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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' PALACE, March 6, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Royal Highness The Duke of Connaught and Strathearne will hold a Levee at St. James' Palace on Thursday the 26th instant, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' PALACE, March 10, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Thursday the 23rd April next, at three o'clock.

N.B.—The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room are requested to bring with them to the Drawing Room two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and

the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

The privilege of making Presentations to The Queen at a Drawing Room is restricted to those Ladies who have themselves been previously presented to Her Majesty, and who are themselves present at the Drawing Room.

Under such circumstances a Lady has the privilege of presenting one Lady only at a Drawing Room in addition to her Daughters or Daughters-in-law.

This restriction does not apply to Ladies who, from official position or other circumstances, are specially privileged to make Presentations to Her Majesty.

The Lady who proposes to present another must send in writing the name of such Lady to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Drawing Room, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the name to Her Majesty, when, if it be approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded.

Printed Forms for this purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Lady to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the Presentation Cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Drawing Room, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The number of Presentations is limited to 200 at each Drawing Room.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

LATHOM, Lord Chamberlain.

SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, have made the following Ordinance relating to Regulations for Degrees in Arts, supplementary to Ordinances Nos. 11 and 44, in the Universities of St. Andrews, Glasgow, Aberdeen, and Edinburgh, 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,
25th February 1896.

UNIVERSITIES (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1889.

52 and 53 Vict. c. 55.

ORDINANCE No. 148.

[GENERAL, No. 33.—REGULATIONS FOR DEGREES IN ARTS, SUPPLEMENTARY TO ORDINANCES NOS. 11 AND 44.]

At Edinburgh, the twenty-fifth day of February eighteen hundred and ninety-six years.

Whereas on the third day of February eighteen hundred and ninety-two years, the Commissioners under the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, issued an Ordinance No. 11, General No. 6, regulating the course of study for graduation in Arts; and whereas on the thirteenth day of December eighteen hundred and ninety-three years, the said Commissioners issued an Ordinance No. 44, General No. 16, supplementary to the said Ordinance No. 11; and whereas it is expedient that the said Ordinances should be amended as hereinafter provided, the Commissioners under the said Act declare and ordain as follows:—

I. Section III., sub-section 1, of the first recited Ordinance shall be read and construed as if after the word "Italian" there were inserted the words, "or such other language as the Senatus Academicus may approve."

II. Section XII. of the first recited Ordinance shall be read and construed as if at the end of the section there were added as a new sub-section the words—" (4) Every candidate shall have obtained " a certificate of his attendance on the class of " Latin or Greek, under sub-sections (1) or (2) of " this section, before he offers himself for examination " in his Honours group of subjects."

III. Candidates for Honours in Mental Philosophy who have included Latin, but not Greek, as one of the subjects in which the standard of examination is the same as that required for the ordinary degree of Master of Arts, shall be deemed to have satisfied the pro-

visions of Section XII., sub-section (2), of the first recited Ordinance, if, before they offer themselves for the Honours Examination in Mental Philosophy, they shall have passed a special examination in translating into English passages from the works of Greek philosophical authors, including passages from the works of such authors not previously prescribed.

IV. This Ordinance shall come into force at the beginning of the first academical year after the date on which it is approved by Her Majesty in Council.

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

A. S. KINNEAR,

Chairman.

L. S.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE,

March 9, 1896.

At a Meeting of the Privy Council held this day, in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable the Vice-Chancellor and the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls were sworn Lords Justices for the Government of Ireland during the absence of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

At the Court at Windsor, the 6th day of March 1896.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day Sir Nicholas Roderick O'Connor, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 6th day of March 1896.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Lord Balfour of Burleigh.

Lord James of Hereford.

Sir Nicholas Roderick O'Connor.

Whereas by the first section of "The Colonial Probates Act, 1892," it is enacted as follows:—

"Her Majesty the Queen may, on being satisfied that the Legislature of any British Possession has made adequate provision for the recognition in that Possession of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom, direct by Order in Council that this Act shall, subject to any exceptions and modifications specified in the Order, apply to that Possession, and thereupon, while the Order is in force, this Act shall apply accordingly."

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Legislature of the British Possession hereinafter mentioned has made adequate provision for the

recognition in that Possession of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

“The Colonial Probates Act, 1892,” shall apply to the British Possession hereunder mentioned:—

The Colony of the Leeward Islands.

And the Right Honourable Joseph Chamberlain, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 6th day of March
1896.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas, by an Order in Council made on the fifteenth August one thousand eight hundred and ninety, Her Majesty was pleased to make certain Regulations in order to secure greater uniformity in the rules governing officers of higher rank than the Second Division in the several Departments of the Civil Service:

And whereas it is expedient that similar Regulations, so far as circumstances admit, should be made with respect to pensionable officers in the Consular Service of her Majesty:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order shall apply to all such Consular officers and other persons employed in or in connection with the Consular Service as are entitled to receive superannuation allowances under the Superannuation Acts, 1834 to 1892, and any Acts amending those Acts.

2. Except in the case of officers appointed by Commission from Her Majesty, every person hereafter certificated by the Civil Service Commissioners for appointment to the Consular Service shall be subject to a strict probation for a period of two years, during which his conduct and capacity in the transaction of business shall be subject to such tests as may be determined by the Secretary of State, and he shall not be finally appointed to the Consular Service unless his probation shall furnish to the Secretary of State satisfactory proof of his fitness to be permanently employed in the Consular Service.

3. Promotion of officers in the Consular Service shall be strictly according to merit, and shall take place subject to the following conditions:—

(1) That there is a vacancy which, under the arrangements sanctioned for the time being by the Commissioners of the Treasury, it is competent for the Secretary of State to fill up;

(2) That the work of the Consular Service requires such vacancy to be filled up;

(3) That the officer proposed for promotion appears to the Secretary of State to be fit to discharge the duties of the higher office.

4. Every officer hereafter appointed to the Consular Service shall be required to retire at the

age of sixty-five on such pension as by the length of his service he is qualified to receive.

Officers heretofore appointed to the Consular Service shall be required to retire at the age of seventy.

If in any special case the Secretary of State is satisfied that the retirement of an officer would be detrimental to the interests of the public service, he may, with the concurrence of the Commissioners of the Treasury, from time to time extend that officer's employment for such period or periods, not exceeding five years, as he may determine.

Nothing in this Article shall affect any existing power of the Secretary of State to require any officer to retire from the Consular Service if he has ceased, from whatever cause, to be fully competent for the performance of his duties.

5. The Consular Service shall be governed by such instructions as may from time to time be issued by a Secretary of State with the approval, in so far as such instructions may affect the expenditure of public funds, or the receipt and application of fees, of the Commissioners of the Treasury.

6. This order may be cited as “The Consular Service Order in Council, 1896.”

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 6th day of March
1896.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas under and by virtue of an Order in Council dated the eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and the New Consolidated Tables of Duties referred to in and approved by an Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, it is provided that there shall be paid for every ship, whether British or Foreign, entering or departing from the Port of London from or to the southward, if on a voyage to or from ports in the Bay of Biscay, ports south of Cape Finisterre, Gibraltar, and ports within the Straits, America, and the West Indies, the toll of three-sixteenths of a penny per ton of the burden of every ship for each time of passing or deriving benefit from the light-vessels known as the “Edinburgh Channel” and the “Black Deep” at the entrance to the River Thames.

And whereas by virtue of section six hundred and forty-five of “The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894,” Her Majesty may by Order in Council increase, vary or reduce any light dues payable in respect of any lighthouse, buoy or beacon for the time being under the management of a general lighthouse authority.

And whereas the provisions of section one of “The Rules Publication Act, 1893,” have been complied with.

And whereas it is fit and proper that the Light Duties payable in respect of the said “Edinburgh Channel” and “Black Deep” Lights should be varied in manner hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty doth by this Order in Council order and direct that, after the date of this Order, there shall be paid for every ship, whether British or Foreign, entering or departing from the Port of London from or to the southward, if on a voyage to or from ports in the Bay of Biscay, ports south of Cape Finisterre,

Gibraltar, and ports within the Straits, America, and West Indies, the toll of three-sixteenths of a penny per ton of the burden of every such ship in respect of each of the said lights known as the "Edinburgh Channel" and the "Black Deep," for every time of passing each of the said lights. Save and except that such Light Duties shall be payable once only in respect of the same voyage, if such voyage commences or terminates at a port within the following limits, that is to say, the coast of the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, and the Continent of Europe between the River Elbe and Brest inclusive.

Save as hereinbefore mentioned, the said tolls shall be levied subject to the regulations, exemptions, and abatements or discounts contained or referred to in the said New Consolidated Tables of Light Duties, or to such other regulations, exemptions, and abatements or discounts as may from time to time be duly sanctioned.

C. L. PEEL.

WHITEHALL, March 9, 1896.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, nominating the Reverend George Carnac Fisher, M.A., to be Suffragan Bishop of Southampton, in the Diocese of Winchester, in the room of Doctor William Awdry, resigned.

RATES FOR TELEGRAMS TO CUBA (WEST INDIES).

The Rates for Telegrams to Cuba (West Indies) are as stated below:—

		For each word.	
		s.	d.
Cuba:—			
Havana ...	{ Anglo-American Co. Direct U.S. Cable Co. Paris & New York Co. Western Union Co... Commercial Co. ... }	2	8
Aguadas de Pasajeros, Caibarien, Camajuani, Cienfuegos, Corralillo, Fomento, Guaracabulla, Isabela de Sagna, Las Cruces, Los Abreus, Placetas, Quemado de Guines, Remedios, Rodas, Sagna, Santa Clara, Santo Domingo, Sierra Morena, Yaguajay, Yaguaramas ...	do. do.	3	6
Santiago ...	do. do.	4	9
Casilda, Trinidad ...	do. do.	3	9
Sancti Spiritus, Tunas de Zaza ...	do. do.	3	11
Ciego de Avila, Jucaro, Moron ...	do. do.	4	2
Puert Principe, Santa Cruz del Sur ...	do. do.	4	4
Bayamo, Manzanillo ...	do. do.	4	7
Guantanamo via Caimanera ...	do. do.	4	9*
All other places ...	do. do.	2	10

* Plus an extra charge of 4s. 2d. for ten words, and 10d. each extra word.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 10, 1896.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

March 5, 1896.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Boy Clerk—William Mauger Luce.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London—Raymond Dowse, James Norris Hammon.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Painter—William John Fleming.

Labourer—George Morris.

Sheerness Dockyard, Shipwright—Joseph Shaw.

Consular Service: Constable in Her Majesty's Consulate, Ningpo—Robert Davidson Craig.

Post Office: Postman, London—William Edward Bailey.

Porter, London—Arthur Longhurst.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—Joseph Little Angear (Leominster), William George Henry Elson (Wickham Market), Elizabeth Kennedy Johnston (Moffat), Fannie Isabel Price (Sheffield), Andrew Hutton Robertson (Stirling), Kathleen Mary Waters (Eastbourne), Frank Clay Whitehurst (Manchester).

Postmen—Edward Lay (Cardiff), Richard Walters (Sheffield).

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Valuation Office, Ireland: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor Class)—Harry Eardley Frederick M'Lean.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS.

Ernest Bacon, Frederick Charles Bailey, Arthur William Cunningham, Donald Duntun, Harry Lush, Archibald M'Auley, Charles Leonard Norman, Percy Henry Wright.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Herbert Warren.

March 6, 1896.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Boy Clerks—Joseph Forbes Duncan, Basil M'Laughlin.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise—William Arthur Howell Fisher, Patrick Martin Leahy O'Sullivan.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Home Office: Factory Inspector's Assistant—
Albert George Henry Thatcher.

Post Office: Postmen, London—Charles William
Bye, Frederick James Charlott.

Skilled Lineman—Tom Longden.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—
Mary Jackson Gill (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Henry
M'Kendrick (Perth), Frederick Spencer Naylor
(Gainsborough).

Postman, Ashford, Kent—Edward William
Paine.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS.

Edgar John Dowty, George Ernest Harris, Alfred
Edward Shareman, Harry William John
Wilkinson.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
MESSENGER.

Daniel Bosson.

March 7, 1896.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Clerk, London—Angela
Elizabeth Mary Arrigoni.

Female Telegraph Learner in the Central
Office, London—Edith Georgiana Troughton.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Assistant Matron
—Alice Maude Blakey.

Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third
Class Clerk in the Office of the Masters in
Lunacy—John Nicolas Addison Phillips.

Post Office: Postmen, London—Thomas Beach,
Edward Arthur Bullock, Charles John Hinton,
Thomas Read, William Wells.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner,
Derby—William Campbell.

Postmen — Thomas Dalling (Dalbeattie),
Daniel John James (Llanely), James Wyer
(Tenbury).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS.

George William Ayerst, Nevill William Thomas
Frost, Leonard Marchant.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN
Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week
ended 7th March 1896, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	32,974	7	25	4
Barley	51,274	0	21	5
Oats	20,879	7	13	8

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from
1892 to 1895.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1892	69,700	3	57,805	3	15,023	4	32	11	27	11	20	2
1893	54,055	1	56,140	2	16,337	7	25	0	25	2	18	1
1894	49,179	1	29,216	3	17,032	4	24	3	27	0	18	4
1895	60,060	7	58,188	1	22,145	7	19	9	21	6	13	9

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British
Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel,
or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel,
and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial
pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine
imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture,
March 7, 1896.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 7th March 1896, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		QUANTITIES.	
		1895.	1896.
Animals living :—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves... ..	Number	6,677	12,151
Sheep and Lambs	"	12,248	13,109
Swine	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—			
Beef	Cwts.	29,847	52,159
Mutton	"	5,923	70,634
Pork	"	6,495	6,430
Salted or Preserved Meat :—			
Bacon	"	94,348	68,123
Beef	"	7,423	4,203
Hams	"	24,911	17,335
Pork	"	4,852	3,239
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	6,007	7,636
Meat, preserved otherwise than by salting	"	17,303	12,409
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—			
Butter	"	44,208	64,904
Margarine	"	19,325	20,542
Cheese	"	18,351	26,074
Milk and Cream, fresh	Gallons	9,100	685
Condensed Milk	Cwts.	10,158	13,014
Eggs	Great Hundred	162,276	229,096
Poultry and Game	Value £	15,289	17,157
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	Cwts.	2,211	3,101
Lard	"	52,796	15,611
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—			
Wheat	"	1,327,530	1,093,000
Wheat Meal and Flour... ..	"	261,440	399,870
Barley	"	574,800	172,140
Oats	"	34,720	101,730
Pease	"	34,800	35,320
Beans	"	62,800	22,640
Maize or Indian Corn	"	462,300	887,500
Fruit, Raw :—			
Apples	Bush.	66,101	40,066
Oranges	"	263,443	209,147
Lemons	"	17,367	9,037
Cherries	"	—	—
Plums	"	—	10
Pears	"	868	6
Grapes	"	227	459
Unenumerated	"	2,884	5,911
Hay	Tons	1,821	1,060
Hops	Cwts.	5,811	2,626
Vegetables :—			
Onions, raw	Bush.	67,912	78,131
Potatoes... ..	Cwts.	51,497	3,038
Unenumerated	Value £	15,153	16,573

T. J. PITTAR.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1894.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th March 1896, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.
—	No.	No.
Wigtown	1	2
TOTAL	1	2

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1894.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th March 1896, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
—	No.	No.
Aberdeen	1	1
Elgin or Moray	1	8
Forfar	1	1
Haddington	1	1
Mid-Lothian	1	1
TOTAL	5	12

GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous Week.	Animals Reported during the Week as Attacked.
—	No.	No.	No.
Lanark	2	—	2
TOTAL	2	—	2

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Oliver Burrows (trading as W. Wilkins & Co.), trading at 60, 61, and 62 Banner Street, St. Luke's, and residing at 89 Southgate Road, all in the county of London, boot and shoe manufacturer.

William Brown Cooper (otherwise Willis B. Cooper), 14 High Street, Marylebone, Middlesex, trading there as Willis B. Cooper, draper.

Adam Seymour Dickson Duncan, a member of the New Oxford and Cambridge Club, 68 Pall Mall, Middlesex, whose present residence the petitioning creditor is unable to ascertain, but who is domiciled in England.

Patrick Marcellinus Leonard, Kerrfield, near Winchester, Hampshire, county court judge.

Samuel Tilley, 15 Brondesbury Road, 56 High Road, Kilburn, and 25 Bedford Row, all in Middlesex, solicitor.

James Griffiths, Buckingham, boot and shoe retailer.

Stephen Gibbs, Mortimer Street, Herne Bay, Kent, and carrying on business at High Street, Herne Bay aforesaid, veterinary surgeon and blacksmith.

Henry Morgan Rees, Cogan House, near Penarth, and Baltic Buildings, Mount Stuart Square, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, solicitor.

Ben Davies, 42 Stepney Street, Llanely, Carmarthenshire, general clothier and outfitter.

David Edwards, Penlanced, Llanddewiaberarth, Cardiganshire, cattle dealer.

Edwin Chinnick, 83 Axe Street and 20 Broadway, both in Barking, Essex, boot and shoe dealer.

Arthur Cole, Burnham-on-Crouch, Essex, draper and clothier, and waterman.

William James Seckerson, 31 Stanley Road, Croydon, Surrey, shorthand clerk.

David Millar, late of Ironville, and the Red Lion, Canal Street, Derby, both in Derbyshire, now in lodgings at Underwood Hill, Eastwood, Nottinghamshire, late clothier and outfitter, and licensed victualler, now out of business.

George Gilbert Audsley, Wresden, Uley, Gloucestershire, machinist.

Thomas Henry Burnett, Wood Furze, Abbey Road, and 50 Corporation Road, Great Grimsby, builder.

Robert Tait, Salamanca Barracks, Aldershot, in the county of Southampton, sergeant master tailor in Her Majesty's 1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders.

Edward Aspinall (trading as Henry Spencer & Co.), residing at Sunny Cliffe, Lightcliffe, near Halifax, Yorkshire, and trading at 58 Northgate, Halifax, wholesale and retail draper.

Robert Meadowcroft, Market Street, Kidsgrove, Staffordshire, grocer.

John Webb, The Steps, Grosmont, Monmouthshire, butcher.

Samuel Slater, Northgate, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, fruiterer and fish dealer.

Frank Freeman, late of Tunstall, Suffolk, now of Rose Villa, Yoxford, Suffolk, late baker, now out of business.

Robert Huck, Barrows Green, near Kendal, Westmorland, farmer, carrying on business separately at Barrows Green, and Robert Gibson Huck, The Stubb, Preston Richard, Westmorland (carrying on business as Robert Huck & Son), The Stubb, Preston Richard, Westmorland, farmers.

Robert Atkinson, 7 Hanover View, in the city of Leeds, lately trading at Wellington Bridge, Leeds, fruiterer.

Frederick Plowman, Saxelby, Leicestershire, grazier.

Helen Everall, Corve Street, Ludlow, Salop, ironmonger, wife of Thomas Everall, of the same place.

Thomas Everall, Corve Street, Ludlow, Salop, ironmonger's manager.

Richard Gadd, residing at 54 Chorlton Road, Manchester, and Edward James Gadd, residing in lodgings at Meadowcroft, Dane Road, Sale, Cheshire (trading as Richard Gadd and his Brother), at 54 Market Street, and 53 Oxford Street, both in Manchester, 25 Bradshawgate, Bolton, and St. James' Street, Burnley, all in Lancashire, of Railway Street, Altricham, Cheshire, and Victoria Street, Douglas, Isle of Man, tobacconists.

James Taylor, 5 Prospect Road, West Cowes, Isle of Wight, dealer in patent medicines.

Eleanora Tothill, King William Inn, Llanarth Street, Newport, Monmouthshire, innkeeper, the wife of William Tothill, carrying on a trade separately from her husband.

George Trenholme, Thirsk, Yorkshire, joiner.

Frederick Thomas Bailey, 28 The Arcade, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire, watchmaker and jeweller.

Benjamin Fenton, 31 Lord Street, and residing at 37 Great Avenham Street, both in Preston, Lancashire, tobacconist.

Thomas William Kibble, 5 Temperance Cottages, Arthur Street, Crayford, Kent, gardener.
 William Thomas Hogg, 30 London Road, St. Albans, Hertfordshire, mechanical engineer.
 Robert France, 4 Claremont Street, Shrewsbury, painter and decorator.
 Joseph Henry Worth, 47 Bore Street, Bodmin, Cornwall, plumber.
 Amos Plevin, 6 and 8 Bridge Street, Walsall, Staffordshire, saddler and tobacconist.
 George William Curzon, 14 Regent Street, Runcorn, Cheshire, decorator.
 William Robert Newport, Hillingdon East, Middlesex, corn merchant and florist.
 Alfred Lee, Richard Alfred Lee, and Arthur Robert Lee (trading together as Lee), 1 Clarence Street, York, painters and paperhangers.
 John Edwin Windsor Lord, 7 Duchy Grove, Harrogate, formerly of 16 Duchy Grove, Harrogate, late of Hilderthorpe, Bridlington, Hamilton Place, Alford, Lincolnshire, and 21 West Cliffe Terrace, Harrogate, teacher of music.

The following Amended Notices are substituted for those published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 6th March 1896:—Thomas Gethin, jun., Adfa and Penfraithwen, in the parish of Llanwyddelan, Montgomeryshire, bootmaker.

Samuel Clarke, Church Street, Frodsham, Cheshire, lately trading at the Cholmondely Arms, Church Street, Frodsham, and in Main Street, Frodsham aforesaid, potato dealer, late beer-house keeper and beer seller, wholesale and retail.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Miss KATHARINE ISABELLA WILLIAMSON, of Cardrona, in the County of Peebles, Heiress of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estates of CARDRONA, HUTCHENFIELD, KIRKBURN, MAILINGSLAND, and Others, situated formerly in the Counties of Peebles and Selkirk, and now wholly within the County of Peebles, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Shaw, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 38 and 39 Victoria, cap. 61, and 45 and 46 Victoria, cap. 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to substitute a Bond and Disposition in security or Bonds and Dispositions in security for the Annual Rent of £204, 10s. 11d., presently affecting the said Entailed Lands and Estates. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation and advertisement, the 12th day of March 1896.

MYLNE & CAMPBELL, W.S.,
 Agents of the Petitioner.

36 Castle Street, Edinburgh,
 13th March 1896.

THE SCOTTISH PROVIDENT INSTITUTION.

THE Fifty-Eighth Annual General Meeting of the Members will be held in the Waterloo Rooms, on Wednesday the 25th instant, at two o'clock P.M.

JAMES GRAHAM WATSON, Manager.

6 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
 12th March 1896.

THE LETHAM GAS LIGHT COMPANY LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held within Maxwell's Hotel, Letham,

in the County of Forfar, on Thursday, 26th March 1896, at seven o'clock P.M., for the purpose of (1) considering an Extraordinary Resolution which will then be proposed approving of the action of the Liquidator in effecting a sale by private bargain of the heritable property and plant, &c., belonging to the Company; and for the purpose of (2) receiving from the Liquidator an account of his acts and dealings, and of the manner in which the Liquidation has been conducted and the Company's property disposed of, and of passing an Extraordinary Resolution approving of the same; and for the purpose of (3) passing an Extraordinary Resolution giving directions as to the disposal of the books and papers of the Company.

The foregoing Extraordinary Resolutions do not require to be confirmed at any subsequent Meeting of Shareholders.

ALEX. FREEMAN, Solicitor, Forfar, Liquidator.

11th March 1896.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Fifeshire at Cupar, at the instance of Messrs. J. & W. Henderson, Slate Merchants, Upper Quay, Aberdeen, against WILLIAM SIMPSON, Slater, Tayport, sole Partner of the Firm of Thomas Simpson & Son, Slaters there; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said William Simpson to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court Room, Cupar, on Thursday the 26th day of March 1896, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

DICKIE & PAUL, Solicitors, Agents.

Whitehall Chambers, Dundee,
 11th March 1896.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Dundee, at the instance of Archibald Eadie & Co., Tradeston Paint Mills, 54 Cook Street, Glasgow, against MESSRS. FLEMING & COMPANY, Irvine Square, Dundee; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Messrs. Fleming & Company to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, on Friday the 27th day of March 1896, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all their Creditors are required to attend.

DICKIE & PAUL, Solicitors, Agents.

Whitehall Chambers, Dundee,
 March 1896.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Perthshire at Perth, at the instance of HENRY BLAIR, JUNIOR, Journeyman Saddler, Errol, Perthshire, against his Creditors; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Perth, upon Friday the 27th day of March 1896, at two o'clock afternoon, when the said Henry Blair, junior, will appear for Examination, in terms of the Statutes.

DICKIE & PAUL, Solicitors, Agents.

Whitehall Chambers, Dundee,
 11th March 1896.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar at Dundee, at the instance of Brockington Brothers, Manufacturing Goldsmiths and Silversmiths, Birmingham, Pursuers, against JOHN K. SMITH, Jeweller, No. 8 West Port, Dundee, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said John K. Smith to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, upon the 25th day of March 1896, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all Creditors are required to appear.

JAMES URQUHART, Solicitor,
 Agent for Petitioners.

32 Bank Street, Dundee,
 12th March 1896.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Hugh Miller, Hay, Straw, and Grain Merchant, 4 Maxwell Street, Partick, against WILLIAM THOMSON, 1 West View Cottage, Whiteinch; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said William Thomson to appear in Court, within the Sheriff-Substitute's Chambers (Mr. Strachan's), County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on the 24th day of March 1896, at 10.45 o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are requested to attend.

DAVID U. DICKIE, Solicitor,
173 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Agent.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland at Dingwall, at the instance of John Meiklem & Company, Tea Merchants, 66 and 68 Robertson Street, Glasgow, Pursuers, against Mrs. ISABELLA PATIENCE, Grocer, Avoch, Ross-shire, carrying on business on her own account, and DONALD PATIENCE, her husband, Fishmonger there, as taking burden on him for his said wife; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Mrs. Isabella Patience and Donald Patience to appear in Court, within the Court House of Dingwall, on the 23rd day of March current, at twelve o'clock noon, for Examination, at which all their Creditors are required to attend.

FRANCOIS SQUAIR, Solicitor, Inverness,
Agent.

1 Lombard Street, 12th March 1896.

THE Estates of WILLIAM SKENE, Merchant, Craigellachie, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Stuart, Solicitor, Huntly, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 8th July 1896. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Banff, on 29th July 1896, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon.

JOHN STUART, Trustee.

THE Estates of MATTHEW HARVIE, Cabinet-maker, 57 Portugal Street, South Side, Glasgow, and residing at 40 Bedford Street, Glasgow, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Wishart, Accountant, West George Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims on or before 20th April 1896. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff within Room No. 24, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 12th day of May 1896, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon.

THOS. NELSON, Solicitor,
113 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

Glasgow, 12th March 1896.

THE Estates of BENJAMIN M'INNES, Joiner, Muthill, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to James M'Beth, Solicitor in Auchterarder, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 26th day of March 1896. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Perth, on the 17th day of April next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

W. M. JEFFRAY, Solicitor, Agent.

Auchterarder, 11th March 1896.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland at Wick, at the instance of the Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland, incorporated by Act of

Parliament, and having their Head Office in Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of WILLIAM HENDERSON, Farmer, Harpsdale, in the Parish of Halkirk and County of Caithness, his Lordship granted Warrant for citing the said William Henderson to appear in Court on the tenth day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; all of which Intimation is hereby given.

JAS. BRIMS, Solicitor,
Sir George's Street, Thurso,
Agent for Petitioners.

Thurso, 12th March 1896.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland at Wick, at the instance of the Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland, incorporated by Act of Parliament, and having their Head Office in Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN CAMPBELL, Farmer, Harpsdale, in the Parish of Halkirk and County of Caithness, his Lordship granted Warrant for citing the said John Campbell to appear in Court on the tenth day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; all of which Intimation is hereby given.

JAS. BRIMS, Solicitor,
Sir George Street, Thurso,
Agent for Petitioners.

Thurso, 12th March 1896.

THE Estates of Mrs. JEANIE RUSSEL HENDRY or YOUNG, residing in Montgomery Street, Irvine, wife of Alexander Young, Sailmaker, Irvine, were Sequestrated on the 7th day of March 1896, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr at Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated the 7th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 21st day of March 1896, within the King's Arms Hotel in Ayr.

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 7th day of July 1896.

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

ROBERT YOUNG, Solicitor, Troon, Agent.

THE Estates of JAMES CAMPBELL, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Railway Tavern, Longriggend, were Sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1896, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 23rd day of March 1896, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

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 10th day of July 1896.

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

JOHN COATS, Writer,
160 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM SOMERVILLE, Boot-maker in Lauder, were Sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1896, by the Sheriff of Berwickshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 24th day of March 1896, within the Volunteer Hall in Lauder.

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 10th day of July 1896.

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

ROMANES & RANKIN, Solicitors, Lauder,
Agents.

THE Estates of THOMAS BLACK & COMPANY, Builders, Glasgow, and Thomas Black, 95 Broad Street, Glasgow, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestered on 10th March 1896, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 20th day of March 1896, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this latter Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 10th day of July 1896.

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

W. POOLE WATSON, Writer,
196 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN WATSON BAIRD, Hotel Keeper, Dundee, were Sequestered on the 10th day of March 1896, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 21st day of March 1896, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee.

A Composition may be offered at this latter Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 10th day of July 1896.

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

A. C. TULLIS, 14 Meadowside, Dundee,
Agent.

THE Estates of CYRIL EUGENE COOKE, Cooke's Circus, Paisley, were Sequestered on the 12th day of March 1896, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 11th day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Friday the 20th day of March 1896, at twelve o'clock noon, within the County Hotel, Paisley.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to a first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 11th day of July 1896.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley.

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

W. A. FARQUHARSON, S.S.C.,
Agent.

1 Albyn Place, Edinburgh,
12th March 1896.

THE Estates of JOHN STURROCK, Baker, residing in Ceres, by Cupar-Fife, were Sequestered on the 12th day of March 1896, by the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of March 1896.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at a quarter-past eleven o'clock forenoon, on Saturday the 21st day of March 1896, within the Procurators' Library, Cupar.

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 12th day of July 1896.

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

T. & R. J. DAVIDSON, Solicitors, Cupar,
Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of MATHESON & COMPANY, Chronometer Makers, 47 Shore, Leith, and John Sellar Matheson, Chronometer Maker there, the sole Partner of said Firm.

ROBERT GRAINGER STIRLING, Notary-Public, Leith, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Vittorio G. Ressich, Shipbroker, Leith, has been elected Commissioner. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 23rd day of March 1896, at two o'clock afternoon. The second statutory Meeting of Creditors will be held in the Chambers of Messrs. Wallace & Pennell, W.S., 3 Bernard Street, Leith, on Wednesday the 1st day of April 1896, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Meeting the election of other two Commissioners will fall to be made.

R. G. STIRLING, Trustee.

3 Bernard Street, Leith,
13th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of DAVID LAMBIE, residing at 159 Buccleuch Street, Garnethill, Glasgow, and trading as M. LAMBIE, Confectioner, 241 Great Western Road, Glasgow.

JAMES M'LAY, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Matthew Brechin, a Partner of the Firm of Brechin Brothers, Fleshers, 75 Elderslie Street, Glasgow, John F. Watson, sole Partner of the London and Paris Mantle Company, Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, and Robert Roxburgh, Wholesale Confectioner, 403 Great Western Road, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Guthrie, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 18th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Trustee hereby intimates that at the Meeting for the election of Trustee the Bankrupt made an offer of Composition of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on his whole debts, payable in cash within one month after the date of his discharge, with security, the Bankrupt also to pay or provide for the whole expenses attending the Sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee, and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at the second General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. M'Lay, M'Alister, & M'Gibbon, Chartered Accountants, 94 Hope Street, Glasgow, upon Friday the 27th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JAMES M'LAY, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 11th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT SINCLAIR, Cycle Merchant, No. 231 George Street, Glasgow, trading as ST. GEORGE'S CYCLE AGENCY, Glasgow.

JOHNS FRENCH, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David Learmonth, 267 Paisley Road, and William Thomas Smith, Accountant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Spens, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon Friday the 20th current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Mr. John French, Accountant, 74 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 2nd day of April 1896, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN FRENCH, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS WINTERTON, Drug Merchant, 4 York Street, Glasgow, trading as T. WINTERTON & COMPANY, Drug Merchants there, of which he is the sole Partner.

ROBERT DICK FRASER, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Armour Aikman, Produce Broker, Glasgow, Robert Service Wilson Baird, Produce and Chemical Broker there, and Peter William Griffiths, Beeswax Importer and Refiner, Maryhill, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Glasgow (Mr. Sheriff Spens' Chambers), on Monday the 23rd day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. Fraser & Ferguson, C.A., 190 West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 31st day of March 1896, at twelve o'clock noon.

ROBT. D. FRASER, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER & LEVITUS, Jewellers and Hardware Merchants, No. 4 Chambers Street, Edinburgh, as a Company, and Meyer Alexander and Maurice Levitus, both Jewellers, carrying on business there, the sole Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

WILLIAM BRODIE GALBRAITH, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Considine, S.S.C., Edinburgh, Edward M'Arthur, Writer, Edinburgh, and Robert Greenwood Morton, Accountant, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 24th day of March 1896, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of the Trustee, No. 107 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, upon Friday the 3rd day of April 1896, at 12.30 o'clock afternoon.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th March 1896.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM DEANS, Builder, Edinburgh, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Dall & Miller, C.A., 24 Hill Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 24th day of March current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of appointing two Commissioners in room of Mr. D. W. Beattie and Mr. John Cowan, both of whom have resigned, and Mr. Robert Emslie, deceased.

HUGH MILLER, Trustee.

24 Hill Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1896.

ALEXANDER WALKINSHAW, Bank Agent, Dufftown, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER M'COMBIE, Merchant and Commission Agent, Dufftown, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of the North of Scotland Bank Limited, Dufftown, on Saturday the 4th day of April proximo, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

AL WALKINSHAW,
Trustee.

Dufftown, 10th March 1896.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the Deceased MRS. MARGARET BROWN or ROBERTSON, widow of the late Donald Robertson, Hotel Keeper, Athole Arms Hotel, Dunkeld, sole Trustee nominated by and acting under his Trust Disposition and Settlement, I beg to intimate that a

General Meeting of the Creditors in the Sequestration will be held within the Chambers of William MacLeish, Solicitor, 3 High Street, Perth, upon Friday the 3rd day of April 1896, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Judicial Factor and Trustee.

THO. JACK, Trustee.

Dunkeld, 12th March 1896.

In the SEQUESTRATION of THE COATS IRON & STEEL COMPANY OF COATBRIDGE, as a Company, and David Goodwin and John Smith, both residing at South Crescent, Ardrossan, and William Jardine, residing at The Rhinds, Baillieston, Partners of the said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

AS Trustee on the above Estates, I hereby call a General Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. M'Clelland, Mackinnon, & Company, C.A., 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 7th day of April 1896, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge.

CHARLES KER,
Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS MACDONALD, Ironmonger, Dumfries.

I HEREBY call a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held on Monday, 6th April next, at two o'clock, in the Faculty Hall, County Buildings, Dumfries, to consider as to an application for my discharge as Trustee.

D. M'KETTRICK, Trustee.

National Bank of Scotland Limited,
Dumfries, 12th March 1896.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of P DEERY, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Glasgow, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Davies, Tait, & Co., Chartered Accountants, 168 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 8th day of April 1896, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for the Trustee's discharge.

J. BERRIE BROWN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th March 1896.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER S. SHANNON & CO., Pianoforte and Music Sellers, 300 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, and Alexander S. Shannon, otherwise named Alexander Shannon, a Partner of the Firm of Alexander S. Shannon & Co., as such Partner, and as an Individual, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Davies, Tait & Co., Chartered Accountants, 168 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 9th day of April 1896, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for the Trustee's discharge.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th March 1896.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of THOMAS HUNTER, Grocer and Wine Merchant, 8 Trafalgar Street, Leith, and Lasswade, I hereby call a Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 6th day of April, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to the application for my discharge.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A.,
Trustee.

Edinburgh, 12th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of the Deceased **JAMES PATRICK**, Writer, Glasgow and Largs.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 26th ultimo, has been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners in terms of the Statutes, and that on and after Monday the 27th day of April 1896, there will be paid within the Office of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, a fourth Dividend to the whole Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted by the Trustee.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
11th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of **W. & J. M'GEACHIN**, Cabinet-makers and Furniture Warehousemen, 42 Great Clyde Street, Glasgow, as a Company, and **William M'Geachin**, the sole Partner thereof, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 27th February 1896, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a second and final Dividend will be paid within his Chambers here on and after Tuesday, 28th April next, to all those Creditors whose claims have been admitted.

JAMES R. HODGE,
Trustee.

137 West George Street, Glasgow,
12th March 1896.

In the **SEQUESTRATION** of **WILLIAM FYFE**, Grocer and Wine Merchant, Haddington.

JAMES POLLARD, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

JAMES POLLARD, C.A., Trustee.

8 North St. David Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1896.

In the **SEQUESTRATION** of **JAMES GARDEN MACGREGOR**, Farmer, in the Parish of Fearn and County of Ross and Cromarty.

WILLIAM BURNS, Solicitor, Inverness, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

WILLIAM BURNS, Trustee.

Inverness, 11th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of **BROWN & COMPANY**, House Furnishers and Window Blind Makers, 33 South Portland Street, Glasgow, as a Company, and **George C. Brown**, a Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 26th ultimo, has been duly audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute, and that they have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

JAS. R. MACKAY, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 7th March 1896.

PETER EDWARD, Banker, Friockheim, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **THOMAS WHITTON**, Cattle Dealer, Cononsyth, by Guthrie, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

P. EDWARD, Trustee.

Friockheim, 11th March 1896.

SEQUESTRATION of the Copartnership carrying on business as Engineers and Millwrights in Glasgow under the Firm of **J. COPELAND & CO.**, and **James Copeland** and **Lawson Forsyth**, the sole Partners thereof, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 27th ultimo, have been examined by the Commissioners in terms of the Statutes, and they have postponed the declaration of a Dividend and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

JNO. GOURLAY, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
12th March 1896.

In the **SEQUESTRATION** of **THOMAS BUTTERCASE**, Commission Agent and Potato Merchant, Largo, Fife.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend on said Estate until the recurrence of another statutory period.

JOHN SCOTT TAIT, C.A., Trustee.

Chambers, 67 George Street, Edinburgh,
11th March 1896.

I. F. T. R. DEAS, hereby intimate that I have retired from the Firm of **MESSRS. GEORGE DEAS & CO., C.A.**, and will continue to carry on business in my own name at 34 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh.

F. T. R. DEAS.

J. R. M'CONACHIE, of No. 11 Albyn Place, Edinburgh, Law-Clerk, Witness.
JAMES SCOTT, of No. 11 Albyn Place, Edinburgh, Law-Clerk, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership of **PILLANS BROTHERS**, Shirt and Hosiery Merchants, 233 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, has been **DISSOLVED**, as at 31st December 1895, by the retirement of the Subscribers **John Noble Pillans** and **Frank Lynn**.

The Subscriber **James Noble Pillans**, who continues the Business, acquires the whole assets of the dissolved Firm, and will pay the whole liabilities thereof.

JOHN NOBLE PILLANS.

FRANK LYNN.

JAMES NOBLE PILLANS.

DANIEL ALEXANDER, 82 West Nile Street, Glasgow, Witness.

DAVID SPALDING, 82 West Nile Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 10th March 1896.

THE Firm of **WILLIAM WILLS & COMPANY**, Underclothing Manufacturers, 85 Queen Street, Glasgow, of which Firm **William Wills** and **James Horne** were the sole Partners, is **DISSOLVED** of this date. **James Horne** retires from the Firm.

The Business will hereafter be carried on under the said name or designation of **WILLIAM WILLS & COMPANY**, by the said **William Wills** and **Charles Hastie Brough**.

Glasgow, 23rd January 1896.

WILLIAM WILLS.

JAMES HORNE.

CHARLES H. BROUGH.

ALEX. GILMOUR, Writer, Irvine, Witness.

WM. COUPER TAIT, C.A., Glasgow, Witness.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have ordered the adoption of the following Scale of Charges for Advertisements in the Edinburgh Gazette, to take effect from 1st October 1891, and that all fees should be payable in Postage or Inland Revenue Stamps. In pursuance of this Order no Notices will be received for insertion in the Gazette which do not bear Postage or Inland Revenue Stamps for the amount due under the said Scale, in addition to Ninepence for each copy of the Gazette required :—

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