Council; provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to or affect the interests of any bursars on either of the said foundations at the date of its coming into force.

In witness whereof these presents are sealed with the seal of the Commission.



A. S. KINNEAR, Chairman.

## SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, have made an Ordinance relating to Regulations for Ruddiman and Ninian Bruce Foundations in the University of Aberdeen, and have ordered the same to be laid before both Houses of Parliament, in terms of section 20, sub-section (1), of the said Act.

ROBT. FITZROY BELL, Secretary.

18 Duke Street, Edinburgh, 6th March 1895.

UNIVERSITIES (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1889. 52 and 53 Vict. c. 55.

## ORDINANCE No. 114.

[ABERDEEN, No. 22.—REGULATIONS FOR RUDDI-MAN AND NINIAN BRUCE FOUNDATIONS.]

At Edinburgh, the sixth day of March eighteen hundred and ninety-five years.

WHEREAS by the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, the Commissioners under the said Act are empowered by section 14, sub-section 1, to regulate the foundations, mortifications, gifts, endowments, and bursaries held by any of the Universities or Colleges thereof existing at the passing of the said Act, or by any person in trust for or on behalf of the same, or for the benefit of any Professors, Students, or others therein, which have taken effect for more than twenty-five years previously to the passing of the said Act, or if given within less than twenty-five years, are wholly or partially inoperative or dormant; and in particular (a) to alter the conditions or directions affecting the same, if it shall appear to the Commissioners that the interests of learning and the main design of the donor, so far as is consistent with the promotion of such interests, may be better advanced by such alteration; (b) to combine or divide bursaries and to establish bursary funds: And whereas there are in the Faculty of Arts in the University of Aberdeen a bursary known as the Ruddiman Bursary, on the foundation of Dr. William Ruddiman, of date in or about the year seventeen hundred and ninetyfour; and a bursary, known as the Ninian Bruce Bursary, also in the Faculty of Arts, on the foundation of Ann Bruce, of date in or about the year eighteen hundred and forty-nine: And whereas the value of the bursaries on the said two foundations is now very small, and it appears to the Commissioners under the said Act that the interests of learning and the main design of the donors would be better advanced by an alteration of the conditions and directions affecting the said two foundations in manner hereinafter provided:

Therefore the Commissioners under the said Act statute and ordain, with regard to the said foundations in the University of Aberdeen, as follows:—

- I. The said bursary on the foundation of Dr. William Ruddiman and the said Ninian Bruce Bursary shall hereafter be conjoined into one bursary, to be called the Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary, and the holder of the Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary shall receive the free annual income of the said two foundations.
- II. No appointment to the said bursary on the foundation of Dr. William Ruddiman alone, or to the said Ninian Bruce Bursary alone, shall hereafter be made for the same period of tenure as heretofore; but in the event of the said existing bursaries not falling vacant at the same time, the Senatus Academicus may select a deserving student to hold the bursary which shall first fall vacant during the unexpired period of the tenure of the other bursary, or the University Court may, on the report of the Senatus Academicus, allow the same to remain vacant, and the income to be added to the capital fund of the foundation. As soon as the existing bursaries on the said foundations are both vacant, and not sooner, an appointment shall be made of one bursar, and no more, to the said Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary; and so on, as often as the Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary shall thereafter become vacant.
- III. The said Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary shall be tenable for four years, and no longer, subject to the provisions of the Ordinance mentioned in the immediately succeeding section hereof.
- IV. The provisions of Ordinance No. 57 [General, No. 19.—Regulations as to Bursaries, Scholarships, and Fellowships] shall apply to the said Ruddiman and Bruce Bursary.
- V. This Ordinance shall come into force from and after the date of its approval by Her Majesty in Council; provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to or affect the interests of any bursar on either of the said foundations at the date of its coming into force.

In witness whereof these presents are sealed with the seal of the Commission.



A. S. KINNEAR, Chairman.

## SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, have made an Ordinance relating to Regulations for Hutton Foundation in the University of Aberdeen, and have ordered the same to be laid before both Houses of Parliament, in terms of section 20, sub-section (1), of the said Act.

ROBT. FITZROY BELL, Secretary.

18 Duke Street, Edinburgh, 6th March 1895.