

1st. Moved by Mr. Sheriff Alison, and seconded by the Rev. Dr. Norman Macleod—That the destitution of Glasgow, the manufacturing districts of the West of Scotland, and the Highlands generally, has reached an appalling character and extent, and cannot, in the opinion of the Meeting, be effectually remedied by any measure short of Emigration on a national scale.

2nd. Moved by Sir Allan Napier Macnab, and seconded by Dr. Rolph—That the resources of our British-American provinces, if drawn out by an extensive infusion into them of capital and population, will afford an immediate and effectual remedy for the distress prevalent in the United Kingdom from redundant labour.

3rd. Moved by W. Andrews, Esq., and seconded by the Hon. Sir John Cunninghame Fairlie, Bart.,—That the British-American Association, which has been formed for these combined objects, is entitled to the support of all persons in the Kingdom desirous of advancing the moral and general welfare of the Labouring Classes.

4th. Moved by R. Broun, Master of Colstoun, and seconded by W. Murray, Esq.—That the Rev. Dr. Norman Macleod, whose great exertions in the cause of his suffering fellow-countrymen in the Western Highlands and Islands of Scotland, in the year 1837, was so instrumental in raising a sum of upwards of £100,000. sterling to rescue them from starvation, and Mr. Sheriff Alison, whose warmest exertions have long been conspicuously directed to the relief of distress in Great Britain, and the advancement of her Colonial interests, be requested to allow their names to be added to the Consulting Council of the Association.

5th. Moved by the Hon. Sir W. A. Maxwell, Bart., and seconded by William Horston, Esq., of Johnstone Castle—That the Lord Provost be requested to allow his name to be added to the Consulting Council, and to accept the best thanks of the Meeting for presiding thereat.

Whereupon Dr. Macleod, Mr. Sheriff Alison, and the Lord