

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented, under the Cessio Acts, to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Kilmarnock, at the instance of George Morison & Sons, Wholesale Confectioners, Grange Street, Kilmarnock, against GEORGE RUSSELL, Fruit Merchant, Galston; and the Sheriff has ordained the said George Russell to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House, Kilmarnock, upon the 21st day of April 1897, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all Creditors are required to appear.

JOHN BAIN, Solicitor, Kilmarnock,
Agent for Pursuers.

49 John Finnie Street, Kilmarnock,
1st April 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of DANIEL M'PHIE, carrying on business as an Underclothing Manufacturer at 75 Charlotte Lane, and at 38 South Saint Mungo Street, Glasgow, under the Firm of DANIEL M'PHIE & SON, of which Firm he is the only Partner, Pursuer, against his Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Daniel M'Phie to appear for public Examination within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Strachan), County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon the 29th day of April next, at 10.30 o'clock A.M., at which Diet all the Creditors of the said Daniel M'Phie are also required to appear.

ANDREW LITTLE, Writer, Glasgow,
Agent for Pursuer.

Glasgow, 30th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Perthshire at Perth, at the instance of William Birrell, Builder and Quarrymaster, Damside Street, Dunfermline, against JAMES BALLANTINE, Joiner, 47 Canal Street, Perth; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James Ballantine to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Perth, upon Friday the 16th day of April 1897, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

JAMES MITCHELL, Agent for Petitioner.

37 South Methven Street, Perth,
1st April 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of JOHN MUNRO, Painter, Burnbank Terrace, Lenzie, Pursuer, against DAVID L. AITKEN, 263, Rutherglen Road, Glasgow, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said David L. Aitken to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Strachan, County Buildings, Glasgow, on 14th April current, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

JNO. B. CLARK, L.A.,

145 Queen Street, Glasgow, Pursuer's Agent.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Wigtown, at the instance of Messrs. Sueddon & Sons, Glass and China Merchants, 123, 125 and 127 Stockwell Street, Glasgow, against JAMES THOMSON, China Merchant, Kirkinner; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James Thomson to appear for public Examination within the County Buildings, Wigtown, upon the 13th day of April 1897, at twelve o'clock noon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

PETER M'KIE, Solicitor, Wigtown,
Agent for Petitioner.

Wigtown, 31st March 1897.

THE Estates of BROOKS & REXTER, Wood Turners, 372 Scotland Street, Glasgow, and William Brooks, residing at 143 M'Lean Street, Plantation, Govan, only known Partner of said Firm, have, in virtue and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Hugh Love, Chartered Accountant, 196 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of their Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 10th May 1897. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff (Mr. Strachan), within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on 31st May 1897, at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

JAMES RUTHERFORD, Solicitor, Glasgow,
Agent.

THE Estates of R. CRAIG, Merchant, Neilston, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to George Garscadden, Accountant, 95 Bath Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 16th day of September 1897. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court Buildings, Paisley, on the 7th day of October 1897, at twelve o'clock noon.

GEORGE GARSCADDEN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 30th March 1897.

THE Estates of JAMES DRUMMOND, Farmer, East Crossleys, in the Parish of Holywood and County of Dumfries, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William Thomson, Solicitor, Dumfries, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before Friday the 28th day of May 1897. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Dumfries, on Friday the 18th day of June 1897, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

WM. THOMSON, Solicitor, Dumfries, Trustee.

Dumfries, 31st March 1897.

THE Estates of JAMES CHALMERS, Ironmonger, Stewarton, were Sequestered on the 30th day of March 1897, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated 30th March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on the 12th day of April 1897, within the George Hotel, Kilmarnock.

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 30th day of July 1897.

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

JOHN J. LOVE, Solicitor, Stewarton, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of LEES & WILSON, Wholesale and Retail Rope and Twine Makers, 4 Gayfield Place, Edinburgh, and of William Abraham Wilson, residing in Rossetti Mansions, London, the sole surviving Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, and also of the deceased John Lees, who resided at Springlea, Aberlady, and who was the only remaining Partner of said Firm.

JOHN BREWIS, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Hamilton Beattie, 61 Lothian Road, Edinburgh, and Alexander Rolland, Rope and Twine Manufacturer, Holyrood Place, Dunfermline, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the said William Abraham Wilson will take place in the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 12th day of April 1897, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 5 North St. David Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 21st day of April 1897, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN BREWIS, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 2nd April 1897.