

Sir, I am directed by the Sheriff to inform you that Mr. Boyd Baxter, the procurator fiscal at Dundee has agreed to take some charge in having you instructed in the duties of Sheriff Officer and if his report is favourable the Sheriff proposes to appoint you to that situation in this County. You had better, then you prepare to Dundee & report your arrival there to Mr Baxter as soon as possible, & I shall expect to hear from Mr Baxter as soon as he considers you fit to act upon your own responsibility. You will please understand that it is not your own expense that you go to Dundee.

I am Sir  
your most obedt. servant.  
Thos. Moxey  
for Mr. Neilson  
Sheriff Clerk.  
14 May 1842