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[FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.]  
ADMIRALTY-OFFICE—Feb. 20. 1802.

Copy of a Letter from Vice-Admiral RAINIER, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels in the East Indies, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated in Madras Road, the 29th of September 1801.

S I R,

I HAVE at present nothing very particular to communicate to you, for their Lordships' information, beyond what may be collected from the disposition-list of his Majesty's Squadron under my command, herewith enclosed, except the capture of the French national frigate *Chiffonne* in the Road, at the Seychelles, on the 19th ult. force as per margin\*, by his Majesty's ship *La Sybille*, Captain Charles Adam, after a short but gallant action, in which a well constructed battery of the frigate's fore-castle guns, furnished with a furnace for heating red hot shot, co-operated in her defence. This circumstance, added to the advantage the French frigate derived from her position, being at anchor, while his Majesty's ship had to steer for her opponent, at the greatest hazard, through a winding and intricate channel, formed by various dangerous shoals, with no other guide than as the water was seen to discolour on them by a man at the mast head, placed there for that purpose, may be fairly estimated to overbalance the trifling difference in the calibre of the metal of the enemy's ship, and justly entitle Captain Adam, his officers and crew, to the distinguished honour of having taken a ship of equal force.

The *Chiffonne* was commanded by a Monsieur Guieyffe, sailed from Nantes 14th April last, is a fine new ship, had never been at sea before, completely armed and equipped; her errand to the Seychelles was to land 32 persons who had been suspected of being concerned in an attempt on the life of the First Consul of the

French Republic. As his Majesty's ship *Suffolk* will proceed shortly with convoy to Spit-head, I shall defer to that opportunity the forwarding a copy of Captain Adam's letter on the occasion, with other particulars; but it may be proper to acquaint you that, on the 15th of May, near the coast of Brazil, the *Chiffonne* took a Portuguese schooner; and three days after a frigate of that nation, named *L'Hirondelle*, armee en flute, with twenty-four carronades, 24-pounders; after a short action; but after throwing her guns overboard, and taking out her stores, suffered her to go about her business, the Captain and officers giving their parole for themselves and crew. On the 16th of June, off the Cape, she captured the English ship *Bellona*, laden with a very valuable cargo, from Calcutta bound to England, who got safe into the Mauritius.

I have only to add that I have given orders for the purchase of the *Chiffonne* for his Majesty's service, and shall place her on the establishment of a thirty-six gun frigate, agreeably to her dimensions, and that of her masts and yards.

I have the honour to be, &c.

PETER RAINIER.

\* Killed and Wounded on board *La Sybille*.  
2 seamen, killed; 1 midshipman, wounded.

Killed and Wounded on board *La Chiffonne*.  
23 seamen, killed; 30 seamen, wounded.

Main-deck.—28 twelve-pounders.  
Quarter-deck.—6 eight-pounders; 4 thirty-six-pound carronades.

Fore-castle.—4 eight-pounders; with 250 men.

ST JAMES'S—Feb. 10. 1802.

The King has been pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.

BANKRUPTS.

- G. Newson of Liverpool, corn factor.
- S. Every of Liverpool, ship chandler.
- G. Dike of Westminster, boot and shoemaker.
- J. Keeves of Covent Garden, dealer.
- T. Stacey of Newgate Street, linen draper.
- R. Comber of Lewes, Sussex, watchmaker.
- J. Rothwell of Nottingham, hosier.
- J. E. Wallis of Colchester, merchant.
- E. Parquet of Somerstown, Middlesex, distiller.
- M. McGarry of Bell Wharf, ditto, victualler.
- J. Lyon of Savage Garden, London, merchant.
- R. Bakewell of Covent Garden, coffeehouse keeper.
- H. Hiams of Lambeth, Surrey, umbrella maker.
- P. Winton of Bermondsey, Surrey, victualler.
- J. Underwood of St James, apothecary.
- Arbuthnot & Bracken of London, merchants.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

ALEXANDER ADAMSON, late of New York, in the United States of America, Merchant, now in Glasgow.

DAVID KAY, Accountant and Agent in Glasgow, hereby intimates to the creditors, that he has, in terms of the statute, made up a state of the ranking of claims against Mr Adamson, for the first dividend, a scheme of division, and state of the bankrupt's affairs, which will remain with him as trustee, for inspection of the creditors, until Wednesday the 24th day of March, when the creditors are requested to call at his office at one o'clock, to receive the first dividend, and give him further instructions.

DAVID KAY.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN BURT, Co-masser at Baldrige.

THE Trustee for Mr BURT's creditors hereby intimates, That at a meeting held upon the 18th of February last, an offer was made by Mr Burt to pay his creditors a composition of 5s per pound of their respective debts; and it being the opinion of the whole creditors present that this offer should be accepted of, another meeting was, in terms of the statute, appointed to be held within the house of Charles Stewart, vintner, Dunfermline, upon Saturday the 13th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon in order to decide upon the offer. At this meeting it is requested that the whole creditors, or their agents, may be present.

[Price Sixpence.]

AVERAGE PRICES OF BRITISH CORN.

By the QUARTER of Eight WINCHESTER BUSHELS, and of OATMEAL per BOLL of 140 lbs. AVOIRDUPOIS, from the Returns received in the week ended the 13th day of February 1802.

INLAND COUNTIES.

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Pease.	Oatmeal.	Beer or Big.						
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.						
Middlesex,	76	9	39	0	25	5	38	4	42	0	17	6		
Surry,	78	0	38	0	25	2	38	0	40	0				
Hertford,	72	4	46	6	38	4	23	10	38	9	39	4		
Bedford,	75	9	53	4	42	6	25	1	33	6				
Huntingdon,	73	0			36	6	17	8	32	0	35	1		
Northampton,	74	6			39	6	18	8	41	0				
Rutland,	78	6			42	0	20	6	42	0	64	0	59	10
Leicester,	77	4			42	0	18	8	42	1	58	6	48	6
Nottingham,	81	0	50	0	48	8	22	0	45	0	41	0		
Derby,	82	4			49	0	22	4	49	2	39	0	32	7
Stafford,	80	1			49	0	23	3	49	7			33	7
Salop,	80	6	57	2	49	1	23	1			44	11	74	10
Hereford,	71	0	54	4	43	3	22	8	42	1	39	5	71	2
Worcester,	79	3	48	8	45	8	28	11	43	2	49	6		
Warwick,	82	4			47	1	24	6	49	0	51	6	47	6
Wilts,	65	2			35	4	24	4	53	8	40	0		
Berks,	72	11			35	2	25	2	40	5	41	3		
Oxford,	70	9			36	10	22	4	39	8	39	5		
Bucks,	77	0			38	10	24	9	41	8	42	0		
Montgomery,	72	9			54	5	16	7			36	10	46	7
Brecon,	72	9	49	6	41	4	20	0			32	0	45	1
Radnor,	75	9			43	9	23	1			35	4	86	6

Districts.

MARITIME COUNTIES.

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Pease.	Oatmeal.	Beer or Bi.						
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.						
FIRST, Essex,	79	11	38	6	36	8	24	0	34	4	33	0		
FIRST, Kent,	70	10			36	4	26	8	34	0	38	0		
FIRST, Suffex,	71	4			37	10	24	8	36	0	44	0		
SECOND, Suffolk,	78	3	40	0	37	11	21	1	31	3	35	11	44	6
THIRD, Cambridge,	74	5	43	2	35	9	15	1	31	0			38	9
THIRD, Norfolk,	77	2	39	9	36	1	20	11	30	8	36	6		
FOURTH, Lincoln,	73	1	48	0	39	9	16	9	36	3	35	0		
FOURTH, York,	69	3	43	3	39	1	18	2	37	2	58	8	38	4
FIFTH, Durham,	70	11			40	0	18	8						
FIFTH, Northumberland,	67	8	48	0	33	10	19	2						
SIXTH, Cumberland,	79	10	48	8	37	9	20	5			34	0	18	9
SIXTH, Westmorland,	79	7	55	4	38	4	22	11					19	5
SEVENTH, Lancastr,	82	4			51	6	25	8	49	4			21	9
SEVENTH, Chester,	77	0			52	3	22	9	46	7	61	4	20	8
SEVENTH, Flint,	77	6												
EIGHTH, Denbigh,	85	8			55	4	23	7	48	0	32	0	40	6
EIGHTH, Anglesea,			None	bought	for sale.									
EIGHTH, Caernarvon,	81	0			48	0	29	6					46	1
EIGHTH, Merioneth,	80	0			48	0	22	0			56	0	38	11
NINTH, Cardigan,	73	8			33	2	14	11						
NINTH, Pembroke,	65	6			37	10	14	3			35	8		
NINTH, Caermarthen,	69	4			40	9	17	11						
TENTH, Glamorgan,	72	0			40	0	20	6						
TENTH, Gloucester,	73	2			43	5	25	3	44	0	39	0		
TENTH, Somerset,	71	10			38	11	21	8	42	0				
TENTH, Monmouth,	77	4			44	8								
ELEVENTH, Devon,	70	3			36	2	19	4			40	4	48	6
ELEVENTH, Cornwall,	69	8			34	6	15	9						
TWELFTH, Dorset,	71	0			35	6	29	4	42	0				
TWELFTH, Hants,	71	11			37	11	23	11	47	2				

AVERAGE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

Per Quarter,

| 75 0 | 47 2 | 41 3 | 21 10 | 40 10 | 42 1 | 42 10 | 38 9 |

AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN, by which EXPORTATION and BOUNTY are to be regulated.

	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Beans.	Pease.	Oatmeal.	Beer or Big.								
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.								
FIRST DISTRICT,	77	11	47	2	42	1	22	6	34	4	37	7	42	10	38	9
SECOND,	77	3	42	3	37	4	19	7	31	2	35	11	44	6	38	9
THIRD,	77	2	39	9	36	1	20	11	30	8	36	6	42	10	38	9
FOURTH,	71	1	45	0	38	5	17	5	35	8	35	0	45	0	38	9
FIFTH,	69	3	48	0	34	10	18	11	40	10	42	1	42	10	38	9
SIXTH,	79	9	50	4	37	11	21	3	40	10	47	11	41	1	38	9
SEVENTH,	80	7	47	2	51	10	24	10	47	11	61	4	21	6	38	9
EIGHTH,	82	9	47	2	50	9	24	9	48	0	48	2	42	1	38	9
NINTH,	68	10	47	2	38	0	16	7	40	10	35	0	42	10	38	9
TENTH,	73	9	47	2	42	0	24	1	43	0	39	0	42	10	38	9
ELEVENTH,	69	11	47	2	35	5	17	6	40	10	40	4	48	6	38	9
TWELFTH,	71	6	47	2	36	9	27	0	45	5	42	1	42	10	38	9

N. B. The Figures against which Asterisks are placed are the General Average Prices of ENGLAND.

AVERAGE PRICES by which IMPORTATION and DUTY are to be regulated,

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Pease.		Oatmeal.		Beer.		Big.		Rape Seed.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
FIRST DISTRICT,	80	6	42	2	43	10	25	11	36	3	42	3	19	1	40	8	68	0		
SECOND,	77	5	43	6	40	0	21	2	33	0	39	1	52	9	38	9	67	10		
THIRD,	75	6	40	6	38	8	21	10	32	2	37	11	45	5	40	8	67	11		
FOURTH,	71	6	47	0	40	0	19	5	37	10	49	2	46	10	40	8	67	11		
FIFTH,	68	7	43	9	36	0	19	6	42	5	44	9	31	1	40	8	67	11		
SIXTH,	81	7	51	11	41	9	22	3	42	5	41	5	20	7	40	8	67	11		
SEVENTH,	79	5	47	9	53	0	25	8	43	10	49	7	21	8	40	8	67	11		
EIGHTH,	82	9	48	10	52	6	24	0	52	3	45	10	43	1	40	8	67	11		
NINTH,	69	7	47	9	39	9	17	10	42	5	42	7	45	5	40	8	67	11		
TENTH,	74	6	47	9	44	8	23	5	42	3	44	9	41	3	40	8	67	11		
ELEVENTH,	72	10	47	9	37	5	18	0	47	2	57	0	47	8	40	8	67	11		
TWELFTH,	73	2	47	9	41	1	28	5	49	7	44	5	45	5	40	8	67	11		

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JOHN JAMES CATHERWOOD, Receiver of Corn Returns.

TO THE RELATIONS OF  
MR. ANTHONY WOODHEAD,  
Lately Writer and Solicitor at Law, residing in Edinburgh, now deceased.

MR WOODHEAD, who was lawful son of Mr John Woodhead, originally of Yorkshire, afterwards Supervisor of Excise in Edinburgh, by Margaret Woodhead, (formerly Alder) originally of Wecsted, in the county of Northumberland, by his last will, and deed of settlement, conveyed and made over to JAMES THOMSON, weaver in Edinburgh, whom failing, to THOMAS THOMSON, his eldest son; whom also failing, to EDWARD THOMSON, ironmonger in Edinburgh; his whole estates and effects, real and personal, in trust, for the ends and purposes therein expressed; one moiety of the free proceeds of which estates, he ordered to be paid at the first term of Whitsunday or Martinmas, which shall happen at the distance of twelve months after his decease, to ANTHONY and ALEXANDER WOODHEAD, lawful sons of HUGH WOODHEAD, his brother, sometime Officer of Excise at Linlithgow, and afterwards at some place in the county of Fife, North Britain; and to any other child or children of the said Hugh Woodhead, if any such shall then exist, equally among them, share and share alike, if more than one; or to the child or children, or other descendants of them, or any of them deceased; or to any surviving descendant of his said brother, if one only shall exist, and their respective heirs, executors, or assignees;— and if only one, the whole of the said moiety to that one, and to their, his, or her heirs, executors, or assignees; whom failing, to the testator's own nearest lawful heirs, executors, or assignees whomsoever; of which will, the testator nominated and appointed the said James, Thomas, and Edward Thomson, in the order abovementioned, to be sole executors. And directed any of them acting for the time, to publish, in the London and Edinburgh Gazettes, an advertisement, notifying to his said nephews and nieces, or their descendants, in case of the death of them, or any of them; and failing them, to his next nearest of kin, that by applying to his trustee, acting for the time, they will hear of something to their advantage.

The said Anthony Woodhead, testator aforesaid, having died the 11th day of January 1802, the abovementioned James Thomson accepted the office of trustee and executor under the said last will, and does hereby, in terms thereof, notify and intimate, to all and sundry whom it doth or may concern, that upon applying to him at his house, in Paul's Work, Edin-

burgh, or to John Young, solicitor of the Supreme Courts of Scotland, his commissioner in his office, No. 82, South Bridge Street, in the city of Edinburgh, those interested in the succession of the said Anthony Woodhead will be informed of every particular relating thereto.

In the mean time, it is proper to intimate, 1st, That according to the terms of the said will or deed of settlement, the nephews and nieces of the testator, or any of them, or any of their descendants, who shall appear and apply as aforesaid, within the space of twelve calendar months from and after the decease of the testator, are preferable to all his other kindred. 2d, That his next nearest of kin, according to the law of Scotland, are not entitled to claim before the expiration of the twelve months. 3d, That in case of any of his nephews or nieces, or any of their descendants appearing and claiming, at any time before actual payment to his next nearest of kin, the former are preferable to the latter. And, 4th, Every claimant must instruct, by legal evidence, his propinquity or relation to the testator.

JAMES THOMSON.  
Edinburgh, 16th February 1802.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
DANIEL M'LEOD, Grocer in Leith.

AT a Meeting of the Creditors of the said Daniel M'Leod, held at Leith the 19th inst. immediately after the last public examination of the bankrupt, an offer was made of a composition, with security, of which the meeting approved. These are therefore intimating, that another meeting of the creditors of the said Daniel M'Leod, is to be held within the house of John Robertson, vintner in Leith, on Tuesday the 16th day of March next, in order to decide upon said offer of a composition.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
RODERICK M'RAE, Merchant in Leith.

JOHN MENZIES, Merchant in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of the said Roderick M' Rae, at the request of various creditors of the bankrupt, hereby requests a general meeting of the whole creditors, upon Wednesday the 10th of March, within the house of James Baxter, vintner, South Bridge Street, Edinburgh, at one o'clock afternoon, in order to deliberate on the state of the bankrupt's affairs, and in particular, to consider whether the process of cessio lately raised by him, should be opposed. It is most particularly entreated that all the creditors who can, will attend the above meeting. Not to be repeated.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
RICHARD KEIR, at Lady Mills, near Dunfermline,

AT a Meeting of the Creditors of the said Richard Keir, held at Cupar Fife, upon Friday the 19th curt. a proposal was made for payment of a composition, of which the trustee gives this public notice, in terms of the statute; and requires another meeting of the creditors to be held within the Assembly Coffeehouse, Leith, upon Tuesday the 9th day of March next, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering the proposal.

TO THE CREDITORS OF  
WILLIAM ALLAN, Merchant in Leith.

TWO of the persons named at the last General Meeting to act as Commissioners on the sequestrated estate, having declined to officiate, the trustee requests a General Meeting of the Creditors in John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 10th of March next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of naming two other Commissioners, when all concerned are desired to attend.  
February 22, 1802.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JOHN ALEXANDER, Cattle Dealer and Grazier, in Pathhead of Howford.

JAMES CAMPBELL in Adamcroft, trustee upon the sequestrated estate of the said John Alexander, requires a meeting of his creditors at Mauchline, within the house of Mrs Dow, vintner there, on Thursday the 11th of March next, at one o'clock afternoon, to take into consideration, and decide on an offer of a composition of Five Shillings per pound, made by the said John Alexander, at a meeting of his creditors, held upon the 18th curt.—of which notice is hereby given by the trustee to all concerned.

REDEMPTION OF LAND-TAX.

JOHN CAMPBELL, Esq. of Kilberry, has applied to the Court of Session for authority to sell the FARM of SHENEGART, part of the entailed estate of Kilberry, lying in the shire of Argyle, in order to redeem the Land-Tax, payable out of the estate of Kilberry.—Of which this intimation is given in terms of the acts of Parliament with regard to the redemption of the land-tax, and of an interlocutor of the Court of Session, dated the 19th day of February, 1802.

THE EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY

THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

Year	1850	1851	1852	1853	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858	1859	1860
Students	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200
Professors	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Libraries	500	600	700	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500
Income	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000

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The following table shows the progress of the University of Edinburgh from 1850 to 1860. It is divided into four columns: Students, Professors, Libraries, and Income. The numbers in each column show the increase in each of these things over the period. The total number of students increased from 100 in 1850 to 200 in 1860. The number of professors increased from 10 to 20. The number of libraries increased from 500 to 1500. The income increased from 1000 to 2000.