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The Speech of the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Friday, August 10, 1866.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

WE are commanded by Her Majesty, in releasing you from the labours of a protracted Session, to convey to you Her Majesty's acknowledgments for the zeal and assiduity with which you have applied yourselves to your Parliamentary duties.

Her Majesty has much satisfaction in informing you that Her relations with all Foreign Powers are on the most friendly footing.

Her Majesty has watched with anxious interest the progress of the War which has recently convulsed a great portion of the Continent of Europe. Her Majesty cannot have been an indifferent spectator of events which have seriously affected the positions of Sovereigns and Princes with whom Her Majesty is connected by the closest ties of relationship and friendship; but Her Majesty has not deemed it expedient to take part in a contest in which neither the honour of Her Crown nor the interest of Her People demanded any active intervention on Her part. Her Majesty can only express an earnest hope that the negotiations now in progress between the Belligerent Powers may lead to such an arrangement as may lay the foundation of a secure and lasting Peace.

A wide-spread treasonable Conspiracy, having for its objects the subversion of Her Majesty's authority in Ireland, the confiscation of property, and the establishment of a Republic, having its seat in Ireland, but deriving its principal support from naturalized citizens of a foreign and friendly State, compelled Her Majesty at the commencement of the present Session to assent to a measure, recommended by Her Representative in Ireland, for the temporary suspension in that part of Her Majesty's Dominions of the Habeas Corpus Act. That measure, firmly but temperately acted on by the Irish Executive, had the effect of repressing any outward manifestations of treasonable intentions, and of causing the withdrawal from Ireland of the greater portion of those foreign agents by whom the Conspiracy was mainly fostered.

The leaders, however, of this movement were not deterred from prosecuting their criminal designs

beyond the limits of Her Majesty's Dominions. They even attempted from the territories of the United States of America an inroad upon the peaceful subjects of Her Majesty in Her North American Provinces. That attempted inroad, however, only served to manifest in the strongest manner the loyalty and devotion of Her Majesty's subjects in those Provinces, who, without exception of creed or origin, united in defence of their Sovereign and their Country. It served also to show the good faith and scrupulous attention to international rights displayed by the Government of the United States, whose active interference, by checking any attempted invasion of a friendly State, mainly contributed to protect Her Majesty's Dominions against the evils of a predatory inroad.

Her Majesty would have been rejoiced at the close of the present Session to be enabled to put an end to the exceptional legislation which She was compelled to sanction at its commencement; but the protection which Her Majesty owes to Her loyal subjects leaves Her no alternative but that of assenting to the advice of Her Parliament to continue till their next meeting the provisions of the existing law. Her Majesty looks anxiously forward to the time when She may be enabled to revert to the ordinary provisions of the law.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

Her Majesty commands us to thank you for the liberal provision which you have made for the Public Service, and for the Naval and Military Defences of the Country.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Her Majesty has seen with great concern the monetary pressure which, for a period of unprecedented duration, has weighed upon the interests of the Country. The consequent embarrassment appeared at one moment to be aggravated by so general a feeling of distrust and alarm that Her Majesty, in order to restore confidence, authorized Her Ministers to recommend to the Directors of the Bank of England a course of proceeding suited to the emergency.

This, though justifiable under the circumstances, might have led to an infringement of the law, but Her Majesty has the satisfaction of being able to inform you that no such infringement has taken place, and that, although the Monetary Pressure



is not yet sensibly mitigated, alarm is subsiding, and the state of trade being sound, and the condition of the people generally prosperous, Her Majesty entertains a sanguine hope that confidence will soon be restored.

Her Majesty has observed with satisfaction, and with deep gratitude to Almighty God, that He has so far favoured the measures which have been adopted for staying the fearful pestilence which visited our herds and flocks, that its destructive effects have been in a great measure checked, and that there is reason to hope for its entire extinction at no distant period. In the meantime Her Majesty has given Her willing assent to a measure which has been introduced for the relief of those districts which have suffered the most severely from its visitation.

Her Majesty regrets that this Country has at length been subjected to the fearful visitation of Cholera which has prevailed in other European Countries, but from which it has hitherto been happily exempt. Her Majesty has directed that a Form of Prayer to Almighty God, suitable to the present exigency, should be offered up in all the Churches of this Realm; and Her Majesty has given Her cordial approval to legislative measures sanctioning the adoption, by local authorities, of such steps as science and experience have shown to be most effectual for the check of this fearful malady.

Her Majesty hopes that those in whose hands so large and beneficial an authority is left will not be slow to execute the powers entrusted to them, and that they will be seconded in their endeavours by all who have at heart the safety and well-being of Her People. In connexion with this subject Her Majesty hopes that a Bill, to which She has given Her ready assent, for Improving the Navigation of the River Thames, may incidentally be conducive to the public health.

Her Majesty has great satisfaction in congratulating the country, and the world at large, on the successful accomplishment of the great design of

connecting Europe and America by the means of an Electric Telegraph. It is hardly possible to anticipate the full extent of the benefits which may be conferred on the human race by this signal triumph of scientific enterprise; and Her Majesty has pleasure in expressing Her deep sense of what is due to the private energy which, in spite of repeated failure and discouragement, has at length, for the second time, succeeded in establishing direct communication between the Two Continents. Her Majesty trusts that no impediment may occur to interrupt the success of this great undertaking, calculated, as it undoubtedly is, to cement yet closer the ties which bind Her Majesty's North American Colonies to their Mother Country, and to promote the unrestricted intercourse and friendly feeling which it is most desirable should subsist between Her Majesty's Dominions and the great Republic of the United States.

Her Majesty is aware that, in returning to your respective homes, many of you have duties to perform hardly less important than those which belong to you in your legislative capacity. Her Majesty places full reliance on the loyalty and devotion with which you will discharge those duties; and Her Majesty earnestly prays that your influence and efforts may, under the blessing of Divine Providence, tend to the general welfare, prosperity, and contentment of Her People.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read; after which the Lord Chancellor said:—

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to Her Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Thursday the Twenty-Fifth day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the Twenty-Fifth day of October next.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 9th day of August 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury do prepare a Form of Prayer to Almighty God, for Relief from the Plague now existing amongst Cattle, and for Protection against the Cholera; and that such Form of Prayer be used in all churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, on Sunday the twelfth day of August instant, and whenever Divine Service is celebrated during the prevalence of the Cholera, and of Cattle Plague in this country, instead of the Prayer now used for Relief from the Plague existing amongst Cattle, and for protection against the Cholera.

And it is hereby further ordered, that Her Majesty's Printer do forthwith print a competent number of copies of the said Form of Prayer, in order that the same may be forthwith sent round, and used in the several churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

EDMUND HARRISON.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 9th day of August 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that all Ministers and Preachers, as well of the Established Church in that part of Great Britain called Scotland, as of the Episcopal Communion, protected and allowed by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Anne, chapter seven, do, at some time, during the exercise of Divine Service in their Churches, Congregations, or Assemblies, on Sunday the twelfth day of August instant, and subsequently during the exercise of Divine Service, while Cholera and Cattle Plague continue prevalent in this country, put up a Prayer to Almighty God for Relief from the Plague now existing amongst Cattle, and for protection against the Cholera.

EDMUND HARRISON.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 9th day of August 1866.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Passengers' Act, 1855, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by any Order in Council, to prescribe such rules and regulations as to Her Majesty may seem fit, for certain purposes in the said Act specified, and, amongst others, for requiring duly qualified medical practitioners to be carried in passenger ships, in cases where they would not be required to be carried under the provisions of the said Act. And such Order in Council from time to time, in like manner, to alter, amend, and revoke as occasion may require :

And whereas from the prevalence of choleraic disease in certain parts of the United Kingdom, it has become expedient that Her Majesty should exercise the discretion and authority so vested in Her as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in pursuance and exercise of the authority vested in Her by the said Passengers' Act, 1855, doth hereby order as follows ; that is to say :

From and after the 20th instant, and so long as this Order shall continue in force, every passenger ship, carrying more than 50 passengers on any voyage to which the said Act extends, shall, whatever be the duration of the voyage, and subject to the provisions of the 42d section of the said Act, carry a duly qualified medical practitioner, who shall be rated on the ship's articles.

To prevent all doubts in the construction of this Order in Council, it is hereby further ordered, that the terms "passenger," and "passenger ship," shall have the same significations as are assigned to them respectively in the said Passengers' Act, 1855, and unless inconsistent with the context words of one number shall import both numbers.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Carnarvon, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ARTHUR HELPS.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 8th day
of August 1866.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable
Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Mr Secretary Walpole.
Mr Cave.

WHEREAS by an Order bearing date the eleventh day of June last, reciting certain provisions of the Act passed in the Session of the eleventh and twelfth years of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter 107, and that the same had been amended and explained by a subsequent Act of Her Majesty's reign, and the prevalence of the Cattle Plague among cattle in England and Wales, and that divers Orders had been made by the Lords of the Council in relation to the Cattle Plague, which were consolidated and amended by Orders bearing date the 24th day of March and the 11th day of April, which contained certain exceptions in regard to cattle

brought from Ireland into England or Scotland, and that it was advisable that such exceptions should be rescinded and annulled in respect of the district thereafter mentioned, the Lords of Her Majesty's Council did rescind and annul certain provisions of the said Orders in respect of cattle landed from Ireland, where such cattle should have been moved out of any part of the province of Ulster, and did make certain other provisions in respect of such cattle so moved from the province of Ulster.

And whereas the said Lords of Her Majesty's Council by another Order, bearing date the 3d day of July last, reciting as in the last-stated Order, did make similar provisions in respect of cattle moved out of the province of Leinster, in the Kingdom of Ireland.

And whereas it is advisable that those Orders should be now revoked, rescinded, and annulled :

Now, therefore, the Lords of the Council do hereby order that from and after the tenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the said recited Orders of the 11th day of June and 3d day of July shall be revoked, rescinded, and annulled, and all the provisions of the said Orders of the 24th day of March and the 11th day of April which apply to cattle landed in England or Scotland from Ireland shall be and continue in force, subject, nevertheless, to such conditions, regulations, and provisions as are contained in any other Order or Orders, whereby such Orders respectively have been amended, altered, modified, or extended.

Provided that all acts and proceedings commenced in accordance with the Orders hereby revoked, but not yet completed, may be completed according thereto, as fully as if this Order had not been made.

ARTHUR HELPS.

At the Council-Chamber, Whitehall, the 11th
day of August 1866.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable
Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Sir Stafford Northcote, Bart.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty's reign, chapter one hundred and seven, intituled "An Act to prevent, until the first day of September one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and to the end of the then session of Parliament, the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals," and from time to time continued by divers subsequent Acts, and lastly by an Act passed in the session of the twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and nineteen, it is (amongst other things) enacted that it shall be lawful for the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Privy Council, or any two or more of them, from time to time to make such Orders and Regulations as to them may seem necessary, for the purpose of prohibiting or regulating the removal to or from such parts or places as they may designate in such Order or Orders, of sheep, cattle, horses, swine, or other animals, or of meat,

skins, hides, horns, hoofs, or other parts of any animals, or of hay, straw, fodder, or other articles likely to propagate infection, and to make any other Orders or Regulations for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of the said Act, and again to revoke, alter, or vary any such Orders or Regulations; and that all provisions for any of the purposes aforesaid in any such Order or Orders contained shall have the like force and effect as if the same had been inserted in the said Act.

And whereas the said Act has been amended and explained by an Act passed in the twenty-ninth year of Her present Majesty's reign, intitled "An Act to amend the Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and seven, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals:"

And whereas the contagious or infectious disorder generally designated as the "Cattle Plague," which has lately prevailed among cattle in Scotland, has now ceased therein:

And whereas divers Orders have been made by the Lords of the said Council in relation to the cattle plague; and whereas it is expedient to suspend these Orders, so far as they relate to the regulation of the movements of cattle and other animals, and the sale of cattle within Scotland:

Now, therefore, the Lords of Her Majesty's Privy Council do hereby, in exercise of the powers given under the said Acts, order as follows:

1. This Order shall apply to Scotland only, subject to the limitation hereinafter expressed.

2. From and after the thirteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and subject to the further Orders of the Lords of the said Council, all the provisions contained in any Order of Council restraining or regulating the movements of animals within Scotland, or any part thereof, and all orders of any Local Authority in Scotland made under or in virtue thereof, and all the provisions contained in any Order of Council prohibiting or regulating the holding of markets, fairs, auctions, exhibitions, or sale of cattle within Scotland, or any part thereof, and all orders of any Local Authority in Scotland made under or in virtue thereof, shall be suspended; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent any Local Authority in Scotland, or the officer or officers appointed thereby, from granting "fat stock or store stock" licences, under the Order of 11th April 1866, for the removal of cattle from Scotland to England or elsewhere beyond Scotland.

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any Order of Council, it shall, from and after the thirteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and subject to the further Order of the Lords of the said Council, be lawful to introduce cattle and other animals by land from England into any part of Scotland, provided the person introducing them has obtained a licence for that purpose from the Local Authority of the County of Berwick, or of Roxburgh, or of Dumfries, into whichsoever of these Counties said animals have been first introduced, or from some officer or officers appointed by said Local Authority to grant such licence, and any person obtaining such licence shall fulfil all the conditions contained therein.

4. In the event of cattle plague breaking out in any district in Scotland, after the said thirteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and

sixty-six, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Local Authority thereof forthwith to summon a meeting of the said Local Authority, who shall proceed at once to slaughter the animals which are affected with cattle plague, and to declare the place or places where the disease is or has been, "infected," in the manner provided for and subject to all the conditions contained in sections 26 and 27 of the Order of 11th April 1866.

5. Nothing contained in this Order shall affect the Regulations at present in force under any Order of Council in regard to cattle brought by sea from any place in the United Kingdom, or out of the United Kingdom into any town or place in Scotland, nor shall it affect any prosecution for any offence against any Order of Council, or order of any Local Authority, committed before the said thirteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

6. This Order shall be construed in like manner as the Order of the 11th April 1866, and all the provisions therein contained shall apply to this Order, so far as the same can be applicable, and are not inconsistent herewith, and the violation of any part of this Order shall be an offence subject to the penalty incurred under the said Order by the committing any offence against it.

EDMUND HARRISON.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 9th day of August 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day the Right Honourable Henry James Baillie was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

WAR-OFFICE, August 10, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Henry Marshman Havelock, Bart., V.C., Lieutenant-Colonel William Cosmo Trevor, of the 14th Regiment; and Lieutenant-Colonel George Dean Pitt, to be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 7, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr John Henry as Consul at Quebec for the United States of America.

LONDON, August 4, 1866.

Appointments to the Viceregal Staff:—

Gustavus William Lambart, Esq., to be Comptroller.

Paid Aide-de-Camp, Captain Honble. Charles Edgcumbe, Grenadier Guards.

Extra or Unpaid Aides-de-Camp:—

1st, Captain Arkwright, 84th Regiment.

2d, Lieutenant Howard, 9th Lancers.

3d, Lieutenant Campbell, 60th Rifles.

4th, Lieutenant Honourable Frederick Wellesley, Coldstream Guards.

5th, Lieutenant Browne, 12th Lancers.

6th, Lieutenant Gregory, 15th Hussars.

ABERCORN.

WESTMINSTER, August 7, 1866.

This day the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to an Act agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Act, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

An Act to amend the law relating to the Public Health.

(1228.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 10, 1866.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, announcing that vessels arriving in Italian ports from Liverpool, will be subjected to a quarantine of fifteen days.

(1243.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 9, 1866.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a letter from the Italian Minister at this Court, announcing that, in consequence of the recent outbreak of Cholera in this country, a quarantine of fifteen days will be imposed by the Italian Government on all vessels arriving at Italian ports from British ports.

ADMIRALTY, August 9, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Nelson Hippisley to be Commander.

Commissions signed by the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports.

2d Administrative Battalion of Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteers.

Edward Charles Hales Wilkie, Esq., to be Major. Dated 10th July 1866.

1st Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteer Corps.
Ensign Morris Dickinson to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th July 1866.

Charles Thornely, Esq. to be Ensign, vice Dickinson, promoted. Dated 30th July 1866.

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

1st Devon Mounted Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Thomas D. Acland to be Captain, vice T. D. Acland, resigned. Dated 11th July 1866.

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

10th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Gimson Gimson, M.D., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 28th July 1866.

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.

12th Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles Dighton, gent. to be Ensign, vice Jackson, resigned. Dated 6th August 1866.

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

23d Hants Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Edward Baker to be Ensign. Dated 7th August 1866.

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

Northumberland Light Infantry Militia.

Shalcross Fitzherbert Widdrington, Esq. to be Captain, vice Pears, resigned. Dated 2d August 1866.

Robert Brown, Esq. to be Captain, vice Hughes, resigned. Dated 2d August 1866.

1st Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.

George Otto Trevelyan to be Captain. Dated 14th July 1866.

John Wait to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 14th July 1866.

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

12th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Edmund Fellows to be Captain, vice Gibbs, resigned. Dated 24th July 1866.

Henry Fullwood Rose, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Fellows, promoted. Dated 24th July 1866.

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

1st Warwickshire Regiment of Militia.

John Wynn Griffith, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Yeatman, promoted. Dated 25th July 1866.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 17th ultimo.]

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

16th Devonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edwin James Worth to be Ensign, vice Roberts, resigned. Dated 27th June 1866.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 3d instant.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Simon Drielsma, gent. to be Honorary Assistant-Quartermaster, vice Gambell, deceased. Dated 23d July 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Ernest Augustus Prideaux Bruns in the Cornwall Rangers Militia.

WHITEHALL, July 6, 1866.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Taylor, of Hexham, in the county of Northumberland, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

WHITEHALL, August 1, 1866.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Tullet Howard, of Bishop's Road, Bethnal Green, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 38.)—JAPAN—TSUGAR STRAIT.

Floating Light Hakodadi Bay.

INFORMATION has been received at the Admiralty, that after the month of October 1865, a light vessel would be moored in the port of Hakodadi, Ssugar or Sangar Strait.

The vessel exhibits a *fixed* white light, at an elevation of 21 feet above the sea, and in clear weather should be visible from a distance of 5 miles.

The vessel has one mast, carries a red ball during the day, and is moored in 6 fathoms water at the extremity of the bank, extending in a northerly direction from the peninsula of Hakodadi.

The approximate position is given in lat. $41^{\circ} 47' 30''$ N., long. $140^{\circ} 44' 39''$ East of Greenwich.

SULU SEA—BASILAN CHANNEL.

Fixed Red Light at Samboanga.—Island of Mindanao.

Notice has been given by the Captain of the Port of Samboanga, at the south point of Mindanao, that on and after the 15th day of March 1866, a *fixed red* light would be exhibited, as a harbour light at Samboanga.

The light is placed at an elevation of 32 feet above the level of the sea, at the extremity of the mole.

The approximate position is given in lat. $6^{\circ} 54'$ N., long. $122^{\circ} 4'$ East of Greenwich.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
11th July 1866.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril Island, No. 2405; Tsugar Strait, No. 2441; Hakodadi Harbour, No. 2672.—Basilan Channel, No. 961; and Sulu Archipelago, No. 2576.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 39.)—NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN—BAY OF BISCAY,

Light Vessel on Plateau de Roch-bonne.

The Minister of Public Works in France has given notice that, on and after the 15th day of

September 1866, the light vessel, which has been moored east of the Plateau de Roche-bonne—off the west coast of France, will exhibit two *fixed* white lights, the one being 46, and the other 33 feet above the level of the sea; in clear weather they should be seen from a distance of 10 miles.

The vessel is painted red, with two masts surmounted by skeleton balls; she is moored in 26 fathoms, in about lat. $46^{\circ} 12'$ N., long. $2^{\circ} 20' 51''$ West of Greenwich.

During foggy weather, a bell will be sounded quickly for the space of a minute, with an interval of three minutes; but in the event of a vessel passing near the floating light, the ringing will be continued without interruption. It is contemplated to substitute for this bell, a trumpet to be sounded by compressed air, which would be heard at a much greater distance.

Note.—From experience obtained during the past winter, it is probable the light vessel will be able to keep at her present moorings during all weather notwithstanding the violence of the sea in this locality; but mariners are warned against placing too much dependence on the vessel retaining her position.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th July 1866.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Thames to Mediterranean, No. 1; France, West Coast, sheet 3, No. 2648. Also, French Lights List, No. 195.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 40.)—MEDITERRANEAN.—COAST OF SYRIA.

Lights at Port de Sur, or Tyre.

The Turkish Government has given notice that, on and after the 15th day of July 1866, two lights would be exhibited from an ancient battery, overlooking the sea, on the west side of the town of Sur, ancient Tyre.

The lights are *fixed* white *vertical* lights, the higher of the two being 56 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of five miles.

The position of the lights is given in lat. $33^{\circ} 17'$ N., long. $35^{\circ} 14' 50''$ East of Greenwich.

Port de Saida or Sidon.

Also, that on and after the 15th day of July 1866, two lights would be exhibited, at the distance of 219 yards from the south extremity of the Island of Saida or Jezireh, at the entrance of the port of the same name.

The lights will be *fixed red vertical* lights; the elevation of the higher of the two being 62 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of five miles.

The position of the light is in lat. $33^{\circ} 34' 15''$ N., long. $35^{\circ} 21' 28''$ East of Greenwich.

BLACK SEA.

Fixed and Flashing Light on Cape Kouri.

Also, that on and after the 15th day of July 1866, a light would be exhibited 43 yards from the extremity of Cape Kouri, on the western coast of the Black Sea.

The light is a *fixed* white light, varied by a *flash* every *two minutes*. It is placed at an elevation of 174 feet above the mean level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 15 miles.

The position of the light is given in lat. 41° 52' 30" N., long. 28° 4' 15" East of Greenwich.

Revolving Light on Cape Kalacria, or Kaliakra.

Also, that on and after the 15th day of July 1866, a light would be exhibited about 20 yards from the extremity of Cape Kalacria or Kaliakra, on the western shore of the Black Sea.

The light will be a *revolving* white light, attaining its greatest brilliancy every *minute*. It is placed at an elevation of 164 feet above the mean level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 16 miles.

The position of the light is given in lat. 43° 21' 30" N., long. 28° 30' 15" East of Greenwich.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
17th July 1866.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mediterranean Sea, Nos. 2158 and 2718c; Sur (ancient Tyre), No. 2903; Saida, No. 2794; Markab to Ras En Nakura, No. 2633. Black and Azov Seas, No. 2214; Bosphorus to Cape Kaliakra, No. 2230; Cape Kaliakra to Odessa, No. 2231; Ynaida, No. 2204.

Errata to Notices to Mariners, No. 36, dated 4th July 1866:—For the courses parallel with the measured mile—at right angles to the line of transit of the beacons—are N.N.W. ¼ W. and S.S.E. ¼ E., read N.N.E. ¼ E. and S.S.W. ¼ W.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 41.)—NEWFOUNDLAND.—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Lights at Cape Race and Cape Pine.

With reference to Notices to Mariners, Nos. 28 and 5, issued from this office on the 12th day of June 1865, and the 1st day of February 1866, respectively, relative to the proposed alterations of the lights at Cape Race and Cape Pine, mariners are hereby informed, that the contemplated changes will take place on the 21st day of August 1866.

The fixed light at Cape Race will be altered to a *revolving* white light, attaining its greatest brilliancy every *half-minute*.

The revolving light at Cape Pine will be altered to a *fixed* white light.

By Command of their Lordships,

GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
17th July 1866.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Newfoundland, South East Coast, No. 2915; North America, East Coast, No. 2666; and Gulf of St Lawrence, No 2516. Also, British North American Lights List, Nos. 14, 15.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday the 8th day of August 1866.

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W. MILLER, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

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AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of Bullion and Specie,
registered in the Week ended 8th August 1866.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Hanse Towns	10,051	...	10,051	...	...	...
Holland	7,250	...	7,250	...	...	...
France	20,000	...	20,000	25,680	...	25,680
Gibraltar	43	...	43	20,136	...	20,136
Morocco .....	...	...	...	18,617	...	18,617
Bengal	23,250	...	23,250	...	...	...
New South Wales .....	...	7,444	7,444	...	...	...
United States of America	28,980	11,190	40,170	125,668	219,690	345,358
Brazil	2,213	4,474	6,687	12,360	...	12,360
Other Countries	5,647	...	5,647	8,684	292	8,976
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...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ...	97,434	23,108	120,542	211,175	219,982	431,157
Approximate Value of the said Importations computed at the rates specified below	£ 375,388	£ 84,600	£ 459,988	£ 52,076	£ 59,693	£ 111,769
Rates of Valuation, per ounce	£ s. d. 3 14 6 to 3 17 10½	£ s. d. 3 10 0 to 4 0 0	...	s. d. 4 10½ to 5 0½	s. d. 5 5½	...

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Holland .....	...	...	...	...	...	8,000	456,615	464,615
Belgium .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	188,000	188,000
France .....	...	70,000	28,550	98,550	...	37,400	...	37,400
South America (except Brazil) and West Indies.....	95,400	95,400
Other Countries	70	258	...	328	...	16,040	30,000	46,040
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Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week	70	70,258	28,550	98,878	95,400	61,440	674,615	831,455
Approximate Value of the said Exportations computed at the rates specified below...	£ 273	£ 267,859	£ 108,728	£ 376,860	£ 24,098	£ 15,104	£ 183,060	£ 222,262
Rates of Valuation, per ounce	£ s. d. 3 17 10½	£ s. d. 3 16 3	£ s. d. 3 16 2	...	s. d. 5 0½	s. d. 4 11	s. d. 5 5½	...

JOHN A. MESSENGER,
Inspector-General of Imports and Exports

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

William James Holt, of Grantham, Lincoln, tea dealer and grocer.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

John Low Armstrong, of 16, Mount Street, Grosvenor Square, Middlesex, fishmonger.

Frederick Eaton, of 26, Walcot Square, Kennington Road, Surrey, general shopkeeper.

Joseph Cohen, of 43, Middlesex Street, Whitechapel, London, rag dealer.

Isaac Smith, of 146, Pentonville Road, Middlesex, having a workshop at 165, Pentonville Road aforesaid, coach and cab builder.

Thomas Clarke, of 18, Brookhill Road, Plumstead, previously of 19, Lower Market Street, Woolwich, both in Kent, timekeeper in the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich.

Ladialas Count Szatary, of 2, Church Place, Jermyn Street, Saint James', Westminster, Middlesex, not following any occupation or profession.

Richard John Kear, of 1, Dorset Place, Holloway Road, Middlesex, boot and shoe maker, formerly in copartnership with Walter James Bartrop, trading under the style of Bartrop & Kear, as boot and shoe makers.

Alfred Ward Galloway, of 1, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, and 26, Richmond Road, Islington, both in Middlesex, law clerk.

William Walker, of 3A, Charles Street, St John's Wood, Middlesex, tailor.

Charles Larking, of 12, Cranley Terrace, Fulham Road, Brompton, Middlesex, upholsterer and cabinetmaker.

William Thomas Greenalade, of Townhall Chambers, High Street, Southwark, Surrey, hop merchant.

Thomas Snow, of 50, Millbank Street, Westminster, and 35, Vauxhall Bridge Road, both in Middlesex, zinc worker and plumber.

William Davis, of 74, Canal Walk, Southampton, broker and furniture dealer.

George Cook Burry, formerly of Cherry Orchard Road, and now of 20, Saint John's Road, both in Croydon, Surrey, professor of music and organist.

Edmund Frary Shreeve, of the High Road, Tottenham, Middlesex, builder and undertaker.

Alexander Dalrymple, formerly of 34, Great Saint Helen's, afterwards of 21, Mincing Lane, both in London, and now of 26, Sutherland Street, South Belgravia, Middlesex, merchant.

Roston Hulls, of 10, Clifton Terrace, Clifton Street, and late of 4, Portland Place, both in Wandsworth Road, Surrey, cab driver.

Joshua Burr, of High Street, Homerton, Middlesex, porter, formerly of the Bell Tavern, Leytonstone, Essex, licensed victualler, out of business.

John Charles Carr, of 3, Broadway, Deptford, Kent, watch and chronometer maker.

Pierce Anthony Rogan, late of 24, Duncan Terrace, Islington, Middlesex, clerk in Her Majesty's Customs, London, formerly of 19, Bedford Street, Southampton, clerk in Her Majesty's Customs at Southampton, and now a prisoner for debt in Her Majesty's Debtors Prison for London and Middlesex.

Walter Toull, of 5, Amherst Terrace, Shacklewell, Middlesex, builder.

Benjamin Jackson Smith, of 3, James Place, Datchet, and of Eton, both in Buckingham, previously of 1, Pollon Street, Maddox Street, Regent Street, previously of 140, Great Portland Street, both in Middlesex, tailor.

Robert White, of 26, Deansgate, formerly of the same place, and 5, Deansgate aforesaid, in copartnership with Henry Sheild, as attorneys-at-law and solicitors, under the style or firm of Sheild & White, all in Northampton. George Henry Mitchell, of Padwell Road, Southampton, merchant's clerk.

William Nettleton Le Gassick, of 25, North Wharf Road, Paddington, Middlesex, clerk to the Great Western Railway Company.

Charles William Harris, of 38, Guildford Street, Russell Square, Middlesex, builder and decorator.

William Swadkin, of Holliday Street and Smallbrook Street, both in Birmingham, fishmonger and fruiterer.

Spencer Thomas Garrett and George Killik, of Tunstall, Stafford, brick and tile manufacturers.

Edwin Phillips, late of Dudley, assistant to Mr T. grocer, Derby Hand, both in Dudley, Worcester, grocer and provision dealer, trading under the style or firm of W. R. Patrick & Company, also of Westhope, Shropshire, farmer, but now a prisoner for debt in the Gaol at Worcester.

Joseph Hodgkinson, of Bold Lane, Derby, cabinetmaker, upholsterer, and bookseller.

George Fry, of Lynton, Devon, coal merchant, post-horse keeper, and farmer.

Elizabeth Andrew, of Nansough, Ladock, Cornwall.

William Lee and John Lee, both of Yeadon, York, cloth manufacturers, trading under the style of William & John Lee.

John Oldroyd, of Dewsbury Moor, Dewsbury, York, coal agent and book-keeper.

Sidney Smith, of Kingston-upon-Hull, grocer.

Thomas Binns, Edwin Tickler, and John Binns, all of Kirton-in-Lindsey, Lincoln, corn millers and corn factors, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Binns & Company.

Edwin Latham, of Liverpool, Lancaster, commission merchant.

William Henry Badger and William Henry Crocker, of Liverpool, Lancaster, ship, store, and provision dealers, trading under the style of Badger, Crocker, & Co.

John Ferguson, formerly of Penton Street, afterwards of Harewood Street, both in Liverpool, Lancaster, builder and contractor, now a prisoner for debt in Walton Gaol.

John William Pollard, of 8, Bamber Street, Liverpool, Lancaster, slater and plasterer.

Daniel Miller, of Market Place, Blackburn, Lancaster, bookseller and stationer.

George Gibson, of Broughton-in-Furness, Kirby Ireleth, Lancaster, surgeon.

George Darlington, of Wrexham, Wales, late carrying on business at Warrington, Manchester, Lancaster, oil manufacturer and mining engineer.

Ralph Nimmo, formerly of Queen Street, spirit merchant, but now of Southwick, both in Sunderland, Durham, out of business.

Joseph Eustance, of Stretton, Chester, postmaster, grocer, and provision dealer.

John Standeven, of West Vale, Greetland, Halifax, York, shoddy and waste dealer.

Benjamin Taylor, of Northgate, in Elland, Halifax, York, stonemason.

Thomas Williams, late of 46, Sherborne Street, grocer, but now of 11, Saint James' Street, both in Cheltenham, Gloucester.

William Parke, of East Cowes, Isle of Wight, Hants, coal merchant and general dealer.

William Edwin Revill, of Doncaster, York, joiner and builder, and licensed dealer in ale, porter, and tobacco.

Abraham Bayley, of 307, Great Ancoats Street, Manchester, Lancaster, baker.

Squire Scholes, of Sharple, near Bolton, Lancaster, painter and plasterer.

John Ridehalgh, of Laneshaw Bridge, near Colne, Lancaster, cotton manufacturer.

John Firth, late of 13, Harley Bank, Todmorden, York, publisher and bookseller, and now a prisoner for debt in Her Majesty's Prison at Lancaster.

Edward Bates, late of Hartebill, Warwick, joiner, carpenter, and beer retailer, and now of 8, Dale Street Terrace, Burton-upon-Trent, Stafford, joiner and carpenter.

Benjamin Gill, of Guiseley, York, formerly beerhouse keeper and dealer in milk.

James Robinson, of Bitton, Gloucester, having offices at 25½, Small Street, Bristol, general merchant, and now a prisoner for debt in the Gaol at Bristol, (in forma pauperis).

Frederick Farrow, of Highbridge, Burnham, Somerset, butcher.

James Newell, of Witford Grove, Nottingham, book-keeper.

Henry John Pickard, of Keyworth, Nottingham, harness maker.

Samuel Wright, at Ebenezer Square, Sneinton, Nottingham, keeper at Asylum.

George Smith, of New Basford, Nottingham, formerly grocer and provision dealer and trimmer of hosiery.

William John, (otherwise William Rees John,) of the Old Duke, High Street, Swansea, Glamorgan, licensed victualler and journeyman fitter.

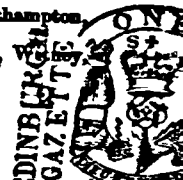
Martha Wilson, of the Union Inn, Strand, Swansea, Glamorgan, licensed victualler.

James Moody, of West Stockwith, Nottingham, ropemaker.

William Davis, of 1, Amoy Street, Bedford Place, Southampton, builder.

Charles Wallace Bradley, of 53, Above Bar, Southampton, machinist and gasfitter.

William Pumfrey, of Corn Street, Curbridge, Warwick, journeyman baker.



THE Estates of J. O. DUNCAN & COMPANY, Millinery and Trimming Warehousemen, Murray Place, Stirling, as a Company, and John Clark Duncan, the sole Individual Partner of that Company Firm, residing in Queen Street, Stirling, as sole Partner thereof, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 10th day of August 1866, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 10th August 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held on Monday the 20th day of August 1866, at one o'clock afternoon, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, 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 10th day of December 1866.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

A Personal Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, the said John Clark Duncan.

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

JOHN GALLETLY, S.S.C., Agent,
19, London Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of HUGH CRAIL CLARK, Merchant, Cupar-Fife, were sequestrated on the 10th day of August 1866, by the Sheriff of Fifeshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th day of August 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 22d day of August 1866, within the Royal Hotel, Cupar-Fife.

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 10th day of December 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

W. & G. PAGAN, Writers, Cupar-Fife,
Agents.

Cupar-Fife, August 11, 1866.

THE Estates of JAMES NEILL & COMPANY, Commission and Wine Merchants in Glasgow, and of James Neill and Alexander Inglis, Commission and Wine Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 11th day of August 1866, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 11th August 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 21st day of August 1866, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, 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 11th day of December 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupts.

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

GEO. BLACK,
46, West George Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of ANDREW BEATSON, Mason, Saint George's Road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 13th day of August 1866, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 13th August 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 24th day of August 1866, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, 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 13th day of December 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

JAMES SERVICE, Writer, Glasgow,
Agent.

THE Estates of ALFRED GWATKIN, sometime Partner of the Firm of JENKINS, COLES, & GWATKIN, Corn and Hop Merchants, Chepstow, in the County of Monmouth, England, thereafter one of the Partners of

the Firm of GWATKIN & BUTT, Corn and Hop Merchants in Chepstow aforesaid, and afterwards carrying on business at Chepstow aforesaid under the Firm of A. GWATKIN & Co., Corn and Hop Merchants, Chepstow, of which Firm he was the sole Partner, and now residing at Portobello, in the County of Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 13th day of August 1866, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 13th day of August 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday the 23d day of August 1866, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51, 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 13th day of December 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustees.

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

D. F. BRIDGEFORD, S.S.C.,
72, Princes Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of RICHARD ARTHUR, Solicitor Supreme Courts of Scotland, residing at No. 23, Forth Street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 14th day of August 1866, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 29th June 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 21st day of August 1866, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 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 14th day of December 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

JAMES BELL, S.S.C., Agent

Chambers, 25, York Place,
Edinburgh, August 14, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'LEOD, Spirit Dealer, 140 and 142, Saltmarket Street, Glasgow.

JOHN CRUICKSHANK, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Robert Robin, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Glasgow, John Duffy, General Dealer, William Street, Johnstone, and James Wright, of Wright & Muir, Agents and Merchants, 146, West George Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place upon Tuesday the 21st day of August current, at 12 o'clock, within the Sheriff's Chambers, Wilson Street, County Buildings, Glasgow. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of Hugh Raiton, No. 63, West Regent Street, Glasgow, upon the 3d day of September 1866, at one o'clock.

JOHN CRUICKSHANK, Trustee,
Glasgow, August 13, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM PATERSON, Lessee of the Royal Princess's Theatre, Nicolson Street, Edinburgh, and residing in Edinburgh.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Affleck Gray, Doctor of Medicine, Edinburgh, Thomas Ireland, Junior, Clerk Street there, and Robert Turnbull, Linen Draper, South Bridge, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh, on Friday the 24th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51, George Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 3d day of September next, at two o'clock afternoon.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Trustee,
Edinburgh, August 14, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of M'EWEN, BRYSON, & COMPANY, Metal Brokers in Glasgow and Middlesboro', and of Alexander M'Ewen, Robert Forrester M'Ewen, and Robert Bryson, Junior, all Metal Brokers in Glasgow and Middlesboro', the only Individual Partners of the said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estates; and Meinhard Erast Robinow, Iron Merchant in Glasgow, John Cameron, Writer in Glasgow, and Samuel Snythe Malcolm,

Merchant in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Chambers of Sheriff Alison, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 24th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon; and the Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs Auld & Guild, 63, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 6th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.
Glasgow, August 13, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MUDIE, Baker, Dundee.

WILLIAM STIVEN, Accountant, Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Robert Tod, Miller, Leith, one of the Partners of the Firm of Alexander & Robert Tod, Millers, Leith, George Wren, Corn Merchant, Leith, and James Gordon, Corn Merchant, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-house, Dundee, on Friday the 17th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the British Hotel, Dundee, on Monday the 27th day of August current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Bankrupt has made offer of a composition of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound, payable at the end of two months after his final discharge, and offers Mr William Banks, Junior, Grocer, Constitution Street, Dundee, as security for payment of the same. The Creditors present at the meeting for the election of a Trustee unanimously resolved to entertain said offer, and it will be decided upon at the meeting of Creditors to be held as above mentioned.

W. M. STIVEN, Trustee.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of ROBERT MILLER, lately Builder and Quarrier, Chapelhall and Carfin, in the Parish of Bothwell, and County of Lanark, now residing at Newarthill, in the said Parish and County.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, Robert Miller above designed hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the sequestration of his estates, in terms of the Statute.

W. M. POLLOK, Writer, Hamilton,
Agent for Petitioner.

Hamilton, August 7, 1866.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

GEORGE IRELAND, Builder and Joiner, No. 160, Canongate, Edinburgh.

THE said George Ireland has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Edinburgh praying to be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable at the date of his sequestration on 23d January 1866: On which Petition the following Deliverance has been pronounced:—'Edinburgh, 13th August 1866.—The Sheriff-Substitute having considered the foregoing Petition, appoints Intimation thereof, and of this Deliverance, to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette, and Notice sent to the Creditors, in terms of the Statute.'

(Signed) 'JAMES CAMPBELL.'
And Intimation is hereby given accordingly.
W. M. B. HAY, S.S.C., Agent.

3, Howe Street,
Edinburgh, August 13, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE SOUTAR, Farmer, Frankleyden.

MELVILLE JAMESON, Solicitor in Perth, Trustee on said sequestrated estate, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Writing-chambers of Alexander Wilson, Solicitor, South Street, Perth, on Saturday the 8th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by him for his discharge.

MELVILLE JAMESON,
Perth, August 13, 1866. Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN GILMOUR, Bottler and Aerated Water Manufacturer and Grocer in Paisley.

AS Trustee on the sequestrated estate of John Gilmour, Bottler and Aerated Water Manufacturer and Grocer in Paisley, I hereby call a general meeting of his Creditors to be held within the Office of Mr James Caldwell, Writer, 33, Old Sneddon Street, Paisley, on Thursday the 6th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by me for my discharge as Trustee foreaied.

ROBT. BOYD, Trustee.

Paisley, August 13, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MACKAY, Contractor, sometime residing at Dickson Street, Wilton, Roxburghshire.

JAMES HOWDEN, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on this sequestrated estate, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors to be held within his Chambers, No. 6, North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 22d instant, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering an offer by Mr William Hutchinson, for a compromise of the Action and Claims at the instance of the Bankrupt against him.

JAMES HOWDEN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, August 14, 1866.

NOTICE.

DAVID M'LELLAN, Banker in Kirkcudbright, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN SPROAT, Merchant in Kirkcudbright, deceased, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 3d August 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 3d day of August 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; farther, that on and after the 4th day of October next, and within the Trustee's Office, Kirkcudbright, there will be paid by him from the estate of the said John Sproat to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and admitted, a dividend of Six Shillings in the pound.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

DAVID M'LELLAN, Trustee.

Kirkcudbright, August 10, 1866.

WILLIAM CRAIG, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN WRIGHT, Contractor and Spirit Dealer, 345, Gallowgate, Glasgow, hereby intimates that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Office of Pollock & Craig, Accountants, 161, Hope Street, Glasgow, on the 1st day of October next.

WILLIAM CRAIG, Trustee.

Glasgow, August 13, 1866.

JOHN ROBERT SWAN, Chartered Accountant, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of ANDREW MILLER, General Commission Merchant and Agent in Glasgow, carrying on business since 16th August 1859 under the Firm of MILLER & MILLER, General Commission Merchants and Agents in Glasgow, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, and as an Individual, and also as an Individual Partner of the now Dissolved Company which carried on business previous to said date as General Commission Merchants and Agents in Glasgow, likewise under the Firm of MILLER & MILLER, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 1st current, and states of the funds as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; farther, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

J. R. SWAN, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, August 13, 1866.

JAMES HONEYMAN, Writer in Kinross, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of JOHN PROUD, Coach Hirer and Hotel-keeper in Milnathort, hereby intimates that an account of my intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 27th day of July last, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have resolved to postpone the declaring of a dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period.

JAMES HONEYMAN, Trustee.

Kinross, August 11, 1866.

JOHN ROBERT SWAN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of WALTER PEACOCK, Innkeeper, Lennox Arms Inn, Lennoxtown, Stirlingshire, hereby gives notice that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 21st ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of any dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

J. R. SWAN, C.A., Trustee.

59, St Vincent Street,
Glasgow, August 3, 1866.

WILLIAM DREW, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **GEORGE HEGGIE & SON**, Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers in Glasgow, as a Company, and of **George Heggie** and **George Heggie, Junior**, Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers there, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, and of the said **George Heggie, Junior**, as a Partner of the Firm of **J. NEIL & COMPANY**, Carvers and Gilders in Glasgow, hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 31st ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that the declaration of any further dividend has been postponed until the recurrence of another statutory period.

Wm. DREW, Trustee.

163, St Vincent Street,
Glasgow, August 10, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of **A. & L. CLARK**, Ironmongers in Glasgow, and of **Laurence Clark**, the sole Partner of that Firm, as such, and as an Individual.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts, brought down to the 29th ultimo, and have postponed the declaration of a farther dividend, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee,

JOHN SMITH, Agent in the Sequestration.

Glasgow, August 13, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of **HUGH SIM**, Vintner and Contractor in Keith, in the County of Banff.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that he has had no intromissions with the funds of the estate since last statutory period, and 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.

GEORGE TAYLOR, Trustee.

Keith, August 8, 1866.

WILLIAM DODS, Banker, Haddington, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **WILSON & BLACK**, Grocers and General Merchants in Haddington, and of **Archibald Black**, Grocer and General Merchant there, the sole Partner of that Company, as such, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that he has had no intromissions with the funds of the estates during the last statutory period ending on the 6th current; and the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a further dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

W. Dods, Trustee.

Haddington, August 11, 1866.

SEQUESTRATION of **ALEXANDER MALCOLM**, Ropemaker in Fraserburgh.

THE Commissioners on this sequestrated estate have postponed the declaration of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, being 30th October 1866.

JAMES ROSS, Trustee.

75, Union Street,
Aberdeen, August 10, 1866.

JAMES HAY CHALMERS, Advocate, Aberdeen,

Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN GERLIE**, Farmer at Edenbanchory, in the County of Aberdeen, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 27th July last, 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 27th July last, and made up 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 the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

JAS. HAY CHALMERS, Trustee.

147, Union Street,
Aberdeen, August 10, 1866.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **JOHN RONALD & COMPANY**, now or lately Merchants in Glasgow and Trinidad, as a Company, and of **John Ronald, Junior**, residing in Glasgow, and Merchant there, a Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estates, brought down to the 2d day of August current, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a dividend until the next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

WALTER MACKENZIE, Trustee.

THE Copartnership business carried on by the Subscribers, under the Firm of **M'KENZIE & HAMILTON**, 220, Elliot Street, Glasgow, for the Manufacture of Portland Cement and other Commodities, has been this day **DIS-SOLVED** of mutual consent.

The Subscriber **John Hamilton** will in future carry on business in the same premises. Mr **Hamilton** is authorised to receive all debts due to the Firm, and he will pay all those due by the Company.

GEORGE M'KENZIE.

JOHN HAMILTON.

DAV. RODGER, Writer in Glasgow, Witness.

JAS. WYLLIE, Law-Clerk in Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, August 11, 1866.

WE, the undersigned, the sole Individual Partners of the Firm of **A. & W. SHEDDEN**, Tailors and Clothiers, 76½, Eglinton Street, Glasgow, by mutual consent hereby **DISSOLVE** Partnership as on this date.

The Subscriber **Alexander Shedden** is hereby authorised to uplift and discharge all debts owing to, and pay all debts due by the Firm.

ALEX. SHEDDEN.

WILLIAM SHEDDEN.

LEWIS SHEDDEN, Kipprax, Witness.

THOMAS WALKER, 73, Eglinton Street, Witness.

Glasgow, August 8, 1866.

NOTICE is Hereby Given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned Parties, under the Designation of **GEORGE MURRAY & SON**, Clothiers, 33, George Street, Edinburgh, was **DISSOLVED** on 14th August 1866, of mutual consent.

Mr **George Murray** will continue to carry on the business for his own behoof, and will collect and discharge the debts due to and by the late Firm.

Dated at Edinburgh the 14th day of August 1866, in presence of **Donald Rae** and **John Welsh**, both Clerks to **James Somerville**, Solicitor in Edinburgh.

GEO. MURRAY & SON.

GEO. MURRAY.

RICHARD M. MURRAY.

DONALD RAE, Witness.

JOHN WELSH, Witness.

THOMAS JOHNSTONE, in Beechhill, near Annan, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Dumfries for interim protection and decret of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff-Court-house at Dumfries, on the 1st day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon, when he will appear for examination.

Wm. DINWOODIE, Petitioner's Agent.

Lockerbie, August 10, 1866.

CHARLES M'GLASHAN, otherwise **CHARLES ANDERSON M'GLASHAN**, Grocer, Ann Street, Dundee, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar for interim protection and decret of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff-Court-house at Dundee, on Tuesday the 18th day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, when he will appear for public examination, in terms of the Statute.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

F. REID, Solicitor, Dundee,

Petitioner's Procurator.

Dundee, August 10, 1866.

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

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