DE Moris, 14 Septembris 1880, Annoque Regni
Seremensm[is] Domini Nobis Gulielmii Quartii, Dei
Gratia, Britanniarum Regni, Fidelis Denuinoris, Primo; in
Superiorem Domus Parlamenti Britanniæm aap. west-
minster, conventæ, Domini, quorum Nomen sub-
scriptum, et presentes fuerunt:

Dr. Lyndhurst,
Cancellarius.

Corma Rustugyn,
C. T. S.

Dr. Ellerbyrouch.

The King's Most Excellent Majesty having by His Writ
of Summons, bearing Date at St. James's the Twenty-
fourth Day of July last, appointed His Parliament to
open and begin this Day:

The Lord Chancellor declared in the House, "That
His Majesty had been pleased to cause a Writ to be
issued under the Great Seal for Proroguing the Parlia-
ment." And the same was read by the Clerk as follows; (vid.)

"WILLIAM R.

"WILLIAM the Fourth, by the Grace of God, of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King,
Defender of the Faith; To Our well-beloved and
faithful the Prelates, Nobles and Peers of Our said
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to
Our beloved and faithful the Knights, Citizens and
Burgesses, and Commissioners for Shires and Burghs
of Our said United Kingdom, called and chosen to
Our Parliament to be begun and holden at Our City of
Westminster on the Fourteenth Day of the Month of
September next ensuing, and to every of you,
Greeting: Whereas We, for certain solemn and urgent
Affairs concerning Us, the State and Defence of Our
said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,
and the Church, did determine that Parliament should be
holden at the Day and Place aforesaid, and did com-
mand you by Our several Writs to be present at the
City and Day aforesaid, to treat, deliberate and conclude
about those Things which in Our said Parliament then
and there should be proposed and treated of; Never-
thelass, for certain Causes and Considerations Us at
this Time especially moving, We have thought fit that
Our said Parliament be Prorogued unto Tuesday the
Twenty-sixth Day of October next ensuing, so that
neither you nor any of you should be held or obliged
to appear on the said Fourteenth Day of September at
the aforesaid City: We also will that you and every of
you be wholly discharged as to Us therefore, con-
stanting and by the Tenor of these Presents strictly
requiring you and every of you, and all others whom

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this may concern, that you and every of you do per-
sontly appear and be present on the said Twenty-
sixth Day of October at Our said City of Westminster,
"to treat, do act and conclude upon those Things which
in Our said Parliament by the Common Council of Our
said United Kingdom (by God's Assistance) shall happen
"to be ordained.

"Witness Ourselves at Westminster, the Twenty-fifth
"Day of August, in the First Year of Our Reign.

"By the King, Himself, signed with His own Hand.

"At Westminster.

The Deputy Clerk of the Crown in Chancery delivered
this Day, A Certificate of the Names of the Sixteen Peers
chosen, summoned and certified to sit and vote in this
House for that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, who
attending at the Table with the original Return, the same
was compared with the said Certificate, and found to
agree therewith, and is as follows; (vid.)

"May it please your Lordships,

"These are the Names of the Sixteen Peers, who,
"according to the Act in that Case made and provided,
"are chosen, summonsed and certified to be the Members
"of the House of Peers, for and on the Behalf of that
"Part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and
"Ireland called Scotland, in the Parliament of the said
"United Kingdom, which is to meet on Tuesday the
"Fourteenth Day of September 1830.

"The Marquesses of Queensberry and
"Premdible.

"Earl of Erroll.
"Marion.
"Home.
"Ellen, and
"Northesk.

"Viscounts of Arundel and
"Strathalan.

"Lords Forbes.
"Butler.
"Grey.
"Simpson.
"Colville.
"Napier, and
"Belhaven.

"Witness my Hand, this Thirteenth Day of September
"1830.

"At Westminster.

"Clerk of the Crown in Chancery."
Ten Days after the Second Reading thereof, be taken into Consideration To-morrow, in order, to be dispensed with on the Bill, intituled, "An Act to repeal an Act passed:-

of the Reign of King George the Third, relating to a Portion of the Lands of Ballochmyle, near the City of Dundee, in the County of Fife, and entitled the "Bishops of that See to demise the same under certain Restrictions;" and that the Lords be summoned.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by Mr. Pringle and others; with a Bill, intituled, "An Act for making and maintaining a Railroad from West END to the City of Dublin, to the Head of the Western Pier of the Royal Harbour of Kingstown, in the County of Dublin, with Bases to communicate therewith."

The Question was put, "Whether this Bill shall pass?"

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

A Message was sent to the House of Commons, by Mr. Adam and Mr. Reselde, to acquaint them, That the Lords have agreed to the said Bill, without any Amendment.

The House (according to Order) was adjourned during Pleasure, and put into a Committee upon the Bill; intituled, "An Act for explaining and amending an Act passed in the Second and Third Years of the Reign of King Edward the third, intituled, "An Act for Payment of Tithe."

After some Time, the House was resumed; and The Earl of Shaftesbury reported from the Committee, "That they had gone through the Bill, and made some Amendments thereto, which he was ready to report, when the House will please to receive the

Ordered, That the said Report be received. To-morrow.

The House (according to Order) was adjourned during Pleasure, and put into a Committee upon the Bill, intituled, "An Act to enable His Majesty to grant an Annual Sum to Her Royal Highness Patricia Maria, Louise, Duchess of Kent, for a more adequate Provision for Her said Royal Highness, and for the honorable Support and Education of Her Royal Highness's Younger Daughter, Susanna, Countess of Kent."

After some Time, the House was resumed; and The Earl of Shaftesbury reported from the Committee, "That they had gone through the Bill, and made some Amendments thereto, which he was ready to report, when the House will please to receive the

Ordered, That the said Bill be read the Third Time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second Reading of the Bill, intituled, "An Act to restrain and regulate the holding of Parliaments of Dignities and Bishops by Spiritual Persons," and for the Lords to be summoned;

The said Bill was accordingly read a Second Time,

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Ordered, That the House be put into a Committee upon the said Bill To-morrow.

Ordered, That the Cause wherein Henry Harris, a Servant of the said Earls of Kinnoull, and others, aRespondent, be heard by Counsel at the Bar on Monday next.

The Lord Melville (by His Majesty's Command) presented to the House a Petition of Sir William Purves and Anne Campbell, Baronet, to His Majesty,
“The Petitioner therefore humbly prays, That Your Majesty will be graciously pleased, on Proof being made of the Facts before stated, to grant Your Petitioner a Commission of Oyer and Terminer, and Right to the said Title and Dignity of Lord High Constable, according to the Terms and Limitations of his Office, and that all Letters Patent of his said Majesty, in favour of Your Petitioner’s said Ancestor, and Your Petitioner shall ever pray, &c.

“W. F. H. Rouse Campbell.”

Whitehall, 27th August 1831.

His Majesty, being moved upon the Petition, is graciously pleased to refer the same to The Right Honourable The House of Peers, to examine the Allegations thereof, as to what relates to the Petitioner’s said Ancestor, and how the same shall appear to their Lordships. "MELBOURNE."

Ordered, That the said Petition, with His Majesty’s Reference thereto to this House, be referred to the Committee of the Lords Committees for Privileges, to whom the Petition of Hugh Scott Esquire of Harden, eldest Son and Heir of the late Walter Scott Esquire, of Harden, and Ladyddina Scott, also deceased, to His Majesty, praying, "That His Majesty will be pleased to make such Reference to the House of Lords on the Right of the Petitioner to the Baroncy of Polmont, and of this Petition, as shall in his Majesty’s discretion appear advisable to him before this House relates to the said Baronzy, and as enable the Petitioner to have the Benefit of all Proof either thereon or otherwise, or the Letters Patent of Privileges, on the former Reference to this House of the Petition and Claim of Dame Anne Paterson Anstruther to the said Baronzy, and all such other Benefit as the Nature of the Case shall properly require, and at the same Time to prove the present Right of the Petitioner to the said Baronzy, with His Majesty’s Reference thereto to this House, stand." Upon reading the Petition of the Minister, Churchwarden of the Parish of the Four, and other Inhabitants in the Parish of Barnaul, in the County of Essex, in Verey assembled, whose Names are thereunto subscribed, praying, "That their Lordships will be pleased to take such Measures for the Aid of the Acts of the Deeds occasioned by the Act for permitting the general Sale of Beer by Retail, as to them shall seem meet."

It is Ordered, That the said Petition do lie on the Table. The Order of the Day being read for the House to be put into a Committee upon the Bill, intituled, “An Act to repeal an Act passed in the Seventh Year of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled, “An Act to amend the Law of Ireland respecting the Assignment and Sub-letting of Lands and Tenements;” and to substitute other Provisions in lieu thereof;” and for other Purposes; was accordingly adjourned during Pleasure, and put into a Committee upon the said Bill. After some Time, the House was resumed; and the Earl of Shaftesbury reported from the Committee, "That they had gone through the Bill, and made several Amendments thereto, which he was ready to move when the House will please to receive the same." Ordered, That the said Report be received on Friday next.

It was moved, "That the Order made yesterday, That the House be put into a Committee upon the Bill, is dispensed with, as it is proposed to lay before the House the Report of the Committee of the Fourth Year of His Majesty King George the Third, for establishing a Fund towards defraying the Charges incident to the Administration of Justice and the Government of the Civil Government within the Province of Quebec, in America, at Thursday next, if the same shall be from the said Committee. Ordered, That the said Order be discharged. Ordered, That the House be put into a Committee upon the said Bill on Monday next; and that the Lords be summoned. 5

Comes Shaftesbury declaravit: presents Parliament, nostrae continuacione easque adiisse diem Mercurii, trium primum instantes Augusti, horto undecim Aureo, Dominus die decembris.

Die Mercurii, 31st August 1831.

DOMINI tam Spirituales quam Temporales presentes fuerunt:


Eqs. Bristol.

Eqs. Cljeney.

Eqs. Corfe.

Ed. Audley.

Dr. de. Keyngston.

Dr. Redzeale.

Dr. Wallcot.

PRAYERS.

The Earl of Shaftesbury set Speaker by virtue of a former Commission.

The Joint and separate Answrs of Messrs John Kirkland & John Ferguson Sharp, Merchants in Glasgow, to the Petition and Appeal of Archibald Gibson Esquire, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustees on the Sequestrated Estate of Messrs Wilson & Sons, some time Iron Masters at Morningside, which Day was brought in.

This Day Kenneth Alexander Lord Howard of Effingham took the Oath, and also took and subscribed the Oath of Abjuration, pursuant to the Statutes.

Upon reading the Petition of Archibald Gibson Esquire, appellant in a Case depending in this House, to which John Aikman & John Robson Sharpe are Respondents; praying, that their Lordships will be pleased to grant him a further Period of Eight Weeks, from the 1st Day of September, to lodge his Case? It is Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the Committee appointed to consider of the Causes in which Prints of the Appellants and Respondents Cases, now depending in this House in Matters of Appeals and Writs of Error, have not been delivered, pursuant to the Standing Orders of this House.

Upon reading the Petition of John Order, appellant in a Case depending in this House, to which George Aikman & Co. Appellants, and Mr. John Henderson are Respondents; praying their Lordships to order that this Cause may be set down for Hearing on or before the Fourth Monday in the Month of September, in the Term of the Statute 55th George 3rd, cap. 42, to facilitate the Administrative Business of the said United Kingdom, called Scotland, by the extending Trial by Jury to Civil Causes. It is Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the last-mentioned Committee.

The House being informed, "That William Ainslie Turner, Respondent to the Appeal of Mrs. Catherine Turner, Macdonald otherwise Macquarie, had not put in his "Answer to the said Appeal, though duly served with "the Order of this House for that Purpose?" And thereupon an Affidavit of Ainslie, the junior, of "the City of Edinburgh, Writs, of the due Service of the said Order, being read; Ordered, That the said Respondent do put in his Answer to the said Appeal peremptorily in a Week.

The House being informed, "That Lieutenant General "Anderson, Captain Captains, and Members, Respondents to the Appeal of Archibald Hunter Esquire and David Campbell, had "not put in their Answer to the said Appeal, though duly served with the Order of this House for that "Purpose?"

And