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Committee for Law Suits
7th December. 1815.

Present.
Mr. Pote

Mr. Hattland, Mr. Smith,
Mr. Olive, Mr. Buller.

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

Mr. Kaye's report
on T. Allingham's
Deed of assignment.

Mr. Kaye reported that he
had perused the Draft of Assignment
from Thomas Allingham to Benjamin
They are a Trustee for the benefit of
Mr. Allingham's creditors, which
contains a provision, that when Mr.
Allingham shall have paid 5^s per
in the pound he shall be released from
all personal liability for payment of
his Debts. - The assignment also reserves
to Mr. Allingham, Household Furniture
to the value of £250.
Resolved, That on the Deed being
duly executed, the Bank will accede
thereto. - Read

Dr. ^{from} Assignees of
Pet. Blackburn.

Opinion of the Com.^{ee}.
thereon.

Depositions.

Elizth Kirby &
Cath^l Toney for
utter^g base Tokens.

to be prosecuted.

Sarman & Lacy's
proposal to assign
Effects in Trust

Read a Letter from the Assignees
of Peter Blackburn respecting a
Claim made by the Trustees under
his Marriage Settlement to prove
£2000 upon his Separate Estate.

Resolved, That it is the Opinion
of this Committee, that it is a very proper
Question to be submitted to the
determination of the Lord Chancellor.

The Depositions taken agst
the following persons, being read. Vitz.

Elizabeth Kirby and Cath^l Toney
apprehended in London for uttering
Counterfeit Tokens.

Ordered, That they be prosecuted

Mr Fox laid before the Com.^{ee}
the following applications. Vitz.

Sarman & Lacy of Aldermanbury
Blackwell Hall Factors. Acceptors of
Sundry Bills amounting to £4899.10.
Discounted with Gibson & Forster —
their

their Creditors, having Consented to an assignment of their effects in Trust to Mr. Henry Burnett of Keppel Street, Henry Jas. Brooke, of Basinghall Street, and Thos. Elsworth of Token House Yard, - request the Concurrence of the Bank to the said arrangement.

*Sarman & Lacy's
Deed of assignment
ref'd to Mr. Kaye.*

Resolved That the said Assignment be referred to Mr. Kaye to examine and Report upon.

*Krug & Co.
applicⁿ for Cons^t
to an assignment in
Trust.*

Mess^{rs}. Krug & Co. of Acorn St. Bishopsgate Street, Sugar Refiners, acceptors of a Bill for £600, Discounted with Wells, Sayer & Co. their Creditors, having consented to an assignment in Trust to Mr. John Minnet, J. T. Cookson, and Benjⁿ. Reed, request the Concurrence of the Bank to the same arrangement.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint Mess^{rs}. Krug & Co. that the Bank will not object to the general Arrangement provided the Debtors are not released until

until they have paid a Dividend of not less than $5\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound.

Gordon & Phillips
applicat^{ns} respect^{ly}
are deduct^d in the
last Instalment.

Mess^{rs} Gordon & Phillips of
Fenchurch Street, Woolen Drapers,
having paid $12\frac{1}{6}$ in the pound in
part of their composition, and being
unable to pay their last Instalment
of $2\frac{1}{6}$ in the pound, their creditors have
consented to receive $1\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound in
lieu thereof, a moiety to be paid in one
month, and the remainder in three
months, and request the Bank's concurr^{ce}.
thereto.

acceded to.

The same was acceded to.

Smart Bryant & Co^s
applic^{ns} for signat^{re}
to their Deed of

Mess^{rs} Smart, Bryant & Co^s of
Hound, ditch Merch^{ts} having paid
in cash & Bills the amount of their
composition, request the Signature of
the Bank to their Deed.

The same was acceded to and
Ordered accordingly.

Ordered

Solicitor to write
to Sundry Persons

Ordered That the Solicitor be directed
to write to the following persons. (W.H.S.)

Wm. Harrison

Wm. Harrison of Bishop Wearmouth,
Drawer of a Bill for £498.10.-

Gibson & Forster

Gibson & Forster of Doctors Commons,
Discounters of Sundry Bills, amounting to
£10,673.12.6.-

P. Schmidtmeier

P. Schmidtmeier for the same
payment as made to his other (C.R.S.)

Forredays & Co.

Messrs. Forredays & Co. for an ans.
to former Letters, and if not received to
be proceeded against after Thursday
next.

R. H. Day to be
proceeded against

Mr. R. H. Day to be proceeded
against.

Investigators Bills
for October 1815.

The following accounts of Disburse-
ments of the Investigators for the Month
of October last, were signed for payment.

Thomas Glover	£ 52.7.8
John Lees	65.3.0
Robert Fish	30.14.9
Charles Christmas	30.15.1
Edmund Cocks	13.19.10
Robert Milton	19.11.7
John Warwick	19.9.2
	<u>£ 232.1.1</u>

Committee for Law Suits
12th December. 1815.

Present

Mr Governor, Mr Smith,
Mr Maithland, Mr Buller. -

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

Read from John
Motteux, respecting
Lenny Smith. -

Read a Letter from Mr John
Motteux, Solicitor, Stating that the
following Firms who are principal
creditors to the Estate of Lenny Smith
not having received any satisfactory
proposal from the Debtor, altho'
he has had 2 or 3 Months to prepare
himself, - have given directions to
arrest him, being unanimously of
Opinion as to the expediency and propriety
of those affairs being settled under a
Commission of Bankruptcy, and
therefore, trusting as the Bank is
so very Considerable a Creditor, it
will meet with the Sanction of the
Directors

Directors, and particularly as Lenny Smith has given intimation that he is prepared with Bail to Support his Conduct of Defiance. - The Creditors who have declined to Compound with Lenny Smith are, Mess^{rs} Dorrien Esq^r - Vere Esq^r Lubbock Esq^r Pattisons Esq^r - & Motteaux Esq^r. Resolved,

That it appearing to the Com^{ee} that the Creditors are at Variance in Opinion respecting the Measures to be taken for liquidating the Concerns of Lenny Smith, - the Solicitor be directed to acquaint Mr. Motteux, that the Bank decline interfering therein at present. -

Read a Letter from Gibson & Forster, stating that they are using every possible means to lay immediately before a General Meeting of their Creditors a Statement of their Affairs and to propose a Composition which they expect will be about 13^p or 14^p in the pound, therefore soliciting indulgence for a few Days

Gibson & Forster
respecting their
affairs.

Days to enable them to propose with accuracy the necessary Statement. -

Resolved, That the consideration be postponed till the 28th Instant. -

Mr. Kaye's report
on Sarman & Lacy's
Trust Deed. -

Mr. Kaye reported that he had perused the Draft of the Trust Deed of Mess^{rs}. Sarman & Lacy, which contains a stipulation from the Creditors to indemnify the Trustees which he conceived to be exceptionable, as the Trust Estate ought to be the Fund to protect the Trustees: - The said Draft also contains an immediate release to the Debtors without a stipulation for a previous Dividend which is contrary to the Rules observed by the Bank in such Cases. -

the proposal not
complied with. -

Resolved, That the proposal of Sarman & Lacy be not acceded to. -

Mr. Fox laid before the Com^{ee}. the following application. - viz^t
Edward.

Edw.^d Watson
proposes a Compos.ⁿ
of 11/6 in the pound.

Edward Watson Ribbon Weaver Wood-
Street. Discounters &c.^d of Sundry Bills
amounting to £3826. 18. - requests the
Bank to accept a Composition of 11/6^e
in the pound, payable at 6. 10. 14 & 18
months, with Security for the last
instalment of 2/6^d in the pound, his
other creditors having accepted the same
terms. -

acceded to. -

Resolved. That the same be acceded
to on obtaining the usual consent. -

Ordered. That the Solicitor be directed
to write to the following persons for paym^t.
of their respective Bills. - V^t.

S^r. Crawshaw -

Sam^l. Crawshaw of Leeds, Drawer of 4 Bills
amounting to £2,163. 1. -

R^d. Harding & Son

Rob^t. Harding & Son, Trowbridge Drawer of a
Bill for £490. 18. 0. -

Edw.^d Butterworth

Edw.^d Butterworth of Trowbridge, Drawer of
a Bill for £220. -

W^m. Ball. -

W^m. Ball, Frome, Drawer of a Bill for
£400. -

W^m. Smart.

W^m. Smart, Bradford, Drawer of two
Bills amounting to £714. 15. 0. -

Committee for Law Suits,
14th December, 1815.

Present. —

Mr Maitland, Mr Smith,
Mr Olive, Mr Buller.

The proceedings of the last ^{sess} were read —

Edm^d. Cocks an
Investigator, rep^d
the case respecting
the forged Note taken
from G. Pitts by
him, for which an
action is brought
ag^t him.

I Read a Letter from Edmund Cocks, one of the Investigators respecting the circumstances which occurred between him and George Pitts a Broker in Moorfields, at the Bank on the latter obtaining in his possession a Forged Bank Note of £2, which Mr Cocks exhibited to him, and which he was obliged to take from G Pitts by force; — for which an Indictment has since been preferred by G. Pitts against Edm^d. Cocks for an assault, and found by the Grand Jury to which Bail has been given. —

Sol^r to defend it, at
Exp^{se} of the Bank.

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to defend the said action at the Expense of the Bank —

M^d

Mr. Hase reports
resp. Cohen Isaac's
claim of Dollars.

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Mr. Hase the Chief Cashier reported
that Mess^{rs} Cohen Isaac & Co. who have lately
stopped payment, have applied to the
Bank, claiming under a Bill of Lading
a quantity of Dollars amounting to about
£1100. - That Bills amounting to
£16,829.. 17.. 9 accepted by them are held
by the Bank, and one of them for £1207.. 9.. 0
is due and Unpaid. -

not to be delivered
up to them. -

Ordered, That Mess^{rs} Cohen Isaac & Co.
be informed, that the Dollars cannot
be delivered until the Bills held by the
Bank are paid. -

Dando Hill & Co.
propose to pay a
composⁿ of 4/6 in the
pounds. -

Dando Hill & Co. of Rosamond
Street Clerkenwell, Hat Manufacturers
acceptors of Sundry Bills amounting to
£2238.. 8.. - request the Bank to accept a
Composition of 4/6 in the pound pay^{ble}
by 3 equal Instalments at 4, 8 & 12 Months,
with Security for the last Instalment
their other creditors having accepted the
same terms.

Resolved That the said Proposal be
acceded to, on their obtaining the usual
Consents. -

acceded to. -

David

David Mitchell's
proposal to pay a
Composition of 6³/₄
in the Pound.

David Mitchell solicited the Bank
to accept a Composition of 6³/₄ in the
Pound, payable at ³equal Instalments,
on 16 Apr. 1816, 16 Dec. & 16 June 1817
by his own Notes.

Not complied with.

The said application was not
complied with.

Depositions.

The Depositions taken against
the following persons, were examined

Mr. Parry Green for
uttering forged Notes.

Viz. John Parry Green apprehended
at Portsmouth for uttering Forged
Bank Notes.

To be prosecuted for
minor Offence.

Ordered, That he be prosecuted, &
allowed to plead Guilty to the Minor
Offence, - and that the Witnesses -
Dalton & Patterson be detained.

Witnesses to be detained

Sarah Clark & Mary
Gatward, for uttering
base Tokens & many
more. - &c.

Sarah Clark & Mary Gatward
apprehended at Portsmouth and Mary
Cote, in London for uttering -
Counterfeit Bank Tokens.

To be prosecuted

Ordered, That they all be
prosecuted.

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List of Prisoners
Tried at the Old
Bailey Sessions
for Dec^r 1815.

Mr. Kaye laid before the Comm^{ee}.
the following List of Prisoners, Convicted at
the Old Bailey for uttering forged Bank
Notes &c^a and also the persons recommended
as entitled to Rewards for their Services
in detecting and apprehending them.

Prisoners	Convictions		Persons recommended as entitled to Rewards	Rewards
	Forged Notes	Base Tokens		
Ann Taylor	—	—	John Foy	£20
John Castwhaiter	—	—	James Dent	10
Wm Cuthbert	—	—	John Foy	10
Wm Bagnell ^d	—	—	James Dent	10
Wm Bagnell ^d	—	—	John Foy	10
Tho ^d Bagnell	—	—	John Foy	10
			Sam ^l Plank	10
			John Godstone	20
			John Foy	10
			Tho ^d Foy	10
			Sam ^l Plank	10
			Will ^m Foy	10
			Dom ^t Felley	10
			Jas. Mulrainen	10
			Jas. Scott	10
			Chas. Matthews	10
			In ^d . Throffell	5
			Benj ⁿ Spanner	5
			Sam ^l Dickens	5
			Benj ⁿ Johnson	10
			Sam ^l Nash	10
			Geo. Woodroffe	10
			Sam ^l Dickens	10
			In ^d . Throffell	5
			Benj ⁿ Spanner	5
			Sam ^l Dickens	5
			£240	

Resolved. That it be recommended
to the Governor to Order One Hundred &
Forty pounds to be paid to Mr. Kaye
to distribute according to the above List.

£240. rewards
to be p^d for det^t

Committee for Law Suits.
22nd December, 1815.

Present.

Mr. Pole, Mr. Smith,
Mr. Olive, Mr. Buller.

The proceedings of the last ^{see} session
were read.

Gibson & Forsters
are considered.

Mess^{rs} Gibson & Forsters Letter
postponed from the 12th Inst. being
read.

Sol^r to write to
them.

Resolved, That the Solicitor be
directed to acquaint them, that
unless some satisfactory proposal
is made on or before Wednesday next
they will be proceeded against without
further Delay.

Sam^l Frawshaw
of Leeds propos^d.

A Letter was read from Mr.
Birk, Solicitor on behalf of Sam^l
Frawshaw of Leeds, Drawer of 4
Bills amounting to £2.163.1.0
Stating that he should be enabled
to pay £1000 on account the first
Week

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Week in January, and the remainder the first week in February with Interest and Expenses, and therefore hoped the Bank would grant him this indulgence. -

Resolved. That the consideration be postponed till the 11th January next. -

*Robt. Harding Esq.
proposal to assign
his Effects in Trust*

Read a letter from Mess^{rs} Egan and Son of Trowbridge Drawers of a Bill for £490. 18. - stating that their Creditors had agreed to their assigning their Effects in Trust, and that it was calculated from the appearance of the State of their Affairs that their Estate would pay a Dividend of 12½/- in the pound, and soliciting the Bank's acquiescence thereto. -

*Mr. Kaye's report
on perusal of the
Deed of assignment*

Mr. Kaye reported that he had perused the said assignment. - that a Freehold Estate is also conveyed by Robtth Harding to the Trustees, and it appears by the recital, in the assignment that 2 Commissions of Bankrupt have been issued against these Debtors, and Mr. Kaye therefore presumed that they had

had committed an Act of Bankruptcy before the Assignment was executed. A Release to the D^rs in the first instance is made the Consideration of the Assignment without any Stipulation for a previous Dividend. besides many other objectional Clauses.--

Resolved. That the proposed -- Assignment of Rob^t Harding & Co^s be not complied with.--

Rob^t Harding & Co^s -
proposed Assignment
not Complied with.

W^m Smart's State
of Affairs Submitted.

I Read a letter from John Bush of Bradford Wills. Solicitor respecting the affairs of W^m Smart Drawer of two Bills amounting to £714. 15. 0 on Jarman & Lacy. - Stating that he is become Insolvent, a Commission of Bankrupt being issued against him, but not yet Opened, as Several of the Creditors seem desirous of accepting a general Assignment of his Effects, but as some obstacles having presented themselves

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themselves, it is apprehended the Commission
will be proceeded in. —

The consideration was postponed. —

Mr. Goldstone's
application for further
reward. —

A Letter was read from John
Goldstone, expressing his dissatisfaction
with the offer of the £20 as a Reward for
his Services, in detecting the three Bagnells,
lately convicted for Counterfeiting Bank
Dollars. — Stating that his expenditures
on that occasion amounted to upward,
of £27, — therefore solicited that his
Services might be further considered. —

to be paid £20 in
addition to £20 before
ordered to him. —

Ordered, That Mr. Kaye be directed
to pay an additional £20 to John
Goldstone, which is to include all his
Expenses. —

D. Macclaurin's
application for some
remuneration for
his services. —

On reading a Letter from D.
Macclaurin stating that by his exertions
in Discovering Property of considerable
amount belonging to the Estate of
Cooke & Kilmer, enabling the Assignees
to Divide in 1813. — 5⁴/₈ in the pound, —
and

and since 6^d more has been divided, and the Sum received by the Bank being £173.2.8 and not having charged any thing for the great trouble and Expense he has been at to benefit all those interested, he has been remunerated by every individual creditor by an allowance of 10 per cent, - and the assignees also have done the same therefore trusted the Bank would grant the like allowance. -

Resolved. That Mr Kaye be authorized to pay D. Maclaurin the 10 per cent on the amount of Dividends received from the Estate of Cooke & Kilner. -

D. Maclaurin
to be p^d 10 p^{er} C^t on
Div^d rec^d Cooke &
Kilner

Petⁿ from Ann Taylor
for relief in Newgate.

Petition being read from Ann Taylor, a prisoner in Newgate under Sentence of Transportation praying for some allowance during her imprisonment being in great Distress with an Infant to Support. -

Ordered.

Ann Taylor all^d
7/6^d per Week.

Ordered, That the Solicitors be directed to allow Ann Taylor 7/6^d per Week, until removed from Newgate.

R. H. Day's
Statement of his
affairs, - and
proposition from
him.

I Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}. Pally H. enclosing a Statement of the Affairs of R. H. Day, proposing to give approved Security for Payment of 2/6 in the pound upon the Bills of Collinson & Smart at 2 Months Date, in full of all claims on him, - and also to prove on Collinsons Estate for the Cash advanced to them upon the Bills for £564. 17. - & £634. 16. on which Collinsons Name does not appear, to assign the benefit of that proof to the Bank.

acceded to.

Resolved, That the above proposal be acceded to, on obtaining the usual consents.

2 L^{rs} respect^{ly}
J. Reay's aff^{rs}

Two Letters were read from

R. Heathfield respecting Mr. Reay's affairs the 1st Date proposing to pay 5/- in the pound on his Bills, amounting to £2521. 12. 6 Discounted by him; and

and the latter requesting to withhold the said proposition, as the Assignees had discovered that the arrangement proposed by Mr. See to them is still incomplete. —

The same was therefore postponed.

R^t. Edgar's applicⁿ.
for signature to
his certificate. —

I Read a Letter from R^t. Edgar enclosing a List of his Creditors, with the Amount of their respective Debts, by which it appeared that the Number of them were 28, and the whole had signed his Certificate excepting three besides the Bank, — and soliciting the Bank to accede thereto, altho a Dividend could not legally be paid until March next. —

not complied with.

Resolved, That the above applicⁿ. be not complied with. —

The depositions taken against the following Persons were examined
Viz^t.

Elizabeth

Eliz^h. Hayselden
for having forged Notes
in her possession.

Elizabeth Hayselden, apprehended
at Bethnel Green, having 22 forged Bank
Notes of £1 each found upon her person,
also 254 others of £1 each, and 99 of £2
each found in a Box at her Lodgings, which
she acknowledged to belong to her.

To be prosecuted.

Ordered. That she be prosecuted.

Mary Jackson &
J. Annale, for
uttering base Tokens

Mary Jackson and John Annale
apprehend in the Borough, for uttering
counterfeit Tokens.

To be prosecuted

Ordered. That they be prosecuted.

Sol^r to write to
sundry persons.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
directed to write to the following Persons
for payment of their respective Bills.

Flance. Son & Co.

Wth Flance. Son & Co. of Ironmonger
Lane. Flat Manufacturers, Discounters
of 2 Bills, amounting to £467. 10.

R^d. Marr.

Rich^d. Marr, Lark Hall Lane,
Stockwell, acceptor of a Bill for £268. 13.

M^r. Geo. Rigby.

John Geo^r. Rigby, Hollis Place
South Lambeth, Drawer of a Bill for
£268. 13.

Henry

Henry Carlin

Henry Carlin of Greenwich.
acceptor of a Bill for £198. 17. -

Coslett & Suthmior

Mess^{rs} Coslett & Suthmior of
Upper Thames Street. Sugar Refiners
acceptors of a Bill for £817. 2. -
Discounted with Redfern & Nettleship

Investigators Accts
of Disbursements &c.
for Nov^r 1815.

The following Accts of Disbursements &c. of
the Investigators for the Month of Nov^r were
examined & recommended to be paid. - Viz^t

Thos Glover, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 33. 3. 10
" Extra attend^{ce} 19 Days 3 Nights 11. 11. -
£ 44. 14. 10

John Lees, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 26. 0. 6
" Extra attend^{ce} 22 Days 9 Nights 16. 5. 6
£ 42. 6. 0

Rob^t Fish, Disburs. &c. for Nov^r £ 23. 17. 1
" Extra attend^{ce} 23 Days 6 Nights 15. 4. 6
£ 39. 1. 7

Edm^d Cock, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 7. 16. 2
" Extra attend^{ce} 22 Days 11. 11. -
£ 19. 7. 2

Char^s Christmas, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 11. 16. -
" Extra attend^{ce} 28 Days 14. 14. -
£ 26. 10. 0

John Warwick, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 8. 5. 0
" Extra attend^{ce} 27 Days 14. 3. 6
£ 22. 8. 6

Rob^t Milton, Dist^t &c. for Nov^r £ 8. 9. 6
" Extra attend^{ce} 24 Days 12. 12. 0
£ 21. 1. 6

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Committee for Law Suits.
28th December. 1815.

Present.

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Smith,
Mr. Oliver. - Mr. Buller. -

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

Gibson & Forster

A letter was read from Mess^{rs}
Gibson & Forster, stating that in the
course of the present Week their acc^{ts}
will be submitted to the Inspection
of a gentleman on behalf of their
creditors, and early in the succeeding
Week a Meeting will take place to
determine upon the course to be
adopted for the settlement of their
affairs, therefore soliciting the Bank
to suspend proceedings against them
till that period. -

Resolved,

That the consideration be
postponed till the 11th January next. -
Read.

Hance & Sons^{rs}
applicatⁿ for
indulgence

I Read a letter from M^r. Rose
of Church Court Old Jewry. Accountants
appointed to settle the partnership
Concerns of Mess^{rs}. Hance, Sons & Weise
dissolved on the 23^d. Instant, stating
the perfect Solvency of the said House
altho' at present unable to meet the
Demand upon them: — but would very
shortly be able to state when their
payments will be made, and —
requested indulgence accordingly..
Resolved. That the consideration
be postponed till the 11th. January next.

Consⁿ postponed

Friday 10th. 18th. 18th.

On reading a letter from Rich^d.
Smith respecting the Affairs of Mess^{rs}.
Friday 10th.
Ordered.

Ength to be made
respect^g S^r. Bishop
10th.

That Mr. Fox be directed to
see Mess^{rs}. Bishop 10th. to know if they
have made any payment, and to
report the result on the 11th. Instant.

Read—

Coslett & Suthmier
applicⁿ for indulg^y

Read a Letter from Mr. J. Hindman
Solicitor Stating that in consequence of a fire
which has taken place on the Premises
of Mess^{rs} Coslett & Suthmier, and the
interference of the Administrator of Mr
Coslett who is lately Deceased, Mr
Suthmier is prevented from discharging
the Bills at the Bank at present, but as
arbitrators are appointed to settle difference
between them, and no doubt is entertained
of there being sufficient Effects to pay
every creditor in full, requested therefore
that the Bank would suspend Proceedings
against him. —

consⁿ Postponed.

The consideration postponed till
the 11th January next. —

Hannah Shone's
petition

A Petition was read from
Hannah Shone, a Prisoner in the
Gaol of Shrewsbury, convicted at the
assizes held there 24th March 1810,
for uttering Forged Bank Notes and
sentenced to be Transported for
14 Years, — Praying that in Consideratⁿ
of

of her Age (having entered her 71st Year)
and from the Testimony given by
S^r. John Hill, and the Hon^{ble}. Cecil
Sutkinson Magistrates of the said
County, - as to her good Conduct during
her Confinement in the Gaol. -

That the Bank will recommend her
Case to the Prince Regent for
Mercy to be extended towards her.

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
directed to inform the S^d. Magistrates
that if a Petition is presented to
the Prince Regent, the Bank will
not oppose it. -

Depositions.

The Depositions taken -
against the following Persons
were read. - VIZ. -

Int^l. Richards &
ors for uttering
forged Notes -

John Richards, Elizabeth Richards,
Elizabeth Simpson and Lydia Bottomore
apprehended at Nottingham, the
former

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former for having in his Possession Forged Bank Notes, and the 3 latter for uttering the like Notes, the whole of them being committed for Trial at the next Assizes. —

Ordered. That they be prosecuted and the 3 Women be permitted to plead Guilty to the minor Offence. —

Wm. Lindsey for
Forged Notes in his
Possession —

Wm. Lindsey apprehended at
Dogs, like Lincolnshire for having
Forged Notes in his Possession. —

To be prosecuted.

Ordered. That he be prosecuted. —

Wm. Galliot for
uttering f. D. —

Wm. Galliot apprehended at
Portsmouth for uttering forged Bank
Notes. —

to be prosecuted
minor Offence

Ordered. That he be prosecuted, with
liberty to plead Guilty to the minor
Offence. —

Jas. Smith & Tho.
Norton for uttering
base Tokens. —

Jas. Smith & Tho. Norton,
apprehended in London for uttering
counterfeit Tokens. —

to be prosecuted

Ordered That he be prosecuted.

Committee for Law Suits.
4th January 1816.

Present. -

Mr. Maitland.
Mr. Smith. Mr. Buller. -

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read. -

Mr. Fox laid before the Com^{ee}.
the following applications. - Viz^t

Mr. Roberts & Son -
propose a Composⁿ.
of 9¹/₆ in the pound.

John Roberts & Son of Wood Street
Spitalfields, Silk Manufacturers. -
acceptors of sundry Bills amounting
to £2878. 11. - Discounted with Henry
Smith, request the Bank to accept
a Composition of 9¹/₆ in the pound
Payable at 4. 8 & 12 Months, under
the Inspection of Mess^{rs}. Wm. Prater,
John Wilson, and Robert Dodgson
Resolved,

acceded to. -

That the above application
be acceded to, upon their obtaining the
Consents of all the parties on the
Bills -

Paterson

Paterson & Harwood
propose a Compos.ⁿ
of 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound

Paterson & Harwood of Star Court,
Bread Street, Silk manufacturers, acceptors
of Sundry Bills amounting to £ 831..6..
Discounted with Henry Smith, request the
Bank to accept a composition of 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in
the pound, payable at 4, 8 & 12 Months,
4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound to be secured by Wth Rob^t
Harwood of Kirkby, Moorside York, and 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
in the pound by Wth Jas^{rs} Orr of Sizer Lane,
their other creditors having accepted the
same terms. -

acceded to. -

Resolved, That the above be acceded
to on obtaining the usual consents. -

John Thomson's
applicⁿ for signatⁿ
to his certificate

James Thomson, Bankrupt,
acceptor of 2 Bills amounting to
£ 578..4.. - having paid an Instalmtⁿ
of 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound previous to the
Commission, and a Dividend of 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
in the pound since, requests the signature
of the Bank to his certificate. -

to be signed -

Ordered,
That the Secretary be
authorized to sign the same. -

Rich^d.

Rich^d. Wilson's
proposal.

Richard Wilson of St. Petersburg
acceptor & Co. of 3 Bills amounting to
£4470. 17. 4 Disc^d with Jas^s. Ramsay
& Co. proposes to place in the hands of Mr.
W. M. Simons of Petersburg and Hen^y.
Peyron agent for Jas^s. Ramsay & Co. assigns
the Acceptances of C. S. Nottbeck for
£4000 at 6 months Date from the 1st
February, to be applied in part paym^t.
of his engagements to Jas^s. Ramsay & Co.
and his own Bills for the remainder
at 18, 24 & 36 months with Interest, and
the original Bills to be given up, upon
his delivering new ones.

Mr. Fox to make
enquiries & report

Ordered. That Mr. Fox be directed to
see the assignees of Jas^s. Ramsay & Co.
on the above Subject and report the
result.

Sol^r to write to
R^d. Jackson for
paym^t. of a Bill

Ordered. That the Solicitor be
directed to write to Rich^d. Jackson
of Bankside Anchorsmith, acceptor
of a Bill for £406. 19. 4 Disc^d with
S. Bishop & Co. and demand Payment
thereof.

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The Depositions taken against the following
Persons, were read. *Viz.* -

*Ja. Close & George
Jostling for uttering
base Tokens. -*

James Close and George Jostling, -
apprehended in London; - also Matilda
Oliver, - for uttering counterfeit Tokens. -

To be prosecuted.

Ordered, That they be prosecuted. -

Committee for Law Suits.
11th January. 1816.

Present.

Mr. Pole, — Mr. Olive
Mr. Maithland Mr. Smith.

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

The Sundry Considerations postponed
from the 28th Ult^o. were further deferred.

Mess^{rs}. Alliston & Co. Solicitors
sent a Statement of the affairs of James
Craig of Austin Friars Merch^t, also a
Copy of the Resolutions made at a
Meeting of his Creditors, whereby they
agree to grant him a Letter of Licence
for one Year from 25th Dec^r. 1815, and
that he shall act under the direction
of John Tozer & Peter Jefferies, two
of his Principal Creditors, and that
he is to assign all his Effects to them
in Trust, — and the Creditors to sign
a Release to Jas^o. Craig, and to accept such
proportion from the effects in full Disch^g.
of

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of their respective Debts, and to execute a Deed
to this Effect. -

Resolved, That the aforesaid arrangement
of J^r. Craig be not acceded to by the Bank. -

Mr. Kaye reported that he had
perused the Deed of Composition, and
Settlement of Licence granted by their Creditors,
to Mess^{rs}. Bishop & Co. by which it is
provided that Mess^{rs}. B. - shall pay
their Debts by Instalments of $3\frac{1}{4}$ in
the pound every 3 Months commencing
1st February 1816 together with Interest
on such Instalment as shall not be paid
within 12 Months. - If the Bank accede
to the arrangement it will be giving up
Interest of their Debt for the 1st twelve
Months, - but the other parties on the
Bills (whose Consent must be obtained,)
will of Course be responsible to make
good any deficiency. - Two Inspectors are
appointed to Superintend, Direct and
control the Management and liquidation
of the Concerns, and in case of the Death or
declining

declining to act of either of them, the other is to appoint a Successor from amongst the Creditors, which appointment Mr. Kaye submitted, ought to be made by the Creditors Collectively at a Meeting Summoned for the purpose. - The other parts of the Deed are unexceptionable

The Committee after a due Consideration Resolved, That the arrangements proposed by S. Bishop Esq. be acceded to.

Petition from
Eliz. Fisher

Geo. Birt

Petitions were read from Eliz. Fisher Wife of F. G. J. Fisher Convicted at Surry Assizes in August last for uttering Forged Bank Notes, praying some relief for herself and Child being deprived of any Support from her unfortunate. - Also from George Birt of Leather Lane Hollow Grocer praying to be remunerated for his loss in taking Forged Bank Notes to the Amount of £5 which he had taken. - Resolved, That the above Petition be rejected. -

Sam^l. Maddocks
Memorial -

On reading a Memorial from
Sam^l. Maddocks, Brother of Geo. Maddocks,
who was Tried at the Old Bailey for
forging an Indorsement as Per procurat^r.
on a Bank Post Bill, and who lately
Died in Newgate, - Praying to be relieved
from the Expenses he had been at for the
unfortunate Brother deceased while in
Prison and for the Charges of his
Funeral amounting together to
£12. 14. - having himself a large
Family to support and being in very
distressed circumstances. -

£10. given him

Ordered. That the Solicitor be -
directed to give Sam^l. Maddocks, £10. -

The Depositions taken against
the following Persons were read. Viz.

John Sharp to be
prosecuted Minor
Offe^r -

John Sharp apprehended at Derwent
Warwickshire. -

James Walters, D^o -

James Walters at Birmingham

Tho^s. Giles, D^o -

Tho^s. Giles, at Walsall Stafford^s.
all for uttering Forged Bank Notes. -

Ordered. That they be prosecuted with
liberty to plead guilty to the minor Offence. -

Committee for Law Suits
20th January 1816

Present.

Mr. Governor,

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Smith.

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

Thos. Allingham's
Deed of assignment.
Signed.

Mr. Smith reported that in
the absence of the Committee the
Solicitor having waited on him
respecting the Deed of assignment
of Thomas Allingham, in order
that he might be discharged from
Custody, - he had therefore given
directions for the Secretary to sign
the same.

The Committee approved thereof.

Resolved.

Gibson & Forster

That the consideration
of Mess^{rs}. Gibson & Forster's Letter
postponed from the 28th ultimo
be further deferred until all their
other creditors have agreed to their
proposed arrangements.

Friday 16th
proposal

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A Letter from Henry Smith of
Wolverhampton Sol^r. being read, stating
that at a Meeting of the Creditors of
Friday Richley & Co. of Bradley Iron
Works, which took place on the 12th Inst.
and their affairs being fully exhibited
and minutely investigated, it appeared
that a Considerable part of the Property
must arise from the Sale of Mineral
produce, which will take a Considerable
time to dispose of, and that the Creditors
have deemed it advisable to make
an equal distribution of the Fund,
in hand, - and those to be collected -
within Six Months, which will amount
to about 14^s - in the Pound; - and to
allow them 3 Years and 6 Months, to
pay the remainder, - therefore hoping
the Bank accede to these arrangements
Resolved, That the same be acceded
to.

Jas. Osborne
resp^d his accept^s

Read a Letter from Jas. Osborne
of Bell Yard Fish Street Hill, Merch^t.

Acceptor

acceptor of 4 Bills drawn by J. V. L. -
 Fullimore, amounting to £3146..0..8
 Stating that since the accept.^{ce} of the
 Said Bills, it has been discovered that
 the Bills of Lading and Invoices for
 the same are Forgeries, therefore
 Soliciting the Bank to call upon the
 Drawers and Indorsers for payment
 and proposing to deposit the amo^t.
 thereof in the hands of any person
 the Bank may appoint collaterally,
 and to indemnify the Bank against
 all costs and Expenses which may
 be incurred in proceeding against
 the parties, should it be necessary to
 resort to such measures. -

Mr. Osborne also attended the
 Committee and produced the said
 documents, having the Forgeries
 alluded to thereon. -

Resolved, That the considerⁿ.
 be deferred. - C. A.

Ja^s. Cuff

A Letter was, also read from Mr. James Cuff of White Chapel, Discounter of 2 Bills of £1000 each, Drawn by J^d. Cullimore, accepted by Ja^s. Osborne, soliciting the Bank to use the most prompt measures against the parties on the said Bills to compel payment, trusting that proceedings on the part of the Bank may tend sooner to bring the matter to a crisis.

Sol^r. to write to

Ordered. That the Solicitor be directed to write to James Cuff for Payment, and if not obtained, to proceed against him for the same in the most summary way, also to write to the Drawers J^d. Cullimore and demand Payment thereof.

*J. F. Burke
allowed till 1st
April.*

Mess^{rs}. Alliston & Co. Sol^{rs}. Submitted a Dr^e received from J. F. Burke in Spain, stating that in consequence of the Vessel having on Board his property, having run a Shore on her passage between Corruina and Bilbao, she is so much damaged as will take a considerable time to repair before she can sail again, therefore Soliciting

therefore soliciting indulgence of extension of the time allowed him, from the 1st February till the 1st April next to discharge his Debt. - Resolved. That the said application be acceded to. -

Sam^l Crowshaw
applicⁿ -

Read a letter from In^o. Birke of Leeds, stating that Sam^l Crowshaw under a supposition that he should have Bills become due by the 1st week in February to enable him to take up the Bills at the Bank, - now finding that the latest Bill received on account of Sarman & Sacy will not fall due till the 1st week in March therefore solicited indulgence till the latter period. -

Complied with Resolved. That the said applicatⁿ be complied with. -

Dan^l. Stephens

On reading a letter from Geo^o. Ware Executor to the Will of Dan^l. Stephens Deceased, Dis^d of a Bill for.

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for £757.15.6 due the 16th Instant, Stating
that in consequence of the sudden Death of
Mr. Stephens he could not undertake to
discharge the said Bill until he had
administered to the Effects of the Deceased,
but that as early an arrangement as
possible should be made to take up the
same. -

Resolved. That the Consideration be
postponed till the 1st February next.

Rd. Jackson's
application

Read a Letter from W. King
Solicitor, Shorters Court on behalf of Rich^d.
Jackson acceptor of a Bill for £406.19.4
drawn by S^r. Bishop & Co. Stating his
inability to discharge the same, and
soliciting to be allowed to pay the
amount by Instalments of $3\frac{1}{4}$ ^s in the
pound every 3 months, until the whole
is paid with due Interest thereon. -

Resolved, That the same be acceded to
on obtaining the usual Consents. -

A Letter being read from James
Craig, again Soliciting the Bank to
order

order the Judgement he has given to be cancelled, and to accede to his arrangements as proposed.

Resolved, That the application of James Craig be rejected, - and that the resolution of the 11th Instant on his Proposal be abided by.

R. Fallaway's Letter
respecting Jas.
Roy.

Read a Letter from Mr.
R. Fallaway of Portsmouth Solicitor.
Stating the meritorious Conduct of
James Roy a Constable of Portsmouth
who lost his Life in his exertions to
bring a private Soldier from the
Isle of Wight to appear as a Witness
at the Trial of Sarah King and
Thos. Bone, for uttering counterfeit
Tokens, by the Boat upsetting in
the passage from the Isle of Wight
to Portsmouth, and all on Board
perished, and the said James Roy
having left a Wife and a child in
very indifferent circumstances.

Resolved

Resolved, That the said Letter be referred to the Committee of Treasury with a recommendation of this Committee to grant the Widow and Orphan of the said James Roy, such a Pension for their Support during pleasure as may seem meet.

Petⁿ from Sam^e Gilbert -

A Petition being read from Sam^e Gilbert convicted at June Sessions at the Old Bailey, for uttering Forged Bank Notes praying some relief for his Distressed Family consisting of a Wife and five Children.

rejected

The said Petition was rejected.

W^o Fox laid before the Comm^{ee} the following applications. - Vix^t

Geo. Gouger, applicⁿ

George Gouger of Ironmongers Lane, Silk Manufacturer, Discounter of Sundry Bills amounting to £2704.8. requests the Bank to receive Sundry Bills amounting to £2767.19.6 as collateral Security for payment of the same.

Acceded to.

The same was Acceded to.

J. A. Lamb

J. A. Lamb, of Wood Street,
Silk Weaver, acceptor of a Bill for
£183..11..0, requests indulgence till
the 20th February, and proposes to
deposit Sundry Bills amounting
to £204..2..4 as Security. -

The same was acceded to. -

Bourne & Monkhouse

Mess^{rs} Bourne & Monkhouse
requests indulgence till the 1st
Week in February, for Payment
of their 2^d instalment amounting
to £1200. -

The Consideration was postponed
for a fortnight. -

Ordered,

That the Solicitor be
directed to proceed against the
following persons for Payment
of their respective Bills. - *Viz*^t

J. G. Rigby

J. G. Rigby of Hollis Place
Lambeth, Drawer of a Bill for
£268..13..0. -

W^m

Wm Gedge

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Wm Gedge, of Angel Court, acceptor
of two Bills amounting to £257..0..2..

The Depositions taken against
the following persons were read. - viz.

Ja^s. Dent to
be prosec^d. for -
having forged notes
in his possession.

James Dent apprehended in
London for having forged notes in
his possession. -

Ordered, That he be prosecuted. -

David Dunkley
C^t. for uttering base
Tokens. - 5

David Dunkley apprehended
at Birmingham for uttering counterfeit
Bank Tokens. -

Ordered,
That he be prosecuted. -

Committee for Law Suits,
25th January, 1816

Present,

W^m. Maitland,
W^m. Olive, W^m. Smith.

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read.

Hance & Co.

W^m. Hance & Co. Discounters
of Sundry Bills amounting to £1540..
12.9. proposed an Assignment in Trust
to Jas. Hoole and Henry Smithurst
their other Creditors having consented
to release them upon the Assignment
being made, request the concurrence
of the Bank thereto.

Resolved, That the above application
be not acceded to, upon the Terms
proposed.

Jas. Weldon

On reading a letter from
James Weldon of Castle Court, Bridge
Row, Silk Weaver, stating the result
of

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result of a meeting of his Creditors and proposing
to pay a composition of $\frac{8}{9}$ in the pound on
his Balance due to the Bank, amounting to
£1569.14.3. - by 3 Instalments, - *viz.*th
 $\frac{3}{9}$ in the pound at 4 Months, $\frac{3}{9}$ at 9 Months
and $\frac{2}{9}$ at 15 Months, - the last Payment
to be secured by the approval of Mess^{rs}
Stabb, Wilson & Lane, the three Persons
deputed to enquire into the responsibility
of the parties. *en*

Resolved, That the Consideration of
the above be deferred, and that Mr. Cox
be directed to require of him a Statement
of his affairs. *ee*

A. Dalziel

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs}
Brooks & Co. Solicitors, on behalf of Mr.
Dalziel, Soliciting 25 Days indulgence
from the 24th Instant to pay the Second
Instalment due of £483.12. - having
paid into their hands £250 in cash, and
Bills for more than the residue, but which
will not be due for some Days. -

Resolved.

Resolved, That the Solicitor
be directed to acquaint Mr. Dalziel
that the Bank will receive £250
on account and allow him till the
15th February next to pay the remain^g.
Balance.

Mr. Craig's further
proposal. -

On reading a Letter from
Mess^{rs} Alliston & Co. on behalf of James
Craig, - proposing to add a Clause
to the Deed of Assignment, that
the Release shall not take effect
till he pays 5^l in the Pound. - and
that Mr. Craig has every reason to
expect his Effects will produce much
more, but merely fixes this as a Sum
certain, therefore trusts the Bank
will sanction the same. -

acceded to. -

Resolved, That the proposal of
James Craig be acceded to, - and on
his paying the costs the Proceedings
against him to be suspended. -

Read

Coslett & Sutherland
proposal. -

Read a Letter from J. Hindman

Solicitor Stating that Mr. Sutherland of the
Firm of Coslett & Sutherland, proposes Mr.
Wm Verdenholm, of White's Yard, -
Rosemary Lane, Sugar Refiner as
Surety for payment of the Amount
of his Bills in the Hands of the Bank
at 2 Months with Interest. -

Resolved. That the application
be acceded to, should the enquiries
of Mr. Henry Smith respecting Mr.
Verdenholm prove satisfactory. -

acceded to condit^y.

R. H. Day. -

A Letter was read from Mess^{rs}
Gatty & Co. Solicitors, on behalf of R.
H. Day, Stating that they have had
a meeting with him upon the subject
of his claim against Collinson in respect
of the money paid for the two Bills of
£1564. 17. - and £1634. 16. - the Commis^{rs}.
having rejected the Claims of those sums,
Mr. Day was desirous of making some
other proposition to the Bank to
make

make up the probable Dividends that would have arisen on those amounts, but he is totally unable to carry such a proposal into effect. He is therefore compelled to submit to the Bank the offer of $2\frac{1}{6}\%$ only on the £4619.9.9. and he will give every facility in his Power to enable the Bank to prove the Bills against Collison. -

Resolved, That the application of R. H. Day be acceded to, and the proceedings against him Stayed on his paying Costs &c. -

Wm. Law's appl.
for Signature to
Certificate

Read a Letter from Wm. Law at Bankrupt. Discounter of Sundry Bills amounting to £6690.5.9 proved under his Commission, requesting the Signature of the Bank to his Certificate. -

Resolved, That the Consideratⁿ be postponed. -

Wm.

£2001..12..10^p?
by W^m Kaye rec?
for Disc^d Bills..

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W^m Kaye delivered a Draft for
£2001..12..10 being the Amount of
Bills and Interest received of Jas. Luff.

Ordered That the said Draft be
delivered to the Bill Office to place to
the Account of James Luff.-

W^m Drury's
applicⁿ.

A Letter was read from W^m
Drury Stating that in Consequence
of the Slackness of Trade and misfortune
he has met with, he is unable to pay
the Balance Due to the Bank on
W^m Todd's Note.- being £30..10..10,
therefore soliciting the Bank to allow
him the indulgence of One Year to
Discharge the same.-

Resolved, That the said applicⁿ
be complied with.-

complied with

Report of Pris^{rs}
Tried.

W^m Kaye laid before the
Committee the following List of
Prisoners Tried and Convicted at the
January Sessions at the Old Bailey
for.

for uttering Forged Bank Notes and Counterfeit Tokens, - and also the names of the several persons who had been instrumental in the detection and apprehension, as deserving some rewards for their services. - *Viz.*

List of Prisoners
Tried, Old Bailey
Sessions, Jan^y
1816.

Prisoners Tried	Conventions		Persons recommended for Rewards.	Recom ^d Ordered.
	Forged Notes or Tokens	Large Tokens		
Eliz ^h Hayseldon			James Garrett	£50.
Mr. Russell Law			Mr. Foy & Sam ^l Plank	40.
George Isoling			Marg ^t Wallis, John Foy & Tho ^s Foy	15.
James Close			Tim ^h Ryant, Tho ^s Brock & Rich ^d Williamson	15.
James Smith			R ^d Cape & D. McCombe	10.
Matilda Oliver			Tim ^h Ryant, Tho ^s Pace & John Adams	15.
Eliz ^h Kirby & Cath ^l Toney			R ^d Mackay, W ^m Jefferson & Sam ^l Dickens	15.
Mich ^l Byrne			Mr. Parker, Tho ^s Garton & W ^m Lock	20
Mr. Driskall			Dan ^l Butcher & George Trigg	15
Mary Jackson			Ann Mary Astell, Jos ^h	
John Bonwall			Rowland & Mr. Harvey	
				£210

Resolved, That it be recommended to the Governor to Order Two Hundred and ten pounds to be paid to Mr. Kaye to distribute as rewards according to the above List. -

£210. Rewards

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Committee for Law Suits.
2nd February 1816.

Present.

Mr. Mailland,

Mr. Olive, Mr. Smith.

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

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs} S

S. R & B. Hills
application for
further time.

R & B. Hills, - stating that when they
made the arrangements with the Bank
to take up Mess^{rs} Mainwaring's Bills,
they agreed to pay 10/- in the pound, instead
of which they have only paid 7/6, and
the Notes for 2/6 have been returned on
their Hands to the amount of near
£4000, which being unexpected at
the time of their friends coming forward
to join them as Sureties, therefore solicited
to be allowed time on their Bond, till
Mess^{rs} Mainwaring, have paid their
Notes.

Securities to be
applied to for
paym^t of their
Notes. -

Resolved, That the Consideration be
postponed, and that the Solicitor be
directed to write to Mess^{rs} Mylton Leigh
the

the Sureties for payment, and acquaint them if a Satisfactory Answer be not received by Wednesday next they will be proceeded against. —

The^s Triphook's
applicⁿ for indulg^{ce}.

A Letter was read from Tho^s. Triphook of St. James's Street, Bookseller stating that in consequence of the difficulty and disappointments of getting his Debts in, he is unable to pay the Sum Due to the Bank, therefore solicited to be allowed indulgence for a short period longer. —

Resolved, That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint him that the Bank will allow him till the 31st March next, and if not then paid he will be proceeded against. —

allowed till 31st
March.

John Hodgson
Esq.

Read a letter from Crowder Lawrie & Co. Solicitors on behalf of Mr. Hodgson of Sixe Lane Discounter of 3 Bills amount^g to £3,900, stating that they had nonprossed the writ of Error and the Defendant must now lay at the mercy of

of the Bank, but that he actually expected remittances from South America which Mess^{rs} Crowder & Co^o believed a fact, which would enable him to discharge in full all his Debts. - Resolved, That the Solicitor be directed to acquaint Mess^{rs} Crowder & Co^o that on In^o Hodgson delivering up the Policies and the Bills of Lading for the Good, expected, he shall be allowed further indulgence till the 31st March next. -

Wm Moore's applicⁿ for indulg^{ce} Read a Letter from Wm Moore of Goswell Street, Soliciting indulgence to be allowed till the end of March next to make the Payment due from him to the Bank, when the same shall be paid with Interest thereon without fail. - Resolved. That the above application be acceded to. -

Wm Gedge's proposⁿ for Composⁿ of 10/- in the p^o A Letter was read from Wm Gedge proposing to pay a Composition of 10/- in the pound on his Debt due to the Bank, his other creditors having consented to the same, to be paid

as follows. — $1\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound per month until $7\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound is paid, and the remaining $3\frac{1}{2}$ at 12, 15, & 18 months. — and soliciting the concurrence of the Bank thereto. —

Resolved That W^m Gedge be allowed till the 29th Instant to pay $5\frac{1}{2}$ in the pound on account, on his obtaining the usual Consents. —

Sam^l Harrington
applicⁿ to be allowed
further time

Read a Letter from Sam^l Harrington stating that he expected considerable remittances by the East India Ship prince of Wales, from Bengal expected by the next Fleet, and promising without fail to make immediate payments on the receipt thereof. —

allowed till 31st March

Resolved. That he be allowed till 31st March next. —

W^m Hughes propos^d
to pay Compositⁿ
of $5\frac{1}{2}$ —

A Letter being read from M^r Supprage, Solicitor on behalf of W^m Hughes of Golden Square acceptor of

of 2 Bills, amounting to £360 Drawn by
 Tho^s. Sharpe & Stables, Bankrupts, proposing
 to pay a Composition of 5^s in the pound
 which has been Accepted by his other Crs
 4^s in the pound to be paid immediately
 and the remaining 1^s to be secured at
 a distant period, and requesting the
 Bank's concurrence thereto. —

Resolved. That the Solicitor be
 directed to write for a Statement of his
 affairs, and also the Signatures of his
 Creditors to the said agreement. —

Stance & Co.
 further proposal
 acceded to. —

On reading a letter from Henry
 Carpenter Solicitor, on behalf of Mess^{rs}.
 Stance, Son & Co. stating it to be out of
 their power to offer other Terms than
 those proposed at the Meeting of their
 Creditors, to assign their Property in
 Trust for payment of their Debts, but
 in respect to the Subject of the Release
 not operating till a Dividend has been
 paid, he begged to Submit that the Sum
 of 10^s in the pound be named as the
 Dividend

Dividend on payment of which the release should operate, and therefore hoped the Bank would have no objection to sign the Deed accordingly, after the same has been perused by the Bank Solicitor.

Resolved, That the above application be acceded to, on obtaining the usual consents.

Corlett & Suthmier
proposal for payment

Mr. Kaye laid before the Committee a proposal from Mr. J. Suthmier to give his Warrant of Attorney for the Amount of his Debt payable as undermentioned. - Vizt.

£1500 on 26th Feb^y for Goods under Contract to be deliv^d. to Minet & Co.
1000. - 25 March, for Goods to be deliv^d. to Cooper & Co. -
1100. - 29 April for Goods which will be manufactured about that time. -

and he would also offer the Lease of the premises together with other - Leaseholds and Freehold Property but

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but they are deposited in the hands of Messrs
Redfern & Co. till the Bills accepted by his
late partner are paid.

Resolved That upon the Security being
Transferred by Redfern & Co. and T.
Suthmier giving an engagement to
pay at 1, 2 & 3 months, such indulg.
shall be granted to him.

Jacob Bravo & Co.
reported Bankrupts

Mr. Kaye Reported that Messrs
Jacob Bravo & Co. have become Bankrupts
and that the Bank hold a Security on
a Store in Jamaica for their Debt.

Ordered, That directions be sent to
Mr. Shand of Jamaica to enforce the
Security, and that the acceptance of
Mr. George Moravia be taken at 12
months, for the Bill held on Mr. D.
B. Lousada for £200.

Mr. Cox laid before the Com.
the following applications.

At
viz.

Security to be
enforced.

Newberry & Co.
applicatⁿ for indulg^{ce}

Newberry & Co. Linen Drapers,
Fleet Street, Acceptors of 4 Bills amount-
ing to £2067. 7. - their Creditors having
consented to receive payment in full
with Interest, by Instalments, at 4. 8.
12. 15 & 18 months, request the concur^{ce}
of the Bank to the same arrangement.

Thos. Faulkner,
Esq.

Thomas Faulkner, Grafton
Street Soho, Straw Hat, Manufacturer
acceptor of 4 Bills, amounting to
£1357. 17. - requests the Bank to
accept a Composition of 5th in the
pound, payable at 4, 8 & 12 months
his other Creditors having accepted the
same terms. -

J. N. Penny Esq.

J. N. Penny of Cheapside Saceman
requests the indulgence of 3 months for
payment of his 3rd Instalment amounting
to £400 due the 4th February. -

acceded to. -

Resolved, That the above applications
be acceded to, upon the usual Consents
being obtained. -

Lamb & Co's
application for indulg.
of time for pay.
Munro & Co.

Messrs. Lamb & Co. Solicitors for Messrs. Munro & Co. of Thames Street, State that they have been under the necessity of suspending their payments, and request indulgence till a statement of their affairs can be made out, upon which an accountant is now employed. -

cons. postponed

The consideration was postponed. -

Jas. Weldon's -
propos. of Compos.
of 8/- in the £

Jas. Weldon of (as the Court, Budge Row. Warehousemen, request the Bank to accept a composition of 8/- in the pound on the Balance of their account viz. £1569. 14. 2. payable at 4. 9 & 15 Months with Security under the Inspection of Mr. Stabb of Friday Street, & Thos. Wilson of Gouldsmith Street, his other creditors, having accepted the same terms. Resolved, That the above application be acceded to, on obtaining the usual Consents. -

acceded to

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to write to the following persons for -
consent

To be written to - Payment of their respective Bills. - *Viz.*

Henry Mills

Henry Mills of Oxford Street, acceptor
of 2 Bills amounting to £879.5. -

Henry Carlin

Henry Carlin of Greenwich, acceptor
of 4 Bills amounting to £992.7.3. -

S. Tew

S. Tew of Goodman's Yard, Minorities
acceptor of 2 Bills amounting to £1193.5. -

Pet. of Elizth
Hayseldon for
relief

A Petition was read from
Elizabeth Hayseldon, a prisoner in
Newgate under Sentence of Transportⁿ
for 14 Years, for having in her Possⁿ
Forged Bank Notes for upwards of
£500. - Praying to be allowed something
for her support in addition to the
prison allowance. -

rejected

The said application was rejected. -

The Depositions taken against
the following persons, were read, *Viz.*

T. D. Saunders,
for utt. & forged
Notes -

Thos. Dixon Saunders apprehended
at Leam Staffordshire for uttering
forged Bank Notes. - Ordered.

Ordered, That T. D. Saunders be prosec^d?
but have liberty to plead Guilty to the Minor
Offence. -

R^t. Wright for
utter. base Tokens

Rob^t. Wright apprehended at Melton
Mowbray, Leicestershire for uttering base
Tokens. -

Wm Thomas &
Philip Esop &c.

Wm Thomas & Philip Esop, appreh^d.
in London, for uttering, and also having
in his Possession counterfeit Tokens. -

To be prosecuted

Ordered, That they be prosecuted. -

Jos^h. Boyce & In^o.
Austin, for forg^y.
a Power of Attorney

Joseph Boyce and In^o. Austin
apprehended in London for Forging
a Power of Attorney for the Sale of
£781. 3. 11 from the 5 per cents, standing
in the Names of John Tasker of
Dartford Kent Brewer & Wm Smallbone
of the Stock Exchange Broker, - the
Said Power being as from John -
Tasker the Survivor. -

J. Boyce to be pros^d
J. Austin to be
detained as witness

Ordered, That Joseph Boyce be
prosecuted, and that John Austin
be detained as a witness against him.

Committee for Law Suits
8th February, 1816.-

Present.-

Mr. Pole,

Mr. Maitland, Mr. Smith.-

The proceedings of the last Com^{tee}.

were read.

Mr. J. Gaskill
allowed indulg^{ce}
till 10th Aprl.-

A Letter was read from
Mr. J. Gaskill soliciting that they be
allowed the indulgence of an extension
of time for Payment on Cognovit,
from 10th February till the 10th April
next being disappointed in remittances
which were expected from the West
Indies.

Resolved, That the above applicⁿ
be not complied with, and that the
Solicitor be directed to acquaint -
them, if the Instalment is not paid
when due, they will be proceeded against.

Dr. from Mr. Carlin
respectg. his
father, H. Carlin

Read a Letter from Mr. Carlin
Son of Henry Carlin, of Greenwich
acceptor of a Bill for £992.7.3.
Discounted

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Discounted by Hance & Son, Stating that his Father through Severe Illness was at present in the Country, but that he would lose no time in sending him notice of the nonpayment of the said Bill by Mess^{rs} Hance & Co.

The consideration was postponed.

Hy. Mills resp.
the state of his
affairs.

Read a letter from Henry Mills, stating his inability to meet the payment of the 2 Bills accepted by him amounting to £879.5.0 Discounted with Neale & Warner, - that a statement of his affairs is under the consideration of his creditors for some arrangement, and soliciting indulgence until the result is known.

The consideration was postponed.

Geo. Rigby resp.
his Debt. & prop.

Read a letter from Mess^{rs} Lowells & Co on behalf of George Rigby, requesting the Bank to accept £100 in discharge of the Bill drawn by him for £268.13. - which sum his Friends will advance to prevent his utter ruin, - as should the proposal be not

not accepted by the Bank he must be rendered to Prison in discharge of the same, if a Judgement is recovered agst him in the present Action. -

Resolved, That the above proposal be acceded to on his obtaining the Consent of the other parties on the Bill, and paying the Costs. -

Mr. Leigh respect^{ly}
his Secy. for Mess^{rs}
Hills.

A Letter was read from Mr. John Leigh, one of the Sureties for Mess^{rs}. Hills & Co. soliciting to be allowed indulgence to make good the Instalment now due till Christmas next, and the other Instalment due in July to be paid at Christmas 1817. -

to propose Security
for indulg^{ce} req^d. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to write to Mr. Leigh to know what Security he may have to propose for the indulgence required by him: and also to write to Mr. Mylton the other Surety and acquaint him that

that Orders are given to proceed against him unless a satisfactory proposal is made by return of Post.

Depositions

The Depositions taken against the following persons were read, *Viz*!

Thos. Ellard for
uttering forged Notes
to be prosecuted.
minor offences.

Thomas Ellard apprehended at
Coventry for uttering forged Bank Notes.

John Wheatley D.
D. D.

John Wheatley at Great Snoring
Norfolk. - D.

Edw. Lea D.
D. Capital Off.

Edw. Lea at Wisbeach. - D.

John Lake D.
D. minor Off.

John Lake at Burnham Norfolk
D.

Ordered, That they all be prosecuted,
Lea for the Capital Offence, and the
three others to have permission to
plead Guilty to the minor Offence.

9th February 1846.

J. J. Gaskill
Deliver Bills as
Security

The Solicitor laid before Mr. Henry
Smith 4 Bills delivered to him by Messrs.
J. J. Gaskill amounting to £365. 6. 9
requesting the Bank to accept them as
Collateral Security for Payment of the
Instalment due this day, - which was agree
to, and proceedings against them directed
to be suspended.

acceded to.

Committee for Law Suits
15th February 1816.

Present. -

Mr. Maitlands,
Mr. Clivel. Mr. Smith. &c.

The proceedings of the last
Committee were read.

Mr. Smith's report
res. pub. of the Bills
relv. by J. & J. Gaskill. -

Mr. Smith reported that in the
absence of the Committee on the 9th
Instant he had given directions to
the Solicitor to suspend Proceedings
against Mess^{rs} J. & J. Gaskill they
having delivered up Bills amountg.
to £365^{..} 6^{..} 9^{..} which he had thought
advisable to accept as Collateral
Security for their Payment due to
the Bank. -

Com^{ee} approve

The Committee approved thereof

Rich^d Myttons applicⁿ
for indulg^{ce} -

Two Letters were read from Mr.
Rich^d Mytton, Soliciting the Bank
to allow time to recover from Mess^{rs}
Hills, the Amount for which he
is

is Security, and offering Security in any way the Bank may point out, either by Bond by himself and another person of undeniab^{le} property, or by Depositing Deeds of his own, - and although he cannot Specify the time he may require, - whatever indulgence the Bank will give him, every possible attention shall be paid to any engagement they may wish him to enter into. -

Rd. Mylton to give Secy. for indulg^e required. -

Resolved, That on his giving satisfact^y Security for payment, of the instalments on 31st July next, and 31st January 1817, such indulgence will be granted to him. -

M^r. Leigh respecting his Security. -

Read a letter from Mess^{rs}. Lowe & Hewburn on behalf of M^r. Leigh stating that he has no other Security to propose than Landed property, and as his Estate at Sheadle is estimated to be worth £100,000, trusted the Bank would not require of him to deliver up the Title Deeds of so large a property, to secure a Sum

Sum comparatively small, - and hoping the Bank will not Subject him to the unpleasantness and inconvenience of giving a Mortgage. -

Resolved, That the Resolution of this Committee of the 8th Inst^t regarding Mr. Leigh be adhered to, - and that the Gov^r be directed to acquaint him that Security must be given. -

Mr. Kaye's report
resp. of Deed of assign^t
of Lance H^o.

Mr. Kaye reported that he had perused the Draft of the proposed Assignment from Mess^{rs} Lance H^o to Trustees for their Cons^t in which he had made some corrections, and Subject thereto he was of Opinion it is a proper Deed for the Bank to accede to, the Consents of the other Parties of the Bills being first obtained. -

approved and
acceded to. -

The same was approved, and acceded to. -

Wm. Stevenson
proposal. acceded
to. -

Read a Letter from Mess^{rs} Swaine, Stevens & Co on behalf of

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of W. Stevenson, stating that the Trust
Deed proposed in October last had not been
executed, - and in lieu thereof he now
begs leave to propose to pay $\frac{1}{6}$ in the
pound as follows. - $\frac{3}{9}$ immediately,
 $\frac{1}{3}$ at the expiration of 2 Years, and $\frac{2}{6}$
at 3 Year, and the Trustees and other
Creditors having agreed to the said
proposition, solicited the Bank's
concurrence thereto. -

Resolved, That the above proposal
be acceded on the Consents of the Trustees
and other parties on the Bills being
first obtained. -

Pet. from Chy.
Fisher. -

On reading a petition from
Elizabeth Fisher Wife of Geo. Fisher
lately transported for uttering forged
Bank Notes, praying relief to enable
her to recover Cloathing &c.^a pawned
in order that she may go into service
for the support of herself and child.
Resolved, That W. Kays be
authorized to pay her £20. -

£20 to be given
to her. -

Mr. Fox laid before the Committee the following applications. - Viz...

Redfern & Nettleship
to pay a Compos.ⁿ
of 5/- in the pound

Redfern & Nettleship, Wholesale Grocers, Thames Street, Discounters of four Bills amounting to £3166..15.- accepted by R^d. Freeman, request the Bank to accept a composition of 5/- in the pound, payable as follows: - 2/- in 6 Weeks, 1/- in 3 Months, and 2/- in 7 Months, with Security for the last Instalment; - and in case a sum of - £3.555..15..9 or any part thereof - appropriated to satisfy an extent should not be finally recovered by the Crown the same to be rateably divided amongst the Creditors. -

Gibson & Forster.
Compos.ⁿ of 8/- in
the pound. -

Gibson & Forster of Doctors Commons, Lacemen. Discounters of Sundry Bills, amounting to £9.567..9. - request the Bank to accept a composition of 8/- in the pound, payable, - 2/- ^{each} at 4 Mos. 8, 12 & 16 Months, the last Instalment to be secured. -

Resolved. That the above applications be acceded to, on obtaining the Consents. - John

Int. Hodgson's
proposal, acceded
to. - 1

John Hodgson Esq. Lane. -
proposes to place the Hides arrived in
the Lovely Ann into the Hands of Messrs
Rowe & Co. for disposal, and the proceeds
to be applied in liquidation of his Bills,
if agreeable to the Bank. -

Resolved, That the above proposition
be acceded to. -

Ordered

That the Solicitor be directed
to write to Henry Gill of Gosaweswood
near Penryn Cornwall for payment of
a Bill drawn by him for £399..11..6. -

Sol. to write to
H. Gill for paym.
of a Bill £399..11..6

Depositions

The Depositions, taken at
the following persons, were read, viz.

Jos. Allen, for
forging B. Notes.

Josiah Allen apprehended at
Liverpool for forging Bank Notes.

To be prosecuted.

Ordered, To be prosecuted. -

Maryann Allen
for uttering f. - do.

Maryann Allen, at Liverpool
for uttering forged Bank Notes

& Minor Office

Ordered, To be prosecuted Minor
Offence. -

Esther Ashby for
Selling forged B^k
Notes. -

Tho^s. Fenton D.

both to be prosec^d.
Capital Offence. -

Int^r. Mason. B. Bamford
Int^r. Hodggetts, for
sell^g. base Tokens

To be prosecuted. -

Wm^r. Leather, D^r.
hang. Escaped to be
prosecuted when
apprehended. -

to be advertized
£50 Reward. -

R^d. Armstrong
for utter^g. forged
B^k. Notes

to be prosecuted
minor off^{ce}.

Esther Ashby, apprehended
at Birmingham for Selling Forged
Bank Notes, and Counterfeit Tokens

Tho^s. Fenton, at Birmingham
for the same offences. -

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

John Mason, Benjⁿ. Bamford
& John Hodggetts, for Selling Counterf^t.
Tokens at Birmingham. -

Ordered, To be all prosecuted. -

Wm^r. Leather, for Selling Forged
Notes and Counterfeit Tokens, at
Birmingham, - not yet appred.
to be advertized for offering a Reward
of £50 on his being apprehended. -

Richard Armstrong appred^d.
at Margate for uttering forged Notes

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

(Moses)

Moses & Ann Ford
to be prosecuted for
uttering base Tokens

Moses Ford and Ann Ford, apprehended
at Peterborough for uttering and having
in their possession Counterfeit Tokens.

Ordered. To be prosecuted.

Committee for Law Suits
22nd February 1816

Present.

Mr. Pole. — Mr. Clive,
Mr. Staitland Mr. Smith.

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

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed
to write to Henry Mills for some Statem^t.
to be delivered from him, or directions will
be given immediately to proceed against
him.

Henry Mills. Statem^t
of his affair req^d?

Mr. Leigh's —
proposed Security

A Letter was read from Mess^{rs}.
Lowes Howburn Solicitors on behalf of Mr.
Leigh proposing as Security some
Leases of Coal Mines & Land
Resolved. That the applicⁿ for indulgence
required be not acceded to on his proposed Security

not accepted.

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Mr. Gill respects
his payment.

Read a Letter from Henry Gill
respecting the Bill for £399.18.6.-
Drawn by him, Stating that he would
be in Town in the Course of the next
Week, when he would make arrangements
for Payment.

The consideration was postponed
till Thursday next.

Mr. Carlin's
proposal for
Payment.

A Letter was read from Henry
Carlin of Greenwich, Stating his
inability to pay in full the four
Bills lying at the Bank unpaid
amounting to £992.7.3, and
proposing to pay 4/- in the pound
by Instalments of £25 each, every
3 Months and to give a Warrant of
Attorney for due Payment thereof.

Resolved, That the above Proposal
not acceded to. be not acceded to, and he be desired
to amend the Same or he will be
proceeded against.

Vacancy on the
western circuit

Mr. Kaye reported a Vacancy
on

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Mr. Jekyll app^d. on the Western Circuit in consequence of Mr.
Master in Chancery Jekyll being appointed a Master in Chancery

Ordered. That the Solicitors be

Mr. P. Williams

app^d. J. Counsel directed to employ Mr. P. Williams as
Western Circuit. Junior Counsel on the Western Circuit,
to fill up the said vacancy.

Mr. Fox reported the following
applications. - Viz^t

Bourne & Monkhouse
deb^t. Sundry Bills
in lieiv of Paym^t.

Bourne & Monkhouse having paid
£2,355. 14. 3 in part of their Bills on Smart
Bryant & Co. & C. Collinson request the Bank
to receive Sundry Bills amounting to
£1876. 10. 10 which will discharge the same
in full.

J. P. Hillary's
proposal.

J. P. Hillary requests the
Bank to receive £104. 8. 9 in cash, and
two Bills amounting to £238. 12. 0 on
account of his Instalment due the 20th
Instant.

acceded to.

Resolved, That the above applications
be acceded to.

W. H.

Rd Sutton &
Wm Rough to be
prosecuted, with
liberty to plead
Guilty to Minor
Offence. -

Mr. Kaze reported that since
the Order of the Committee of the 31st
August last, for prosecuting Rd Sutton
& Wm Rough capitally, for uttering
forged Bank Notes it appeared to him
that the Case was doubtful whether
it would succeed in bringing it fully against
them. -

Ordered That the resolution of this
Committee of the 31st August last, be
altered from the Capital Charge, and
that Rd Sutton & Wm Rough be
permitted to plead Guilty to the
Minor Offence. -

Depositions

The Depositions taken against
the following persons were examined.
viz^t

Mr. Botterill to
be prosecuted Minor
Offence. -

Sar^h Purcell to
be det^d as Witness

John Botterill & Sarah Purcell
for uttering forged Bank Notes at Coventry
Ordered. That John Botterill be
prosecuted, with liberty to plead Guilty
to the Minor Offence, and that Sarah
Purcell be detained as a Witness
against him. -

John

John Adams &
Geo. Maycock.

to be prosecuted
Minor Offence.

Cath. Trotman
for uttering base Tokens

To be prosecuted

List of prisoners
tried at Old
Bailey. Feb 7.
Sessions.

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John Adams and George Maycock
for uttering forged notes in London.

Ordered.

That they be prosecuted, but
permitted to plead Guilty to the Minor
Offence.

Cath. Trotman for uttering
Counterfeit Tokens at Bath.

Ordered. To be prosecuted.

Mr. Kaye laid before the Com^{ee}
the following List of Prisoners Tried at
the last Sessions, at the Old Bailey, also
the Names of the persons whom he recom.
as entitled to Rewards for their Services
in detecting and bringing them to Trial

Prisoners, Tried	Convictions		Persons recommend ^d for Rewards.	Rew ^{ds} proposed.
	Forged notes in possession	Counter- feit Tokens		
James Dent			Wm New, In ^o Foy & Tho ^o Foy	40
Henry Worms		Selling	R ^d Barnard	10
Tho ^s Norton		Utter ^g	S ^r Miller & Jer ^h Dalton	10
Philip Esop		D ^o	Geo. Wm ^r Tanner	15
Wm Thomas		D ^o	Ralph Hope & Wm Butler	15
			Tom ^r Ryant, Sam ^l Dickens & Wm Jefferson	15
			Sam ^l Ryant Sam ^l Dickens & Wm Jefferson	15
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Resolved.

£105 rewards.

That it be recommended to
the Governor to Order £105 to be paid to Mr.
Kaye, to distribute as above described.

Committee for Law Suits
28th February 1816

Present

Mr. Pole, — Mr. Olive,
Mr. Maitland, Mr. Smith. —

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

Examination
of the accounts
of Overdue Disch.
Bills Unpaid. —

The Committee met for the purpose
of examining the accounts of the Over
due Discounted Bills Unpaid, and after
a full investigation thereof determined on
the following Report to be made to
the Court of Directors. — *Viz.*

Report thereon

That the Balance of all
the Outstanding Debts on the
31st January 1816 was £342,701.10.8.

That on the Old Accounts of persons
who became Bankrupts between the
1st March 1808 and 31st July 1810, the
Balances of which Accounts have been
carried to the general Account of Profit
& Loss, the Sum rec^d. thereon ^{31 July up to} since the 31st
January 1816, was £87.8.9
That

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That the Balance of the Accounts of
 Persons who became Bankrupts between
 the 31st July 1810 & 31st January 1811, on
 the 31st August 1815, was £12,054.5.9
 rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816 - 2,231.14.8
 Balance remaining 9,822.11.1
 1/4 of which is recommended to
 be carried to the Account of Profit
 & Loss, being 2,455.12.9
 leaving the Balance £7,366.18.4

That the Bal^{ce} of the Acc^{ts} of Persons
 who became Bankrupts between 31st
 Jan^y 1811 & 31 July following, on the 31st
 August 1815 was £7,519.17.8
 rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816 1,583.17.11
 Balance remaining £5,935.19.9
 the greater Part of which being likely to be
 rec^d. is recommended to remain as it is.

That the Bal^{ce} of the Acc^{ts} accumulated
 between 31st July 1811 & 31st Jan^y 1812 on the 31st
 Augst 1815 was £5,420.2.3
 rec^d. Since up to 31 Jan^y 1816 271.12.10
 Balance remaining 5,148.9.5
 1/2 of which is recommended to be
 car^d. to the Acc^t of Profit & Loss
 being 2,574.4.8
 leaving the Balance £2,574.4.9

That the Bal^{ce} of the Acc^t accumulated
between 31st Jan^y 1812 & 31st July 1812
on the 31st August last was £7,526.9.11
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816. 721.2.9
Balance remaining ----- 6,805.7.2
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of which is recommended to be
car^d. to the Acc^t of Profit & Loss being 3,402.13.7
leaving the Balance. £ 3,402.13.7

That the Balance of the Acc^t accumulated
between 31st July 1812 & 31st Jan^y 1813, on the
31st August 1815, was. £ 19,794.2.6
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816. 6,966.18.9
Balance remaining ----- 12,827.3.9
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of which is recommended to be
car^d. to the Acc^t of Profit & Loss being 3,206.15.5
leaving the Balance. £ 9,620.8.4

That the Balance of the Account
accumulated between the 31st Jan^y 1813
& 31st July 1813, on the 31st August
1815, was. £ 10,738.4.5
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816. 515.5.10
Balance remaining ----- 10,222.18.7
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of which is recommended to
be carried to the Account
of Profit & Loss, being. 2,555.14.7
leaving the Balance £ 7,667.4.0
That

That the Balance of the Acc^t accumulated
between 31st July 1813 & 31st January 1814, on
the 31st August 1815, was £ 2049..19..1
nothing since has been rec^d. thereon -
1/2 of the Bal^{ce} is recommended to be
car^d to the acc^t of Profit & Loss, being } 1024..19..6
leaving the Balance £ 1024..19..7

That the Bal^{ce} of the acc^t accumulated
between the 31st Jan^y 1814 & 31st July 1814
on the 31st August 1815 was £ 14,688..9..7
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816 - 4,638..5..9
Balance remaining ----- 10,050..3..10
1/4 of which is recommended to
be car^d to the acc^t of profit & Loss, by } 2,512..10..11
leaving the Balance £ 7,537..12..11

That the Bal^{ce} of the Accounts
accumulated between the 31st July 1814
& 31st January 1815, - on the 31st
August 1815, was £ 25,631..2..8
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816, - 3,104..18..2
Balance remaining ----- 22,526..4..6
3/8 of which is recommended to
be carried to the account of
profit & Loss, being ----- 2,815..15..6
leaving the Balance £ 19,710..9..0

That

The Bal^{ce} of the acc^ts accumulated
between the 31st Jan^y 1815 and 31st July
1815 on the 31st Augst 1815 was, £64,875.9.4
rec^d. Since up to 31st Jan^y 1816. 12,779.11.5
Bal^{ce} remaining ----- 52,095.17.11

$\frac{1}{4}$ of which is recommended

to be carried to the Account
of Profit & Loss. being ----- 13,023.19.5
leaving the Balance ----- £39,071.18.6

That there are 42 New Accounts of
Insolvents, between the 31st July last, and
31st January 1816, amount^g to £214,540.17.2
rec^d. Since up to the 31st Jan^y 1816. 12,051.3.8
Balance remaining ----- £202,489.13.6

which Accounts being of so recent a
Date the Committee recommend to
let the Balance remain as it now
stands. -

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Committee for Law Suits.
29th February 1816.
Present.

Mr. Pole.
Mr. Maitland, Mr. Smith,
Mr. Olive. - Mr. Buller.

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

Henry Mills.

A Letter from Henry Mills was read stating that a Statement of his Affairs is now under the Consideration of his Creditors, and he expects to know the result of their determination by Monday next, when the same shall be submitted to the Bank. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to proceed against H. Mills, unless some satisfactory Document is received immediately.

Henry Carlin

Read a Letter from J. Pearson Solicitor on behalf of Henry Carlin of Greenwich promising to submit a Statement of his Affairs in the Course of the Week for the Consideration of

of the Bank. and at the same time a proposition for the liquidation of his Debts. -

Resolved, That the consideration be postponed a Week. -

Tho. W. J. Mathers,
applicant respectg.
Expenses of prosecuting
to be defrayed by Crs.

Read a Letter from Tho. W. J. Mathers accompanied by an Opinion of Counsel on their Claim upon the Estate of Messrs. Heathfield & Co. together with a Memorandum of Agreement entered into by their other Creditors to defray the Expenses of prosecuting the said Claim in such proportions as their respective claims on Messrs. T. & J. Mathers bear to the whole Amount of their Debts, and requesting the Bank's concurrence to the same as entered into by their other Creditors. -

acceded to

Resolved, That the said proposal be acceded to. -

Jm. Hodgson

On reading a Letter from James Hodgson of Nicholas Lane, Stating that

that being under acceptance of 4 Bills, amounting to £7.103..16..6 for M^r. J^r. Ansley, who has suspended his payments for which J^r. Hodgson holds, as Security 2 Bills of Lading for 100 pipes of Cape Wine valued at £35 each, and 2 policies of Insurance for the said pipes, effected by M^r. Ansley which Bills of Lading & policies he proposes to give up or assign towards the liquidation of the said acceptances, which is the only Security he has to offer, - and soliciting the Bank to accept the same. -

Resolved. That M^r. Cox be directed to apply to M^r. Hodgson to assign over to him the said Bills of Lading, and to deposit the policies also with him. -

M^r. Hodgson to assign over to M^r. Cox Bills of Lading &c.

R^d. Mylton's Secy.

M^r. Kaye reported that M^r. Mylton had not yet given or proposed any Security. -

Ordered. That M^r. Mylton be again written to and informed that unless satisfactory Security is immediately given

Sol^r. to write again

given, he will be proceeded against without further delay. -

Petition from Mary
Gilbert. -

On reading a petition from Mary Gilbert praying the Bank to relieve her Present Distress, her Husband James Gilbert being sentenced to be Transported for 14 Years for having Forged Bank Notes in his possession, and being left with 4 Young Children to support, and being destitute of every necessary of Life, having parted with all her apparel and every thing for their subsistence, which should she be able to procure, she might be enabled to get into some Service.

£25 to be paid her

Ordered. That Mr. Kaye be authorized to pay her Twenty five pounds. -

Mr. Fox laid before the Committee the following applicatⁿ

James Taylor & Co. Skin Brokers
Thames Street, acceptors of a Bill
for

Jas. Taylor & Co. to
pay Composⁿ of 8/-
in the pound..

for £1176..12..8, request the Bank to accept a composition of 8^s in the Pound, payable at 28th 4 months, their other Creditors, having accepted the same terms. -
 Resolved, That the above applicatⁿ be acceded to, on their obtaining the usual consents. -

Wells, Sayer & Co.
 proposal to assign
 their Effects in
 Trust. -

Wells, Sayer & Co. of Bread Street Grocers, Discounters of 3 Bills amounting to £1950, their Creditors, having Consented to an assignment of their Effects in Trust to Mess^{rs} J. L. Anderdon, F. Thwaites and others, request the concurrence of the Bank, The Trustees being about to make a Dividend request the Bank not to claim upon a Bill upon Kemp for £550 for which the Bank holds a Collateral Security due the 16th March unless the same should not be paid. -

Resolved, That it be agreed to receive Money on account of the Dividend, but not to Sign the Deed till after the 16 March next. -

Wm

Money to be rec^d
 on acct. -

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Wm. Eland & Co. to
pay a composⁿ of
5/- in the pound.

Wm. Eland & Co. of Bermondsey, Leather
Dressers, Acceptors of 3 Bills amounting
to £1920. - - 3 request the Bank to
accept a Composition of 5/- in the pound
payable at 4. 8 & 12 Months with Security
for the 2 last Instalments then other
Creditors having accepted the same
terms.

acceded to. -

Resolved. That the Said application
be acceded to, upon their obtaining the
usual Consents. -

Wm. Eccles propos^t
for administrators of
Rt. Parker & Co.

acceded to. -

Wm. Eccles on behalf of the
administrators of Robert Parker of
Manchester. Indorser & Co. of five Bills
amounting to £5086. 4. 0 upon two
of which Bills amounting to £2990. 14. -
a Balance of £166. 7. 10 remains Due
he proposes to pay in full upon the
Bills being given up, and upon the
Balance of the other three Bills -
amounting to £1336. 19. 4 remaining.
One he proposes to pay 2/6 in the pound
being the amount expected to be divided
by the Court of Chancery. - Resolved

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Resolved, That the application of ^{Wm} Eccles be acceded to. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to write to ^{Wm} Hugh Munro, W. 110 Upper Thames Street, Merchants, and demand payment of three Bills. - Discounted by them, now overdue amounting to £2789..18..4. -

The Depositions taken against the following persons were read. - (Vid. S.)

Sam^l. Howard for uttering forged Bank Note at Pocklington Yorkshire

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

Sarah Jones, D^o. - D^o Sarah Jones, apprehended at Oxford

John Goodwin - D^o. - Feltham Essex &

Mary Smith alias Linn in London for uttering Counterfeit Bank Tokens. -

Ordered, That they be all prosecuted. -

Wm J. H. Munro to
be written to for
payment of 3 Bills

Sam^l. Howard
for uttering forged
Notes. - ✓

to be prosecuted
Minor Offence.

Sar^l. Jones, D^o. - D^o

John Goodwin D^o.

Mary Smith D^o.

Investigators
Bills, for Dec.
1815, rec^d. to be
paid. -

The following Accounts of the
Investigators, for their Disbursements
I^a in the Month of December last
were examined, and recommended
to the Governor to be paid. - Viz^t

✓ Thomas Glover, Dist^t I^a Dec^r £ 37. 6. 1
" Extra attend^{ce} 21 Days. ----- 11. 0. 6
£ 48. 6. 7

✓ John Lees, Disbursem^t I^a Dec^r £ 44. 8. 6
" Extra attend^{ce} 22 D^y 17 Nights. ----- 20. 9. 6
£ 64. 18. 0

✓ Rob^t Fish, Disbursem^t I^a Dec^r £ 6. 12. 3
" Extra attend^{ce} 14 D^y 1 Night. ----- 7. 17. 6
£ 14. 9. 9

✓ Chas^r Christmas, Dist^t I^a Dec^r £ 7. 8. 7
" Extra attend^{ce} 22 D^y ----- 11. 11. 0
£ 18. 19. 7

✓ Edm^d Cocks, Dist^t I^a Dec^r £ 7. 3. 8
" Extra attend^{ce} 20 Days ----- 10. 10. 0
£ 17. 13. 8

✓ John Warwick, Dist^t I^a Dec^r £ 7. 13. 3
" Extra attend^{ce} 25 Days ----- 13. 2. 6
£ 20. 15. 9

✓ James Jackson, Dist^t I^a Dec^r £ 4. 3. 10
" Extra attend^{ce} 15 Days ----- 7. 17. 6
£ 12. 1. 4

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Committee for Law Suits,
7th March. 1816.

Present.

Mr. Pole, Mr. Smith,
Mr. Maithland, Mr. Buller.

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

Henry Mills
Statement of his
affairs.

Read a Letter from Henry Mills,
enclosing a Statement of his Affairs,
as Submitted to his other Creditors,
with a proposition to pay a Composⁿ
upon his Debts either wholly in Cash
or at a short period with Security,
but that the final determination would
be settled by the 14th Instant, and hoped
indulgence would be granted until that
period.

Consⁿ postp^d

The Consideration postponed till the
21st Instant.

Mr. Carlin's
Statement of his
affairs.

A Letter being read from Mr. J.
Pearson, Solicitor, on behalf of Henry
Carlin, enclosing a Statement of his
affairs.

Affairs and explaining the nature of his engagements with Mess^{rs} Hance & Co and proposing an Assignment of all his effects for the benefit of his Creditors Share & Share alike. -

Ordered. That the said Henry Carlin be desired to assign his Effects as proposed

Rd Mytton propos^r
Security -

A Letter was read from Rich^d Mytton proposing John Owen Herbert of Doloworgan Montgomeryshire as Surety for the indulgence Solicited for Payment of the 2 Instalments due to the Bank and referring to S^r Walter Stirling and Mr Wilkin of the Tax Office as to his qualification. -

Considⁿ postp^d

Resolved. That the Consideration be postponed, and that Mr Cox do make enquiry as to the eligibility of Mr Herbert for the said Security. -

Mr Hays reported that Mr John Seigh had not yet given the Security required of him. -

Ordered.

Mr. Leigh, to
propose immed.
Security

Ordered, That the Solicitor do write to John Leigh, and acquaint him that unless immediate Security be offered, directions are given to proceed against him.

Messrs Swaine
& Co. respecting
Wm Stevenson

J. S. De Franco

A Letter was read from Messrs Swaine, Stevens & Co. transmitting the Draft Letter of License to Wm Stevenson and also the Resolutions agreed to at a General Meeting of the Creditors of J. S. De Franco & Co. - the same were referred to Mr. Kaye to peruse and Report upon.

Wm Eccles to
pay 2/6 in the
pound.

Mr Fox laid before the Comm^y the following applications. Viz:

Wm Eccles states that the Administrators of Robt Parker had misconceived the proposition submitted to the Bank on the Balance of his account, he now proposes to pay 2/6 in the pound on the general Balance. Viz. £15,037.2 leaving the benefit of the future Dividends to the Bank. Resolved.

accorded to.

That the above application be accorded to.

William

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W. & H. Munro
allowed 14 Days
indulgence

Wm & Hugh Munro, request the further indulgence of fourteen Days by which time they hope to be able to lay a statement of their Affairs before the Bank. -

The same was adjourned a fortnight

P. J. Blackburn
applicⁿ for Sign^r
to his Certificate

Peter Blackburn, Discounters of

Sundry Bills amounting to £16,288.19.11 upon which a Dividend of 1/5 in the pound has been received, request the signature of the Bank to their certificate.

Consⁿ Postponed

The consideration was postponed. -

Ritchie & Marnie
allowed 14 Days
indulgence

Ritchie & Marnie, of Winchester Street Merch^t acceptors of a Bill for £864.14. - requests indulgence for a few Days till a statement of their affairs can be made up, and that in the meantime they would give no preferences

The Considⁿ adjourned a fortnight. -

Sol^r to write to
Jas. Parker. -

The Solicitor was directed to write to James Parker of Queen Street, - Cheapside, for payment of a Bill Discounted by him amounting to £489.16.4

J. F. Harrison on
payment of his Bill
to receive Bank's
proof -

Resolved. That upon payment of the
Bill, drawn by John Fairweather Harrison
of Rotterdam amounting to £ 349..11.
an assignment of the Bank's proof be
made over to him. -

Int. Hodgson's Bill
of Lading, reported
for 90 pipes of wine
inst. of 100. -

Mr. Fox reported that the
Bills of Lading from John Hodgson
were for 90 pipes of wine only instead
of 100. -

Depositions. -

The Depositions taken against
the following persons were read, viz.

Jerem^h Dunn for
hav^g. forged notes
in poss^{ion}

Jeremiah Dunn apprehended at
Bristol, for having in his possession
forged Bank Notes. -

To be prosecuted.

Ordered. To be prosecuted. -

Eliz^h Dunn for
utter^g. forged
Notes. -

Eliz^h Dunn & Frances Smith
for uttering forged Bank Notes at D^o.

to be prose^d. for
minor offence

Ordered That Elizabeth Dunn be
prosecuted, but allowed to plead Guilty to
the Minor Offence, - and that Frances
Smith, be detained as a Witness. -

Fr^h Smith to be
det^d. as Witness

S^r Wood for utt^g.
base Tokens

Samuel Wood for uttering forged
Tokens, - at Bristol. -

to be prose^d.

Ordered. To be prosecuted. - Sarah

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Sarah Sanguine for
utter. base Tokens.

to be prosecuted

Sarah Sanguine at Nottingham
for uttering Counterfeit Tokens. -
Ordered. To be prosecuted. -

Pedro Olivi D. D.

Pedro Olivi (a Spaniard) at
Shadwell. for uttering Counterfeit Tokens.
Ordered. To be prosecuted. -

The following were all appreh.
at Chester. -

Hannah Dodd for
forg. Notes in possⁿ

Hannah Dodd, for having forged
Notes in her Possession. -

Mary Duncan & ors
for utter. D. D.

Mary Duncan, Mary Henshaw
Ann Evans, Betty Duncan, & Mary
Sutcliff, for uttering forged Bank Notes.
Ordered. That they be prosecuted
with permission to plead Guilty to
the minor Offence. -

to be prosecuted
Minor Offence.

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Committee for Law Suits
14th March. 1816.

Present.

Mr. Maithland. Mr. Smith.

Mr. Oliver. Mr. Buller.

The proceedings of the last Committee
were read.

*Messrs Friend
& Son allowed
to Mr's indulg.*

A Letter was read from Mr. John
Sudlow, Solicitor, on behalf of Messrs. Friend
& Son, stating that they having fulfilled
their engagement with the Bank, by the
kind indulgence granted to them, except
the last payment amounting to £1485.
due the 13th Instant, - and they now solicit
to be further indulged by being permitted
to pay £385 now, and the remainder at
6 Months, the Bank holding the
Securities which were originally given
by them. -

Resolved, That the above application
be complied with. -

Read.

Jos. Warner's prop.
to pay 2/6 in the £

Read a Letter from Jos. Warner
late of the Firm of Drury Ottley & Co. -
enclosing an Agreement entered into
with his creditors who have signed the
Same, to receive 2/6 in the pound in
discharge of their respective Debts, and
requesting the Bank's concurrence
thereto. -

Consid^d postponed

The Consideration was postponed
in order to ascertain the nature of the
Bonds given by them for the original
Debt of £5,200, which are deposited in
the Strong Safe in the Committee of
waiting room. -

Jos. Smith Blackburn
& Knight of Freeman

A Letter was read from Jos.
Blackburn, accompanied by another
from Messrs. Knight & Freeman, Solrs
under his Commission, explanatory of an
agreement between the Assignees and
himself, and stating that the smallness
of the Dividend paid was occasioned
by the Assignees not having been able
to dispose of two Ships belonging to

to the Estate valued at £10,000; but as they had Money in hand, it was thought advisable they should divide what they could. — That as the Assignment of the reversionary Interest to be made to Mr. Blackburn cannot be done till he has obtained his Certificate therefore solicited the Banks Signature thereto. —

The same was postponed. —

Mr. Kaye's rept
resp. J. Leigh

to write again

Mr. Kaye reported that he had received no answer from Mr. John Leigh to the Letter wrote to him last Week — respecting the Security required of him. — Mr. Kaye was directed to acquaint him that if an Answer is not received by the 25th Instant, he will be proceeded against forthwith. —

Mr. Cox's Rept.
respecting Security
prop. by Rich.
Mytton

Mr. Cox reported that he had made enquiry respecting the responsibility of Mr. Herbert proposed as Security for Rich. Mytton. — of S. Walter Sterling who stated that Mr. Herbert was
Considered

Considered as a man of considerable landed property, but he had no means of knowing that himself: and also of Mr. Wilkin of the Tax Office who stated that Mr. Herbert was Surety for Mr. Mytton as a Receiver General, and reported to the Office as having Landed Property to the extent of £3000 per Ann^m. and that he himself had been informed it was worth £5000 per annum.

Mr. Mytton to amend
his prop^d. Security

The Solicitor was directed to write to Mr. Mytton to amend his proposed Security.

Mr. Parker to pay
a Composⁿ of 10% in
the Pound.

James Parker of Queen Street, Warehouseman, Discounter of a Bill for £489. 16. 4 requests the Bank to accept a Composition of 10% in the Pound, payable at 4, 8 & 12 Months, with Security for the last Instalment his other Crs having accepted the same terms. The same was acceded to.

The Depositions taken against
the following persons were read. *Wit.*

Mary Simpson
for uttering forged Bank
Notes

Mary Simpson for uttering
Forged Bank Notes at Liverpool.

Stephen Williamson

Stephen Williamson at Man-
chester for the same Offence.

to be prosecuted Minor
Offence.

Ordered, That they be prosecuted
with liberty to plead Guilty to the
Minor Offence.

John Clements
for uttering
base Tokens

John Clements, John Woffington,
John Chick, Tho. Hickson, Tho. Smith
and John Hawkins, for uttering counterfeit
Tokens in London.

to be prosecuted

Ordered. To be prosecuted.

The following Accounts of the
Investigators Disbursements for the
month of January 1846, being examined
we recommended to the Governor to
Order Payment thereof. *Wit.*

Thomas

Investigators
acc^{ts} for Jan^y
1816.-

Thos. Glover, Disbursem^{ts} for Jan^y £59.18.3
" Extra attend^{ce} 27 D^{ys} 19 Nights --- 24.3.0
£84.1.3

John Lee, Dist^{ts} for Jan^y 1816. £17.10.0
" Extra attend^{ce} 24 Days --- 12.12.0
£30.2.0

Rob^t Fish, Disbursem^{ts} for Jan^y £7.5.4
" Extra attend^{ce} 19 Days --- 9.19.6
£17.4.10

Chas. Christmas, Dist^{ts} for Jan^y £10.12.8
" Extra attend^{ce} 20 D^{ys} 2 Nights --- 11.11.-
£22.3.8

Edm. Cook, Disbursem^{ts} for Jan^y £8.2.10
" Extra attend^{ce} 24 Days --- 12.12.0
£20.14.10

Ja^s. Jackson, Disbursem^{ts} for Jan^y £5.15.7
" Extra attend^{ce} 22 Days --- 11.11.-
£17.6.7

John Warwick, Dist^{ts} for Jan^y £8.6.-
" Extra Attend^{ce} 26 Days --- 13.13.-
£21.19.0

Rob^t Hilton, Disbursem^{ts} Jan^y £5.14.9
" Extra attend^{ce} 15 Days --- 7.17.6
£13.12.3

The Com^{ee} proceeded on the
Consideration of the Business transacted
in Mr. Cox's Office, and after framing

certain Regulations, as suggested themselves,
determined on the following Report
to be made to the Court of Directors, thereon
viz.

Report respecting
New Regulations
regarding Overdue
Disc. Bills, Unp.

The Committee having particularly
turned their attention of late to the increased
and still increasing responsibility which
rests in Mr. Cox's Office, who has the charge
of all the Overdue Discounted Bills and
Notes Unpaid, over which there exists no
Cheque on the Accountants Side of the
House, as is generally the Case, over all
Offices where Money transactions occur,
the Committee feel it their Duty to submit
to the Court of Directors the propriety of
introducing this necessary and proper Cheque,
at the same time they beg to be most distinctly
understood, that this their recommendation
does in no way arise from any impropriety
of Conduct observed by them on the part
of Mr. Cox or his Assistant in the management
of their Office, for the Committee are ready
to

to bear testimony to the assiduity and good conduct of those Clerks, but they feel that consonant with the usual regulations established in the management of the Bank affairs, this Office should not be exempt from them, - the Comm^{ee} therefore beg leave to Submit to the Court the following plan to be adopted.

First. That a Book be kept by Mr. Cox in which shall be entered all Bills delivered to Mr. Taylor the Out Teller, and the Amount of all Dividends to be received, - which Book shall be signed by Mr. Taylor on receiving any Bill from Mr. Cox, - also by the Cashier when he gives the receipt for the Dividends, - and also by the Clerk in the General Cash Book Office, when he receives the Money of Mr. Taylor.

In this Book Mr. Cox shall also make an Entry of all Sums of Money received by him and take the same
 Signatures

Signatures as above stated; and the said Book shall be exhibited to the Chief Cashier on the following Morning.

That an Office be established on the Accountants Side of the House, with proper Ledgers and other requisite Books in which shall be entered, all Overdue Unpaid Discounted Bills, being furnished with the necessary particulars of all such Bills from the Bill Office. It shall be the Duty of the Principal Clerk in this Office to examine the Gazettes and enter on the Accounts all such parties as shall become Bankrupts, - likewise when Dividends on Estates are declared, and also the Amount of such Dividend.

The Secretary to the Committee for Law Suits shall furnish the principal of the said Office with all particulars relative to Estates that are put in Trust, or liquidated under composition, as also all Bills or Securities which may be taken in such liquidations, and they shall receive information of

of all Payments by Inspecting the general
Cash Book. -

It shall be the Duty of this Office
to communicate to the Chief Accountant all
Dividends advertised and not received or
paid into the Bank; as also all Sums due
from Estates under Trustees, and all Securities
which ought, but have not been paid. -

This Office shall cheque their Bal^{ce}
with Mr. Cox's Office every six Months. -

The Committee cannot but observe
the very great responsibility entrusted
to Mr. Fox's Office, by depositing so large
an amount of Securities in the Hands
of Officers who are entitled to receive
the Monies due thereon. - which -
might be obviated if Mr. Fox's Office
could be placed contiguous to the Bill
or some other Office, who have no
power or Interest in receiving the
monies, and to which Mr. Fox might
have easy access. -

Read in Court the 22^d. March & approved
ref^d. back to Com^{ee}. to carry into execution. -

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Committee for Law Suits.
(22nd March, 1816.-

Present-

Mr. Pole

Mr. Smith.

Mr. Olive

Mr. Buller.

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

Rd. Mylton declines
giving other Security

Read a Letter from Rich^d. Mylton
Stating that it is not in his power to
obtain a more unexceptionable Surety
than Mr. E. O. Herbert already proposed,
and therefore declined offering any
other person.-

Ordered.

That the Solicitor be directed
to write again to Mr. Mylton and
acquaint him that the proposed
Security cannot be accepted, and
unless he amends it to the satisfaction
of the Bank by the 3rd April next
he will be proceeded against.

allowed till 3^o
ap^l. or to be
proceeded agst.

Mr. Leigh D^o
D^o

A Letter being read from John
Leigh Stating that there is a
negociation

negociation going on among Mess^{rs} Hill,
relatives for a complete and final arrange-
ment of all their affairs, therefore -
requesting to be allowed further indulg^{ce}.
to ascertain the result. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed
to write to W^m Leigh and acquaint him
that unless satisfactory Security is given
on or before the 3^d April next he will
be proceeded against forthwith. -

W^m H. Munro
do
Ritchie & Marnie

W^m Cox reported that he had
not been able to obtain from Mess^{rs} B
W^m H. Munro or Mess^{rs} Ritchie &
Marnie, a Statement of their Affairs
as promised on the 7th Instant, altho'
repeatedly applied to by him since
that period. -

to be proceeded
against. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed
to proceed against them for payment
of their respective Debts. -

W^m H. Mill's reported
to be conf. from
ill Health.

A Letter was read Signed by
the Medical Attendants on Henry
Mill,

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Mills stating that his Ill State of Health prevented him from leaving the Room to attend his Affairs. -

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed to be proceeded against him for payment of his Debt without further Delay. -

Mr. Cox laid before the Comm^{ee} the following applications. - viz^t

Rob^t. Edgar, of Fenchurch St^l. Disc^r of Sundry Bills amounting to £5,647.4.5 upon which a Dividend of 3⁵/₈ in the pound has been received, requests the Signature of the Bank to his certificate. -

The Consideration was Postponed. -

Ridley Forster of the House of Ramsay & Forster, Discounter of Sundry Bills amounting to £29,980.4.0 upon which a Dividend of 1⁵/₈ in the Pound has been received, requests the Signature of the Bank to his certificate. Resolved,

That the above application be not Complied with. - W^m

M^r. Mills to be proceeded ag^t. -

Rob^t. Edgar's applicⁿ for Sign^g to his certificate

Consⁿ Postp^d. -

Ridley Forster, D^r.

not Complied with. -

Solicitor to write
for payment of Bills to write to the following persons and

Ordered That the Solicitor be directed
demand payment of their respective
Bills. - *Viz.*

Wm Rose. -

Wm Rose of Maiden Lane Wood
Street, Woollen Draper Disb^r of a Bill
for £327..18..0.-

Rob^t Hopcroft

Rob^t Hopcroft, N^o 24 Mitchell
Street S^t Lukes, Stove Manufacturer
acceptor of 3 Bills amounting to
£1000..3..6.-

Depositions

The Depositions taken against
the following persons were read. *Viz.*

Mary Jackson for
having forged Notes
in possessⁿ

Mary Jackson apprehended at
Stafford having 56 forged Bank Notes
in her possession.

to be prosecuted

Ordered. To be prosecuted. -

Wm Carter for uttering
forged Notes &c.

Wm Carter for uttering forged
Bank Notes and counterfeit Tokens
at Bristol.

to be prosecuted
Capitally

Ordered. To be prosecuted for the
Capital Offence. -

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Committee for Law Suits
28th March. 1816.

Present.

Mr. Pole. — Mr. Oliver. —
Mr. Maitland. Mr. Smith

The proceedings of the last Committee
were read. —

Let from Robt.
Hopcroft

A Letter being read from Robert
Hopcroft, stating that he is to receive a
Legacy of £1000 in July next, and
requesting the Bank to allow him
to assign over the same as Security for
the 3 Bills accepted by him now lying
due at the Bank. —

Ordered, That the Solicitor be directed
to make enquiry respecting the said
Legacy. —

Sol^r to enquire
resp.^d the Contents.

J^r Harrington
propos^d for pay^t
in 7 Mos.

On reading a Letter from Sam^l.
Harrington proposing to pay the Balce
due to the Bank from him, as follows. —
½ at 4 Months and the other Moiety
at 7 Months, his other creditors having
accepted

accepted the same terms, solicited the Bank's concurrence thereto.

The Consideration was postponed.

Ritchie & Marnie
allowed till 3^d ap^r.
to prepare Statement.

Read a Letter from Ritchie & Marnie
Stating that they are preparing a
Statement of their Affairs to lay before
their Creditors, but as there are many
Bills at the Bank not yet due, they
wish to ascertain their fate, before they
can complete the said Statement, -
therefore solicited to be allowed a few weeks
indulgence.

Ordered, That the Solicitor be
directed to apply to Ritchie & Co^r for
a Satisfactory Statement to be made
by the 3^d April next, or to proceed against
them.

W. & H. Munro
C^rs to meet 2^d ap^r.

On reading a Letter from David Brutton
Stating that the Creditors of W. & H.
Munro will meet at their House on the
2^d April, when a Statement of their Affairs
will be submitted for consideration.

proceed^g to be
suspended

Ordered That directions be given to the Sol^r.
to suspend proceedings against W. & H. Munro.

Wm Law's applicⁿ

The Committee resumed the Considerⁿ

of William Law's application for the
Signature of the Bank to his Certificate
and, -

not complied with.

Resolved, That the said application
be not Complied with. -

Depts Booth & Co
resp^d Bal^a of
Austen & Co. Bankers

A Letter was read from Mess^{rs}
Booth & Leggatt Sol^{rs} for the Affairs of
Taxes, claiming the Sum of £60..9..4
being the Balance on the Drawing Acct^t
of Austen, Maude & Tilson of Henrietta
Street Bankers, Bankrupts, - in consequence
of all their Effects being Seized under a
Writ of Extent from the Court of Excheq^r
for the recovery of his Majesty's Money rec^d
by them. - And their not appearing to be
and demand against the said Estate by
the Bank, and the Balance being on the
Bank Books. -

Bal^a to be paid
them -

Ordered. That the Solicitor be directed to
write to Mess^{rs} Booth & Co. and acquaint
them that the said Balance shall be
paid on their application to the Chief
Cashier. -

M^r Cox

Mr. Cox laid before the Committee the following applications. - *Wth*

Ja^s. Ramsay's
Certificate to be
Signed. -

James Ramsay of the House of
Ramsay & Forster of Broad Street. Desir^g
of Sundry Bills amounting to £29,980.4.
upon which a Dividend of $\frac{1}{9}$ in the pound
has been received, requests the Signature
of the Bank to his certificate. -

Ordered. That the Secretary be authorized
to sign the same. -

Mr. Hodgson's
applicⁿ for furth^r States, that in consequence of the depressed
indulg^{ce} to be
allowed to sell
his Hides. -

John Hodgson of Sixe Lane
State of the Hide Market. Mess^{rs}. Row. Row.
Goad & Co. Brokers, have not been able to
dispose of more than a very small proportion
of the Hides, therefore request to be allowed
further indulgence, till a more favorable
opportunity offers of disposing of the same

The depositions taken against W^m.
Seather be read, for selling forged Bank
notes at Birmingham, Order

Ordered. That he be prosecuted capitally

Mr. James D. Hunt
Miller to be prose^c
for sell^g Tokens. -

John James D. Hunt. Miller for utter^g
Counterfeit Tokens in London. -
Ordered To be prosecuted. -

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Committee for Law Suits
5th April. - 1816. -

Present.

Mr. Oliver

Mr. Smith. Mr. Buller.

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

J. & W. Nicholson
application for
Indulgence.

Read a Letter from J. & W. Nicholson of Woodbridge Street, Clerkenwell Rectifiers, stating that in consequence of the failure of the House of Scott, Burn & Co. they were involved in Bill transactions to the amount of £11,720..19..6 in the hands of the Bank, which Bills they were unable to retire, - and having submitted their Situation to their ^{general} Creditors who are inclined to render them all possible - indulgence, Solicited the Bank to allow the same, - and requesting the Bank also to prove on the Estate of Scott & Co. - all the Bills which may remain unpaid, and to receive thereon whatever the said Estate may Yield, and if any deficiency arises

arises Mess^{rs} Nicholson & Co^{rs} will meet the same, at any time the Bank may think reasonable to allow. - A Letter was annexed from Mess^{rs} Metcalf & Co^{rs}, S^r. D. Liptrop & Co^{rs} Lancaster Soullby & Co^{rs} and W^m Haynes, - certifying that the Statement made by Mess^{rs} Nicholson & Co^{rs} were well founded, and earnestly recommending their application to the favorable Consideration of the Bank. - Another Letter dated 28th Ultimo, from Mess^{rs} Nicholson was read stating their intention to make some further Proposition in the Course of a few Days, therefore hoped indulgence would be allowed them..

Resolved, That the Consideration be postponed till the 11th Instant. -

Henry Farlin's
proposal. -

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acceded to

On reading a Letter from John Pearson Solicitor on behalf of Henry Farlin, stating that the Opinion of many of his Creditors was, that it would be more for their benefit to allow him time to dispose of his Stock and Collect

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his Debts, than to bring the property to immediate Sale; under an assignment - provided he could find Security for the amount, - which having been suggested to him, he has succeeded in getting two persons to become responsible for the amt. of good Book Debts, the Stock in Trade, and Household Effects, as set forth in the Account rendered by him on the 4th March; - to pay $\frac{1}{3}^d$ part of the Amo.^t at 4 Mos., $\frac{1}{3}^o$ at 9 Mos. and the remain^g at 12 Mos., and Submitting the same for the Concurrence of the Bank. - Resolved, That the above proposal be acceded to, on obtaining the usual consents. -

A Letter was read from

Tho^s Triphook
allowed till 5th
May, to make
his payments.

Tho^s Triphook of St. James's Street Stationer, enclosing 2 Letters from persons indebted to him £248..18..5 which he expected to have received, but being disappointed requested the Bank to allow him to make over the said

Debts

Debts towards the liquidation of the
Sum due by him to the Bank being
£303. 12. 2, having no other Security
to offer.

Resolved,

That the Solicitor be directed
to acquaint Mr. Triphook that he shall
be allowed till the 5th May next to
pay the Balance Due, but that no
further indulgence will be allowed,
and if not then paid he will be
proceeded against.

Henry Gillis app.
acceded to on gen.
Security.

Read a letter from Henry Gill
stating that he is arrived in Town for
the purpose of soliciting the Bank to
receive from the Acceptors & Indorsers
of the Bill Drawn by him for £399. 11. 6
Such Dividends as they may be able
to pay, and he will give Security to the
Bank, to pay whatever may be deficient,
together with Interest and Expenses;
not having received from any of the
parties on the Said Bill one Shilling
on account thereof. - therefore hoping
such indulgence would be granted him.

Resolved.

Resolved, That on Henry Gill giving satisfactory Security, his application be complied with.

Ritchie & Marnie's Statement of Affairs
 A Statement of the Affairs of Ritchie & Marnie was laid before the Committee, and the Consideration was postponed to the 18th Instant to enable them to make some proposal for the liquidation of their Debt to the Bank.

Mr. Leigh's proposal to give a joint Bond with Mr. Hill of Hough.
 On reading a Letter from Mess^{rs} Lowes & Lowburn on behalf of John Leigh, stating that it will not be in his power to give satisfactory real Security for his Debt. - His Estate at Conall worth £100,000 being mortgaged for £30,000, and it is all under one Title, so that he cannot give a Mortgage to the Bank on any detached part of the Estate; - therefore proposing to give a joint Bond with Mr. Hill of Hough the Brother of Sir John Hill of Hawkestone as Security for Payments.

payments at the periods already proposed and allowed by the Bank. - For reference as to Mr. Hill's responsibility he referred to Mr. ^{Serjeant} Manby, Bedford Row. -

The Solicitor was directed to apply to Mr. Manby for information. -

a letter from Rich?

A letter was read from Mr. R. Griffiths, respect. Griffiths of Welch Pool, stating his I.C. Herbert, being Opinion of Mr. John Owen Herbert, suff. Security for proposed as Security for Mr. R. Mytton, R. Mytton. -

that a better could not be found in the County for the sum proposed, - and referring for his own respectability to his Agent Mr. Stevenson of Lincoln's Inn. -

Sol. to write for a satisfactory answer

Ordered That the Solicitor be directed to write again to Mr. Mytton and acquaint him if a satisfactory answer is not received on or before the 17th Instant, he will be proceeded against with any further delay. -

Memorial from J.C. Dittmann, respect. 72 Bills accepted by him.

Read a Memorial from J. C. Dittmann Consul General from the Court of Mecklenburg, acceptor of two Bills

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Bills Drawn by Messrs Rooke & Horneman,
one for £500 due 6th Instant, the other
for £370..15.. due 26th Instant, they
having suspended their payments,
therefore soliciting to be allowed an
extension of time for payment, not
having any possible means of meeting
the Demand at present. - That a Genl.
meeting of their creditors is appointed
for the 11th Inst^t and trusting from the
favorable appearance of the State of
their Accounts as exhibited to him there
was no doubt the Drawers would
eventually be enabled to secure
all the payments against them. -

The consideration was postponed till
the 18th Instant. -

Pet^r. Blackburn's
further application
renewing his application for the Bank
Signature to his certificate, the
postponed. - Same was postponed. -

Order. That the Solicitor be
directed to suspend proceedings ag^t
Henry Mills in conseq^{co}. of the reported
State of his Ill Health. -

225.

John Williams,
Tim^y Donald
for uttering base
Tokens. -

On reading the Depositions taken
against John Williams apprehended
at Portsmouth for uttering Counterfeit
Tokens, and Timothy Donald, in
London for the like Offence.

Ordered, That they be prosecuted.
to be prosecuted.

