

THE TOWNHILL COLLIERY COMPANY
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition was presented in the Court of Session, First Division, on the 10th day of May 1899, for confirmation of a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the Company from £50,000 to £45,000, and that on 1st June the Lords of Council and Session pronounced the following Interlocutor:—"Edinburgh, 1st June 1899.—The Lords having resumed consideration of the Petition and productions (no Answers having been lodged), on the motion of Counsel for the Petitioners, fix Monday the 12th day of June current as the date at which any Creditor who is then entitled to any debt or claim against the Company, within the meaning of the 13th section of the Companies Acts, 1867, shall be entitled to object to the proposed reduction of the Company's capital. Also fix Friday the 23rd day of June current, as the day on or before which the Creditors, if any, of the Company not entered on the list of Creditors referred to in the Petition are to claim to be entered thereon. or are to be excluded from objecting to the proposed reduction, and appoint advertisement of the days so fixed to be made once in the Edinburgh Gazette and Scotsman newspaper; further, remit to Mr. C. B. Logan, W.S., to inquire as to the regularity of the procedure and the reasons for the proposed reduction of capital, and to report.

(Signed) "J. P. B. ROBERTSON, I.P.D."

Of all which Intimation is hereby made.

JOHN BAIRD, Agent.

20 Albany Street, Edinburgh,
3rd June 1899.

In the Liquidation of MID-LOTHIAN GUNPOWDER
COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Company will be held on Wednesday, 12th July 1899, at half-past two o'clock afternoon, within the Office of the Darnavil Coal Company Limited, 40 Saint Enoch Square, Glasgow. The Meeting is called for the purpose of having submitted to it an account made up by the Liquidator showing the manner in which the voluntarily winding up of the Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of. Creditors of the Company are requested to send in their claims to the Liquidator, Mr. James Taylor, Camilty Mill, West Calder, before 13th instant.

W. B. RANKIN,

Agent in Liquidation.

Edinburgh, 5th June 1899.

THE SAILING SHIP "EARL OF HOPETOUN"
COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held within the Chambers of the Subscriber, at 105 West George Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 7th day of July next, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated the 2nd day of June 1899.

JAMES D. THOMSON, Liquidator,
105 West George Street, Glasgow.

MR. EDWIN JAMES MUNRO, Aerated Water Manufacturer, Chemist, &c, High Street, Fortrose, having executed a Trust Deed in my favour, all parties having claims against him are requested to lodge the same, duly vouched, with me within seven days from this date, and all parties indebted to him are desired to make payment to me within a like period.

JAMES M. FRASER.

Caledonian Bank Limited, Fortrose,
6th June 1899.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Caithness, Orkney, and Zetland at Lerwick, at the instance of WALTER J. L. SHEWAN, Blacksmith, Lerwick, against his Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Walter J. L. Shewan to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Lerwick, on the 21st day of June current, at ten o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

JOHN S. TULLOCH, Solicitor, Lerwick,
Agent for Petitioner.

Lerwick, 3rd June 1899.

THE Estates of GEORGE MORRISON, Steward, 134 Claythorn Street, Glasgow, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Robert Dixon, Accountant, Post Office Buildings, Greenock, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 4th July 1899. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, on the 25th day of July 1899, at ten o'clock forenoon.

JNO. B. CLARK,
145 Queen Street, Glasgow, E. L. A.,
Trustee's Agent.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Fraser, Taylor, & Gibson, Timber Merchants and Saw Millers, North Wallace Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of SMITH & RIDDELL, Builders, Wardlawhill Street, Rutherglen, and James Smith and James Riddell, the sole or only known Partners of said Firm, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Smith & Riddell, and James Smith and James Riddell as Partners, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

THOMAS PHILE,
116 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Agent for Petitioners.

Glasgow, 1st June 1899.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Sir Alexander Hope of Craighall, Baronet, John Augustus Hope, Captain in the King's Royal Rifle Corps, and Sir William Wedderburn, Baronet, M.P., surviving Trustees and Executors of the deceased Sir William Hope of Craighall, Baronet, K.C.B., and also the said Sir Alexander Hope of Craighall, Baronet, as an Individual, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of Pinkie and others, for Sequestration of the Estates of JAMES GEMMELL, residing at 15 Wedderburn Terrace, Inveresk, Musselburgh, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said James Gemmell to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

WM. BABINGTON, W.S.,
110 George Street, Edinburgh,
Agent for the Petitioners.

5th June 1899.

THE Estate of GEORGE DOUGAL & SONS, Soap Manufacturers, Paisley, as a Company, and William Dougal and John Dougal, Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on the 5th day of June 1899, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 5th June 1899.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 14th day of June 1899, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.