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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

ST. JAMES' PALACE, February 26, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales will, on behalf of The Queen, hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday the 13th and on Thursday the 15th of March next, at three o'clock.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS.

Alteration of Parish Areas.

PROPOSED ORDER No. XLVI.

PARISHES OF BOTHKENNAR, FALKIRK, AND POLMONT.

(NEW PARISH OF GRANGEMOUTH.)

WHEREAS it has been represented to me by the Parish Councils of the Parish of Bothkennar and the Parish of Polmont and the Commissioners of the Police Burgh of Grangemouth, that I should issue an Order, under section 51 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1889, and section 46 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, uniting the Parish of Bothkennar (except certain portions thereof) and the Parish of Polmont and portions of the Parish of Falkirk into one Parish, and transferring certain portions of the Parish of Bothkennar to the Parish of Falkirk:

And whereas, after consulting with the authorities concerned, and causing a local inquiry to be

held, I am of opinion that it is expedient to give effect to the said representation:

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Alexander Hugh, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, do, in virtue of the powers conferred upon the Secretary for Scotland by the Local Government (Scotland) Acts, order and direct as follows:—

1. The two portions of the Parish of Bothkennar situated to the south of the centre line of the River Carron shall cease to be parts of that Parish, and shall form part of the Parish of Falkirk.

2. The portion of the Parish of Falkirk situated to the east of the Kerse County Road and the portions of the said Parish situated to the north of the centre line of the River Carron shall cease to be parts of that Parish, and shall form part of the Parish constituted by this Order.

3. The Parish of Polmont, the Parish of Bothkennar excepting the aforesaid portions thereof, and the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Falkirk, shall be united into one Parish, to be called the Parish of Grangemouth.

4. The Parish Council of Polmont and the Parish Council of Bothkennar shall cease and determine, and their whole powers, rights, duties, property, liabilities, debts, officers, and servants shall be transferred to the Parish Council of the Parish constituted by this Order.

5. The Parish Councillors elected for the Parish of Polmont, the Parish Councillors elected for the Parish of Bothkennar, and the Parish Councillors elected for the Grangemouth Ward of the Parish of Falkirk, shall together form the Parish Council of the Parish constituted by this

Order, and shall hold office until the date of the next election of Parish Councillors. The first Meeting of the Parish Council shall be held on the 15th day of May 1900, and such Meeting shall be deemed to be the first statutory Meeting of the Parish Council. The Parish Councillors for the aforesaid Grangemouth Ward shall cease to be Parish Councillors for the Parish of Falkirk, and the remaining Parish Councillors of that Parish shall constitute the Parish Council thereof, until the date of the next election of Parish Councillors.

6. The Scotch Education Department may by Order provide for the election of a School Board for the Parish constituted by this Order, and for that purpose may fix the number of members of the said School Board, the date of the election, and of the first meeting of the said Board, and may also appoint the returning officer at such election.

7. The existing School Boards of Grangemouth, Bothkennar, and Polmont shall remain in office until noon on the fifteenth day of May 1900, and immediately thereafter the existing School Boards shall cease and determine, and the School Board of the Parish of Grangemouth constituted by this Order shall take office. The whole powers, rights, duties, property, assets, liabilities and debts of the said existing School Boards shall be transferred to, vested in, and imposed on the School Board of the said Parish as soon as they take office.

8. The Parish Council of Falkirk shall assume responsibility for, and shall relieve the Parish Council of Bothkennar of all advances which the latter body may be called upon to make for, or on account of, any pauper whose claim is derived (1) from birth in the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Bothkennar, or any of them, prior to the 15th day of May 1900, or (2) from residence for the statutory period in the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Bothkennar, or any of them, prior to the 15th day of May 1900.

9. The Parish Council of the Parish of Grangemouth shall assume responsibility for, and shall relieve the Parish Council of Falkirk of all advances which the latter body may be called upon to make for, or on account of, any pauper whose claim is derived (1) from birth in the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Falkirk, or any of them, prior to the 15th day of May 1900; or (2) from residence for the statutory period in the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Falkirk, or any of them, prior to the 15th day of May 1900.

10. Nothing herein contained shall affect the rights of Creditors or of persons having vested interests, and all questions of adjustment consequential on this Order are expressly reserved.

This Order shall take effect immediately for all purposes concerning School Boards, and on the 15th day of May 1900 for all other purposes.

Given under my hand and seal at Whitehall
this 12th day of March 1900.

L. S.

BALFOUR OF BURLEIGH,
Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of March
1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day Sir Ford North 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 3rd day of March
1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Most Noble Spencer Compton, Duke of Devonshire, K.G., President of the Board of Education.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of March
1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a Re.resentation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint George Richard Randolph Routh, Esquire, B.A., late Scholar of Pembroke College, Cambridge, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at Windsor, the 3rd day of March
1900.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord Chancellor.

Lord President.

Lord James of Hereford.

Whereas, by Treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction in China and Corea:

And whereas by "The China and Japan Order in Council, 1865," a Court was established, styled Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China and Japan:

And whereas by "The China, Japan, and Corea Orders in Council, 1834 and 1886," it was provided that all powers and jurisdiction of the said Supreme Court should be exercisable in relation to Corea:

And whereas by virtue of an Order in Council made on the seventh day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, the Orders in Council regulating Her Majesty's Consular jurisdiction in the Empire of Japan have, save as provided in the said Order, ceased to be in force and operation within that Empire:

And whereas in view of the recited extension of jurisdiction as respects Corea, and cesser of jurisdiction as respects Japan, it is expedient

that the style of the said Supreme Court should be altered, and also that the provisions of "The China and Japan Order in Council, 1865," and of the Orders amending or extending that Order, should be repealed as far as relates to Japan.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The Court established by Article Seven of "The China and Japan Order in Council, 1865," shall be styled "Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China and Corea," and all references in that Order, or in the Orders amending or extending that Order to the Supreme Court, for China and Japan, or to the Supreme Court, shall, in so far as the said Orders relate or are applied to China or Corea, be read as references to the Supreme Court for China and Corea.

2. All provisions relating to the exercise of Her Majesty's power and jurisdiction in Japan, contained in "The China and Japan Order in Council, 1865," or any Order amending or extending that Order, are hereby repealed, subject to the provisions of the said recited Order in Council of the seventh October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine; provided that where any of those provisions are by the same or any subsequent Order extended or applied to China or Corea, this Article shall not affect such extension and application.

3. This Order may be cited as "The China and Corea (Supreme Court) Order in Council, 1900."

A. W. FRZROY.

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL,

March 10, 1900.

The Secretary for Scotland, in pursuance of section four of the Inebriates Act, 1898, has made regulations for the rule and management of a State Inebriate Reformatory, and for the classification, treatment, employment, and control of persons sent to it, and for their absence under licence. The regulations were presented to Parliament on the 9th March instant, and come into effect when they have lain four weeks on the table of each House of Parliament when that House is sitting.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE,

March 9, 1900.

At a Meeting of the Privy Council held this day in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable Viscount Powerscourt, K.P., the Right Honourable Lord Clonbrock, 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.

OFFICE OF ARMS, DUBLIN CASTLE,

March 7, 1900.

On Monday the 5th day of March, in the Presence Chamber, Dublin Castle, His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, K.G., conferred the honour of Knighthood upon—

Otto Jaffe, Esquire.

ARTHUR VICKERS, Ulster.

WINDSOR CASTLE, March 3, 1900.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Henry Burton Buckley, Esq., one of the Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

INDIA OFFICE, March 9, 1900.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint William, Lord Sandhurst, G.C.I.E., late Governor of the Presidency of Bombay, to be an Extra Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

THE GRAND PRIORY OF THE ORDER
OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF
JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

CHANCERY OF THE ORDER, ST. JOHN'S GATE,
CLERKENWELL, LONDON,

March 7, 1900.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to sanction the following appointments to the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England:—

Knights of Grace.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Thomas Sloggett,
R.A.M.C.

General Sir Arthur James Lyon Fremantle,
G.C.M.G., C.B.

Edmund Owen, Esq., F.R.C.S. (from Honorary
Associate).

Ladies of Grace.

The Lady Knightley of Fawsley.

Mary Caroline, Mrs. J. C. Dalton.

Esquires.

Thomas Henry Woolston, Esq. (from Honorary
Serving Brother).

James George Powell, Esq.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 6, 1900.

It is hereby notified that, on the 2nd instant, Doctor Don Rafael Zaldivar presented, through the Marquess of Salisbury, K.G., Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, his Credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the President of the Republic of Salvador.

DOWNING STREET, March 7, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Harding Hay Cameron, Esq. (Principal Collector of Customs), to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.

DOWNING STREET, March 8, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Robert Stewart Aucher Warner, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 7, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Clerk in the Overative Department of the Royal Mint, held in London on the 20th February 1900, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 22nd December 1899, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first two places:—

1. White, Alfred John.
2. Wickham, Harry James.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 9, 1900.

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

March 5, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Robert Maclaren.

Post Office: Woman Clerk—Mary Frances Theresa Hitchcock.

Female Learner, London—Katherine O'Connell.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Admiralty: Assistant Civil Engineer (Second Grade) in Her Majesty's Naval Establishments at Home and Abroad—George Stephen Jacob.

Inland Revenue: Assistant Surveyor of Taxes—Edgar Allen Whitaker.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Devonport Dockyard, Shipwright—Harry Arthur Lintell.

Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Assistant Attendant—James Foster.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Thomas Stokes.

Subordinate Officer, Division II.—Robert William Goldsmith.

Post Office: Temporary Assistant Postman, Dublin—James Joseph Weldon.

Learners—Joseph Thomas Edwards (Mansfield), John Good (Charleville), Daisy Kate Nichols (Biggleswade).

Postman, Worcester—William Goddard Cottrell.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Alfred William Ainsworth, William Ewart Alston, Ralph Terence Brooks, George Clark, James Farnham Clarke, Henry Coulter, Evan Bevnon Davies, Robert Dugdill, Herbert Etheridge, Martin O'Brien, John Daniel Thomas, Albert Woods.

March 6, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—George O'Brien.

Post Office: Male Learner, Glasgow—David Glen.

Female Learner, London—Myrtle Rhoda Lyster.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Her Majesty's General Register House, Edinburgh: Clerk—Kenneth Murray Macgregor.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Learner, Hull—Arthur Broadley.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Pembroke Dockyard, Shipwright—William Thomas Mason.

British Museum (Natural History): Boy Attendant—Alfred Lawrence.

Customs: Boatman—Harry Batten.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Heber Newcombe.

Subordinate Officers, Division II.—Henry Cornelius Avis, Robert William Wilkins.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Warder—James Gowans.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracer, London—Ernest Fray.

Sub-Postmaster, Silsden—William Moore.

Learners—William Edward Donaldson (Dundalk), Maud Holman (Croydon), Arnold Loughton Irvine (Aberdare), Isaac Clayton Thomas (Aberystwyth).

Postmen—Arthur William Baker (Croydon), George Brown Cordiner (Glasgow), Arthur Ernest Langridge (Brighton), John Sayers Maynes (Londonderry), John Rankin (Kilmarnock), David Evan Richards (Aberystwyth), George Stevenson (Aberdeen).

Temporary Assistant Postmen — Albert Edward Dawkins (Leamington Spa), James Bernard Keefe (Wrexham), Arthur Masdin (Sheffield), Edwin Rhodes (Glossop).

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

Reformatories Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)
—Frederick Jefferd.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

David Walker-Arnott, Cornelius Callaghan, Vernon Nelson Collier, Edwin Cook, Percy Roiley Cope, Harold Albert Curd, William Gannon Victor Giles, Harry John Herbert Hadley, James Godfrey Hearne, Garrard Jacob, Albert Edward Lovell, Francis William May, George Henry Midlane, Hermann John Otten, John Raymond Redmond, Leopold Philip Schlarb, Robert Thomson, Frank William Thorogood, John Tubridy, James Whitfield, Arthur Farrar Winn.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
MESSENGER.

George Webster.

March 7, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Women Clerks—Gertrude Linom, Evelyn Rickett.

Female Learners—Edith Mary Powis (Birmingham), Ethel Maud Taylor (Hull), Jeannie Crawford Wishart (Leicester).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Learners, Liverpool—Thomas Richard Clingan, William Smith, Edward Stephenson Wardley.

Male Learner, Birmingham—Harold Frederic Taylor.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Frederick William Victor Henderson.

Subordinate Officer, Division II.—Ernest Charles Henry Long.

Assistant Matron—Elizabeth Kearney.

Post Office: Temporary Assistant Postmen, London—Jeremiah Edward Driscoll, John Hall, Maxwell George Stevens.

Sub-Postmaster, Maesteg—David Robert Powell.

Learners—Alfred Andrews (Oldham), Thomas James Evans (Lydney), Teresa M'Mahon (Cloues), Edwui Sydney Nickless (Walsall), John M'Kay Ogg (Oban), Eleanor Ransome (Royston), Martha Rolfe (Eastbourne), Rose Rundell (St. Austell), Cecil Alfred Treleven (Devonport), Walter John Wadham (Reading).

Postmen—Robert Bertram Rupert Humpage (Walsall), Archibald Thomas Hyett (Gloucester),

Robert Lloyd (Pontypridd), Francis M'Morran (Birkeuhead).

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

Education Department: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—James Willis.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Gerard Daniel Collins, Maurice James Cox, Bertrand George Dye, Edward Eric Eades, Robert William Hayllar, Robert Head Hill, Edward John Lanham, Wallace Roderick Dunbar Main, Max Marks, Patrick Joseph O'Brien, Harry Owen, James Richard Parish, Charles Edward Prater, Percy Richard Slaughter.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Charles Butler Andrews (carrying on business as W. Smith Andrews), lately residing at 156 Boyson Road, Walworth, Surrey, and now of 7 Mount Pleasant Road, Lewisham, Kent, and carrying on business at 9 Merrow Street, Walworth aforesaid, philosophical instrument maker.

William Benson, 8 Argyle Square, in the county of London.

Harry Seymour Bingham, 47 High Street, Notting Hill Gate, carrying on business there, also at 125 Uxbridge Road, 8 Osborn Street, E., and 42 Teesdale Street, Hackney, all in the county of London, baker.

Henry Clark, lately residing and carrying on business at 110 High Street, Leyton, Essex, whose present residence the petitioning creditors are unable to ascertain, butcher.

W. Lancaster, lately residing and carrying on business at 106 High Street, St. John's Wood, Middlesex, but whose present residence or place of business the petitioning creditors are unable to ascertain, draper.

J. E. Lyndall, 7 Princeton Mansions, Red Lion Square, W.C., also of 59 Moorgate Street, E.C., and also of 33 Old Broad Street, E.C.

Eli John Perry, 4 Beacon Hill, Camden Road, in the county of London, lately carrying on business at the Bull and Bush Hotel, Hampstead, Middlesex, late licensed victualler.

James Aitkinson Spencer, residing at 34 Canonbury Park North, Tom Fitzpatrick Knibb, residing at 34 Honeywell Road, Wardsworth Common, S.W., and Stephen Sweetland, 139 Broomwood Road, Wandsworth Common, S.W., trading as Spencer & Co., 32 Commercial Road, Lambeth, Surrey, builders and copartners.

James William Thompson, 67 Cambridge Gardens, Notting Hill, in the county of London, schoolmaster.

George Robins, Crabbs Cross, in the county of Warwick, residing and carrying on business at Crabbs Cross aforesaid, grocer.

John Dring, Billingham, Lincolnshire, butcher and beer agent.

Thomas Atkinson, 4 St. Luke's Terrace, Cleckheaton, Yorkshire, and Jackson Varley, Moorbottom, Cleckheaton aforesaid, trading as Atkinson & Varley at Victoria Mill, Cleckheaton aforesaid, coopers.

James Calvert, Park Road Inn, Park Road, in the city of Bradford, beerhouse keeper.

Anna Mary Vivienne Molyneux, The Rosary, Partridge Green, formerly of Ivy Bank, Nuthurst, near Horsham, both in Sussex, widow.

George Britton, residing at the Star Inn, Hanham Road, Kingswood, in the county of Gloucester, and carrying on business at High Street, Kingswood aforesaid, boot-maker.

Sarah Jane Sanders (trading as S. J. Sanders & Coy.) Smisby Road, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire, builder, wife of Charles Sanders, bricklayer.

Thomas Walter Hudson, Busheyfield, in the parish of Herne, Kent, dairyman.

George Davies, 83 Donald Street, Cardiff, lately residing at and carrying on business at 119 Moy Road, in the town of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, mason and builder.

Octavius Leon, Central Chambers, Working Street, and Moy Road, Roath, both in the county borough of Cardiff, timber merchant.

William Morgan, 163 Glenroy Street, Roath, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, coal merchant.

William Henry Tregoning, 74 Beauchamp Street, Cardiff, lately residing at Greenfield Villas, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, and carrying on business at the New Dock, Llanelly aforesaid, and lately residing at 94 Holmesdale Terrace, Grange Gardens, Cardiff, clerk, lately coal exporter and shipbroker.

William Fairburn, Springfield, Essex, mineral water manufacturer.

Edward Thomas Phillips, lodging at the Suffolk Arms, Suffolk Road, Cheltenham, late livery-stable keeper.

Henry Edward Rudd, Cold Aston, in the county of Gloucester, farmer.

Robert Pearse, West Auckland, in the county of Durham, cabinetmaker.

William Henry Stocker, 8 Manor Road, St. Thomas the Apostle, Devonshire, builder.

Samual Tyndall, High Street, Cinderford, Gloucestershire, corn and seed merchant.

Joseph I. Dyke, the Prince of Wales Public House, 32 London Street, Greenwich, Kent, victualler.

Henry Gore, 10 Commercial Road and the Cattle Market, Hereford, ropemaker.

Frederick Charles Styles, residing at Park Villa, Park Road, Sunbury, and carrying on business at Sunbury Works, Sunbury Common, Middlesex, builder and contractor.

Benjamin Mawson (carrying on business under the style of Benjamin Mawson & Son), residing at Street Lane, and carrying on business at the Old Waggon Works, both in Gildersome, in the county of York, engineer, machinist, millwright, and iron and brass founder.

James George Sumner, Woodbottom, Rawdon, near the city of Leeds, wood turner.

John Barrow, Cambridge Road, Churchtown, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, gentleman.

Louis Hochschild (trading as the Foreign Cigar Co. and L. H. Child & Co.), residing in apartments at 344 Bury New Road, Higher Broughton, near Manchester, and carrying on business under the style of the Foreign Cigar Co. at 88 High Street, Manchester, and 50 Bradshaw Gate, Bolton, and lately carrying on a like business under the style of L. H. Child & Co. at 1 Nicholas Croft, Manchester, cigar merchant.

William Thomas Jackson (trading as W. T. Jackson & Co.), residing at Fern Bank, New Moston-by-Failsworth, and carrying on business at Lower Grange Mill, Accrington, and at 18 New Cannon Street, Manchester, all in the county of Lancaster, cotton manufacturer.

Charles Lowe, 51 Albert Street, Ventnor, Isle of Wight, and Rooks Yard, High Street, Ventnor aforesaid, carpenter and joiner.

William Morgan, Pendre, Builth Wells, in the county of Brecon, haulier.

Thomas William Bates, Wellington Street, East Dereham, Norfolk, tailor.

William John Clarke, 76 Silver Road, Norwich, grocer and draper and insurance agent.

William Joseph Taylor, 32 Kimberley Street, in the hamlet of Heigham, in the county of the city of Norwich, commission agent.

Thomas Wallace, residing at Mill Hill Road, Heigham, Norwich, and carrying on business at Heigham Road and Belvoir Street, Heigham, Norwich, joinery manufacturer and builders' merchant.

William Williams, Frampton Road, Gorseinon, Glamorgan, lately residing and carrying on business at London Road, Gorseinon aforesaid, builder.

William Oakland, in lodgings at Carnarvon Grove, Carlton, lately residing and trading at Victoria Road, Netherfield, both in Nottinghamshire, out of business, formerly baker and flour dealer.

Harry Hoskins, Ringwood, in the county of Southampton, saddler.

David Davies, 6 Newton Road, Mumbles, in the county of Glamorgan, builder.

Alice Thomas, Manchester House, Brynmawr, Breconshire, draper, widow.

Thomas Frederick Ash, Hudson's Buildings, Doncaster Road, Belle Vue, in the city of Wakefield, grocer and provision dealer.

Walter Edward Deane, 49 Burrow Road, Streatham Common, surveyor.

Paisley & Welch, Bell Lane, Wadsworth, engineers.

Mary Cooper, 186 Bearwood Hill, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, lately residing at 321 Bromford Lane, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, out of business.

Job Skidmore, now in lodgings at 29 Church Street, West Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, lately residing at Causeway Green, Langley, in the county of Worcester, formerly residing and carrying on business at 74 Birmingham Street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, and at 10 Broad Street, Langley aforesaid, butcher.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

William Edward Joseph Vavasour, Hazlewood, Tadcaster, Yorkshire, and Draycott, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, lately residing at 16 Vicarage Gate, Kensington, and now residing at 16 Alexander Square, both in the county of London, baronet.

NOTICE.

AN Application has been made in the Sheriff Court of Forfarshire at Dundee by John High and David High, Funeral Undertakers, Dundee, sole Partners of the Firm of John & David High, Funeral Undertakers, 105 Victoria Road, Dundee, for decerniture as Executors-dative *qua* Funerators of the Deceased WILLIAM ROWAN, Street Porter, sometime residing at 3 Coupar's Alley, and latterly at 51 Yeaman Shore, Dundee. Any objections to be lodged within seven days from this date.

POLLOCK & SMITH, Solicitors,
79 Commercial Street, Dundee, Agents.

13th March 1900.

APETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of A. Oliphant & Company, 133 Trongate, Glasgow, Pursuers, against WILLIAM M'BETH, 198 Dumbarton Road, Glasgow, and residing at 176 Kent Road there, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd) has ordained the said Defender to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the said Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, 70 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, upon the 9th day of April next, at ten o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

SCOTT & BROWNLIE,
227 Hope Street, Glasgow,
Agents for Pursuer.

APETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Dr. John Abplanalp, 47 West Cumberland Street, Glasgow, against HARRIET AVERY or CUNNINGHAM, wife of David Cunningham, and sometime residing at 31 Elmbank Crescent, Glasgow, and now at 220 West Princes Street, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Harriet Avery or Cunningham to appear for Examination within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 4th day of April 1900, at ten A.M., at which Diet all the Creditors of the said Harriet Avery or Cunningham are requested to attend.

PATRICK J. STIRLING, Solicitor, Agent.

175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
9th March 1900.

THE Estates of WILLIAM DUNCAN, Doctor of Medicine, 63 High Street, Blairgowrie, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John M'Kinnon, Royal Bank Buildings, Blairgowrie, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 5th April 1900. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Perth, on 4th May next, at two o'clock afternoon.

W. F. M'ALPINE, Solicitor, Blairgowrie,
Agent for Trustee.

Blairgowrie, 12th March 1900.

THE Estates of WILLIAM THOMSON TAYLOR, Photographer, sometime residing at Manse Lane, Turriff, thereafter at 481 High Street, Kirkcaldy, now at Linlithgow, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Thomas James Salmon, Solicitor, Bo'ness, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 4th May 1900. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Linlithgow, on Friday, 25th May 1900, at 12.30 o'clock afternoon.

THOMAS J. SALMON, Trustee.

Bo'ness, 12th March 1900.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Creditors, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN STEWART, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Volunteer Arms, Forfar, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said John Stewart 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 should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

M. J. BROWN, S.S.C., Edinburgh,
Agent.

8th March 1900.

THE Estates of the Deceased JOHN RHIND, Merchant in Dundee, were Sequestrated on the 9th day of March 1900, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar. The first Deliverance is dated the 28th day of February 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 21st day of March 1900, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee.

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 9th July 1900.

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

CARLTON & M'INTYRE, Solicitors,
14 Union Street, Dundee, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN DONALDSON BRODIE, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Stair Arms Hotel, Stranraer, were Sequestrated on the 9th day of March 1900, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Stranraer.

The first Deliverance is dated 9th March 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Friday the 23rd day of March 1900, within the County Buildings, Stranraer.

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 9th day of July 1900.

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

JOHN D. KER, Solicitor, Stranraer,
Agent.

THE Estates of MACKINTOSH & COMPANY, Ironmongers and Seed Merchants, 56 Eastgate, Inverness, and William Mackintosh, Ironmonger and Seed Merchant, Inverness, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1900, by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1900.

The Meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Tuesday the 20th day of March 1900, in the Procurators' Rooms, The Castle, Inverness.

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 1900.

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W. CHARLES MACBEAN, Solicitor, Inverness,
Agent.

THE Estates of ROBERT DUNBAR, Bank Agent, Newmill, Keith, in the County of Banff, and Farmer, Gedloch, Birnie, in the County of Elgin, were Sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1900, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the County of Banff.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 20th day of March 1900, within the Institute in Keith.

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 1900.

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JOHN G. FLEMING, Solicitor,
Town and County Bank Buildings, Keith, N. B.,
Agent.

THE Estates of A MORRISON, Chemist and Druggist, 136 Cowcaddens, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 12th March 1900, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire. The first Deliverance is dated 27th February 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 22nd day of March 1900, within the Faculty Hall, St. 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 12th day of July 1900.

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BORLAND, KING, & SHAW,
142 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

12th March 1900.

THE Estates of ARCHIBALD SILLARS, East Mayish Farm, Arran, were Sequestrated on the 12th day of March 1900, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 20th November 1899.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 21st day of March 1900, within the Bute Arms Hotel, Rothesay.

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 July 1900.

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WILLIAM BALFOUR, S.S.C., Agent.

3 Queen Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1900.

THE Estates of WISHART & BLACK, Iron Founders, Gibson Terrace, Edinburgh, and James Black and George Black, both Iron Founders there, the sole Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestered on the 12th day of March 1900, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles.

The first Deliverance is dated the 12th day of March 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock p.m., on Wednesday the 21st day of March 1900, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh.

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 1900.

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ARTHUR S. ORR, S.S.C.,
19A Hill Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of PATRICK MASTERSON, Cardross Hotel, Broxburn.

RICHARD M'CULLOCH, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Malloch, Accountant, Glasgow, Peter Dawson, Distiller and Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchant, 82 Great Clyde Street, Glasgow, and James H Aitken, a Partner of the Firm of James Aitken & Company, Brewers, Falkirk, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 16th day of March 1900, at eleven o'clock. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 69 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 28th day of March 1900, at twelve o'clock.

RICHD. M'CULLOCH, Trustee.
Glasgow, 12th March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HAY, Fish Merchant, residing at No. 19 Ardgowan Street West, Greenock.

JAMES PATERSON, Accountant, Greenock, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Archibald Douglas Murray, Writer, Greenock, John Austin Brown, Writer, Greenock, and John Deans Miller Carmichael, Accountant, Greenock, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street West, Greenock, on Wednesday the 21st day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Paterson & Anderson, Accountants, 13 Hamilton Street, Greenock, on Friday the 30th day of March 1900, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES PATERSON, Trustee.
Greenock, 12th March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS KERR, sometime Bank Agent, Inverness, and now residing at Broadstone Park there.

JOHN SMITH FRASER, Solicitor, Inverness, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Donald Mackenzie Campbell, Solicitor, Inverness, John Fraser Smith, Law Clerk, Inverness, and John B. Noble, Grocer, Inverness, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, on Thursday the 22nd day of March 1900, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Fraser & MacCallum, Solicitors, Queensgate, Inverness, on Thursday the 29th day of March 1900, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN S. FRASER, Trustee.
Inverness, 10th March 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ANDREW ADDISON, Joiner, Dunfermline.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A., Edinburgh, the Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Chambers, 27 York Place, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 21st day of March current, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider an offer by Andrew Hoey, Draper, Dunfermline, to pay, *inter alia*, to the Creditors of the Firm of Andrew Addison, of which he is a Partner, the amount of their claims, as the same may be ranked, and to instruct the Trustee regarding the said offer.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A.
Edinburgh, 13th March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of RICHARD WATSON, 10 Prince Edward Street, Crosshill, Glasgow.

AS Trustee on above Estate, I hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds, brought down to 28th February, has been made up by me and audited by the Commissioners. A General Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. George & Richard M'Culloch, Accountants, 69 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 5th day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

RICHD. M'CULLOCH, Trustee.
69 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER SMITH, Ironmonger, Wishaw.

AS Trustee on the above Estate, I hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds, brought down to the 23rd February, has been made up by me and audited by the Commissioners. A Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. George & Richard M'Culloch, Accountants, 69 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 11th day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

GEORGE M'CULLOCH, Trustee.
69 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'IVER, Provision Merchant, 39 George Street and elsewhere, Glasgow, and residing at 51 Abbotsford Place there.

JAMES M'LAY, C.A., Glasgow, the Trustee, hereby intimates that a first Dividend will be paid on 27th April to the Creditors entitled thereto, within his Chambers, 94 Hope Street, Glasgow.

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

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE YOUNG & SON, Builders and Contractors, 429 Dumbarton Road, Partick.

AS Trustee on the above Estate, I hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds, brought down to 23rd February, has been made up by me and audited by the Commissioners; further, that a second and final Dividend will be paid on or after Monday, 30th April 1900.

RICHD. M'CULLOCH, Trustee.
69 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
12th March 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN HASTINGS, Ironmonger, 63 High Street, Johnstone.

THOMSON M'LINTOCK, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first and final Dividend will be paid within his Chambers, 88 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 26th day of April 1900.

THOMSON M'LINTOCK, Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th March 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE WEIR, Farmer, sometime residing at Clayford, Premnay, Inch, and now residing at No. 88 Walker Road, Torry, Aberdeen.

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

JOHN STUART, Solicitor, Huntly, Agent.

Huntly, 6th March 1900.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of HUGH MACKENZIE, Grocer and Wine Merchant, 43 Carlyle Place, Edinburgh, I hereby intimate that an account of my intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 24th February 1900, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the next statutory period.

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

Edinburgh, 12th March 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of WILLIAM KEIR, Joiner, formerly of North Drum Place, Easter Road, Leith, now residing in New Road, Milnathort, in the County of Kinross.

BY virtue of a Deliverance of the Sheriff-Substitute of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, William Keir, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

J. W. D. KIRKLAND, Solicitor, Edinburgh, Agent.

20 George Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JOHN MELDRUM, Cabinet-maker, 118 Parliamentary Road, Glasgow, and residing at 81 John Street there.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, John Meldrum, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

JOHN MELDRUM.

Glasgow, 12th March 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of DAVID LYLE JOHNSTON, Auctioneer in Paisley.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Renfrew and Bute, David Lyle Johnston, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

DAVID LYLE JOHNSTON.

Paisley, 10th March 1900.

THE Copartnery of A. & J. FLETCHER, Builders, Kirkintilloch, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, was DISSOLVED, of mutual consent, on 7th March 1900.

The Subscriber William Fletcher will carry on the Business in his own name for his own behoof, and is authorised to collect all accounts due to, and pay all debts due by, the Copartnery.

ANDREW FLETCHER.

WILLIAM FLETCHER.

WM. WHITELAW, J.P., Kirkintilloch, Witness.

ALEX. PETTIGREW, Clerk-at-Law, 115 Wellington Street, Glasgow, Witness.

THE Copartnership of FISHER & STIRLING, Wholesale Warehousemen, 13 Dixon Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the only Partners, was DISSOLVED, as at 1st March 1900, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Donald Stirling.

The Subscriber John Riddock Fisher has acquired the assets, and will discharge the liabilities, of the dissolved Firm. He will carry on the Business on his own account under the Firm of JOHN R. FISHER & Co. at 13 Dixon Street, Glasgow.

JNO. R. FISHER.

DONALD STIRLING.

WARREN CROSBIE, of 141 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Solicitor, Witness.

JAMES ALLAN, 141 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of J. & D. CRAIG, China and Rag Merchants, Blairgowrie, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, has this day been DISSOLVED of mutual consent.

The Subscriber David Craig is to carry on the Business in his own name and for his own behoof, and he will collect all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

Witness our hands this 10th day of March 1900.

JOHN CRAIG.

DAVID CRAIG.

Witnesses to the Signatures of both parties—

W. S. NEISH, Clerk to Keay & Hodge, Solicitors, Blairgowrie.

NEIL KIDD, Apprentice to Keay & Hodge, Solicitors, Blairgowrie.

THE Copartnership carrying on business under the name of DUNCAN & STUART, Builders, Torry, Aberdeen, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, on the 16th day of November 1899.

The Business will be carried on at Torry, Aberdeen, as formerly by the Subscriber Robert Stuart under the Firm name of DUNCAN & STUART, for his own behoof.

WILLIAM DUNCAN, Builder, 83 Menzies Road, Torry, Aberdeen.

ROBERT STUART, Builder, 22 Menzies Road, Torry, Aberdeen.

R. H. URQUHART, S.S.C., Aberdeen, Witness.

GEO. CROLL, Solicitor, Aberdeen, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of William Duncan and Robert Stuart.

Aberdeen, 16th November 1899.

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