A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Alexander Hunter, Grocer and Wine Merchant, 114 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, against ALEXANDER MACFARLANE, 220 Hope Street, Glasgow, for Decree of Cessio honorum, the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Alexander Macfarlane to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, Glasgow, for public Examination, upon the 16th day of January 1889, at ten o'clock forenoon, when all his Creditors are required to appear. Creditors are required to appear.

WM. B. PATERSON, Agent.

101 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 3rd January 1889.

PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Ren'rew and Bute at Rothesay, at the instance of Alexander Jebb & Son, 63 and 67 East Howard Street, Glasgow, Pursuers, against ANDREW SMITH, 13 Mount Stuart Road, Rothesay, Defender, for Decree of Cessio bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court at Rothesay upon the 17th day of January 1889, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet the said Andrew Smith is ordained to appear for public Examination. ordained to appear for public Examination.

> R. Rodger, 121 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agent for Pursuers.

NOTICE.

Spirit Merchant, Dean Street, Stewarton, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Archibald Barclay Ferguson, Auctioneer, Stewarton, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 27th March 1889. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court Buildings, Kilmarnock, on 17th April 1889, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN KERR, 29 Portland Street, Kilmarnock, Law-Agent for Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of COLIN DUNCAN M'KENZIE, residing at 64 Grant Street, Glasgow.

Y virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire (Mr. Sheriff Spens), Colin Duncan M'Kenzie, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the 'Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856,' and Acts explaining and amending the same.

D. MacLachlan, 95 Bath Street, Glasgow, Agent.

Glasgow, 3rd January 1889.

In the SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM SCOTT, Grocer and Provision Merchant, Newton of Mearns.

NTIMATION is hereby given that a Deed of Arrange-ment, signed by four-fifths in number and value of Process; and Mr. Sheriff Cowan has granted a Deliverance requiring all parties interested, who desire to oppose the approval thereof, to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Paisley a Notice of Appearance within the days from this data. ten days from this date.

> GORDON, SMITH, & PARKER, Writers, 205 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agents.

4th January 1889.

THE Estates of the Deceased EWEN CATTANACH, Slater, Newtonmore, in the County of Inverness, were Sequestrated by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, on 2nd January 1889.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of Decem-

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 12th day of January 1889, within the Faculty Hall, The Castle, Inverness.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 2nd day of May 1889.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

KENNETH MACDONALD,

Solicitor, Town Hall, Inverness, Agent.

Inverness, 2nd January 1889.

NOTICE.

HE Estates of JAMES CONNOLLY, Saddler, English Street, Dumfries, were Sequestrated on the 2nd day of January 1889, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway.

and Galloway.

The first Deliverance is dated 2nd January 1889.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 15th day of the said month of January, within the Queensberry Hotel, Dumfries.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 2nd day of May 1889.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

J. A. & W. Moodie, Solicitors,

93 Irish Street, Dumfries, Agents.

PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff La of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of John White, Scotstoun Grain Mills, Partick, and Archibald M'Donald, Mill Manager, Glasgow, the surviving and accepting Trustees acting under the Trust Disposition and Settlement of the late Robert Burns Thomson, who resided at 26 Carment Drive, Shawlands, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN THOMSON, Brush Manufacturer, 38 Stockwell Street, Glasgow, and residing at 41 Darnley Street, Pollokshields, Glasgow, lately trading under the name or style of R. B. Thomson, Brush Manufacturer, Glasgow, and presently a Partuer of the Firm of R. B. Thomson & Co., Brush Manufacturers there, as such Partner, and as an Individual, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said John Thomson to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given. all which Intimation is hereby given.

MILLIGAN & ALSTON, Agents, 241 West George Street.

Glasgow, 31st December 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of MITCHELL GEORGESAN. Carpenter and Contractor in Scalloway, Shetland.

BRUCE HUNTER, Accountant Lerwick, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Mitchell, Agent for the Union Bank of Scotland Limited at Lerwick, and John James Moir, Partner of the Firm of Messrs. Mitchell, Thomson, & Co., Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Partner of the Firm of Messrs. Mitchell, Indinson, & Co., Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Lerwick, on Friday the 11th January next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Sheriff Court Room, Lerwick, on the 25th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon.

R. B. HUNTER, Trustee.