 3d April 1857.

20th Foot—Ensign Frederick Augustus Ramsay has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

25th Foot—Brevet Major Edward Ramsden Priestley to be Major, without purchase, vice Holt, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 3d April 1857.

Lieutenant Horatio Priestley to be Captain, without purchase, vice E. R. Priestley. Dated 3d April 1857.

27th Foot—Ensign William Magen's Stafford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Reynell Gresson, who retires. Dated 3d April 1857.

Ensign Albert Dixon, from the 85th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Stafford. Dated 3d April 1857.

43d Foot—Captain Henry J. Parkin Booth to be Major, by purchase, vice Primrose, promoted. Dated 3d April 1857.

Lieutenant Henry Trafford Trafford to be Captain, by purchase, vice Booth. Dated 3d April 1857.

Ensign William Livesay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Trafford Trafford. Dated 3d April 1857.

Gerald Henry Baird Young, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Livesay. Dated 3d April 1857.

45th Foot—Paymaster John David Blythe, from the 3d West India Regiment, to be Paymaster, vice M. G. Taylor, appointed to a Depot Battalion. Dated 3d April 1857.

47th Foot—Lieutenant Charles Finnerty to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major C. A. Stevenson, deceased. Dated 4th March 1857.

55th Foot—Ensign George Lewis Whyte has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

63d Foot—Ensign Robert Edward Sproule has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

97th Foot—Ensign Robert Annesley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Oates, who retires. Dated 3d April 1857.

Rifle Brigade—Lieutenant Henry A. F. Luttrell has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

3d West India Regiment—John Wilson, Esq., formerly a Captain in the 93d Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Blyth, appointed to the 45th Foot. Dated 3d April 1857.

Gold Coast Corps—Henry Augustus Williams, gent. late Lieutenant Osmanli Cavalry, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Elgee, deceased. Dated 3d April 1857.

UNATTACHED.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Smith, 3d Foot, to have the Substantive Rank of Major, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

Brevet-Major Edward Tomkinson, 8th Light Dragoons, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

Brevet-Major Patrick Robertson, 4th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October 1854. Dated 3d April 1857.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, Thomas Rhys, from half-pay, to be Staff Surgeon of the Second Class. Dated 24th March 1857.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, James Fraser, M.D., from half-pay, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Wellington Poole, placed upon half-pay. Dated 3d April 1857.

Purveyor's Clerk George Dalton to be Purveyor to the Forces. Dated 3d April 1857.

Assistant-Staff-Surgeon Archibald William Pultney Pinkerton, M.D., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3d April 1857.

BREVET.

Major George Holt, retired full pay, 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 3d April 1857.

ADMIRALTY, March 31, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

BREVET.

With reference to Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th September 1854,—
Colonel Commandant Joseph Childs, on retired full-pay, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only.

ADMIRALTY, April 1, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Colonel Second Commandant Thomas Peard Dwyer to be Colonel Commandant, vice Childs, retired on full-pay.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Fraser to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Dwyer, promoted.

Captain Edward Hocker to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Fraser, promoted.

First Lieutenant John Basset Prynne to be Captain, vice Hocker, promoted.

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

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

William Tatham, the younger, gent. to be Ensign, vice Soden, resigned. Dated 24th March 1857.

WHITEHALL, March 12, 1857.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed George Ade, of No. 48, High Street, Southwark, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

At the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 2d day of April 1857.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it has been represented to Her Majesty, that certain contagious or infectious disorders are now prevalent among cattle in certain countries or places bordering upon the Baltic Sea, and that there is danger of the said disorders being introduced into this Country by means of cattle and horns, hoofs, and raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle, from such countries or places: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the date hereof, no cattle, and no horns, hoofs, or raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle, shall be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom, which shall come from, or shall have been at any place within those territories of the Emperor of Russia, or of the King of Prussia, or of the Grand Duke of Mecklenburgh Schwerin, which respectively are in or border upon the Gulf of Finland, or any other part of the Baltic Sea between the Gulf of Finland and the territories of the Free City of Lubeck, or which shall come from or shall have been at any place within the territories of the Free City of Lubeck; and also, that from and after the date hereof, no cattle, and no horns, hoofs, or raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle, shall be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom which shall be, or shall have been on board any vessels at the same time with any cattle or horns, hoofs, or raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle which shall have come from or shall have been at any such place as aforesaid.

And Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby further order, that all cattle, and all horns, hoofs, and raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle, the importation or introduction whereof is so hereby prohibited as aforesaid, and also all hay, straw, fodder, litter, or

manure, being or having been in or on board any vessels at the same time with any such cattle, or horns, hoofs, or raw or wet hides, or skins of cattle as aforesaid, shall, upon their arrival in this Country, be destroyed, or otherwise disposed of, as the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs may direct.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. GREVILLE.

At the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 2d day of April 1857.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint William Scoltoek, Esquire, M.A., of Christ Church, Oxford, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRICE OF BRITISH CORN, per QUARTER,

Received in the Week ended March 28, 1857.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
55 6 552	47 1 967	23 7 036	40 9 182	39 6 201	38 6 966

AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
55 7	46 0	23 7	39 8	39 5	39 2

Published by Authority of Parliament,

HENRY FENTON JADIS,

Comptroller of Corn Returns,

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 28th day of March 1857.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£.		£.
Notes issued,	23,684,990	Government Debt,	11,015,100
		Other Securities,	3,459,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion,	9,209,990
		Silver Bullion.....	—
	£23,684,990		£23,684,990

Dated the 2d day of April 1857.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£.		£.
Proprietors' Capital.....	14,553,000	Government Securities (including	
Rest	3,826,600	Dead Weight Annuity).....	11,646,018
Public Deposits (including Exchequer,		Other Securities.....	21,242,752
Savings Banks, Commissioners of		Notes	4,628,120
National Debt, and Dividend		Gold and Silver Coin.....	777,569
Accounts)	9,031,051		
Other Deposits	10,187,460		
Seven Day and other Bills	696,348		
	£38,294,459		£38,294,459

Dated the 2d day of April 1857.

M. MARSHALL, Chief Cashier.

STATIONS OF THE BRITISH ARMY on the 4TH APRIL 1857.

Where two Places are mentioned, the last named is that at which the Depôt of the Regiment is Stationed.

CAVALRY.

- 1st Life Guards, Regent's Park.
- 2d Ditto, Knightsbridge.
- Royal Horse Guards, Windsor.
- 1st Dragoon Guards, Exeter.
- 2d Canterbury.
- 3d, Canterbury.
- 4th, Sheffield.
- 5th, Piershill.
- 6th, Bengal—Maidstone.
- 7th, Manchester.
- 1st Dragoons, Dublin.
- 2d (Greys), Dublin.
- 3d Light, Newbridge.
- 4th, Brighton.
- 6th, Shorncliffe.
- 7th Hussars, Aldershatt.
- 8th Hussars, Dundalk.
- 9th Lancers, Umballah, Bengal—Maidstone.
- 10th Hussars, Birmingham.
- 11th Hussars, Hounslow—Topsham.
- 12th Lancers, Madras—Maidstone.
- 13th Light Dragoons, Cahir.
- 14th Ditto, Kirkee—Maidstone.
- 15th Hussars, Dorchester.
- 16th Lancers, Kilkenny.
- 17th Do. Dublin.

FOOT GUARDS.

- Grenadier Guards, (1st Battalion) Portman Street Barracks.
- Do. (2d Battalion) Dublin.
- Do. (3d Battalion) Windsor.
- Coldstream Guards, (1st Battalion) Aldershatt.
- Do. (2d Battalion) Wellington Barracks.
- Scotch Fusilier Guards, (1st Battalion) St George's Barracks.
- Do. (2d Battalion) The Tower.

INFANTRY.

- 1st Foot, (1st Battalion) Curragh of Kildare—Glasgow.
- Do. (2d Battalion) Malta—Glasgow.
- 2d, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 3d, Corfu—Mullingar.
- 4th, Enniskillen—Colchester.
- 5th, Mauritius—Preston.
- 6th, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 7th, Aldershatt—Pembroke.
- 8th, Cawnpore, Bengal—Chatham.
- 9th, Kingston, Canada—Limerick.
- 10th, Wuzerabad, Bengal—Chatham.
- 11th, New South Wales—Buttevant.
- 12th, (1st Battalion) Australia—Colchester.
- Do. (2d Battalion) Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 13th, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 14th, Malta—Fermoy.
- 15th, Gibraltar—Isle of Wight.
- 16th, Quebec—Limerick.
- 17th, Quebec—Limerick.
- 18th, Curragh of Kildare—Birr.
- 19th, Aldershatt—Parkhurst, Isle of Wight.
- 20th, Aldershatt—Chichester.
- 21st, Malta—Glasgow.
- 22d, Aldershatt—Chichester.
- 23d, Portsmouth—Aldershatt.
- 24th, Sealcote, Bengal—Chatham.
- 25th, Manchester—Preston.
- 26th, Bermuda—Chatham.
- 27th, Nudshera, Bengal—Chatham.
- 28th, Malta—Fermoy.
- 29th, Burmah—Chatham.
- 30th, Gibraltar—Isle of Wight.
- 31st, Malta—Winchester.
- 32d, Kussowlie, Bengal—Chatham.
- 33d, Mauritius—Colchester.
- 34th, Edinburgh—Parkhurst, Isle of Wight.
- 35th, Bengal—Chatham.
- 36th, Jamaica—Cork.
- 37th, Ceylon—Chatham.
- 38th, Castlebar—Fermoy.
- 39th, Montreal—Buttevant.
- 40th, Melbourne—Templemore.

- 41st, Trinidad—Walmer.
- 42d, Dover—Stirling.
- 43d, Bangalore, Madras—Chatham.
- 44th, Shorncliffe—Walmer.
- 45th, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 46th, Corfu—Mullingar.
- 47th, Malta—Fermoy.
- 48th, Malta—Fermoy.
- 49th, Barbadoes—Walmer.
- 50th, Dublin—Colchester.
- 51st, Belfast—Pembroke.
- 52d, Meerut, Bengal—Chatham.
- 53d, Fort William, Bengal—Chatham.
- 54th, Devonport—Winchester.
- 55th, Gibraltar—Isle of Wight.
- 56th, Curragh of Kildare—Pembroke.
- 57th, Malta—Fermoy.
- 58th, New Zealand—Templemore.
- 59th, Hong Kong—Athlone.
- 60th, (1st Battalion) Jullundur—Chatham.
- Do. (2d Battalion) Cape of Good Hope—Jersey.
- Do. (3d Battalion) Dublin—Jersey.
- 61st, Ferozepore—Chatham.
- 62d, Nova Scotia—Birr.
- 63d, Nova Scotia—Birr.
- 64th, Persia—Chatham.
- 65th, New Zealand—Templemore.
- 66th, Aldershatt—Winchester.
- 67th, Plymouth—Athlone.
- 68th, Corfu—Mullingar.
- 69th, Barbadoes—Weymouth.
- 70th, Ferozepore, Bengal—Chatham.
- 71st, Malta—Fort-George, N. B.
- 72d, Guernsey—Fort-George, N. B.
- 73d, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 74th, Jackatalla, Madras—Chatham.
- 75th, Rawul Pindie, Bengal—Chatham.
- 76th, Frederickton, New Brunswick—Birr.
- 77th, Dublin—Colchester.
- 78th, Persia—Chatham.
- 79th, Canterbury—Stirling.
- 80th, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 81st, Lahore, Bengal—Chatham.
- 82d, Portsmouth.
- 83d, Kurrachee—Chatham.
- 84th, Madras—Chatham.
- 85th, Cape of Good Hope—Preston.
- 86th, Kurrachee, Bombay—Chatham.
- 87th, Peshawur—Chatham.
- 88th, Aldershatt—Templemore.
- 89th, Cape of Good Hope—Colchester.
- 90th, Portsmouth.
- 91st, Corfu—Preston.
- 92d, Gibraltar—Fort-George, N. B.
- 93d, Dover.
- 94th, Clonmel—Pembroke.
- 95th, Dublin—Cork.
- 96th, Gibraltar—Isle of Wight.
- 97th, Aldershatt—Chichester.
- 98th, Sheffield—Cork.
- 99th, Cork.
- Rifle Brigade, (1st Battalion), Aldershatt—Winchester.
- Ditto, (2d Battalion), Aldershatt—Winchester.
- Ditto, (3d Battalion), Winchester.
- Military Train, Bristol.
- Royal Engineers, Chatham.
- Medical Staff Corps, Brompton, Kent.

COLONIAL REGIMENTS.

- 1st West India Regiment, Jamaica—Chatham
- 2d, Ditto, Demerara—Chatham.
- 3d, Ditto, Jamaica—Chatham.
- Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Ceylon and Hong Kong
- Cape Mounted Riflemen, Cape of Good Hope
- Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, Kingston, Canada
- Royal Newfoundland Veteran Company, Newfoundland.
- Royal Malta Fencibles, Malta.
- St Helena Regiment, St Helena.
- Gold Coast Corps, Gold Coast.



AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantities of each kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, Imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN, (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth,) and the Rates and Amount of duty thereon, in the Week ended 25th March 1857.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above, (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported).						Amount of Duty received thereon.						Rates of Duty, (Foreign and Colonial).				
	Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Corn and Grain of all sorts, per quarter.		Meal and Flour of all sorts per cwt.		
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.
Wheat and Wheat Flour	25781	1	2067	2	27848	3	1399	14	1	103	8	4	1503	2	5		
Barley and Barley Meal	39608	6	—		39608	6	1980	59	5	—			1980	9	5		
Oats and Oat Meal.....	37566	0	—		37566	0	1878	6	3	—			1878	6	3		
Rye and Rye Meal.....	232	0	—		232	0	11	12	0	—			11	12	0		
Pease and Pea Meal	1912	4	0	4	1913	0	95	12	7	0	0	6	95	13	1	1	0
Beans and Bean Meal	5200	7	1	4	5202	3	260	1	0	0	1	6	260	2	6		
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	4822	6	—		4822	6	241	3	0	—			241	3	0		
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal	—		—		—		—			—			—				
Beer or Bigg	415	0	—		415	0	20	15	0	—			20	15	0		
	115539	0	2069	2	117608	2	5887	13	4	103	10	4	5991	3	8		

NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 31st day of March 1857,

Is Thirty-eight Shillings and Three Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon, on the Importation thereof into GREAT BRITAIN;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Forty-three Shillings and Three Pence per Hundred Weight;

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Thirty-nine Shillings and Five Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Thirty-nine Shillings and Three Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers' Hall, April 3, 1857.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF CORN per Quarter (Imperial Measure), in England and Wales, for the Quarter ending Lady-day, 1857.

Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Pease.
s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.	s. D.
56 10	45 8	23 5	39 7	39 11	39 5

HENRY FENTON JADIS,

Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Corn Department, Board of Trade, March 28, 1857.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

Henry Duckworth, of Glen Top Mill, near Newchurch, in the Forest of Rossendale, Lancaster, cotton spinner and manufacturer.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- Jesse Catt, of the Ship Tavern, Little Tower Street, London, licensed victualler.
- Joseph Oswald Robson, of Nos. 29 and 30, Castle Street East, Oxford Street, Middlesex, carpenter and builder.
- Joseph Williams, of No. 4, Rochester Terrace, Vauxhall Bridge Road, Surrey, tailor.
- Edwin Rodgers, of Walsall, Stafford, grocer, lately carrying on business in partnership with John Frost Rodgers, under the style or firm of E. & J. F. Rodgers.
- John Jobson, of Derby, stove, grate, and fender manufacturer, and ironfounder.
- Thomas Marriott, of Nottingham, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Marriott & Co., tailor, clothier, and woollen draper.
- John Robinson and Charles Robinson, of Leeds, York, woollen cloth merchants.
- Robert Hoff Bryan, of Lincoln, clock and watch maker.
- William Trevethick, of Lincoln, timber merchant.

MONARCH FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the ANNUAL GENERAL COURT OF PROPRIETORS of this Company will be held at the Head Office, No. 4, Adelaide Place, London Bridge, in the City of London, on Tuesday the 21st day of April, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, to receive the Annual Report of the state of the Company's Affairs, and to elect Four Directors, in the room of John George Hammack, Edward Huggins, Robert Main, Esquires, and Sir Francis Graham Moon, Bart.; and one Auditor, in the room of Thomas Burdon, Esquire, all of whom will on that day go out of Office by rotation, but being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

By Order,

GEO. H. JAY, Manager.

April 3, 1857.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that the Right Honourable GEORGE WILLIAM FOX, LORD KINNAIRD, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of ROSSIE, in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session (First Division, Mr Lindsay, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11 & 12 Victoria, cap. 36, entitled 'An Act for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' and 16 & 17 Victoria, cap. 94, entitled 'An Act to extend the benefits of the Act of 11 and 12 years of Her present Majesty, for the Amendment of the Law of Entail in Scotland,' praying the Court to have it found and declared that the sum of L.7,945 : 13 : 7, consigned by the Dundee and Perth and Aberdeen Railway Junction Company, in the British Linen Company's Bank at Dundee, in name of the Petitioner, subject to the orders of the Court of Session, as the price of Parts of the said Entailed Estate of Rossie, required for the formation of the said Railway, should be applied in repayment, *pro tanto*, of the sum of L.14,868 : 13 : 6, expended by the Petitioner in permanent improvements on the said Entailed Estate of Rossie, and for authority to the Petitioner to uplift and apply the said consigned money, —all as specified in the said Petition: On which Petition, Lord Ardmillan, Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'*Edinburgh, 30th March 1857.*—The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills appoints this Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for fourteen days, and advertised in the Edinburgh Gazette and Newspapers mentioned in the Petition, in terms of the Statute; and, further, grants warrant for serving the same on the persons mentioned in the prayer thereof, in terms of the Acts of Sederunt; and ordains them to lodge Answers thereto, if so advised, within fourteen days from the date of service if within Scotland, and sixty days if forth thereof. (Signed) 'JAS. CRAWFURD.'

HENRY DAVID HILL,

Agent for the Petitioner.

Edinburgh, 2, Picardy Place,
3d April 1857.

ALEXANDER MOORE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WILLIAM WALTON SWINDEN, Commission Merchant in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 19th day of March last, has been made up and examined by the Commissioner on said estate, in terms of the Statute; that the declaration of a dividend has been postponed until the recurrence of another statutory period, and the sending of circulars to the Creditors dispensed with.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ALEX. MOORE, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 2, 1857.

NOTICE.

✓ THE Estates of DAVID ROSS, Merchant, Bridge End, Alness, were sequestrated on the 4th day of April 1857, by the Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of April 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 11 o'clock forenoon, on Thursday the 16th day of April current, 1857, within the Commercial Hotel, Invergordon.

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 4th day of August 1857.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting for the election of a Trustee, has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

ALEXANDER HAY,
Writer, Dingwall, Agent.

✓ THE Estates of M'BRIDE & COMPANY, Power-Loom Cloth Manufacturers and Cotton-Spinners, Albyn Works, Glasgow, and John M'Bride and William M'Bride, Power-Loom Cloth Manufacturers and Cotton-Spinners there, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 4th day of April 1857, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th April 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 16th day of April current, within the Glasgow Stock Exchange, National Bank Buildings there.

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 4th day of August next.

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

The Sheriff, in awarding sequestration, granted Warrant of Protection to the said John M'Bride and William M'Bride against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of Creditors for election of Trustee.

J. NAISMITH, Agent,
11, Buchanan Street, Glasgow.

✓ THE Estates of JAMES HISLOP, Baker and Grocer in Hawick, were sequestrated on the 4th April 1857, by the Sheriff of Roxburghshire.

The first deliverance is dated 26th March 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock, on Friday the 17th day of April 1857, within the Tower Hotel, in Hawick.

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 4th August next.

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

THOMAS PURDOM,
Solicitor, Hawick, Agent.

✓ THE Estates of JOHN HENDRIE, Horse Dealer, No. 23, Garscube Road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 4th April 1857, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of April 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 15th day of April 1857, 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 4th August 1857.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of Trustee, has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

THOS. G. WRIGHT, Agent,
99, St Vincent Street, Glasgow.

THAT in the application presented to the Sheriff of Fifeshire, at the instance of JOHN TAYLOR, Banker in Glasgow, Manager, Principal Registered Officer, and a Partner of the Joint-Stock Banking Company carrying on Business under the Name or Firm of the Western Bank of Scotland, for sequestration of the estates of DAVID SPENCE, Merchant in Ferry-Port-on-Craig, his Lordship the Sheriff-Substitute, (George Grant, Esquire), granted the following Warrant:—*Cupar, 6th April 1857.*—The Sheriff-Substitute having considered the foregoing Petition, and Productions therewith, grants Warrant for citing the said David Spence to appear before the Sheriff at Cupar, upon the 13th day of April current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, and within the Court-Room there, to shew cause why sequestration should not be awarded; and directs intimation of this Warrant, and of the Diet of Appearance, to be made in the Gazette; and farther, grants diligence to recover evidence of the Notour Bankruptcy of the said David Spence, or other facts necessary to be established,—all in terms of the Statute. (Signed) 'GEO. GRANT'.

—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

DRUMMOND & MITCHELL, Writers, Cupar,
Procurators for Petitioner.

Cupar, April 6, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN COUPLAND, Hair Dresser and Perfumer, and Dealer in Fancy Goods, Dumfries.

JOHN MILLER, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and James Halliday, Ironmonger in Dumfries, Edward Howat, Draper there, and John B Borthwick, one of the Partners of A. Borthwick and Son, Warehousemen, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House of Dumfries, on Tuesday the 14th day of April current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Commercial Inn, Dumfries, upon Friday the 24th day of April current, also at 12 o'clock noon; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 12th July next, 1857.

Jno. MILLER, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 3, 1857,
71, Queen Street.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS SIMPSON, Baker, Grangemouth, in the County of Stirling.

JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and George Williamson Scott, Merchant, Glasgow, Alexander Tod, Corn-merchant, Edinburgh, and Alexander Simpson, Banker, Bathgate, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff-Court-House, Falkirk, on Friday the 10th day of April current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet on Tuesday the 21st current, in the Red Lion Hotel, Falkirk, at two o'clock afternoon.

An offer of composition, with security, was unanimously entertained at the meeting for election of Trustee, which will be decided upon at the meeting to be held as above.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, April 6, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of DUGALD MACLACHLAN, sometime Sheriff-Substitute of the Long Island, District of Invernessshire, latterly residing in Fort-William, now deceased.

THE Trustee hereby intimates, that at the meeting of Creditors held on the 24th March current, James Miller, Shoemaker in Fort-William, was elected Commissioner on said sequestrated estate, in room of Thomas Macdonald, Writer, Fort-William, deceased.

JAS. MACGREGOR, Trustee.

Fort-William, March 28, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of ANGUS MACDONELL, lately residing at Keppoch, in the Parish of Kilmouivaig, now deceased.

THE Trustee hereby intimates, that at the meeting of Creditors held on the 24th March current, Mr Alexander Brown, Steam Boat Agent in Fort-William, was elected Commissioner on said sequestrated estate, in room of John Cameron, Tacksman of Corrychoillie, deceased.

Jno. M'NAB, Trustee.

Fort-William, March 28, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of WATSONS & CO., Woollen Drapers and Clothiers in Paisley, and Thomas Watson, the sole Partner of that Firm, as Partner thereof, and as an Individual, and also as a Partner of the late Firm of THOMAS WATSON & COMPANY, Woollen Drapers and Clothiers in Paisley, and as a Partner of the late Firm of WATSON & PRATTIE, Woollen Drapers and Clothiers in Paisley.

THE Trustee on the above estates hereby intimates, that David Lockhart, Writer in Glasgow, has been elected a Commissioner thereon, in room of Hugh Fraser, Warehouseman in Glasgow, resigned.

JOHN C. REID, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 6, 1857.

In the Sequestration of JAMES ANDERSON, Draper in Cumnock, and residing at Burnside, in the Parish of Cumnock, and County of Ayr.

A Deed of Arrangement having been lodged in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Ayr, signed by the Bankrupt and his Cautioners, and four-fifths in number and value of his Creditors claiming and given up in his State of Affairs,—the Sheriff, by Interlocutor of this date, appoints Intimation to be made once in the Edinburgh Gazette of the production of the said Deed of Arrangement; and that on Tuesday the 14th day of April current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, in the Court-House at Ayr, he will hear all Parties having interest, in reference thereto.—Of which Intimation is hereby given.

ROBERT MORRIS BEVERIDGE, Procurator.

Cumnock, April 1, 1857.

GEORGE MELDRUM, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of THOMAS POWELL, Tobacconist, Clerk Street, Edinburgh, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors on said estate to be held within the Chambers of Messrs Auld & Chalmers, W.S., 21, Thistle Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 17th day of April current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of giving the Trustee final instructions as to the realization and winding up of the estate.

G. MELDRUM, Trustee.

53, York Place,
Edinburgh, April 4, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM SINCLAIR, Commission Agent, Scotland Street, Edinburgh.

JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, as Trustee on the said sequestrated estate, hereby call a general meeting of the Creditors to be held in my Chambers, 51, Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 16th day of April, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of considering an offer by the Bankrupt of a composition of One Shilling per pound upon his debts at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable immediately after his final discharge, and to pay and provide for the expence of sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, April 6, 1857.

WILLIAM CHURCH, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of DAVID CAIG McNEISH, Corn-factor and Commission Merchant in Glasgow, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the late Firm of STEIN & McNEISH, Corn-factors and Commission Merchants in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors held on the 4th instant, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Eightpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable within one month after the Bankrupt's final discharge, and with security to pay and provide besides for the whole expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. The Trustee farther intimates, that the meeting unanimously agreed to entertain the offer and security for consideration; and that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Office of John Clark, Writer, 22, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 29th day of April current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the said offer and security proposed.

WM. CHURCH, Jr. Trustee.

Glasgow, April 6, 1857.

JOHAN MILLER, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of ROBERT WATSON, Junior, Cabinet-maker and Upholterer in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of Creditors held on the 4th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of

composition of Two Shillings and Threepence per pound on the whole debts due by him at the date of the sequestration of his estates, payable in cash at one month from the date of his final discharge, and also to pay or provide for the expence attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee; and offered security for payment of the whole of said composition and expences. That the Creditors present at said meeting having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting will be held within the Chambers of the Trustee, No. 71, Queen Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 29th day of April current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and security proposed.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JNO. MILLER, Trustee.

71, Queen Street,
Glasgow, April 6, 1857.

JAMES ANDERSON DICKSON, Banker in Arbroath, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DAVID CROALL, Miller and Dealer in Grain at Ward Mills, in or near Arbroath, in the County of Forfar, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, and a state of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up, and audited and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute. Further, that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 23d ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate; and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Office in Arbroath, on and after the 25th day of May next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAS. A. DICKSON, Trustee.

Arbroath, April 7, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES SMITH, General Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Kelvinhaugh, near Glasgow.

JOHAN GRAHAM, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on this estate, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 18th ultimo, and shewing the funds recovered as at the said date, has 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 18th ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a first dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Counting-house of Lang and Graham, Accountants, 136, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on the 19th day of May next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JOHN GRAHAM, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 6, 1857.

GEORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of DIONYSIUS ONUFRI MARIANSKI, General Travelling Merchant, Quarrier, Grazier, and Cattle-Dealer, residing at Quarryhall, Hamilton, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, brought down to the 21st ultimo, have postponed declaring a dividend, and dispensed with sending letters to the Creditors.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.

42, West George Street,
Glasgow, April 4, 1857.

JAMES McLAREN, Writer in Crieff, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of WILLIAM LEITCH, Writer and Banker in Crieff, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 23d ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners; and that they have postponed the payment of a second dividend until the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JAS. McLAREN, Trustee.

Crieff, April 6, 1857.

JAMES LAWSON STEWART, residing in Carluke, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **JAMES YOUNG**, Grocer and Contractor, lately residing at Douglashall, Carluke, now deceased, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 27th day of March last, has been audited and approved of, and a state of the funds recovered and of those outstanding belonging to the estate as at the same date, has been examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors, intimating this resolution, as provided by the Statute.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. L. STEWART, Trustee.

Carluke, April 3, 1857.

FRANCIS EDMOND, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **ROBERT JOHNSTON**, Shipowner, Merchant, Trader, and Banker in Aberdeen, hereby intimates, that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 20th ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding at the same date, have been made up by him, and audited and approved of by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that they have postponed the payment of a dividend until next statutory period, and that they have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

FRANCIS EDMOND, Trustee.

Aberdeen, April 4, 1857.

SEQUESTRATION of RICHARD CAMPBELL & COMPANY, lately Bleachers at Bowfield, Renfrewshire, and Richard Campbell, Bleacher there, sole Partner of said Company.

JOHN ROBERT SWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Richard Campbell & Company, and Richard Campbell, sole Partner thereof, above designed, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of said Bankrupts' estate, brought down to 21st ultimo, and state of the funds as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that the Commissioners postponed any further dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

J. R. SWAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, April 4, 1857.

JAMES RIDDELL, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN MORRISON**, Builder and Contractor, Dunblane, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, to 9th February last, has been audited by the Commissioners; and that they have postponed a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES RIDDELL, Trustee.

Edinburgh, April 6, 1857.

THE Business carried on in the Shop and Premises, No. 36, West Register Street, and No. 12, Catherine Street, Edinburgh, by us, as the only Individual Partners, under the Firm of LAURIE & CO., Painters, Glaziers, and Dealers in Paper-Hangings, is Discontinued, and the said Firm of LAURIE & CO. DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, from the 17th of March 1857.

LAURIE & CO.
RITCHIE LAURIE.

JOHN LEISHMAN, W.S., Witness.
WALTER LYON, Clerk to the said John Leishman, Witness.

WILLIAM AUSTIN.

GEO. C. ADAMS, S.S.C., Edinburgh, Witness to Mr Austin's Signature.

WILLIAM JAMIESON, Clerk to James White, Stock-Broker, Edinburgh, Witness to do.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on by Robert Pattison and David Morrison, as Merchants in Glasgow, and at Saint John's, in the Island of Antigua, West Indies, under the Firm of DAVID MORRISON & COMPANY, and of which the said Robert Pattison and David Morrison were the only Partners, was DISSOLVED on 10th April 1856, by the death of the said Robert Pattison. The Business will be carried on by the said David Morrison, who is authorised to uplift and discharge the whole debts owing to, and who will pay the whole debts due by the said Copartnership.

January 30, 1857.

AGNES SARAH LEAY,
P. M. LEAY,
LAURA C. RUSSELL,
J. A. RUSSELL,
MARGARET STEELE,
ROBERT STEELE, JR.,

Executors of
ROBERT PATTISON.

HENDERSON LAW, as Attorney for
WM. PATTISON.

DAVID MORRISON.

WM. DRYNAN, Witness.

JOHN OWENS, Witness.

ROBERT MACFARLAN, Witness.

JOHN GRAY, Witness.

WILLM. AMBROSE, Witness.

ALEXR. M'CORMICK, Witness.

WILLM. FERGUSON, Witness.

THO. IRVING TAIT, Witness.

THE Subscriber, James Marshall, has of this date ceased to be a Partner of the Firm of JAMES BANKS N'NEIL & COMPANY, Boatbuilders and Boathirers, Clutha Boathouse, Glasgow, having sold and transferred his interest in said Business to James Banks M'Neil, who will in future carry on the Business on his own account.

JAMES MARSHALL.

JAMES B. M'NEIL.

R. SINCLAIR, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

HENRY OMPHANT, Clerk to the said R. Sinclair,
Witness.

Glasgow, March 12, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, Executrix of the Deceased THOMAS SMITH, sometime Merchant in Inverness, hereby gives notice that, upon the 4th day of May 1849, she and the other Representatives of the said Thomas Smith ceased to have any share or interest in the Business carried on in Inverness under the Firm of THOMAS SMITH & COMPANY, Merchants, Hunt Hall, Inverness.

MARIANNE SMITH.

W. MACKINTOSH, Wine Merchant, Inverness,
Witness.

WM. R. GRANT, Solicitor, Inverness, Witness.

Inverness, April 2, 1857.

THE Copartnership of ANDREW GIBSON & CO., Fishcurers at Stornoway and Loch Broom, for the Fishing Season 1854, was DISSOLVED, 1st October of that year, by the withdrawal of James Lilley as a Partner.

ANDREW GIBSON.

JAMES LILLEY.

JAMES GIBSON.

JOHN KING, Cooper, Leith, Witness.

JOHN EATON, Cooper, Leith, Witness.

Leith, April 3, 1857.

NOTICE.

PETER M'LEAN, Watchmaker, Arbroath, and present Prisoner in the Prison of Forfar, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum, and for liberation and interim protection against the diligence of his Creditors; and the said Sheriff has fixed Friday the 8th day of May next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff-Court-Room, Forfar, for the examination of the Petitioner, at which time and place all his Creditors are hereby required to appear for their interest.

JOHN MORISON MILNE, Writer, Forfar,
Petitioner's Procurator.

NOTICE.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that an application by JAMES ESSON, Waiter, presently residing in No. 2, Shakespeare Square, Edinburgh, craving the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and of interim protection against the execution of diligence, has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Edinburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute, by Interlocutor thereon dated the 4th day of April 1857, appointed the Petitioner to appear for examination within the Sheriff-Court-Room, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 7th day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon. All his Creditors are required to appear at the foresaid time and place.

Jno. M. JUNNER, S.S.C., 6, North St David Street,
Agent for Petitioner.
Edinburgh, April 6, 1857.

INTIMATION.

THOMAS GILLIES, Letter-Carrier, Fushie Bridge, presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Edinburghshire, craving decree of Cessio Bonorum, interim liberation and protection; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Court-Room, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Friday the 8th day of May next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

J. DAVIDSON, S.S.C., Agent,
No. 17, Elm Row, Edinburgh.

April 7, 1857.

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

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