A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has peen presented to the Shoriff of been presented to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Ayr, at the instance of John Kerr, Cement Merchant, &c., 171 Dalrymple Street, Girvan, against JOHN FORSYTH, Oakbank, Girvan; and the Sheriff-Substitute of Ayrshire has ordained the said John Forsyth to appear in Court, within the Court House, County Buildings, Ayr, on the 15th day of March current, at ten o'clock forenoon, for Examination at which Diet all his Creditors are required. Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

DAVID H. TAIT, Solicitor, Agent for Petitioner.

Ayr, 2nd March 1900.

THE Estates of WILLIAM WATSON, formerly Iron-monger, Callander, now residing at Larbert, have been transferred, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, to George Hodge, C.A., 105 West George Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 6th day of June 1900. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House at Falkirk, on the 27th day of June 1900, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

> ARTHUR W. THOMSON, Solicitor, Stenhousemuir, Larbert, Agent for the Trustee.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER CAMERON, 26 Union Road, Inverness, have been transferred, in virtue of and for the purpose of the Cessio Acts, to Mr. John Sinclair Fraser, Solicitor, Inverness, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 8th day of March current. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, on the 29th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN R. SUTHERLAND, Solicitor, Agent for the Trustee.

Inverness, 1st March 1900.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Avrshire at Kilmarnock at the instance of Alexander M'Intyre, Joiner, Saltcoats, for Sequestration of the Estates of the Deceased SAMUEL ADAMS, Builder, Saltcoats, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing Mrs. Maggie Hunter or Adams, Lamlash, widow of the said deceased Samuel Adams, and Maggie Hill Adams, Tames Samuel Adams. Elizabeth Adams, and Catherine James Samuel Adams, Elizabeth Adams, and Catherine Adams, residing with their mother the said Mrs. Maggie Hunter or Adams, and their Tutors and Curators if they any have, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first days next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first court of the citation if fouth of Scotland at Alexander 1982. day next after citation if furth of Scotland, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to show cause why Sequestration of the Estates of the said Deceased Samuel Adams should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> JOSEPH KIRKLAND, Solicitor, No. 2 Hill Street, Saltcoats, Agent.

Saltcoats, 21st February 1900.

## NOTICE.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross at Cupar, at the instance of David Kidd, Miller, sometime residing in Anstruther, in the County of Fife, and now residing at Stahuhu, in the Province of Auckland, New Zealand, and John Paton Fyfe, Writer in Greenock, his Mandatory, against Robert Kidd and Benjamin Kidd, both Cabinetmakers in Greenock, and William Kidd, Ironmonger there, Executors-dative of the Res. Christian Philp or Kidd wildow who resided in Charles Street Pittonyane Kidd, widow, who resided in Charles Street, Pittenweem, in the County of Fife, for Sequestration of the Estates of the said Deceased Mrs. CHRISTIAN PHILP or KIDD, his Lordship of date 2nd March 1900 granted Warrant for citing the said Robert Kidd, Benjamin Kidd, and William

Kidd to appear within the Sheriff Court Room, Cupar, on the 15th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to show cause why Sequestration of the Estates of the said deceased Mrs. Christian Philp or Kidd should not be awarded; of all which Notice is hereby given.

> FYFE & MURRAY, Writers, Greenock, Agents for Petitioner.

4 Argyle Street, Greenock, 5th March 1900.

THE Estates of DAVID BLAIK, Tailor and Clothier,
Gorebridge, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of
March 1900, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of March

1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 13th day of March 1900, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George

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 3rd day of July 1900.

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

MARTIN & M'GLASHAN, S.S.C.

30 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, 3rd March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of DAVID COCHRANE, Carriage Hirer, Victoria Hotel Stables, Lanark, and residing at 45 South Vennel there

CEORGE M'CULLOCH, Accountant, Glasgow, has U been elected Trustee on the Estate; and George Scott Sloan, Solicitor, Wishaw, William Todd, Wood Merchant, Lanark, and Walter Chalmers, Grocer, 4 High Street, Lanark, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sherist Court House, Hope Street, Lanark, on Tuesday the 13th day of March current, at a quarter-past twelve o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Office, at 69 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 23rd day of March current, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon.

GEO. M'CULLOCH, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES FLEMING LINDSAY, Dairyman, Hyndland Farm, Kelvinside, Glasgow.

Dairyman, Hyndland Farm, Kelvinside, Glasgow.

JOHN M'CUBBIN, Junior, Accountant, 58 Renfield
Street, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the
Estate; and Robert Hamilton, Contractor, 18 M'Intyre
Street, Anderston, Glasgow, George Bradley, Writer,
Glasgow, and Andrew Wilkie, Orchard Dairy, Partick,
have been elected Commissioners. The Examination
of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers
of Mr. Sheriff Strachan, County Buildings, 70 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 15th day of
March 1900, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors
will meet in the Chambers of James M. Campbell, Writer,
180 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 26th day of
March 1900, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

J. M'CUBBIN, Jr., Trustee.

Glasgow, 5th March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE ARNOTI, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, 61 High Street, Lanark.

RICHARD M'CULLOCH, Accountant in Glasgow, has-been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Steel Fisher, 93 Ingram Street, Glasgow, James Davidson, Provision Merchant, Wilson Street, Glasgow, and William Hunter, Accountant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Hope Street, Lanark, on