

Committee for Law Suits
4th December, 1811

Present.

Mr. Lewis
Mr. Maithland, Mr. Richards, -
Mr. Smith, Mr. Davidson. -

The proceedings of the last Comm^{ee} -
were read. -

Mr. Ashton's applicatⁿ
to renew his disc^t acct

A Letter was read from John
Ashton, soliciting the privilege of again
presenting Bills for Discount, having
discharged all Demands of the Bank
by the indulgence allowed him of an
extension of time on his Indorsements.
Resolved,

ref^d to Mr. Bowden Esq.

That the said Letter be referred
to John Bowden Esq. -

R & R. Pittman not
prep^d to pay their
next Instal^t -

Read a Letter from R & R.
Pittman, dated 28th Ult^o stating it
not to be in their power to meet their
next Instalment, which falls due on
the 6th Ins^t and that they are prepar^d
an account of their Affairs to lay
before their Creditors as soon as possible

Consideratⁿ def^d

The Consideration was deferred. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the
Comm^{ee} the Bond alluded to by Mr. Kay
on

Mr. Kay's Bond Claim.

on the 20th Ult^o for £3000 from James Newman one of his Successors, Payable in 3 equal Instalments, to Commence in October 1813, - 2^d - in Oct^r 1814 and the last Oct^r 1815, and in Case of default it carries Judgement over a Stock of Goods, of from £8000 to £10,000.

Resolved,

to be allowed to pay by Instalments.

That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint John Kay, that the Bank will allow him to discharge his Debt by equal Instalments at 4, 8, 12 & 16 Months, on his obtaining the Consent, of the other parties on the Bills. —

Joseph Whiteford's proposal to detect the French prisoners in forging Bank Notes.

Read a Letter from M^r. Joseph Whiteford of Plymouth, suggesting a scheme for detecting the French prisoners on Board the Prison Ships there, in Manufacturing Forged Bank Notes, by getting an active person from the Public Office at Bow Street who would undertake to Submit to be confined as an American Prisoner on board the said Ships, whereby he would be able to see the fabricators and detect them. —

Ordered,

The Solicitors to act as they may judge proper.

That the Solicitors be directed to act therein as they may judge proper.

Rob^t. Jones not able to pay his accept^{ce}.

A Letter from Rob^t. Jones dated 28th Ult^o was read, Stating that he is not able to pay his Acceptance of

of £227.8.0 at present, and requesting to be allowed time —

Ordered.

That Mr. Kaye be directed to write to Robt. Jones to know what time he may require, and the Security he may have to propose. —

To enquire the time he may want and what Security. —

Thos. Edwards further application. —

On reading a Letter from Thos. Edwards, dated 3^d Instant, requesting the Bank to accede to his former application. —

Ordered.

unless payment is made by 11th Inst. to be enforced

That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint Mr. Edwards that unless some payment is made on or before the 11th instant payment will be enforced without further Notice. —

Wm Simpson Henningham applicⁿ to obtain Pardon

A Letter was read from William Simpson Henningham a Convict under Sentence of Transportation for uttering forged Bank Notes (being permitted to plead guilty to the lesser Offence,) praying the Bank to interfere with the Secretary of State to obtain his Pardon, and promising to afford every assistance in his power to detect persons uttering Forged Notes. —

rejected. —

Rejected. —

Sophia Schneider to be prosecuted for uttg. a Fleet fence Notes

On reading the Examinations taken against Sophia Schneider for

uttering

uttering a One penny Fleet Note for a £1.
Bank Note. -

Ordered, That she be prosecuted.

Investigators acc^{ts}
of Disbursements for
October.

The following accounts of
Disbursements of the Investigators
were laid before the Committee, viz^t.

Tho^s Glover. -

Tho^s Glover, Disburse^{ts} Oct^r £ 24. 2. 6
" Extra attend^{ce} 30 D^y 4 Nights - 37. 17. 0
£ 41. 19. 6

John Lees.

John Lees, Disburse^{ts} in Oct^r £ 10. 18. 2
" Extra attend^{ce} 16 D^y 2 Hours 8. 11. 6
£ 19. 9. 8

Rob^t Fish. -

Rob^t Fish, Disburse^{ts} in Oct^r £ 8. 14. 0
" Extra attend^{ce} 18 Days - 9. 9. 0
£ 18. 3. 0

Chas^s Christmas. -

Chas^s Christmas, Disburse^{ts} in Oct^r £ 5. 11. 8
" Extra attend^{ce} 17 D^y 3 Hours 9. 3. 9
£ 14. 15. 5

Resolved,

recommended to be paid.

That the above accounts
be recommended to the Governor to be
paid.

Committee for Law
Suits, on Wednesday the
11th December, 1811.

Present.

Mr. Lewis
Mr. Smith Mr. Richards

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read.

Letter from Kinnersley
& Co. of Newcastle Staff.
respecting forged Bank
Notes &c.

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}
Kinnersley & Co. of Newcastle Staffordshire
dated 5th Instant, stating the great
increase of forged Bank Notes in that
Neighbourhood, and also the Copy of an
anonymous Letter which they had rec^d.
describing sundry persons, who were
the Manufacturers and Venders of
the same, and recommending the
Bank to send down immediately some
active Officer that Measures may
be concerted for detecting the said
parties, who are all well known
by the said Partners.

Further information
required.

Mr. Kaye reported that on
receipt of the said Letter (as no
time should be lost) he had
written to the Bank's agent at
Birmingham to send a proper
person to Mess^{rs} Kinnersley & Co.
to investigate the Business.

The Comm^{ee} approved thereof.

Rich^d. Drinning's applicⁿ
for indulg^{ce}.

Read a Letter from Rich^d.
Drinning, Acceptor of a Collateral
Bill for £100 given a Security for
Griffiths Thomas, requesting to
be allowed till Christmas to pay
the same.

consⁿ. deferred.

The Consideration deferred.

Wm Atkinson's applicⁿ
for indulgence

Read a Letter from William
Atkinson of Coleman Street, stating
that the time allowed him by the Bank
for payment of the Bill Drawn by
D^r. Patison on Mess^{rs}. Todd & Co.
for £1000 expired on the 31st. Instant
and that the Bank had then the
power to sell the Houses which he
had made over to pay the same,
but as the Estates of Patison and
Todd had neither of them paid
any Dividend, he therefore
solicited the indulgence to be
permitted to pay £250 on that
Day, and to be allowed 12 Months
to pay the remainder.

acceded to.

Acceded to.

Rob^t. Dunbar's L^{re}
respect^g a Bill Drawn
by Wm McAdam.

Read a Letter from Wm
Rob^t. Dunbar of Copthall Build^g
respecting a Bill for £997.15.
Drawn.

drawn by Mr. M^r. Adam on Mess^{rs}. Foster, Brunton & Co. and giving the following information. - viz^t.

That Mr. M^r. Adam being in difficulties, from which his Friends wished to extricate him, went out of Town, and drew and Indorsed on Blank Stamps to be negotiated by getting them Discounted for his use, - and the said Stamps were left in the possession of Mess^{rs}. Swan, Anderson & Co. who caused one of the said Stamps to be filled up for their own Use, as Drawn on Mess^{rs}. Foster, Brunton & Co., and the said Bill having been Discounted and the Acceptors subsequently stopping Payment, the said Bill lay Dishonoured and is proved against Mr. Adam's Estate, and the Bank also ranked as Creditors for its amount upon the Estate of Mess^{rs}. Foster & Co. while Swan & Co. received the whole Amount. -

Mr. Adam & Foster & Co. were Strangers to each other and the Bill was accepted merely in arrangement with Swan & Co. -

Ordered, That the Solicitors be directed to enquire into particulars, respecting information and report the result given in Mr. Dunbar's
Dec^r -

Read

Mr. Kay not able to
make paym^t: propos^d
Solicits his former
applicⁿ: to be complied
with.

application refused.

Mr. Garlick's Pre
respect^d forged Bank
Notes.

Sol^r to write an
ans^r.

H. De Rochemont's
proposal to give
informatⁿ: respect^d
forged notes.

Read a Letter from John Kay
dated 7th instant, stating it to be out
of his power to make the payments
which the Bank proposed to allow-
him, therefore requesting that his former
application might be complied with.
Ordered.

That the Solicitor be directed
to acquaint John Kay, that the Bank
decline extending the periods of paym^t,
beyond the terms agreed on the 4th Inst^t.

Read a Letter from Mr. John
Garlick of Halifax Yorkshire, giving a
Description of a person who is passing
Forged Bank Notes in that Neighbour^h,
and stating that the Constable of
Stansfield would endeavor to break up
a set of known utterers, if the Bank
would think proper to employ him.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
directed to write to Mr. Garlick and
request him to employ the Said
Constable as Circumstances may appear
necessary.

A Letter was read from
H. De Rochemont, a French Prisoner
who is Confined in the Gaol of Maidstone
for uttering forged Bank Notes offering
to give important information concerning
Forgery.

Forgeries on certain conditions. -

Ordered

That a proper person be sent to Maidstone to receive any communication the prisoner may have to make. -

Thos. Glover's De-
resp. Forged Notes
Edinburgh. -

Read a Letter from Thos. Glover, Head Investigator who is sent to Edinburgh, to trace out a person who is passing Bank Notes of £1 each which have been altered to £10, Stating that he had not succeeded, but that the Bankers and Magistrates are much pleased with the attention of the Bank in sending down, and will afford every assistance in their power to bring the said Offender to Justice.

P. Schmidtmeier's
agreement with his
CRS examined. -

W. P. Schmidtmeier attended the Committee and laid before them an Agreement signed his principal Creditors on the 3^d Instant, to allow him to make the following payments, viz^t -

To 31st March and 30th May next for completing the payment of 10%
To 30th September next, 5% and
To 31st May 1813, 5% adding to the last payment, all Interest, past and coming due. -

St.

It appeared by the Statement of M. Schmidtmeier that he had been making partial payments, and the Committee gave it as their Unanimous Opinion that the Bank must be put on the same footing as the other Creditors who have been paid before any application for further indulgence be received, and M. Schmidtmeier was allowed till Wednesday the 18th Instant to prepare accordingly

Wilson, Jackson & Co
applicatⁿ for extension
of time. -

Application was made by Mess^{rs} Wilson & Jackson, to withhold their Bond for payment of Sundry Bills Indorsed by them Drawn by Blacket on Preston & Sons, until the next Dividend on Preston's Estate is paid, which is expected in February, next, - when they promise to be punctual in paying the Bal^{ce} thereon.

allowed till 1st March
1812. -

Resolved, - That on their obtaining the Consents, Mess^{rs} Wilson & Co. be allowed till 1st March next.

Hardisty & Gowing's
applicatⁿ for time. -

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs} Hardisty & Gowing, requesting indulg^{ce} till after Christmas to pay their Debt.

allowed till 8 Jan^y.
1812. -

Resolved. That they be allowed till 8th January, next.

Wainhouse's Securities
Reported on. -

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Mr. Cox reported that he
had made enquiry respecting the
following persons proposed as
Securities for Mess^{rs} Wainhouse & Co.
for payment of their Bills amounting
to £5083. 18. 0 and were found very
acceptable, - Vix^t

John Edwards & Son of Halifax, and
of Grace Church Street, Woollen Drapers.
William Emmett of Halifax, paper maker.
William Nicholson of Hull and
Wath. Wainhouse of Manchester. -

approved. -

Resolved, That the said Sureties
proposed by Mess^{rs} Wainhouse & Co.
be accepted. -

Tho^s Edwards's further
applicatⁿ. -

A Letter was read from
Thomas Edwards, stating that he
was unable to pay the Sum required,
and requesting his former application
to be accepted. -

Resolved, That the Solicitors be
directed to proceed against Thomas
Edwards for payment of his Note. -

not acceded to. -

Geo. Green & Tho^s Wood
to be prosecuted for
uttering Counterfeit Bank
Tokens. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the Com^{ee}.
the examinations taken against George
Green and Thomas Wood apprehended
for uttering Counterfeit Bank Tokens
Ordered, That they be prosecuted.

Milner & Chaplin
applicⁿ for indulg^{ce}.

acceded to. —

Jos^r & J^r Daufsey
proposal to pay by
Instalments. —

acceded to.

J^r Aguilar's applicⁿ
for Certificate to be
signed. —

not Complied with.

Mr Cox reported the following
applications. — viz^t —

Mess^{rs} Milner & Chaplin, not
being able to pay their Instalment
of £386. 9. 5 on their Debt due in Dec^r,
request the Bank to receive $\frac{3}{4}$ of said
Instalment, and to allow them 14
Months indulgence to pay the remnd.
Ordered,

To receive Quarter of said
Instalment, and take their Note for
the remainder. —

Jos^r & J^r Daufsey & Son of Russia
Row, Silk Weavers, acceptors of Sundry
Bills amounting to £2442. 12. 0, their
Creditors have agreed to receive paym^t.
in full at 6, 12, 18 & 24 Months, under
the Inspection of W^r Tho^s Billinge
and M^r Bacon, and request the
Bank to accede thereto. —

Acceded to on the usual terms.

J^r Aguilar, Old Play Office
Bankrupt, requests the Bank to
sign his certificate, which he
cannot obtain without, on account
of the Amount of the Bank Proof
which is £6,966. 6. 9.
Resolved

That the application
of J^r Aguilar be not Complied
with. —

Mr. Cox reported that application has been made to the following persons for payment of their Bills and no satisfactory answer can be obtained. -
Vizth -

Bishop & Co. Guernsey

Mess^{rs} Bishop & Co. of Guernsey, Drawers and Indorsers of Sundry Bills amounting to £5,042^{..} 19^{..} 8 -

David King - - - Do

David King of Guernsey, Drawer of a Bill for £223^{..} 9^{..} 8 -

John Carey - - - Do

John Carey of Guernsey, Drawer of a Bill for 316^{..} 5^{..} 0

Hannibal Sheppard & Co.

Hannibal Sheppard of Guernsey Drawer of a Bill for £40 -

Joseph Manger & Co.

Joseph Manger of Guernsey Drawer of a Bill for £290^{..} 5^{..} 0

Sol^{ly} ref^d to Mr. Dobree for Information, & respect^{ly} of them -

Mr. Kaye was referred to Mr. Samuel Dobree in order to obtain information respecting the above persons -

Committee for Law Suits
on Wednesday the 18 Dec^r 1812.

Present

Mr. Lewis, Mr. Mailland,
Mr. Smith, Mr. Richards.

The proceedings of the last Committee
were read.

Mich^l. Morrah
request of 8 Months
Indulgence.

Read a Letter from Mich^l. Morrah
respecting his acceptance of a Bill for
£576. 5. 4 due 8th Instant, which was
given as Security for Henry Phillips of
Brighton, requesting to be allowed
8 Months from the 15th Ins^t to pay the
same.

Resolved, That on his giving Security
his application be acceded to.

allowed on giving
Security

Geo. Sepage's proposal
to pay £500, each
by Instalments.

Read a Letter from George
Sepage, dated 16th Ins^t. Stating it
to be out of his Power to pay his Bill
on Tho^s. Coles & Sons for £2957. 14. 5
and requesting the Bank to receive
£500 by Instalments on Security, in
Discharge thereof.

Resolved That his proposal be
acceded to, on obtaining the usual
Consents.

acceded to.

Application

Edw Stewart's applicⁿ
for Signature to his
Deed of Assignment

Application was made by
W^m Edward Stewart

requesting the
Signature of the Bank to his Deed of
Assignment to Trustees for his Creditors,
which W^m Kaye reported he had perused,
and that it stated to have placed in
their Hands £9000 in Exchequer Bills,
and £2666. 9. 5 in Cash, to be divided,
and assigned the remainder of his Effects
to them; - the Deed also contained a
Release from the Creditors to W^m
Stewart; but ^{as} the amount of the Exch^r
Bills and Cash is proposed to be
divided immediately amongst the
Creditors and it being considered as
the principal part of W^m Stewart's
property, their seemed to be no objection
to the Release, as the dividends are (it is
presumed) to be paid to the Bank
upon their acceding to the application.
Resolved,

to be signed -

That the Secretary be
authorized to sign the said Deed. -

W^m Kaye's Report on
his interview with
Mess^{rs} Swan & Co. on
W^m M^c Adam's Bill
for £997. 15. 0.

Paid -

W^m Kaye reported on his
interview with Mess^{rs} Swan, Anderson &
Co. respecting the Bill for £997. 15. 0
Drawn by W^m M^c Adam on Foster &
Brunton & Co. and on expressing to
them his opinion of the impropriety
of the transaction, they had ^{paid} the said
Bill with the Interest due thereon.

Ja^s. Hulme's Petition
resp^d an Actⁿ ag^t him
for appreh^d Geo^s Perkins
for offer^g suspicious
which proved good. -

A Petition was read from Ja^s.
Hulme of Bow Street Pawn Broker, who
was the cause of the apprehending of
Elix^h. Leach, and Margeret Nowlan
who were Tried for uttering Forged
Bank Notes, - and who having since
apprehended a person of the Name of
George Perkins who came to his Shop
with 2 Suspicious Bank Notes which
appeared to him as forgeries, but
which afterwards proved good, - an
action was in consequence commenced
against him for false Imprisonment
and by the advice of his Solicitor he
was induced to pay the said Perkins
£20 rather than let the Trial go on,
and 5 Guineas to his own Attorney, -
and having acted solely for the benefit
of the Bank, prayed to be reimbursed
the said amount.

Resolved,

That M^r. Kaye be
authorised to pay James Hulme the
Expenses he has been at, on the above
occasion. -

his Expenses to be
paid. -

J. Lees reports resp^d
French pris^{rs} in the
Gaol at Maidstone.

John Lees an Investigator
reported that he had been to the
Gaol at Maidstone and that he
had seen the 7 French prisoners who
are committed for forgeries on the
Bank, who having only the Prison
allowance to subsist on were almost

Starving

starving and M. DeRochemont one of them informed him that if the Bank would Order them some further allow^{ce} they would give every information in their power respecting Forgeries on the Bank. Resolved.

5/- each to be paid
to French Prisoners
in Maidstone Gaol.

That Mr. Kaye be authorized to pay them 5/- a week each, during their Confinement in the said Prison. -

Examinations. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the Com^{ee} the Examinations taken against the following persons. - vizt. -

Ja^s. Tankard &
Tho^s. Spruhan for
utter^g Counterf. Tokens

James Tankard, apprehended at Rugeate and Tho^s. Spruhan at Reading, for uttering Counterfict Bank Tokens. -

Lieut. W^m. Jones - 8th

Lieutenant William Jones of the 7th Regiment of Foot at Doncaster apprehended with a considerable Quantity of Counterfict Tokens of 5/- and 3/- in his possession. -

To be prosecuted. -

Ordered, That they be prosecuted. -

Are to be sent to the
adj^t. G^l. to be laid -
Before the Command^r.
in Chief resp^y Lieut.
W^m. Jones. -

Mr. Kaye read a Letter to the Committee, which he had written to H^c. Calvert Esq. Adjutant General &c. acquainting him with the particulars respecting the apprehending of Lieutenant Jones, with the Copy of the Examinations taken against him, for the Information of the Commander

Commander in Chief, which was approved of, and he was directed to transmit the same. -

Mr. Fox reported that he had made application to the following persons for payment of their Bills, overdue, and could obtain no satisfactory answer from them. - *Viz.* -

Walter Nuttall, to be written to for payment of his accept. of £260. -

Walter Nuttall, of Houndsditch Mercer, Acceptor of a Bill for £260. - Ordered

That the Solicitor be directed to write to him. -

James Maund. -

James Maund, King Street Covent Garden, Mercer, Acceptor of a Bill, for £100. -

Maund & Hickson

Messrs. Maund & Hickson, of the same place, Acceptors of 2 Bills, amounting to £200. -

Thos. Pyne & Co. -

Thomas Pyne & Co. of Horselydown, Leather sellers, Discounters of 2 Bills, amounting to £922. 1. 6

Thos. Masterman

Thomas Masterman of Bermondsey, Tanner, Acceptors of the 2 last mentioned Bills. - Ordered,

allowed to pay their Bills by 2 Jan^y. or payment to be enforced.

That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint the above persons, if their respective Bills are not taken up on or before 2^d January next payment will be enforced.

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Committee for Law Suits,
Tuesday 31st Dec^r 1811.

Present.

Mr. Lewis, - Mr. Richards,
Mr. Smith, - Mr. Davidson.

The proceedings of the last ^{year} were read.

Gen. Sepage's prop^t.
to give New Bills as
Secy -

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}
Tilson & Preston (dated 20th Ins^t. Solicitors
to George Sepage proposing to give
Bills drawn by Sam^l Sepage of Leeds,
Drysalter, on Mr Beverley Hill of
Leeds, Merchant, and Indorsed by
himself, payable at 2, 4 & 6 Months.
Resolved

acceded to, on retⁿ.
the claim on the
Original Debt.

That the above proposal
be acceded to on his obtaining the
usual Consents, the Bank reserving
their Claim on the Original Bills
in case of the New Bills not being
honored.

Ja^s. Freeman's
applicatⁿ. respect^g
Lyon & Carl's Debt.

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}
Swaine, Stevens & Co. - Dated 26 Ins^t.
on behalf of W^m. Ja^s. Freeman whose
Security Bond for the amount of
Mess^{rs} Lyon & Carl's Debt the 1st
payment becoming due on the 1st
January next, - is desirous of being
informed

informed whether the Bank will concur in the arrangements made by mess^{rs} Lyon & Earle with their other Creditors, his object being to stand in the Bank's situation when they have been satisfied their Debt.

Resolved,

Lyon & Earle's Trust Deed to be signed.

That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint, W^m. Freeman, that the Bank will accede thereto and that the Secretary be authorised to sign Trust Deed of Mess^{rs} Lyon & Earle.

Jas. Maund's proposⁿ of a Composⁿ of 8/6 in the pound.

On reading a Letter from Mess^{rs} Maund, Maund & Stocker of Cornhill, Mercers, - Dated 21st Ins^r. inclosing an Agreement Signed by the principal Creditors of Jas. Maund, of King Street Covent Garden, Mercer, to accept of a Composition of 8/6 in the pound, on their respective Debts, to be paid by Instalments of 3/4 at 4 Months, 3/4 at 8, and 2/6 at 12. - with the Guarantee of Mess^{rs} Maund & Stocker.

Resolved,

That the above proposal be acceded to on his obtaining the Consents of all the parties on his Bill

acceded to by

including W. Dickson &

Wm Moore's application
to have certain Bills
delivered up.

Read a Letter from Abm.
Kirkman Dated 24th Instant, Solicit^r
to Wm. Moore of Goswell Street,
requesting the Bank to appropriate
the Money paid by him in discharge
of the Bills of Mess^{rs} Harding Hill
& Wood, and to deliver the said Bills
up, in Order to enable W. Moore to
recover the Dividends thereon from
the Estate of Mess^{rs} Harding & Co.
and promising to apply the sums
received, in further discharge of his
Debt to the Bank.

acceded to

Resolved, That the said propos.
be acceded to.

Mr. Arnold of Guernsey
report respect^g persons
Indebted to the Bank.

Read a Letter from Mr.
John Arnold of Guernsey, Dated the
14th Inst^t. Stating the result of his
enquiries respecting the following
persons, in that Island indebted
to the Bank, viz^t

Bishop De Jersey & Co.

Bishop De Jersey & Co. have assigned
their Effects to Trustees, and expected
to pay 3/6 or 4/- in the Pound.

David King.

David King D^r about 5/- D^r.

H. Sheppard
Mr. Carey
Jos. Manger.

Hannibal Sheppard, Mr. Carey
& Jos. Manger, are perfectly Safe, but
decline paying at present, requiring
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an explanation from the House of Mess^{rs} Brock & Le Mesurier respecting the negotiation of their Bills Discounted at the Bank, without their knowledge.
Resolved,

persons in Guernsey whose Debts are to be enforced.

That the Bills of Mess^{rs} Hannibal Sheppard, John Carey & Jos^{ph} Manger be sent to M^r J. Arnold with directions to enforce the payment thereof.

E. Jones's applicⁿ for a remuneration for appreh^d.
Thos^s Thompson.

Read a Letter from E. Jones of Wolverhampton, dated the 20th Ins^t stating the loss of time and Expense he was at, in attending the Prosecution of Thos^s Thompson of Wolverhampton for uttering forged Bank Notes, and claiming some remuneration.
Ordered

Sol^r to enquire into his merits.

That the Solicitor be directed to enquire particulars and report thereon.

Walt^r Nuttall applicatⁿ for 10 Days indulgence.

Application was made by Walter Nuttall, by Letter dated 20 Ins^t requesting 10 Days further indulgence to pay his acceptance of £260.

Ordered

That the Sol^r be directed to apply for payment without delay.

not granted

Mr. Lee's further report
resp. French prisoners
in Maidstone Gaol. -

Read the Report of John
Lee, one of the Investigators stating
his interview with M. De Rochemont
who informed him that Alex^r. Myers
a Marine on Board the prison Ship
Glory at Rochester, had purchased
ten forged Notes of £ each to circulate.

M^r. Lee laid before the Comm^{ee}
the following applications. - Vix^t

Wm Hayne Esq^r applicⁿ
for assignm^t of the B^k
proof on certain Bills
paid in full. -

Wm Hayne Esq^r of Milk Street
Acceptors & Drawers of 2 Bills for £ 2,500
each, joint Security with Mess^{rs} Lee
Martineau Esq^r for Hunters, Rainey Esq^r
having been paid in full by them and
which Bills having been proved under
Commissions of Bankruptcy against Hunters
Rainey Esq^r and Lee Martineau Esq^r by the
Bank, request an assignment of the
said proofs. -

Complied with.

Resolved That the said applicatⁿ
be complied with. -

Wm Stanbridge applicⁿ
for Signature to Trust
Deeds. -

Wm Stanbridge of Wood Street,
Silk Weaver, Acceptor of Sundry Bills,
amounting to £ 3,410. 9. 4, having
made an Assignment of his effects to F.
Menet Levy Smith & others, and the
Trustees having paid 5/- in the pounds
on the said Bills, requests of the Bank
to Sign the Trust Deed. -

Ref^d to peruse. -

M^r. Kaye directed to peruse S^d Deed.

Ja^s Newman propos^d
to pay 2/6 in the pound.

James Newman of Hanway
Street, Acceptor of a Bill for £494.17.
States his inability to give any Security
for the payment and requests of the
Bank to receive 2/6 in the pound on
Said Bill, as his other Creditors have
done. -

Acceded to -

Acceded to -

Foster & Sharpe applic^d
for signature to their
Certificate. -

Mess^{rs} Foster & Sharpe of -
Basinghall Street, Ware housemen,
Bankrupts, Discounters of Sundry Bills
amounting to £5,422.15. - - £5083.8.
of which accepted by Mess^{rs} Wainhouse
& Co^r the Bank has received Security for
full payment, requesting the Bank
Signature to their Certificate. -

acceded to -

M^r Kaye laid before the
Committee the following Examinations
against

Geo: Davey - to be prosec^d.

George Davey for uttering a
forged Note of £2, in London. -
Ordered,

To be prosecuted for the lesser
Offence. -

Mary Harman &^o -

Mary Harman for uttering
a fleet one penny Note for a Bank Note
of £1. -

Ordered,
That she be prosecuted. -

Inter

Julien Dubois to be
prosecuted. -

Julien Dubois a French prisoner
of War in Winchester Castle, for manufact^y
and uttering forged notes. -

Ordered, That he be prosecuted. -

Jane Wilson do.

Jane Wilson apprehended at
Ashton under Line, for uttering 3^d
Counterfeited Tokens. -

Ordered, That she be prosecuted. -

R^d Dougherty do.
lesser Offence

Richard Dougherty apprehended
at Manchester for uttering forged notes
of £1 each. -

Ordered, That he be prosecuted with
liberty to plead Guilty to the lesser
Offence. -

John Wright to be prosec^d.

John Wright apprehended
at Manchester (the person who Mr.
Glover went in quest of thro' Scotland)
for altering Bank Notes of £1 each
to £10 and uttering them. -

Ordered, That he be prosecuted
for the Capital Offence. -

Capital Offence.

John Hoffer & Geo. Corner

John Hoffer & Geo. Corner
apprehended at Nottingham for utter^y
Counterfeited 3^d Bank Tokens. -

to be prosecuted. -

Ordered, That they be prosecuted. -

Thos. Rawstone to be
prosecuted. -

lesser Offences. -

Arthur & Sarah Gordon

to be prosecuted. -

Thomas Rawstone apprehended
at Preston Lancas: for uttering Forged
Bank Notes of £2 each. -
Ordered,

That he be prosecuted, -
with liberty to plead Guilty to the
lesser Offences. -

Arthur Gordon and Sarah, -
his Wife, apprehended at Bolton
Lancas: - for uttering 2 Counterfeited
5/6 Dollar Tokens. -

Ordered,

That Sarah Gordon be
prosecuted for uttering them. -

Committee for Law Suits
Wednesday the 8th Jan^y 1812.

Present,

Mr Lewis

Mr Maitland, Mr Richards,
Mr Smith, Mr Davidson.

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read.

Mr Lees report on app^y
Dennis O'Conner.

Read a Report from John
Lees one of the Investigators of Forged
Notes, Stating Circumstances respecting
the apprehending of Dennis O'Conner,
a manufacturer of Counterfeited
Bank Dollars, and describing the
various Implements &c^l found in his
House which he used.

Ordered,

That he be prosecuted.

to be prosecuted.

Thos^d Attree report of
resolut^s entered into by
O^r of Mat^r Phillips.

Read a Letter from Thos^d Attree
of Brighton, who was empowered to Vote
on the part of the Bank for the appointment
of assignees, in the room of Mr Newman,
enclosing the Resolutions of the Creditors
of Mat^r Phillips, agreeing to Subscribe
1st in the pound on their respective
Debts, to cover the expenses attending the
application to be made to the Chancellor
to enforce his Order to oblige the Said
Newman.

Newman to Assign over the Effects of the Bankrupt to the New Assignees he having refused so to do, stating that the Estate is indebted to him, and which did not appear to the satisfaction of the New Assignees.

Ordered.

Subscript^{ns} of 1/- in the pound with the other Crs of M^{rs} Phillips.

That W. Rye be authorized to Subscribe 1/- in the pound on the Bank Debt, with the other Creditors of Matthew Phillips for the purposes stated in their Resolutions of the 5th Ultimo.

Petition of M^{rs} Phillips

On reading a Petition from Mat^r Phillips of Brighton, a Bankrupt, praying the Bank to sign his certificate, but no Dividend having been paid on his Debt, the same was rejected.

Ja^s Trecothick's applicⁿ & proposal.

Application was made by Ja^s Trecothick for 18 Months indulgence to pay his Bill of £1210^{..}4.0 which becomes due on the 31st Instant, being the only one remaining unpaid and proposing to pay one moiety in October next, and the remainder in July and August following.

Resolved.

Complied with.

That the said application be complied with.

W. R.

Walter Nuttall proposal to
give Certain Bills as Sec^y

Mr Kaye reported that
Walter Nuttall had been with him, and
requested him to submit the following
Bills to the Committee, as Security for
his Debt to the Bank, - Vixⁿ

£165 at 75 Days from 4 Jan^y 1812, -
drawn on W^m B. Boyne Army Clothier
of Cloth Fair -

£100 at 8^o from 8^o on Tho^s Ward of
Camberwell, Merchant -

Resolved,

Complied with -

That the application of
Walter Nuttall be complied with -

Mr Kaye pay's Sums
rec^d for Debts, amounting
to £4415. 5. 0 -

Mr Kaye delivered a Draft
for £4415. 5. 0 for the following
Sums received. - Vixⁿ -

Received of Mr John Every, his acceptance & Interest	£537. 9. 6
" of Mr Tho ^s Edwards on account of his Acceptance	250. - -
" of Mr W ^m Searle Balance of his acceptance	90. 2. 7
" of Mess ^{rs} Swan Anderson & Co ^s - Mr M ^r Adam's Bill & Interest	1017. 7. 4
" of Mess ^{rs} Pyne & Co ^s Bill & Interest	452. 16. 10
" of Mess ^{rs} Ward & Co ^s their Accept ^{ed} of Mr Teed's Bill and Interest	1001. 11. 6
" of Mr Trueman 1 st Instalmt ⁿ on his Bond & Interest, as Surety for W ^m Baker	815. 17. 3
" of Mess ^{rs} Daroché & Dorat on Acc ^t of one of Mess ^{rs} Schmidtmeier's Bills	250. 0. 0
	<u>£4415. 5. 0.</u>

Wm Stanbridge's Deed
of assignment.

Mr. Kaye reported that he had perused the Assignment Deed of Mr. Wm Stanbridge Junr. to Trustees for the benefit of his Creditors, and as there is a Dividend of 5/- in the pound now payable, he saw no objection to the Bank signing it, as the Release it contains to the Debtor will not militate against the Rule observed by the Bank, not to Release the Debtor until a Dividend has been paid. -

Ordered. That the Secretary be authorized to sign the said Deed of Assignment.

To be Signed. -

The following Examination were laid before the Committee, against

Thos. Farrell & In: Evans

Thos. Farrell and In: Evans - Wilnot apprehended at Portsmouth for uttering Counterfeit 3/- Tokens. -

Ordered.

to be prosecuted. -

That they be prosecuted. -

Patrick Swinney. -

Patrick Swinney apprehended at Liverpool for selling Counterfeited Tokens, and having a Quantity of others in his possession. -

Ordered

That he be prosecuted. -

to be prosecuted. -

Messrs. -

Hardisty & Cowing prop^t
to pay Debt. by £100 per
month.

Mess^{rs} Hardisty & Cowing acceptors
of Sundry Bills amounting to £4,152.17.
Discounted with Ja^s. Shoobert, request
of the Bank to receive Monthly payments
of £100 each on £2,045.2. and to receive
payment of W^m. Shoobert for the remain^d
Sum of £2,107.15.

to give a Bond in Judgem^t.

Ordered That W^m. Kaye be directed
to take Judgement.

Ja^s. Shoobert's applicⁿ.

James Shoobert, Discounter
of Sundry Bills amounting to £4,152.17.
requests to be allowed to pay them by
Bills drawn on Mess^{rs} Hardisty & Co^o
at 6, 12, 18 and 24 Months.

Resolved,
That the said application
be rejected, but that W^m. Kaye be
directed to take a Judgement for paym^t
of £100 p^r Month.

rejected, but to give a B^d
in Judgem^t to pay £100
p^r Month.

Ja^s. Wilford to be written
to for paym^t of a Bill.

W^m. Kaye was directed to write
to Ja^s. Wilford, of Broad Street Ratcliffe
Highway, Acceptor of a Bill for £203.17.
for Payment.

Scarratt & Loundousack
to pay their Bills by the
15 Jan^y or payment to
be enforced.

also To acquaint Mess^{rs} Scarratt
& Loundousack, Drawers of Sundry Bills
amounting to £1455.8. that unless
the said Bills are paid on or before
Wednesday the 15th Instant, paym^t
will be enforced.

Investigators Bills
for Nov^r: to be paid.

The following Accounts of the
Investigators, were examined. - viz.

Thomas Glover's Disbursements for Nov^r: £ 64. 0. 2
 " Extra attend^{ce} 23 Days, 3 Nights. 13. 13. 0
£ 77. 13. 2

John Lee's Disbursements for Nov^r: £ 87. 9. 0
 " Extra attend^{ce} 11 Days. 5. 15. 6
£ 23. 4. 6

Robert Fish's Disbursements Nov^r: £ 4. 5. 10
 " Extra attend^{ce} 16 Days. 8. 8. 0
£ 12. 13. 10

Cha^s. Christmas, Disbursements Nov^r: £ 5. 6. 3
 " Extra attend^{ce} 19 Days. 9. 19. 6
£ 15. 5. 9

Committee for Law Suits, 15th January, 1812.

Present.

Mr. Lewis, — Mr. Smith, —
Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards.

The proceedings of the last Comm^{ee}.
were read.

Ja^s. Shoobert proposal
to pay £600 in 6 Mos.

Read a Letter from Mr. Ja^s.
Shoobert, dated 15th Ins^r. Soliciting
the Bank to permit him to pay £600
in 6 Months, and proposing his Father
in Law as guarantee for the payment,
and the remainder by £600 at the
like periods, should he be allowed
the indulgence of a Discount Account
for the purpose of Cashing the Trade
Bills of the House of Schoobert & Sawyer.
Ordered,

enquiry to be made
resp^d the Security.

That Mr. Kaye be directed
to enquire into the Stability of the Security
proposed by James Shoobert, & if approved
to allow him the indulgence of Six
Months to pay £600.

F. W. Loudonsack,
proposal & Security

Read a Letter from Mr. F. W.
Loudonsack, stating that he was unable
to comply with the wish of the Bank to
make the payment proposed, owing to the
stoppage of the House of Mess^{rs}. Rowing & Co.
and.

and the disappointments of West India Debts to the Amount of £13,000, and therefore requesting the Indulgence of 4.8 & 12 Months, with Interest, and proposing to Deposit the Mortgage of Walter Head, Adelphi for £2000 as Security for the Amount until his Bills are paid, and requesting further, that the Bills overdue (except that upon Nuttall for £260) may be delivered up, to enable him to make some arrangement with the parties. -

Resolved.

Sol^r to examine Security
Proposed by Mr. Londonsack.

That Mr. Kaye be directed to examine into the Mortgage proposed as Security, and if Satisfactory, the Said application be complied with.

Mich^l Morrah prop^s
to give a new Bill at 8 Mo^s
as Security.

Read a Letter from Michael Morrah of Worthing, dated 22 Dec^r 1811, proposing to give a Bill for £576..5..4 Drawn upon and accepted by his Brother James Morrah, N^o 187 Sloane Street, at 8 Months from the 22^d Ultimo, and he will pay Interest and Charges due on his Bill ^{now} overdue. -

Resolved.

That the above application be acceded to. -

acceded to.

Read

Simon Cock's applicⁿ
on behalf of his Soc^y
for indulgence.

Read a Letter from Simon Cock
dated 3^d Instant, stating as the period
allowed to the acceptors of his Notes —
expired on the 13th Instant, at their
instance he had to request the
further indulgence to be allowed to
pay $\frac{1}{5}$ part of their respective Notes
immediately, and a further $\frac{1}{5}$ part in
3 Months.

Resolved,

acceded to in part.

That the above application
be acceded to in respect to the first
payment, but that they ^{be} required to
make the next payment in 2 Months
instead of 3 Months.

A Committee for Law Suits
22nd January, 1812.-

Present
Mr. Maithland, Mr. Richards,
Mr. Smith, Mr. Davidson.-

The proceedings of the last Com^{tee}.
were read.-

Brock & Lemesurier,
applic^{rs} for signature
to their Certificate..

Application was made by Dr^r
from Mr. J. M. Winter of Shenley
Hill, Herts. dated 9th Jan^y 1812 on
behalf of Mess^{rs}. Brock & Lemesurier
for the signature of the Bank to
their Certificate, but no Dividend
having been received on their Debt
Resolved,

not complied with.-

That the said application
be not complied with.-

G. A. Aylwin pays
£250, and requests
further Indulgence.-

Read a Letter from Mr. G.
A. Aylwin, dated 22nd Ins^t, stating
that he had paid £250 as a
further reduction of his Security
for Mess^{rs}. Hunters Rainey & Co^o.
and requesting further indulgence
Resolved

acceded to.-

That the same be
acceded to.- Mess^{rs}.

Bassett & Peacock
applic^r -

Mess^{rs} Bassett & Peacock of
M^{an}derbury, acceptors of Sundry Bills
amounting to £3192..11..9 having paid
9/6 in the pound, request of the Bank to
accept a Composition of 9/- in the pound
on £1225..7..11 being the Balance.
Resolved,

acceded to -

That their application be
acceded to on the usual terms.

D^r Alder proposal of
a Composⁿ in 4/- in the
pound..

Daniel Alder of Abchurch
Lane, having paid his Composition
of 4/- in the pound on £7639..15..0
requests the Signature of the Bank
to their Deeds.

Ordered. That the Said Deed be
examined by the Solicitor and if
approved, the Secretary be authorised
to sign the same.

to examine deed & if
approved of to be signed.

J^r D. Crook applic^r
for Indul^g -

Mess^{rs} J^r D. Crook of Bolton
Lancashire, not being able to pay
their 1st Instalment on their proposed
Composition amounting to £271..19..0
request the indulgence of being allowed
to pay the same at 3 & 6 Months from
the 1st Instant, which their other
Creditors have agreed to.

Resolved
That their application
be complied with. -

complied with -

Law. Lynch apprehended
for uttering forged Bank Notes.

Mr. Kaye laid before the Committee the examinations taken against Law. Lynch a private in the Roscommon Militia apprehended at Plymouth for uttering forged Bank Notes and for having others found in his possession, which he purchased of the French Prisoners Ordered.

to be prosecuted lesser
Offence. -

That he be prosecuted, with liberty to plead guilty to the lesser Offence. -

Ashby Hall & Evans Jones
recommended by the Solr.
as entitled to rewards for
apprehending persons
convicted for offences. -

Mr. Kaye reported the merits of Mr. Ashby Hall, for apprehending In^r. Tranter at Stafford Races who has been convicted for uttering Counterf. Dollars. - and Mr. Evans Jones for apprehending Thomas Thompson for uttering forged Notes at Wolverhampton. -

£10 to be paid to
each of them. -

Ordered That it be recommended to the Governor, that £20 be paid to Mr. Kaye, for him to transmit to them £10 each, for their trouble and Expenses. -

Geo. Davey reported to
be convicted. -

Mr. Kaye also reported that George Davey was convicted for the lesser Offence, having
uttered

Dennis O'Connor rep.
convicted.

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uttered a forged Note of £2. - and that
Dennis O'Connor was Convicted for
Manufacturing base Dollars and
Tokens: - in consequence of which
Convictions the following Rewards
were recommended to the Governor
to be paid viz: -

Rewards recommended
for their apprehensions.

George Maber and Jas. Charles
Farr £5 each for apprehending
George Davey. -

Charles Mumford £10, Robt.
Johnson and Cha. Evans £5 each,
John Foy, Tho. Foy, Wm. Jackson
and John Marsden £20 amongst
them. -

Jas. Shoberb proposed
to pay £100 every 2
Months.

Mr. Kaye further reported
that J. Shoberb requested to
withdraw the Security of his Father
in Law as before proposed, and to
give a Bond in Judgement to pay
£100 every two Months in liquidation
of his Debt in lieu thereof, which
was Acceded to. -

acceded to. -

F. W. Ludousack not
able to give the Security
proposed. -

That F. W. Ludousack,
had Stated his inability to give
the Security required of him. -

payment to be enforced
unless Sec. is given by
the 29 Inst. -

Mr. Kaye was directed to
acquaint him that unless his
Bills are taken up or Security
Given

given on or before Wednesday next
the 29th Instant, payment will be
enforced. -

Investigators, Accounts
for December. - recommended
to be paid. -

The Committee examined the
following Accounts of Disbursements
V^c. of the Investigators. - vizt

Thos. Glover's Disbursements for Dec^r. £ 3. 7. 6
" Extra attend^{ce}. 28 Days & 27 Nights 28. 17. 6
£ 122. 5. 0

John Lees, Disbursements for Dec^r. £ 27. 5. 6
" Extra attend^{ce}. 30 Days, 2 Hours 15. 18. 6
£ 43. 4. 0

Rob^t. Fish, Disbursements Dec^r. £ 6. 6. 0
" Extra attend^{ce}. 15 Days 7. 17. 6
£ 14. 3. 6

Chas. Christmas, Disbursements £ 7. 5. 6
" Extra attend^{ce}. 26 Days & 1 Hr. 13. 14. 9
£ 21. 0. 3

Resolved.

That the above Accounts
be recommended to the Governor to
be paid. -

Committee for Law Suits,
29th January, 1812.

Present.

Mr Lewis, Mr Richards,
Mr Maitland, Mr Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Committee
were read.

Thos Mackintosh not able
to pay his debt of £2500
Solicits further indulg^{ce}.

On reading a letter from Thomas
Mackintosh (one of the Securities for
the Loan granted to Simon Cock,) dated 28th Instant stating that he is
unable at present to make the payment
required by the Bank in part of his
Note of £2500, and soliciting further
indulgence.

Ordered,

unless Instalment thereon is
paid by 4th Feb^y paym^t to be
enforced.

That Mr Cox be directed
to acquaint him that if the Instalment
is not paid on or before Tuesday the
4th February next, the said Note will
be placed in the Hands of the Solicitor
to proceed against him.

Robt Coome Solicits a
Weeks indulgence.

Application was made by
Robt Coome for a Weeks indulgence to
pay the Instalment of £250 due on his
Note of £2500 as Security for Mess^{rs}
Hunters, Rainey & Co.

Acceded to.

M^{rs}

Acceded to.

Sol^r reports resp^d F. W.
Londonsack -

Mr. Kaye reported that he had not heard from Mr. Londonsack respecting the payment he was to have made. -

Ordered

To be proceeded against

To be proceeded against. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the Committee the Examinations taken against the following persons. - *Viz.*

Mich^l. Lambe for utter^g
a Fleet Note. -

Mich^l. Lambe apprehended in London for uttering a Fleet Note of One penny, for a L^d. Bank Note. -

Ordered.

to be prosecuted. -

That he be prosecuted. -

Mary Canvin for utter^g
Counterf^d Tokens. -

Mary Canvin apprehended in London for uttering Counterfict^d 3^d Tokens, and having others in her possession. -

Ordered.

To be prosecuted. -

That he be prosecuted. -

John Wilson & M^r. J. Wilson

John Wilson & Maria Jane Wilson, appointed at Rochester for uttering Counterfict^d 3^d Tokens and having others in their possession.

Ordered

That they be prosecuted. -

Committee for Law Suits
Thursday the 30th Jan^y. 1812.

Present.

Mr Lewis
Mr Martland, Mr Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Comm^{ee}.
were read.

F. W. Loudousack -
offers Notes rec^d of -
Coring & Catesby as
Security for his Debt

On reading a Letter from F. W.
Loudousack, dated 29th Instant, -
Stating that the Creditors of Mess^{rs}.
Coring & Catesby having agreed to give
them time at 3, 6, 9, 12 and 15 Months,
the last payment Guaranteed; therefore
requesting the Bank to accept a part
of Said Notes to the Amount of the
Bills Indorsed by him Unpaid, - and
he will add the Indorsement of his
present Firm to the said Notes, being
himself and late Partners, Eldest Son.
Resolved,

That Mr. Kaye be directed
to Inform Mr. Loudousack that on
his delivering the Said Notes with the
Indorsement of his Firm thereon, and
giving a Bond of Judgement for the
Payment of £100 per Month, his
application will then be complied
with.

On deliv^y up S^d Notes &
giv^y a Bond to pay £100
per Month acced^d to.

Committee for Law Suits,
Tuesday 1th Febr'y 1812.

Present.

Mr. Lewis

Mr. Waitland. Mr. Richards.

Mr. Smith. - Mr. Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Comm.
were read.

R^d. Burnell's applicⁿ
for remuneration of
Exp^s in apprehending
Geo. Davey.

Read a Letter from Mr. Rich^d.
Burnell of the Strand, Grocer, dated
1st Instant, stating his Disappointm^t.
at not receiving some remuneration
for his trouble in apprehending George
Davey for uttering a forged Note of £2,
being obliged to attend with his Young
Men of the Shop at Bow Street,
Hickes Hall and the Old Bailey, -
leaving his Business to a Stranger
to act for him during his absence. -
He further stated he was the Person
who detected John Stowe Lundie
apprehended for altering Notes of £1
to Ten pounds, - and Sarah Dell for
uttering a forged £1 Note; - and has
since the Trial of George Davey detained
a Bank Note altered from £1 to £10
which he delivered to the Investigatory
Office after having taken much trouble
to trace it.

The Committee on due Considerⁿ.
of the merits of Mr. Burnell.

Ordered.

£110 to be paid to R.
Burnell. -

Ordered, That M^r. Kaye be authorized to pay M^r. Burnell Ten pounds as a remuneration for his Services. -

In^o. Glead Esq. a
Counsel on the Ex^o.
Circuits, resignatⁿ.

M^r. Kaye laid before the Committee a Letter from In^o. Glead Esq. dated 3^d. Instant, offering his resignation as a Counsel for the Bank on the Oxford Circuit, in consequence of his being appointed to the Office of Solicitor for the Revenues, under the management of the Commissioners of Excise in Scotland.

Considerⁿ of a New
appointment postponed.

The Consideration of a New appointment was postponed to Wednesday the 12th. Instant.

A. J. G. Leuven's
assignment to
Trustees. -

Read a Letter from A. J. G. Leuven of Haydon Square, Merchant, Drawer of a Bill for £1510^{..} 15^{..} 0 on Thos. Edwards of Mincing Lane, due 30th. Ult^o. Stating that he had made an assignment to his Creditors of all his Effects, who have appointed Trustees, and requesting the Bank to accede to the same.

Deed to be
ex. by Solicitor.

Ordered, That M^r. Kaye be directed to peruse the said Deed and Report thereon. -

M^r. Cox made his Report on the following applications. -

Next

A. Favene's assignmt.
of property to Trustees

A. Favene, of Size Lane Merch.
Discounter of sundry Bills amounting to
£8977.6.6 having assigned his Property
in Trust to Messrs. Haldimand, Dorat & others,
and having paid an Instalment of 6/-
in the pound, requests the Bank to sign
his Deed. -

Ordered.

Deed to be examined
by the Solicitor

That the said Deed be
referred to the Solicitor to peruse. -

Wm. Harper's applic.
for signature to his
Deed of assignment.

Wm. Harper of Friday Street
Silk Manufacturer, (Deceased,) acceptor
of a Bill for £468.13. - his Property has
been assigned to Messrs. Wm. Prescott, Jnr.,
Carr and others for the benefit of his
Creditors, the Trustees being about to make
a payment of 5/- in the pound, - requests
the Signature of the Bank to his Deed. -

Ordered.

To be examined by
the Solicitor. -

That the said Deed be referred
to the Solicitor for perusal, but not
to be signed till payment of 5/- in
the pound is made. -

Ja. Underwood's -
applic. for 3 Mos
Indulgence. -

James Underdown of the Strand
Hatter, not being able to pay his last
Instalment of £76.7.9 on his
Composition of 5/- in the pound, -
Solicits three months further indulgence

Resolved.

acceded to. -

That the said applic.
be acceded to. -

J. E. Willoughby
Thos. Gregory Esq. &
Seymour Huffam
to be written to for
paym^t of their Ins^t
notes, by Solicitor.

Mr. Kaye was directed to write to
Mess^{rs} J. E. Willoughby, Thos. Gregory
Esq. and Seymour Huffam, and
acquaint them that unless the
Instalment on their Notes for Mr.
Simon Cock's Loan is paid by
Wednesday next the 12th Instant,
that payment will be enforced.

J. D. Hume Esq.
by Mr. Cox.

Mr. Cox was also directed to
write to Mr. J. D. Hume, another
of Mr. Simon Cock's Sureties to the
above effect.

Examinations

Wm. Steward &
Jno. Cooper.

Mr. Kaye laid before the
Committee examinations taken
against the following Persons. -

Wm. Steward & John Cooper appreh^d
in London for uttering forged Notes.

Ordered,

To be prosecuted. -
lesser Offence

To be prosecuted, with liberty to
plead guilty to the lesser Offence.

Thos. Evans,

Thos. Evans, apprehended at
Cardigan for uttering counterfieted
Dollars of 5 each

Jno. Sawler Esq.

John Sawler, George Pace,
Sarah Baker, Mary Bryant, Mary
Smith, Mary Davis and Edward
Sawler apprehended in London for
uttering Counterfieted Tokens.

Ordered,

to be prosecuted.

That they be prosecuted.

Committee for Law Suits,
12th February, 1812.

Present.

Mr Lewis, -

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards, -

Mr. Smith, Mr. Davidson, -

The proceedings of the last Com^{ee} were read. -

Mess^{rs}. Roberts & Co. propose a Composⁿ. of 10^s/6 in the pound
Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}. Bourdillion & Hewett Dated 6th Instth Stating that the Creditors of Mess^{rs}. Roberts & Co. having requested the Assignees to thoroughly investigate their Affairs, had found that the Effects of the said Roberts & Co. could not produce more than 10^s/6 in the Pound, and that it would be very advantageous for the Creditors to accept of the Composition of 10^s/6 payable by the following Instalments, 4/- at 5 Months, 4/- at 10, from the 1st December last, by the Notes of the Bankrupts, & 2^s/6 at 15 Months from the aforesaid Date, by their joint Notes and Mr. George Wilditch of Ludgate Hill Silk Mercer; - that the Commission be superseded and a Letter License granted them for 15 Months, reserving to the Creditors a right of resorting for payment of their whole Debt, if Default is made in payment of those Notes; - all the Creditors had agreed thereto, excepting the Bank which is now requested. -

Resolved,

Mess^{rs} Roberts & Co's
proposal acceded to.

That the proposal of
Mess^{rs} Roberts & Co. be acceded to, on
their obtaining the usual Consents.

R. Drimmy's proposal
to pay £50 on acc^t.
Request of 10 Weeks
indulgence.

A proposal was made by Mr.
R. Drimmy, to pay £50 on account
of his Bill for £100, and requesting
indulgence of 10 Weeks to pay the other
£50.

Resolved,

That Mr. Kaye be directed to
receive £50 on account, and require of
Mr. Drimmy to give Security for the
remainder.

Thos. Goudy solicits
indulgence.

A Letter was read from Mr.
Thomas Goudy, of Clements Lane, dated
12th Instant, stating that he was not
able to pay the Balance due on his Power
of Attorney on the 13th Instant, - and
requesting farther indulgence, when
he promised it should be paid
without fail within the present
Month.

Consideration
Deferred.

The Consideration was deferred.

J. D. Hume and
Rob^t Cowie had
taken no notice of
Mr. Cox's application.

Mr. Cox reported that he had
written to Mr. J. D. Hume and Rob^t
Cowie agreeably to the Order of the
Committee, but had not received
any answer from them. He laid
before the Committee a Letter from
Mr.

Mr. Hume to Mr. Simon Cock, in order to show that he was competent to the security for which he is bound, but offering no proposition to make any payment. -

Ordered.

Mr. Hume and

Mr. Cowie to pay £250 each by 18 Feb: or payment to be enforced. -

That Mr. Kaye be directed to write to Mr. Hume and Mr. Cowie and acquaint them if they did not each of them pay £250, by the 18th Ins: payment will be enforced without further notice. -

Thos. Broomhall's -
applicⁿ for signature
to his Deed of Release

Thos. Broomhall of Leadenhst. Street, Discounter of Sundry Bills - amounting to £4112..11.6 having paid an Instalment of 5/- in the pound, requests the Bank to sign his release.

Solicitors report. -

Mr. Kaye stated that he had perused the said Deed and saw no objection. -

Ordered.

To be Signed. -

That the Secretary be authorised to sign the said Release. -

Geo. Donadieu neglects
to pay Bal^{ce} of his -
acceptance of £519. 15.0

George Donadieu of Edward Street Blackfriars Road, Acceptor of a Bill for £519. 15. - a collateral security for John Brown, - £500 of which has been paid and frequent application made by Mr. Cox for the Balance without effect.

Ordered That Mr. Kaye be directed to acquaint him if the said Bal^{ce} is not paid by the 19th Ins:

Solicitor to apply. -

Instant, payment will be enforced without further delay.

Thos Edwards acceptor of a Bill for £1510..15..0

Thomas Edwards of. Mincing Lane acceptor of a Bill for £1510..15..0 Discounted with. A. J. G. Leiven, hav. been applied to for payment, and no satisfactory answer received, Mr. Cox was directed enquire respecting him and Report thereon.

Mr Cox to enquire resp. his affairs.

Seymour Huffman pays £100 on acct. & proposal of further paym.

Seymour Huffman of Copthall Court, acceptor of a Bill for £833.6..8 Discounted with Simon Cock having paid £100 on account, - proposed to pay £200 more on the 18th May next, the consideration thereon was deferred until Mr. Cox has had an interview with Mr. Huffman, and reported the result.

Considⁿ deferred.

Wm. Masson solicits 2 M^{os} indulgence

William. Masson, of St. Swithens Lane, acceptor of a Bill for £2500 Discounted with Hunters Rainey & Co. having made a further payment of £250, requests to be allowed indulgence to pay the remainder. Resolved.

allowed.

That 2 Months be allowed.

Mr. Kaye laid before the Examination Committee examination, taken against the following persons. -

John Glover, Wm Batty, John
Pearson & Mark Peacock

John Glover, Wm Batty, John
Pearson and Mark Peacock apprehended
in London for uttering Counterfitted
Dollars.

to be prosecuted.

Ordered.

That they be prosecuted.

John Lander & Mary Hearn

John Lander and Mary
Hearn apprehended in London for
uttering Counterfitted 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ Tokens.

Ordered

That they be prosecuted.

John Jones for uttering a
forged unsigned Bk Note.

John Jones apprehended
at Walsall for uttering a forged Bank
Note of £2 which was unsigned,
and having 47 others of the same
Description found in his possession.

Ordered

That he be prosecuted.

To be prosecuted.

The Committee proceeded on
the Consideration of the appointment of
a Junior Counsel on the Oxford Circuit
in the room of Mr Gleed resigned.

Resolved.

That the Solicitors be directed
to employ Mr Wm Barnes to act as a
junior Counsel on the Oxford Circuit
to fill up the Vacancy occasioned by
the resignation of Mr Gleed.

Mr Wm Barnes app.
Counsel in the room of
Mr Gleed resigned.

Committee for Law Suits,
19th February. - 1812.

Present.

W^m Lewis,
W^m Maitland, W^m Richards,
W^m Smith, - W^m Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Comm^{tee}.
were read.

Griffiths Thomas.
proposal to pay £50
every fortnight to
discharge his Debt.

Read a Letter from W^m
Griffiths Thomas, (dated 17th Instant)
stating that he is not able to take
up the Bills which he has given as
Security, and requesting the Bank to
indulge him, by permitting him
to pay £50 every fortnight (commenc^g.
22nd Instant,) until the whole Debt is
discharged.

Resolved,

Complied with.

That the above application
be complied with, on his giving a Bond
in Judgement as Security.

Thos^d Edwards's
proposal to assign
over share of a policy
of Insurance.

A Letter from W^m Thomas
Edwards was read, dated 19th Inst.
stating that application had been
made to him for payment of a Bill
of £15 10^s. 15^s. 0^d. Drawn by Govers Leuven
on him, and he is unable at present
to pay it, - therefore requesting that
the

the said Bill may lay over till the policy of Insurance of £3000 between Mr. Edwards, & Seuren is adjusted, when half the Amount, should be immediately applied for payment of the said Bill.

He further stated that in respect to the Demand for the further payment on account of his acceptance for Messrs. Hunters, Rainey & Co. he could only repeat the Substance of his former Letters of the 13th, 20th & 27th November last.

Solicitor to have an Interview with Thos. Edwards, resp. of proposal.

Mr. Kaye received the direction of the Committee to see Mr. Edwards respecting the application made in the above Letter, - and to Report the result of his Conference.

Solicitor's Report on the Deed of assignment of A. S. G. Seuren.

Mr. Kaye reported that he had perused the Deed of Assignment from Mr. Seuren to Trustees, which contains a Release from the Creditor, to him, - without any stipulation for a previous Dividend, - and even if no Dividend should ever be made: - which objections, being in direct Opposition to the general Rule adopted by the Bank - Resolved

Not Complied with

That the application of A. S. G. Seuren be not complied with.

On

W. S. Hemmington's
petition for relief

On reading a petition from Wm.
Simpson Henningham a Convict under
Sentence of Transportation, Stating
the extreme Distress of himself, Wife
and Family, and Praying some relief.

Ordered,

That Mr. Kaye be authorised
to give the Wife Five pounds, and to allow
the Convict 7/- per Week during his
Imprisonment.

£5 to be given to his
Wife & 7/- per Week
allowed him.

Booth &
Ex. Symmons for
uttering Counterfeited
Tokens.

Mr. Kaye laid before the
Committee the Examinations taken against
Booth apprehended at Birmingham
and Ezekiel Symmons apprehended in
Petticoat Lane, London, the former
for uttering, and the latter for Selling
Counterfeited Tokens.

Ordered,

That they be prosecuted.

to be prosecuted.

Committee for Law Suits
26th February, 1812.
Present.
Mr. Lewis.

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards.
Mr. Smith. Mr. Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Committee were read.

Seymour Huffam's application for further indulgence.

Read a Letter from Seymour Huffam, Dated 26th Inst. Stating that he was unable to pay immediately the Bal^{ce} of the $\frac{1}{5}$ part of his Acceptance given on account of Mr. Simon Cock as required, and Soliciting indulgence for a short period, having given Directions for the Sale of some Reversionary property left by his Father.

Ordered, That Mr. Cox be directed to acquaint Mr. Huffman, that unless the said Balance is paid by the 24th March next, the Solicitor will proceed against him for the same.

Mr. Kays's report of his interview with Mr. Leuven & Thos. Edwards

Mr. Kays reported that he had seen Mr. Leuven & Edwards respecting the Policy of Insurance mentioned in Mr. Edwards's Letter of the 19th Inst. and it was acknowledged that Mr. Edwards is entitled to the produce

produce of the $\frac{3}{2}$ of the said Policy, and that he was ready to make an assignment thereof to the Bank, in liquidation of his Debt. -

J. Edwards's application
agreed to. -

Resolved, That the same be
agreed to. -

Letter from J. Barrow
respecting the late -
concerns between
Shaftesbury and
Salisbury Banks.

I Read a Letter from W. C. J. Barrow one of the late Partners in the Shaftesbury Banking House giving the following information respecting the concerns between the Shaftesbury and Salisbury Banks, as carried on in the joint names of Messrs. Bowles, Ogden & Wyndham. - viz. -

That on the 11th July 1810 those Houses (in consequence of the failure of Messrs. Brickwoods,) ceased their payments, and separate commissions were taken out against them, but the same assignees were chosen to both Estates, when a meeting was held for declaring a Dividend, it was found that the monies in hand on the Shaftesbury House, considerably exceeded the amount of the Salisbury, - the assignees therefore to make the Dividends on the two Estates equal took away a Sum amounting to about £20,000 from the former and placed.

placed it to the latter, and then made a Dividend of $\frac{6}{8}$ upon each Estate, to the manifest injury of the Creditors of the Shaftesbury Bank, who otherways would have received $10\frac{1}{2}\%$ or $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ on their respective Demands. —

Ordered.

Statement of the Affairs
of Shaftesbury Bank to
be applied for.

That Mr. Kaye be directed to write to the said Assignees of the Shaftesbury Bank for a Statement of their Affairs to lay before the Comm^{ee}.

Rob^t. Bowie neglects to
make the Paym^t required

Mr. Kaye reported that Rob^t. Bowie, had not made the paym^t required of him; — and he was directed to proceed against him for payment without further Delay. —

Wm. Steward & John Cooper, —
Convicted, lesser Offence.

Rewards for apprehⁿ

Mr. Kaye also reported that William Steward and John Cooper were Tried at the Old Bailey in the late Sessions for uttering Forged Bank Notes when they pleaded guilty to the lesser Offence. — That John Lacey Hawkins one of the City Marshalmen had consi^{der}able merit in the detection and apprehension of the Prisoners, and Peter Branscomb & John Hodson, 2 Constables assisted him. *Ordered.* That Mr. Kaye be authorized to pay £20 to Hawkins, and £10 each to the 2 Constables. —

Examinations. -

Elix^h. Mitchell & Susan^d.
Farrel, for uttering
Counterf. Tokens. -
Ja^s. Filamagan & Ellen
Tindall. - &c. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the Comm^{rs}.
the Examinations, taken against the follow^g.
persons. - viz. -

Elizabeth Mitchell and Susanna
Farrel, apprehended at Lewes in Sussex
for uttering a Counterficted Token for 3^d.,
also James Filamagan and Ellen Tindal,
who were all Committed by the Magistrate
for Trial, - the three latter being considered
as associating with the two former and
partaking of the provisions purchased
with the said Token, was guilty of the joint
uttering of the same. -

Ordered,

To be prosecuted. -

That they be prosecuted. -

Cha^s. Young & Mary^d.
D^{rs}.

Charles Young and Mary Young
apprehended at Derby for having a
considerable number of Counterficted 5^d.
Dollars, and other Tokens found upon
them. &c. -

Ordered,

to be prosecuted. -

That they be prosecuted and
that Mr. Kaye be directed to make
enquiry respecting a suspicious Bank
Note found in a pocket Book belonging
to the said Charles Young. -

Sarah Paul - &c. -

Sarah Paul apprehended in
London for uttering Counterficted 3^d.
Tokens &c. -

Ordered

to be prosecuted

That she be prosecuted. -

Investigator's Account
of Disbursements for
January 1812.

Ordered, That the following acc^{ts}
of the Investigators, be recommended
to the Governor to be paid.
Thos. Glover Disbursements Jan^y £ 37. 12. 11
Extra attend.^{ce} 32 Days -- £ 16. 16. --
£ 54. 8. 11

John Lees Disbursements Jan^y £ 20. 2. 2
Extra attend.^{ce} 22 Days -- £ 13. 2. 6
£ 33. 4. 8

Robert Fish Disbursements Jan^y £ 6. 14. 9
Extra attend.^{ce} 21 D^y 11 Hours. -- £ 11. 7. 6
£ 18. 2. 3

Chas. Christmas Disbursements Jan^y £ 8. 3. 9
Extra attend.^{ce} 30 D^y 3 Hours -- £ 16. 0. 3
£ 24. 4. 0

Examination of the
acc^{ts} of Overdue Bills.

The Committee proceeded on the
Investigation of the Accounts of the
Overdue Discounted Bills &c^{ts} and
determined on the following Report
to be made to the Court of Directors
thereon. Viz^d

Report on the
Overdue Discounted
Bills &c^{ts} -

That having investigated the
Accounts of the Overdue Discounted
Bills & Notes, it appears to the Comm^{ee}

That the Balance of all the
Outstanding Debts on the 31st Jan^y
1812, was £ 425,656. 5. 5. That

That the sum of £207.6.6 has
 been received since 31st July last, up to
 the 31st Jan^y 1812, on the Old Accounts
 which in March 1808 were estimated
 as good amounted to £44,724.5.1
 and by subsequent paym^{ts}
 and Sundry Sums carried
 to the acc^t. of Profit & Loss was
 reduced on the 31st July 1811 44,701.16.1
 leaving a Bal^{ce} on 31 July 22.9.0

That the sum of £761.0.3 has
 been received since 31st July last, up
 to the 31 Jan^y 1812 on the Old Debts of
 1808, where small Dividends were
 expected which then amounted
 to £93,929.8.5
 and which has been
 reduced by subsequent
 paym^{ts} & by Sums carried
 to the Account of Profit &
 Loss up to 31st July 1811... 93,165.16.7
 leaving a Bal^{ce} 31st July 763.11.10

That nothing has been received
 on the Old Debts of 1808 which were deemed
 desperate, and carried to the Account of
 Profit & Loss amounting to £45,898.19.11
 since January 1810. -

That nothing has been rec^d.
 on the acc^ts accumulated between
 the 1st March 1808 and the 31 Jan^y 1809
 Since the 31 July 1811 the Bal^{ce} therefore
 remains £44,448.19.3 as before reported.

That the Bal^{ce} of the Accounts
of Mess^{rs} Winter & Hay & Christ^m Schindler
on the 31st July last was £2893. 11. 5
Rec^d Since up to 31 Jan^y 1812. £520. 8. 0
Bal^{ce} remaining £1373. 3. 5

That the Bal^{ce} of the Acct^s of
Persons who became Bankrupts between
the 31st Jan^y 1809 and the 31st July follow^g
on the 31st July 1811 was £3881. 10. 9
Rec^d Since up to 31st Jan^y 1812. 507. 17. 0
Bal^{ce} remaining 3373. 13. 9

$\frac{1}{4}$ of which is recommended
to be car^d to the Acct^t of
Profit & Loss, being £843. 8. 5
leaving a Bal^{ce} of £2530. 5. 4

That the Bal^{ce} of the Accounts
accumulated between the 31st July
1809 and the 31st Jan^y 1810 on the
31 July 1811 was £15858. 2. 11
Rec^d Since up to 31st Jan^y 1812. 500. ---
Bal^{ce} remaining 15358. 2. 11

$\frac{1}{3}$ of which is recommended
to be car^d to the Account
of Profit & Loss, being £5119. 7. 8
leaving a Balance of £10238. 15. 3

That the Bal^{ce} on the Accounts
accumulated between the 31 Jan^y 1810
and the 31st July follow^g on the 31st
July 1811 was £17079. 13. 3
Rec^d up to the 31st Jan^y 1812. 12. 0. 11
Bal^{ce} remaining 17067. 12. 4

$\frac{1}{3}$ of which is recommended
to be Car^d to Profit & Loss being 5689. 4. 1
leaving a Bal^{ce} of £11368. 8. 3

That the Bal^{ce} of the Acc^t accumulated
between the 31st July 1810 and the 31st
Jan^y 1811 on the 31 July was £263,755..2..11
Rec^d since up to 31 Jan^y 1812. 61,772..11..10
Bal^{ce} remaining () 201,982..11..1
1/8 of which is recommended
to be carried to the account
of Profit & Loss, being --- 25,247..16..4
leaving a Bal^{ce} of £176,734..14..9

That the Bal^{ce} of the Accounts
accumulated between the 31 Jan^y 1811,
and the 31 July last was £147,435..11..5
Rec^d since up to 31 Jan^y 1812. 38,211..18..5
Bal^{ce} remaining ----- 109,223..13..0
1/4 of which is recommended
to be car^d to the Acc^t of
Profit & Loss, being --- 27,305..18..3
leaving a Bal^{ce} of £81,917..14..9

That there are 12 New Acc^{ts} of Discounters
who have become Bankrupts or Insolvent since
the 31 July 1811 whose debts am^t to £41,633..4..4
to which are added the Acc^{ts} of
Mess^{rs} Hunters, Rainey & Co^{ys} & S^r Cock
for sums advanced them as Loans
amounting to ----- 80,000..0..0
making the total amo^t --- 121,633..4..4
Rec^d since up the 12 Acc^{ts}
up to 31 Jan^y 1812. £9,464..2..8
D^o on Hunters & Co^{ys} & S^r Cock's 42,056..5..8
51,520..8..4
leaving a Bal^{ce} --- 70,112..16..0
which Acc^{ts} being of so recent a Date
the Com^{ee} recommend to let the Bal^{ce}
remain as it is at present.

Committee for Law Suits.
4th March, 1812.

Present.

Mr. Lewis, Mr. Smith
Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards

The proceedings of the last Com.
were read.

£64,205..14..9 -

written off from the
amt. of overdue Disc.
Bills, & Order of the
Court.

The Chairman reported that he
had presented the Report on the
Accounts of the Overdue Discounted
Bills, on Thursday the 2^d Ult^o to the
Court of Directors, that the same was
approved, and the several sums as
recommended, were Ordered to be
carried to the Account of Profit & Loss
amounting to £64,205..14..9 -

L^r from Mess^{rs} Burr &
resp^d G. Chalklin app^r
at Maidstone on susp.
of Ult^o a forged note

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}
Burr & Hoar of Maidstone, Solicitors,
dated 3^d Ins^t - Stating that the Mayor
of that Corporation had committed a
person of the name of George Chalklin
on suspicion of being an Utterer of Forged
Notes, a five pound forged Note having
been traced to him, but there not appear^g
to be sufficient Evidence to Convict him.

not suff^t Evidence to
convict.

Ordered, That Mr. Hoar be directed to
acquaint Mess^{rs} Burr & Hoar therewith
and request that he be Discharged from
Custody, unless some further evidence of

guilt can be proved against him.

James Whiteford Esq
Plymouth, respecting
a Soldier & French
Prisoner in custody for
uttering a forged Note.

Read a Letter from James Whiteford
of Plymouth, Solicitor, dated 29th Ult^o. -
respecting a Soldier who had been on
Guard at Dartmoor Prison and is
detained in Custody for uttering a
forged Note of One Pound, fabricated
by the French Prisoners, which Note
was inclosed, with another of the same
description which a French Prisoner
of the name of René Michon on board
the Ship Ganges, attempted to utter,
but there appearing not to be sufficient
evidence to convict the said persons,
for the Offence

Ordered,

Not Suff^o Evidence to
Convict.

That Mr. Kaye be directed
to acquaint Mr. Whiteford that unless
further Evidence can be produced
against the said Offenders, they
must be discharged.

Letter from G. L.
respecting Lowe a
Notorious Vender of
forged Notes.

Mr. Kaye laid before the
Committee a Letter he had received
signed with the Initials G. L. - dated
3^d Instant, stating that the writer
thereof had it in his power detect a
Notorious vender of Forged Notes of
the Name of Lowe, should the Bank
think proper to employ him; - and
from the observations of Mr. Kaye on
the information given him by Mr.
Glover the Head Investigator.

Resolved

Solicitor to employ G.
L. - if necessary.

Geo: Smith, appreh.
for uttering forged notes

To be prosecuted for
the Capital Offence.

Robt. Cowie pays £250
required of him.

Resolved, That Mr. Kaye be authorized
to act with the writer of the aforesaid
Letter as he may deem proper. -

Mr. Kaye laid before
the Committee the examinations taken
against George Smith apprehended
in London for uttering a number of
Forged Bank Notes. -

Ordered, That he be prosecuted for
the Capital Offence. -

Mr. Kaye reported that
Robt. Cowie had paid the further sum
of £250 as required of him, on acct.
of the Note given as Security for
Simon Lock. -

Committee for Law Suits,
11. March, 1812.

Present.

Mr. Lewis

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards, -
Mr. Smith, Mr. Davidson, -

The proceedings of the last Committee were read.

Letter from Geo. Hollis Esq.
under Sheriff of
Winchester respecting
given by Julien Dubois
under sentence of death

Mr. Kaye laid before the Comm^{ee}.
a Letter received from George Hollis Esq.
Under Sheriff of Winchester, respecting
information given by Julien Dubois,
a prisoner under sentence of Death for
uttering Forged Bank Notes, in hopes
that the Bank will interfere with
the Secretary of State to obtain a
Mitigation of his Sentence. -

Mr. Kaye's Answer

Mr. Kaye stated that the
discovery made by the Prisoner was
of no value, either to the public or
the Bank, - and read a Letter
which he had drawn up in answer,
observing, that if Mercy was to be
extended to the prisoner upon the ground
of the Information given by him, it
would be telling every Offender in these
Cases, that they may Offend and set
their Prosecutions at defiance. -

approved of.

The Committee approved thereof

Messrs.

Messrs. Thomas & Fuller
propos^r of 6/8 in the p^r?

Messrs. Thomas & Fuller of
Old Swan Stairs, Merchants Acceptors
of a Bill for £282..4..0 - proposed a
Composition of 6/8 in the Pound, at
6, 12 & 24 Months, - 3/4 to be secured,
to which terms all their other Creditors
have agreed. -

acceded to. -

Acceded to on the Usual Conditions

Mr. Cox's rept. respecting
Messrs. Hill & Wood and
Sam^l. Crane & Son. -

Mr. Cox reported that he had
made application to Messrs. Hill & Wood
and Samuel Crane & Son for further
payments on their Accounts without
effect.

to be proceeded against

Ordered, That Mr. Kaye be directed
to proceed against them without
further Delay. -

Examinations. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the
Committee the examinations taken
against the following persons - viz^t

Betty Stephenson, app^d. -
for Utter^g Counterf^t Tokens.

Betty Stephenson apprehended at
Kindall, Westmorland, for uttering
Counterfitted Tokens and having a
Quantity found in her possession. -

Benjⁿ. Hall & M^r. Cronin
do. -

Benjamin Hall & Michael Cronin
apprehended in London for the same
Offence. -

to be prosecuted. -

Ordered,
That they be all prosecuted
Robert

Thos. Flannagan for
uttg. forged Notes. -

Thomas Flannagan appreh.
in London, for uttering a Number of
Forged Notes. -

To be pros. capitally.

Ordered. That he be prosecuted for
the Capital Offence. -

Robt Kennett - D.

Robert Kennett apprehend.
in London for uttering two Forged
Notes of £1. each. -

To be pros. lesser Offence.

Ordered That he be prosecuted with
liberty to plead Guilty to the lesser
Offence. -

Sarah Davis pet^{ns}
for allow^{ce} for her
Voyage to Botany Bay

On reading a Petition from
Sarah Davis, a Convict in Newgate
under Sentence of Transportation
praying for some allowance to
prepare for her Voyage to Botany
Bay, - being on the point of removal
to the Ship for that destination. -

£5 to be given her.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
authorized to pay Sarah Davis £5,
in consequence of her distressed
Situation

Committee for Law Suits
18th March, 1812.
Present.

Mr. Lewis

Mr. Maitland Mr. Richards
Mr. Smith Mr. Davidson

The proceedings of the last Com^{ee}.
were read. -

Thos. Goudy, allowed
a months indulgence

A Letter from Thomas Goudy
dated 13th Instant being read, requesting
further indulgence to pay the Bal^{ce}
due on his Warrant of Attorney, stating
that he should be able to pay off a
considerable portion within a few
days, and the remainder in the course
of the month. -

Resolved,

That the above applicatⁿ.
be acceded to. -

Wm. Castgate Solicits
to forego proceedings
agst him

On reading a Letter from
William Castgate of the Strand
Cheesemonger, dated 16th Instant, -
stating his extreme distress having
a Wife, 6 Children and an aged
Mother to support, with only a
small Retail Business, and having
met with many heavy losses - therefore
praying the Bank not to proceed
against him for the payment of
the Composition due on Tutors Bill,
at present being totally out of his
Power

power to raise the sum, and promising to pay the same as soon as he is able.

The consideration was postponed.

F. W. Ludoersack
neglects payment.

Mr. Kaye reported that F. W. Ludoersack, had not complied with the proposal which he made to the Com^{tee} on the 30th January last, and which was to be complied with, on his fulfilling the same.

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint him if the said condition be not completed by the 25th Inst^h, that directions are given to commence proceedings against without further notice.

To be proceeded agst
after 25 Inst^h.

Moses Abitbol
reported to have p^d
3/6 only, out of 12/6

Mr. Cox reported that Moses Abitbol whose proposition to his Creditors in October 1810 to pay 12/6 in the pound on his Debts, and to whom a Letter of License was then granted to him for 12 Months, had only paid 3/6 in the pound.

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to apply to Mr. Abitbol for a Statement of his affairs to lay before the Committee.

Mr. Kaye laid before the Com^{tee}

Wm Booth app^d
at Birmingham

a Letter received from Mr. Spurrier of Birmingham, stating that with a

Strong

Strong Guard of Soldiers a forcible entrance had been effected at Wm Booth's residence at Jerry Barr near Birmingham on Suspicion of his being a Manufacturer of Forged Bank Notes, when a Wire Mould with Waved Lines for One pound Notes was found and a Blank £1 Note, and that he was Committed to Gaol on the same Evening, and possession of his premises was kept in order that further search should be made. —

Wm Booth to be prosecuted for the Capital Offence.

Ordered, That the said William Booth be prosecuted for the Capital Offence, should the Solicitor find sufficient evidence against him. —

The Examinations taken agst the following persons were laid before the Committee. — viz.

Ja^s Chambers & Mary Sutcliffe to be prosecuted for uttg^g Counterf. Tokens

James Chambers and Mary Sutcliffe apprehended at Leeds for uttering Counterfected 3^d Tokens

Ordered, To be prosecuted. —

Geo. Coleman D^r

George Coleman apprehended in London for uttering Counterfected Tokens. —

Ordered

To be prosecuted. — Rob^t

Robt. & Eliz. Dewhurst
app^d for utter^g forged
Bank Notes.

Robert and Elizabeth Dewhurst
apprehended at Manchester for uttering
forged Bank Notes, and having another
in their possession, but there not appear-
ing sufficient evidence against Robert
Dewhurst, he was Discharged from
Custody and the Wife was Committed
for Trial.

E. Dewhurst to be
prosec^d for lesser Offence

Ordered That Elizabeth Dewhurst
be prosecuted, with liberty to plead
guilty to the lesser Offence.

Committee for Law Suits
25th March, 1812. -

Present

Mr. Lewis

Mr. Haithland Mr. Richards
Mr. Smith Mr. Davidson.

The proceedings of the last Comm.
were read. -

Gervas Bradberrys
proposal to pay a
Composⁿ of 5/- in the
pound. -

Read a Letter from Mr. H. M.
Kirkman, Solicitor on behalf of
Gervas Bradberry of Langbourn
Chambers, Broker dated 23rd Instant,
enclosing a Statement of his Affairs,
by which it appeared that his Debt,
amounted to £33,667. - and his assets
to £14,980. and proposing a Composⁿ
of 5/- in the pound, payable 2/6 at
3 Months, and 2/6 at 6 Months, which
proposal had been accepted by his
Creditors. -

Mr. Cox Stated that the Amount
of the Bills which appeared in the
Bank. Drawn and accepted by him
amounted to £9470. - £2157,
of which he had no Doubt, but would
be paid by other parties. -

Considerⁿ Deferred.

The Consideration was deferred.

Hoffmann DeBie & Co.
proposal to pay 10/-
in the pound. -
acceded to. -

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs} Hoffman
DeBie & Schink, enclosing a Statement
of

of their Affairs, and the Copy of Agreement entered into at a Meeting of their Creditors, to receive 10% in the Pound on their respective Debts, payable 5% in 3 Months 2% at 9, and 2% at 12, and the Bill holders to reserve their Claim against the different Drawers and Endorsers. - Resolved

That the above proposition be acceded to on their obtaining the usual Consents. -

Simon Cock's Surety application for indulgence. -

Read a Letter from ^{the Sureties of} Cock soliciting the Indulgence of being allowed to liquidate their Notes by Instalments of a tenth to be paid every two Months. - Resolved,

referred to the Court.

That the said Letter be referred to the Court of Directors for Determination. -

Report of the Conviction of the French Prisoners Tried at Maidstone

Mr. Freshfield reported that the following Prisoners, were capitally convicted at Maidstone aforesaid. - Guillaume Leman, Charles Fidelle Rouelle, Francois Adam, French Prisoners for uttering Forged Notes also Robert Dolliver an American and Ephraim Franklin a Marine for the same Offence.

Henry De Rouchmont and August Duboille were acquitted. -

That

Eph^m Franklin
Convicted Capitally,

That Ephraim Franklin was a Marine on Board the Prison Ship Glory, and was Ordered by the Com^{ee}. on the 14 November last to be prosecuted for uttering a forged £5 Note with liberty to plead Guilty to the lesser Offence, but he did not, his Counsel not having acquainted him with the Committees Resolution, - and he is under Sentence of Death: - That the whole Court unanimous of Opinion that as an Englishman and Guard over the Prisoners of War, he was more Criminal than the Frenchmen who Forged the Notes, as by such Agents only, could the said Notes get into Circulation: - That the Frenchmen who are convicted are to be Executed in the presence of all the Prisoners of War on Board the Prison Ships lying in the River Medway, the Court considered that Franklin should also suffer with as an example to the other Marines. -

Rob^t. Dolliver
convicted, and
applicatⁿ to be
made to the Sec^y
of State for a
respite -

Mr. Freshfield also reported that the prisoner Robert Dolliver who is an American, had unfortunately been drawn into the Act of uttering, through fear of the Frenchmen, he having given information against several who were Manufacturers of

the Forged Notes to the Commanding Officer, and being Suspected by the other Prisoners, for having done so. he had uttered the Notes through ignorance. - That his Vessel having been Wrecked on the Coast of France he was forced to serve on Board the the Enemy's Vessel which was - Captured, and that he has a wife and 5 Children in America. -

Mr. Freshfield was directed to make an immediate application to the Secretary of State to obtain a Respite for Robert Dolliver, in order that the prisoner may have an Opportunity of applying in the regular mode for such Mercy (if any) as the Prince Regent may be pleased to extend, and which he would be prevented from doing unless the proposed interference on the part of the Bank should take place, the time being fixed for his Execution on the 28th Instant. -

Wm. Booth, -
Further informⁿ.
against him.

Mr. Freshfield laid before the Committee a Letter he had rec^d. from Mr. Spurrier of Birmingham, Stating that the most important Discoveries have made since the apprehension of William Booth, two of his Men servants who used to assist

assist him in Coining Bank Tokens have impeached him, and plates, paper, Dies and every Apparatus and Materials, have been found under the Direction of these Men, necessary for making Bank Notes, (with the Water Mark in the paper), from the Rag to the perfect Blank Note, - and the same of Tokens, from the rolled metal to the Tokens complete, and Blank Bank Notes for £10, £5 and £1 to a considerable amount have been found with Waved Line and Bank of England in the Substance of the Paper; - also a Quantity of paper of the same description unprinted upon. As more discoveries are yet expected the Depositions were not finished. That 18 Men have been employed since Monday last, seven of which are Horse Soldiers, in searching and Guarding Booths premises, and but for this proceeding and the prisoners being suffered to have no communication with each other, or any one else, the Discoveries would never have been effected.

The Examinations taken against the following Offenders were laid before the Committee.

W. L.

Patrick Conovey to
be prosecuted for uttering
Counterf. Tokens. -

Patrick Conovey apprehended at
Bilston, Staffordshire for uttering
a Counterfieted 3^d Token. -

Ordered
To be prosecuted. -

John Fitzpatrick &
Thos. Fargan &c. -

John Fitzpatrick and
Thomas Fargan apprehended
at Hammersmith for uttering
Counterfieted Dollars and Tokens.

Ordered
To be prosecuted. -

Ja^s. Wheeler. Cha^s.
Wheeler & Sarah
apprehended. -

Ja^s. Wheeler. Cha^s. Wheeler
and Sarah Wheeler apprehended
in Old Street Road, the latter hav^g.
7 forged £2 Notes in her possessⁿ.
but there not being any evidence
to convict James and Charles
Wheeler. -

Ordered
That Sarah Wheeler
be prosecuted, for having the
said Notes in her possession. -

Sarah Wheeler to
be prosecuted for
hav^g. forged Notes in
her possession. -

Mary Reading &
Norah Roach. -
appreh^d. on suspⁿ.
of utt^g. Counterf.
Dollars. -

Mary Reading and Norah
Roach, apprehended in London
on Suspicion of uttering Counterf.
Dollars. -

Ordered.
That they be discharged
from Custody, there not appearing
Sufficient Evidence to Convict them.

To be discharged

Committee for Law Suits
1st April, 1812. —

Present:

Mr. Lewis
Mr. Maitland, Mr. Richards,
Mr. Smith, Mr. Davids

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read. —

Mr. Spurrier's Letter
resp^d. Conduct of the
Soldiers, on apprehending
Wm Booth.

A Letter was read from Mr.
Spurrier of Birmingham stating
that 7 persons concerned with Wm
Booth are all committed for Trial,
but the Depositions against them are
not yet completed: — and representing
the meritorious Conduct of the Soldiers
who were employed in guarding the
premises of Wm Booth, being 21 in
number for 12 Days and Nights: —
and recommending the Thanks of
the Bank to be transmitted to the
Officer Commanding them, and
some remuneration for the Men.

confer^{ee} with the Gov^t &
Dep^y Gov^r thereon.

The Committee having conferred
with the Governor & Deputy Governor
thereon directed the Solicitor to write
to Mr. Spurrier for the Name of the
Commanding Officer, and to request
him to Confer with the said Officer
as to the propriety of any pecuniary
remuneration.

remuneration which may be necessary and in what manner it should be distributed amongst the Soldiers. -

Rt Hon^{ble} R. Ryders
note resp^d resp^d
for Rob^t Dolliver. -

A Note was read from the Rt Hon^{ble} Richard Ryder addressed to the Governor and Deputy Governor Stating that a Respite was sent to the High Sheriff of the County of Kent yesterday, staying the Execution of Robert Dolliver a Prisoner under Sentence of Death in the Gaol of Maidstone until his Royal Highness The Prince Regent's pleasure shall be further signified. -

Rowlandson, Is^c Wiltshire H^c Solicitors enclosing the
& Brien, - and following Resolutions of a Meeting of
Rowlandson & Isaac the joint Creditors of Rowlandson Isaac
agreed with their Brien, and Rowlandson & Isaac of the
26th Ultimo, - viz^t -

"That as it is uncertain what may
"be the determination of the Lord Chancellor
"in the Petitions now depending before
"him and as the Effects of the two
"Houses of Rowland, Isaac & Brien,
"and Rowlandson & Isaac have been
"so intermixed and blended that it
"would be impossible to distinguish
"and separate them, it is expedient
"and for the Interest of all parties
"that

acceded to. -

"That the Funds of the two Houses be
"Consolidated and Divided amongst
"the Creditors of both Rateably and in
"proportion to their respective Debts.

"That the Assignees be at liberty to
"apply for and procure or consent to any
"order the Lord Chancellor may be pleased
"to make for that purpose and after
"obtaining such Order, proceed to divide
"the Funds accordingly". -

The Debts proved against the two
Estates amount to £421,929.3.9 of which
Creditors to the amount of £300,000 and
upwards have already signed the
"Resolutions. -

Resolved, That the said Proposition
be acceded to. -

In^d. Darke's L^{re}
respect^y Pierre
Le Roche. -

A Letter was read from John
Darke Esq of Launceston Cornwall. -
enclosing information given by Pierre
Le Roche a French prisoner of War who is
Convicted for uttering forged Bank Notes
and Ordered for Execution on the 9th Inst^l
referring to a point in Law regarding
prisoners of War, and recommending
the Bank to interfere with the Secretary
of State to obtain a respite of his Sentence
until the falacy or truth of the
information can be ascertained. -

M^{rs}

Answer to John
Darke's Letter. -

Mr. Freshfield laid before the Committee a Letter which he had written in Answer to Mr. Darke, - Stating, that the Bank could not interfere, - that the point of Law suggested by him, was solemnly decided upon the Prosecution of Roubillaird and Deschamps at Huntingdon Summer Assizes 1805, and the Executions of French Prisoners which have taken place upon similar Charges since the Commencement of the present Circuit. -

approved. -

The Committee approved thereof. -

The Depositions taken against the following Persons were laid before the Committee. -

Ja^s. Brown & Ja^s.
Carr. for uttering
forged Notes. -

James Brown and Ja^s. Carr - alias Watson apprehended at St. Albans for uttering Forged Notes, and having others in their possession. -

To be prosecuted
Capitally. -

Ordered, To be prosecuted for the Capital Offence. -

Is^c. Newman & D^o. D^o.

Isaac Newman alias Nowland for uttering forged Notes. -

Ordered.

To be prosecuted for the Capital Offence. -

Vorah

Norah Roach for
utt.^d Counterfieted
Dollars. -

To be prosecuted.

Norah Roach reported at the
last Meeting, for uttering a Counterfieted
Dollar, having since uttered two others
and also some found upon her. -

Ordered, To be prosecuted. -

Phillips
Levy, for utter
counterf. Tokens. -

To be prosecuted

Phillips & Levy
apprehended at Stamford Hill, for
uttering counterfieted Tokens. -

Ordered

To be prosecuted. -

Sam^l Lloyd Drapler
for Signature to
his Deed of Compⁿ

Mr. Fox reported that Sam^l
Lloyd of Barge Yard having paid his
Composition of 10^s. in the Pound on
£771. 16. 2, requests the Signature of
the Bank to the Deeds. -

Ordered

To be perused by
Solicitor. -

To be perused by the Sol^r.
and if approved to be signed. -

Resolved

That the following Acc^{ts} be

Investigator, Bill, recommended to the Gov^t to be paid -
for February.

Tho^s Glover's Disbursem^{ts} for Feb^y. £ 41. 10. 4
Extra Attend^{ce} 32 D^ys 3 Nights £ 18. 7. 6
£ 59. 17. 10

John Sees, Disbursem^{ts} for Feb^y. £ 27. 16. 5
Extra attend^{ce} 26 D^ys 8 Nights £ 17. 17. 0
£ 45. 13. 5

Rob^t Irish, Disbursem^{ts} for Feb^y. £ 2. 15. 8
Extra attend^{ce} 9 Days £ 4. 14. 6
£ 7. 10. 2

Cha^s Christmas, Disbursem^{ts} Feb^y. £ 6. 1. -
Extra attend^{ce} 27 Days £ 14. 3. 6
£ 20. 4. 6

Committee for Law Suits,
8th April, - 1812.

Present.

W^r Lewis
W^r Davidson. W^r Richards.
W^r Smith.

The proceedings of the last
were read.

Sam^l Lloyd's Deed
of Composition
to be signed.

W^r Kaye reported that he
had perused the Deed of Composition
of W^r Samuel Lloyd with his C^rs
and as he understood the Bank
had received the Composition, he was
of Opinion the Secretary might with
propriety execute the said Deed.

Ordered.

That the Secretary be
authorised to sign the said Deed.

Jas Gibson, Tre^r
resp^d D. Paterson
Gibson of Edinburgh
8th - Edinburgh

Read a Letter from W^r Jas^s
Gibson of Edinburgh, Dated 4th Instant,
he having a General Power from the
Bank to act in all Cases respecting
Bankrupts Estates, Submitting the
Statement of the Affairs of David
Paterson, John Paterson and Rob^t
Kerr, whose Estates are under Sequest^r
and Involved in great perplexity in
Consequence of the Insanity of David
Paterson, for whom M^r Paterson acted
under a Power of Attorney, which had
been

been the Subject of much litigation, and on whose behalf a Compromise was offered, which was estimated to pay about 13¹/₆ in the Pound on D. Paterson's Debts, and about 7¹/₉ on those of John Paterson and Rob^t. Kerr. —

The Bank's Claim on D. Paterson is £6717.12.8

D. on J. Paterson & R. Kerr - 2,200.0.0

Resolved.

Propos^{ns} in J. Gibson's
Be acceded to —

That the various propos^{ns} as stated in W^m. Gibson's Letter be acceded to —

M^r. Kay's further
application for
indulgence

M^r. Kay laid before the Committee a Letter from John Kay, Dated 2nd Inst^s, Soliciting the Bank to grant him extension of time applied for in December last, and stating his Disappointment in not receiving a Sum on Mortgage of a Freehold Estate, which has been delayed, on account of the depression of the Fund, and that immediately on his receiving any Money, payment shall be made. —

The Committee on referring to the indulgence already granted to him,

to be proceeded
against

Ordered. That the Solicitor be directed to proceed against John Kay and his Securities without further delay. —

W^m. Mess^{rs}

Cowing & Catesby
propos^d to pay £100
every Month.

acceded to.

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Mess^{rs}. Cowing & Catesby of Bedford
Court, acceptors of 4 Bills, amounting to
£1551.8.0 request permission to pay
the same by Instalments of £100
every Month.

Resolved. That the said application
be acceded to on their giving a Bond
in Judgement.

Walter Mansell

Application having repeatedly
been made to Walter Mansell of Studley
House Oxford for the payment of an
Instalment of 4^l. in the pound,
amounting to £671.18.2 on a part of
his Debt Due to the Bank, but of which
£500 only was obtained, and having
paid his other creditors their full
proportion.

to be proceeded
agst.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
directed to proceed against him for
payment thereof.

Mr. Spurrier's
Ltr to D^y Gov^r.

The Deputy Governor read
a Letter which he had received from
Mr. Spurrier Dated 5th Instant, Stating
that the Commanding Officer of the
Scotch Greys, whose Men were employ'd
in guarding the Premises of William
Booth, was Major Harkin;
that the Major expressed a Wish that the

Sum

Sum intended to be given by the Bank to his Men, Should be presented to the Stock Purse of the Regiment, as by giving it to the Soldiers only who were employed, it might create jealousy amongst them and give Offence. -

The Committee approved thereof and recommended to the Deputy Governor that Sixty Guineas should be transmitted, with the Thanks of the Governors, for that Purpose. -

Ann Mitchell
for uttg. Counterf.
Dollars. -

Mr. Kaye laid before the Com^{ee}.
the Examination taken against Ann
Mitchell apprehended at Birmingham
for uttering Counterficted Bank Dollars.
Ordered.

To be prosecuted

That She be prosecuted. -

Petition from Benjⁿ.
Swinden. -

Read a Petition from
Benjamin Swinden detained in the
Fleet Prison, for having in his
possession a Copper Plate for a
promissory Note for Tenpence, having
the word Ten, in White Letters on a
Black Ground, - praying the Bank
to withdraw the Warrant which detains
him in Prison having a Wife and two
Children depending on him for Support,
and having (if released) an Opportunity
of

of procuring a Situation which will enable him to earn a Subsistence for them, and save them from Destruction

The Committee agreed thereto, and gave directions to Mr. Kaye accordingly

George Smith &
Thos. Flanagan
Solicits to plead
Guilty to lesser
Offence

Read two Letters from,
George Smith and Thomas Flanagan
in Clerkenwell Prison, who are committed
for Trial for uttering Forged Notes, -
Soliciting to be permitted to plead
Guilty to the lesser Offence. -

rejected. -

The said applications were
rejected. -

The Minutes commencing -
with the New Committee appointed
on the 9th April 1812. - carried
to a New Book.

