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Card 149

Seal 4

‘Sir Robert Preston Bart of Valleyfield’

Sir Robert Preston, 6th Baronet

(21 April 1740 – 7 May 1834)

Scottish merchant and politician.



Card 192

Seal 1

‘Sir Rob. Preston of Valleyfield Bart. N.S.’

Robert Preston of Valleyfield, 6th Baronet

(21 April 1740 – 7 May 1834)

Politician, with a notable early career in The East India Company.



Card 200

Seal 2

‘Secretary of the Post Office’

At the time, the post would have been held by Sir Francis Freeling, 1st Baronet FSA (25 August 1764 – 10 July 1836).



Card 202

Seal 4

‘A Pierson Esqr.’

Adam Pearson

(1746-1816)

Secretary of Excise for Scotland 1796.



Card 257

Seal 2

‘Right Revd. John, Lord Bishop of Peterborough’

John Parsons, bishop of Peterborough

(baptised 6 July 1761 – 12 March 1819)

Master of Balliol College, Oxford from 1798

Bishop of Peterborough from 1813.



Card A

Seal 2

‘His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council’