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FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1900.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, the 30th day of March . 1900.

THIS day, in the presence of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, His Grace the Duke of Devon-hire, K.G., Lord President of the Council, was sworn President of the Board of Education.

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL, April 5, 1900.

The Secretary for Scotland has, by Warrant under his hand and seal, dated the 4th instant, appointed Captain Norman Magnus Macleod of Macleod, C.M.G., to be a Commissioner for the purposes of the Congested Districts (Scotland) Act, in the room of Sir Kenneth Smith Mackenzle, Bart., of Gairloch, deceased.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 1, 1900.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Edward Loughlin O'Malley, Knt., to be Judge, and Havilland Walter de Sausmarez, Esq., of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law, to be Assistant-Judge of Her Majesty's Supreme Consular Court for the Dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte, in accordance with the Ottoman Order in Council, 1899.

DOWNING STREET, March 30, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of the Honourable Frederick Charles Moncreiff (Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of Mauritius), to be a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

DOWNING STREET, March 31, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Richard Myles Brown, Esq. (Judge of the Seychelles Islands), to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Mauritius.

DOWNING STREET, March 31, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Thomas Thompson, Esq., who has served for more than three years as a Member of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand.

WHITEHALL, April 2, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Colonel John Grenfell Maxwell, D.S.O., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order

of the Medjidieh of the Second Class, conferred upon him, as a promotion in that Order, by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorised by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of his services as an Officer of His Highness' Army in Egypt and the Sudan.

WHITEHALL, April 2, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto each of the under-mentioned Gentlemen Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order appearing against his name, the Decorations in question having been conferred by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorised by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of the services of these Gentlemen to His Highness, either as Officers of the Public Works Department or of the Railway Administration in Egypt:—

Osmanieh, Second Class.

Major Robert Hanbury Brown, C.M.G., Inspector-General of Irrigation, Lower Egypt. (A promotion in the Order.)

William John Wilson, Esq., Director-General of Reservoirs

Osmanieh, Third Class.

Arthur Lewis Webb, Esq., Inspector-General of Irrigation, Upper Egypt.

John Kynaston Edward Verschoyle, Esq., Inspector of Irrigation, Lower Egypt.

Medjidieh, Second Class.

Frederick Harvey Trevithick, Esq., Chief Engineer of the Locomotive and Carriage Department in the Egyptian Railway Administration.

Medjidieh, Third Class.

Herbert Gurney Sheppard, Esq., Inspector-General of Egyptian Railway Stores.

Medjidieh, Fourth Class.

Edward Henry Callender, Esq., Deputy Inspector-General of Egyptian Railway Stores.

TELEGRAMS TO ALGERIA AND TUNIS.

The Rate for Telegrams between the United Kingdom on the one hand, and Algeria and Tunis on the other, has been reduced from 3d. to $2\frac{1}{2}d$. per word.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1878.

In pursuance of Section 67 of the above Act, temporary situation of Water Analyst the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.

of State, has been pleased to appoint Mr. Fred Compigné Cook and Mr. George Dixon to be Inspectors of Factories and Workshops, under the title of Inspector's Assistants.

Whitehall, 2nd April 1900.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 2ND APRIL 1900.)

FOREIGN ANIMALS AMENDMENT ORDER OF 1900.

The Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Animals from the Argentine Republic or Uruguay Prohibited.

1. Unless and until the Board otherwise order, it shall not be lawful to land any animal brought from the country of the Argentine Republic or from Uruguay, and the First Schedule (Prohibited Countries and Parts of Countries) to the Foreign Animals Order of 1896 shall be read and have effect as if those countries were included in the list of prohibited countries and parts of countries mentioned in that Schedule.

Interpretation.

2. In this Order terms have the same meaning as in the Foreign Animals Order of 1896.

Commencement.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred.

Short Title.

18. This Order may be cited as the Foreign Animals (Amendment) Order of 1900.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this second day of April one thousand nine hundred.

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T. H. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4 Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, March 29, 1900.

The Commissioners of Inland Revenue, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the temporary situation of Water Analyst in the Government Laboratory is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,. April 3, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships (Class I.) in the Civil Service will be held in London, under the Regulations dated 19th April 1898, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, commencing on the 1st August 1900.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 2nd July, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

April 3, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships will be held in London, commencing on the 1st August 1900, under the Regulations dated 1st December 1897.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 2nd July, an application in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter (Imperial Measure), for the Quarter ending Lady Day 1900, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.				
s. d. 25 11	s. d. 25 1	s. d. 16 7				
Board of Agriculture, April 2, 1900.	-	P. G. CRAIGIE.				

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 31st March 1900, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

٠.			-	QUANTITIES SOLD.	AVERAGE PRICE.
	Wheat	 		Qrs. Bus. 72,764 0	; i. 25 10
	Barley	 		34,387 6	24 11
	Oats	 		15.200 5	17 2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1896 to 1899.

QU. Corresponding		ANTITIE	ANTITIES SOLD.				AVERAGE PRICE.							
	N eek	in	WHE	AT.	BARLI	EY.	OAT	rs.	WH	EAT.	BAR	LEY.	OA	TS.
			Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	3.	<i>d</i> .	8.	<i>d</i> .	s.	d.
896			29,443	3	26,336	7	11,157	5	24	7	21	10	13	3
897			45.027	3	18,927	2	9,289	6	27	10	22	3	16	3
898			53,483	3	14,917	7	11,343	6	35	3	27	11	17	10
899			69,071	2	23,851	0	13,500	6	24	11	26	2	16	11

^{*} Section S 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.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

Board of Agriculture, 4 Whitehall Place, London, S.W., March 31, 1900.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 31st March 1900, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

							. Quanz	TITIES.
							1899.	1900.
Animals living:-	_							
Oxen, Bulls	. Cows. an	d Cal	ves	•••	•••	Number	12,406	6,86
Sheep and		•••				1	16,182	5,53
~ . *				•••	•••	"	10,102	0,00
	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	_	_
'resh Meat:—								
Beef	•••	• • •	•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	76,888	70,99
Mutton	•••	•••		•••	•••	13	85,253	46,80
Pork		•••	•••		•••	,,	15,294	16,31
alted or Preser	ved Meat:	_				İ		
Bacon				•••	•••	١,,,	103,042	121,03
Beef	•••		• • •	•••			2,561	4,47
Hams			•••		••.	J i	33,204	32,75
Pork	•••		•••			"	7,719	4,65
Meat unenu						,,,		
					•••	,,	11,081	13,42
Meat, prese				sarcing	•••		8,082	9,44
airy Produce a	nd Substit	ntes:-				1		
Butter		• • •	•••			,,	57,348	55,71
Margarine						,,	17,415	20,75
Cheese		•••	***			,,	46,450	26,25
Milk, Conde			•••	•••	•••		16,218	28,15
Milk and C						"	219	
	sed Milk	n OI L	I eserve	u, omer	CHAH	"	219	24
ggs	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	Great Hundred	238,012	237,18
oultry and Gan	ne	•••	•••	•••		Value £	6,711	9,24
abbits, dead (n	ot tinned)	•••	•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	1,997	7,47
ard				•••	•••	,,	36,461	45,86
orn, Grain, Me	al, and Flo	our :				1 "	,	,
Wheat	,						1,661,400	828,80
Wheat Mea	Land Flor		•••	•••	•••	,,	665,400	281,50
Barley				•••		**1	316,110	164,80
	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,		
Oats	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	170,950	3 15,70
Pease	***	••	•••	***	• • •	,,	28,400	21,4 0
Beans	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	18,680	30,20
Maize or In	dian Corn	•••	•••	•••		,,	1,407,300	706,80
ruit, Raw :—	•					1 "	Bushels.	cwts.
Apples	•••					(Entered by the)	28,008	27,82
*Apricots an			•••	***		{ Entered by the } {Bush. prior to 1900}	20,000	-1,02
*Bananas			•••	•••	•••	Panahar	_	15,11
	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	Bunches	_	10,11
Cherries	•••	•••	• .•	•••	•••	J ·		
*Currants	• • •	•••	•••	•••	•••			
*Gooseberrie	s	•••	•••	•••	•••	11		
Grapes		•••	•••	•••		HELLER AND	269	75
Lemons	•••					Entered by the	40,809	23,25
Oranges	•••				•••	Bushel prior to	353,697	144,53
Pears	•••		•••		•••	1900	240	70
***		•••	•••	•••			_240	8
Plums *Strawberrie		••	•••	•••	•••		, - .	٥
		• • •	•••	•••	•••	11		
Unenumerat	ted	•••	•••	•••	•••	J	15,743	77
QΨ						Tons	3,231	2,57
ay	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••			
ops	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	5,125	1,86
egetables, Raw							}	
Onions, raw	•••	•••	•••			Bush.	87,328	40,13
Potatoes		• • •	•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	35,233	145,11
†Tomatoes	•••			•••				8,26
Unenumerat		•••	•••	•••	•••	Value £	29,005	14,34

^{*}These Fruits were included with Fruit Unenumerated prior to 1900. †Included with Vegetables Unenumerated prior to 1900.

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DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 31st March 1900, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).

County.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.	
		No.	No.
Mid-Lothian		1	3
TOTAL		1	3

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 and 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 31st March 1900, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).

ANTHRAX.

Со	UNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.		
				No.	
Kincardine Wigtown		••• •••	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1	1
TOTAL				. 1	2

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	-	_	3		
Total	_	_	3		

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

April 3, 1900.

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

March 29, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Woman Clerk-Sophia Ruth Child.

Female Learners, London—Annie Justina Catherine Avery, Gertrude Marie Genevieve Crosbie, Amy Odell, Ruby Alice Side, Alice Maude Spence.

Female Learners — Jeanie Brown Huuter (Manchester), Ethel Christina Reid (Liverpool), Marion Stobo (Glasgow).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Home Office: Inspector of Factories and Workshops—Ernest Lionel Allhusen.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London—Ann Matilda Chambers.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Assistant Matrons—Alice Maud Beattie, Edith Wilson.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Female Warder—Jemima Cameron.

Post Office: Porter, London-William Arthur Allen.

'Temporary Assistant Postman, London—. Charles Town.

Learners—Arthur Frank Hall (King's Lynn), Gertrude Annie Harris (Ilfracombe), Charles Hindson (Carlisle), Frederick William Jones (Camberley), Edgar John Lewis (Bridgend), Harry Mason (Maldon), Kate Louisa Wanstall (Cromer), Annie Elizabeth Yeatman (Twickenham).

Postmen—George Booth (Rotherham), Louis Dawson (Wolverhampton), Leonard Killick (Bognor), William Kirwick (Carrick-on-Suir), Mark Perrin (Birmingham), Thomas Herbert Phillips (Llanelly), William Henry Tarvett (Woking), Charles Mills Tedstone (Kington).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

James Armstrong, David Munroe Fulton, George Ernest Edward Leland, Ralph M'Gee Ricketts, George John Hugh Williams.

March, 30 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Girl Clerk—Mary Elizabeth Martin.

Male Learner, Liverpool—William George
Ollason.

Femsle Learners, London—Emily Martin Heath, Jane Mitchell.

Female Learners, Swansea—Sarah Margaret Howfield, Lilian Mary Naylor, Sarah Elizabeth Williams

Female Learners, Glasgow—Helen Proudfoot Campbell Alexander, Sara Ferguson Kerr.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Learner, Bristol — Ada Hawkins.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Warder — William Matthews.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Warder-John Christie.

Post Office: Postman, Edinburgh-William Ross.

Learners—Patrick Joseph Devereux (Wexford), Patrick Joseph Hanley (Castlebar), Catherine Macbrayne Jamieson (Lochgilphead), Alfred Sprawson (Marlborough), Ada Annie Wise (Dorking).

Postmen—William King Chalmers (Aberdeen), Arthur Douglas (Worksop), Thomas Dowd (Navan), Edward Forbes (Aberdeen), Robert Herd (Keith), Daniel Keane (Kilrush), Edwin Robinson Key (Nottingham), John James Marshall (Aberdeen), James Robertson (Aberdeen), Maximilan Underhill (Chislehurst), George Jeremiah Veale (Northampton), Joseph White (Leeds).

Temporary Assistant Postmen — William James Currie (Glasgow), William George Lidlow (Tonbridge), Frederick William Rosser (Abergavenny), John George Thompson (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council. of 4th June 1870.

Admiralty: First Class Writer in the Commodore's Office of Hong Kong Dockyard – Joseph Davis.

Civil Service Commission: Temporary Staff Officer—William David Halliburton-Bell.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Arthur William Jamison, Michael O'Loughlin, Albert William Postle, Ernest Ivor Treasure.

March 31, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Woman Clerk—Grace Davidge. Female Learner, Leeds—Cecil May Feaster.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Local Government Board, England: Female Typist—Florence Mary Van Homrigh.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

National Gallery: Assistant Porter — Arthur James Stock.

Post Office: Sub-Postmistress, Fulford—Annie Hall.

Learners—Walter Leonard Beard (Pontypridd), Eliza Humphreys (Carlow), Arthur George Radford (Lyme Regis), Amy Margaret Vasper (Windsor), Thomas Whitlam (Ulverston).

Postmen — Charles Norton Breckenridge (Cardiff), David M'William Campbell (Glasgow), Ernest William Elliott (Evesham), William David Fyffe (Lockerbie), Ralph Hornby (Blackpool), Frederick Stephen Mortlock (Accrington), Robert Willock Murray (Kilmarnock), John Regan (Bandon), James William Reid (Newark), Charles Thornley (Kettering), John Patrick Wylde (Birmingham).

Temporary Assistant Postmen—Andrew John Cunningham Cameron (Glasgow), Andrew Craig (Glasgow), Sydney Everett (Bromley, Kent), Louis William Graham (Margate), Charles Henry Hawkes (Peterborough), Reginald Newman (Jersey), James Smart (Goole).

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Councilof 4th June 1870.

Education Department: Sub-Inspector — Edith Mary Deverell.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

George Ernest Starnes, George Younie.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

April 3, 1900.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 29th November 1898, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the under-mentioned Appointments in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of March 1900:—

APPOINTMENTS.

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

Joseph Davis, to be First Class Writer in the Commodore's Office of the Hong Kong Dockyard.

Robert M'Innes, to be Pensioner Writer in Her Majesty's Naval Yards.

British Museum—George Leslie Calderon, to be Second Class Assistant.

Civil Service Commission—William David Halliburton-Bell, to be Temporary Staff Officer.

Colonial Office—Alfred Henry Bridgman, to be Assistant to the Superintendent of Printing.

Alfred William Jarvis May, to be Assistant to the Supervisor of Copying.

Albert Harry Boyd, to be Supplementary Clerk in the Registry.

Customs—Thomas Philip Saunders, to be Junior Clerk in the Statistical Office.

Ewart Sidney Birt, to be Second Class Clerk (Lower Section) for Port Service.

Ecclesiastical Commission — Edward Appleton Mears, to be Junior Legal Assistant.

Education Department—Frank Northrop, to be Sub-Inspector (Second Class).

Edith Mary Deverell, to be Sub-Inspector.

Henry Valentine Fleetwood Beckley, Sydney Murray Dagnall, Arthur John Hind, Edward Louis Parnell, and James Willis, to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Foreign Office—Charles Hubert Montgomery, to be Clerk on the Establishment or Attaché in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Home Office—Ernest Lionel Allhusen and Edmund Arthur Robert Werner, to be Inspectors of Factories and Workshops.

Fred Compigné Cook, George Dixon, Leonard Duffield, and John Hirst, to be Factory Inspector's Assistants. India Audit Office or India Office—Samuel Cohen, to be Second Class Clerk.

India Office—Annie Isabel Garrard, to be Female Typist.

Inland Revenue — Horace Edward Edalji and Edgar Allen Whitaker, to be Assistant Surveyors of Taxes.

Samuel Johnson, to be appointed to the Minor Staff Post of Establishment Clerk (Record Keeper) in the Secretaries' Office.

Local Government Board (England)—Florence Mary Van Homrigh, to be Female Typist.

London University—Vernon John Edwin Higgins, to be Office Assistant.

Mercantile Marine Offices—James Douglas Auld, to be Clerk and Deputy Superintendent.

Mint—Alfred John White, to be Clerk in the Operative Department.

Post Office — Sydney Charles Bartholomew, Aubrey William Brockett, Charles William Cornwell, Ernest William Cousins, Montague Harry, John Gerald Hines, Edgar Thomas Larner, Ernest Edward Mullens, Robert Riley, Lawrence Jordan Sell, and James Herbert Simmance, to be Metropolitan Engineering Clarks

Percy Gibson Bennell, Julius Augustus Busck, George Richard Simmonds, and William John White, to be Second Class Examiners in the Telegraph Stores Department.

John Primrose Millar Lowson (Carnoustie), Roderick Mackenzie (Garve), William Moore (Silsden), and David Robert Powell (Maesteg), to be Sub-Postmasters.

Isabella Black (Crianlarich), Jane Black (Armadale), Julia Coghlan (Castle Connell), Maria Aloysius Josephine Forrest (Blarney), and Annie Hall (Fulford), to be Sub-Postmistresses.

Adelaide Mary Abbey, Margaret Kate Barnes, Sophia Ruth. Child, Ethel Frances Christie, Charlotte Cooper, Minnie Crocker, Grace Davidge, Ethel Amy Forge, Mary Frances Theresa Hitchcock, Gertrude Linom, Elizabeth Ellen Lyons, Mary Ellen Murphy, Ella Marion Pye, and Evelyn Rickett, to be Women Clerks.

Jessie Morag Macpherson and Mary Elizabeth Martin, to be Girl Clerks.

Reformatories Offices—Frederick Jefferd, to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

Register House Departments (Edinburgh)—Kenneth Murrary MacGregor, to be Clerk.

Royal Parks and Gardens—Harry Frank Tagg, to be Assistant in the Royal Botanic Gardens and Arboretum, Edinburgh.

Science and Art Department—Cecil Burleigh Crampton, to be Temporary Assistant Geologist.

Stationery Office—Edward Arthur Dawe, to be Clerk (with a knowledge of Printing).

Supreme Court of Judicature (England)—Percy James Bowie, to be Third Class Clerk in the Central Office.

Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) — Noel Richard Ponsonby Staples, to be Second Class Clerk, Queen's Bench Division. Temporary Commissions—George Shirley Finnigan, to be Clerk to the Royal Commission on Salmon Fisheries.

Trade, Board of—Thomas Rundell Clark, to be Shipwright Surveyor (Third Class).

Annie Beatrice Hewart, to be Female Investigator in the Labour Department.

Woods, Office of—Henry Alexander Russell, to be Second Class Clerk.

Works, Office of—William Locke, to be appointed to a post of Supervision in the Finance Division.

Alexander Charles Eustace Hughes, to be appointed to a Temporary Staff Post.

CLERKS OF THE SECOND DIVISION.

National Education Office (Ireland) — Charles Conacher Robertson.

Seamen's Registry Office — Charles Leonard Compton.

Stationery Office-Walter Smith.

No. 192.—SCOTLAND—FIRTH OF CLYDE.

Pladda Light-Intended Alteration in Character.

The Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses have given notice, dated 21st March 1900, that during the forthcoming summer the light exhibited from the high lighthouse at Pladda will be discontinued, and its character altered from white fixed to white group flashing, showing groups of three flashes in quick succession every half minute, the light power being 186,000 candles.

During the alterations the low light (white fixed) only will be exhibited; when the group-flashing light at the high lighthouse is established, the low light will be permanently discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 55° 26' N., long. 5° 7' W.

Further notice will be given when these alterations are effected.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Irish Channel, Nos. 1824a, 1825a; Scotland, West Coast, No. 2635; Mull of Cantyre to Ardnamurchan, No. 2515. Also, List of Lights, Part I., 1900, No. 670; and Sailing Directions, West Coast of Scotland, 1894, page 178.

By Command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. WHARTON, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 29th to 31st March 1900.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Charles Henry Coppock, 5 Throgmorton Avenue, in the city of London, and 7 Queen's Road, Twickenham, Middlesex, commission agent.

Alfred Wingyett Gribble, 35 Walbrook, formerly carrying on business at 7 King's Bench Walk, Temple, both in the city of London, solicitor.

Lewis Lazarus, Elizabeth Lodge, Urswick Road, Clapton, in the county of London, merchant.

J. M'Kenzie, The Crown, Blackheath, Kent, and lately carrying on business at the Boar's Head, Cannon Street, in the city of London, publican.

Woolf Philips, Brookdale, Manor Road, Tedddington, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 159 Cannon Street, in the city of London, merchant.

Ambrose Goode Scale, 68 Leigham Vale, Streatham, Heaton Armsyard, Rye Lane, Peckham, and 34 and 36 Blenheim Grove, Peckham, lately carrying on business also at the Rosendale Stables, Rosendale Road, Dulwich, all in the county of London, jobmaster.

Frederick Walker (lately trading as John Walker), lately residing or carrying on business at 127 Fenchurch Street, in the city of London, and 230 Regent Street, Middlesex, watchmaker, and director of a limited company.

William Wood (trading as W. Wood & Co.), Maiden Lane Goods Station, York Road, Islington, in the county of London, and residing at 3 Vernon Terrace, New Southgate, Middlesex, corn and forage merchant.

John Kendall (trading as John Kendall & Co.), 139 Markby Road, Winson Green, Birmingham, and carrying on business at 134 Lodge Road, Winson Green, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, electro plater.

Frederick Richard Beecher Leacroft, residing at Finch Road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at Clarence Chambers, Corporation Street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, solicitor.

Augustine Bishop, residing and carrying on business at 5
Adelaide Street, Accrington, in the county of Lan-

caster, wholesale confectioner.

Robert William Wilkinson, 18 Mill Street and 52
Halifax Road, both in Cullingworth, Yorkshire, grocer, greengrocer, and dealer in drugs.

R. Parkinson, 69 Gunnersbury Lane, Acton, Middlesex, and of West Park, Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, builder.

James Clifford, 112 St. James' Street and 9 Ditchling Road, both in Brighton, Sussex, bookseller, stationer, printer, and librarian.

William Frederick Noyes, 7 Victoria Buildings, Kingsdown, in the city of Bristol, lately residing and carrying on business at 13 Hill Avenue, Totterdown, in the city of Bristol, journeyman baker, lately baker.

John Procter, residing at 8 Temple Street, and carrying on business there and at Plumbe Street, both in Burnley, Lancashire, painter, paperhanger, grainer, and decorator.

Robert Hewson Low, Wellington Street and Albion Street, Newmarket, Suffolk, hairdresser and tobacconist.

Langford Shirreff, 1 Claughton Villas, Eastern Road, Romford, Essex, solicitor.

John Bush, Purlwell, Batley, in the county of York, grocer, confectioner, and beerseller.

Samuel Scott, Shepscombe, in the parish of Painswick, Gloucestershire, wheelwright.

Henry Bramley (carrying on business under the style of H. Bramley & Company), residing at 27 Tyrrell Street, in the county borough of Leicester, and carrying on business at Great Central Wharf, Leicester aforesaid, coal merchant.

George William Plowright, Oakham, in the county of Rutland, tinman and brazier.

Edwin Bates, now residing at Victoria Road, Stocgton Heath, Warrington, but lately at 59 Church Street, Harpurhey, Manchester, and now or lately carrying on business at 4 Hopwood Avenue, Manchester, electrician, now or lately carrying on business in copartnership with William Henry Walley under the style or firm of E. Bates & Company.

George Edward Briggs, Atlas Chambers, Westgate Road, Newcastle on Tyne, and also carrying on business under the style of G. E. Briggs & Co. and the Borough Mills Manufacturing Company, at 88 Leeds Road, Bradford, in the county of York, and residing at 15 Crowther Street, Bradford aforesaid, manufacturer and merchant.

William Evans, residing at City Road, and carrying on business at St. Martin's Place, both in the town and coun'y of Haverfordwest, ironmonger and grocer.

Thomas Nicolas, 8 Hampton Road, Morecombe, Lancashire, no occupation, late butcher.

Amy Rebecca Austin, residing at 83 Nelson Street, in Doncaster, in the county of York, and Mary Jane Shaw, residing at 166 Cleveland Street, in Doncaster

aforesaid, trading as Austin & Shaw at 166 Cleveland Street aforesaid, and 66 St. Sepulchre Gate, in Don-caster aforesaid, fancy drapers, spinsters.

James Hadfield, 144 Infirmary Road, Sheffield, Yorkshire, fishmonger.

George Griffin Byass, residing at 23 Ennerdale, and lately carrying on business at Bainbridge Holme Nurseries, Tunstall Road, both in Sunderland, in the county of Durham, nurseryman and florist.

George Evenden, Matfield Green, Paddock Wood, Kent, grocer.

John Stephenson, 29 Jefferson Street, and lately carrying on business at Boothferry Road, Goole, Yorkshire, tin and hardware dealer.

William Isaac Goldstein, residing at 294 Derby Road, Bootle, and Zackarias Zarensky, residing at 88 Knuts-ford Road, Latchford, Warrington, both in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business under the style of Goldstein & Zarensky at 88 Knutsford Road, Latch-ford, Warrington aforesaid, furniture general dealers.

Walter Edmund Jaques, 21 Portland Street, Leamington, Warwickshire, formerly Hillside, Ironbridge, Salop, foreman in ironworks.

John Atkinson, carrying on business at Diamond Place, Harrogate, and previously of Valley Drive, Harrogate, and residing at Burton Leonard, all Yorkshire, plumber.

Samuel Luke Bell (trading at Samuel Bell), residing and carrying on business at 14 Stonegate, York, and in Grape Lane, York, pianoforte and organ manufacturer, and dealer in musical instruments and music.

RECEIVING ORDERS RESCINDED.

J. D. Ewen, a Member of St. George's Club, Hanover Square, whose present residence the petitioning creditors have been unable to ascertain.

William Hutton, now residing at Thorpe Hill, Hale End Road, Walthamstow, Essex, and lately residing and carrying on business at 111 Southgate Road, Kingsland, Middlesex, greengrocer and fruiterer.

ADJUDICATIONS ANNULLED.

Edward Thomas Coe, Aldeburgh, Suffolk, veterinary surgeon.

John Albert Rees, Windsor Road, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, coachbuilder.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED AND RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

Thomas King, 221 & Gladstone Avenue, Noel Park, Wood Green, previously of 133 St. Thomas' Road, Finsbury Park, both in Middlesex, a clerk in the Savings Bank Department of the General Post Office, 144A Queen Victoria Street, in the city of London.

In Parliament—Session 1900.

LONDON AND SAN FRANCISCO BANK, LIMITED.

(Re-arrangement and Reduction of Capital; Formation of Capital Reserve Fund and Transfer of Assets of Company thereto; Further Powers for dealing with Capital Reserve Fund and Assets; Extension of Powers of Company; Amendment of Memorandum and Articles of Association.)

OTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to B. intended to be made to Parliament in the present Session by the London and San Francisco Bank, Limited (hereinafter called "the Company") for an Act for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):-

1. To re-arrange the capital, assets, and property of the Company by the formation of a

capital reserve fund, as hereinafter mentioned or otherwise, and to reduce or provide for the reduction of such capital and of the nominal amount of the existing shares therein, and for the surrender and cancellation of the said existing shares, and the certificates for the same, and for the issue to and acceptance by the holders thereof of new shares of such nominal amount as may be prescribed or provided for by the intended

- 2. To authorise and make provision for the formation by the Company of a capital reserve fund, and to prescribe the assets and property of the Company from and out of which such reserve fund shall be formed, and to authorise the conversion into or transfer to such reserve fund, apart from the capital of the Company, of all or some of the landed property and other assets of the Company in the United States of America, and of such other assets, moneys or funds as may be prescribed or authorised by the intended Act; and to authorise and empower the Company or their directors to deal with the said reserve fund and the assets, constituting the same, and the rents, revenue, interest and dividends arising thereon or therefrom, in such manner as they may think fit or as may be prescribed or authorised by the intended Act, and to enable the Company or their directors from time to time to re-capitalise all or any part of the said reserve fund for such purposes, in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as may be authorised or provided for by the intended Act.
- 3. To explain, alter, amend, extend and enlarge the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and the powers of the Company thereunder, so as to include therein such further powers with respect to the business and objects of the Company, including the transaction of trust and agency business, the business of a safe deposit company, the promotion of Companies for acquiring the property and liabilities of the Company, the entering into arrangements with other Companies, partnerships or persons, the dealing in shares, stocks and securities of Companies whether constituted in the United Kingdom or the United States of America or elsewhere, and the management, improvement and development of the property of the Company.
- 4. To vary or extinguish all existing rights, interests and privileges which would or might interfere with the attainment of any of the objects and purposes of the intended Act, and to confer other rights and privileges.
- 5. Printed copies of the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, when leave has been obtained to introduce the same.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1900.

BIRCHAM & CO.,

46 Parliament Street, S.W., and 50 Old Broad Street, E.C., Solicitors.

SHERWOOD & CO.,

7 Great George Street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

NTIMATION is hereby given that Sir WILLIAM JAMES GARDINER BAIRD of Saughtonhall, Baronet, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Barony of SAUGHTONHALL and other Lands, in the County of Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Bill Chamber, -Mr. Antonio, Clerk), in terms of the Acts of Parliament 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 19; 11 and 12 Vict. cap. 36; 16 and 17 Vict. cap. 94; 31 and 32 Vict. cap. 84; 38 and 39 Vict. cap. 61; and 45 and 46 Vict. cap. 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to uplift consigned money and apply the proceeds in repayment of improvement expenditure. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 29th March 1900.

> TODS, MURRAY, & JAMIESON, W.S., Agents of the Petitioner.

66 Queen Street, Edinburgh, 3rd April 1900.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased JOHN RHIND, Solicitor before the Supreme Courts, Edinburgh.

WILLIAM GREENHILL, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Judicial Factor on the Estate of the deceased John Rhind, Solicitor before the Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session (First Division, Bill Chamber,—Mr. Antonio, Clerk), for his discharge of the office of Judicial Factor, of which Notice is hereby given, and that the Petition will be again moved in Court on or after 21st day of April 1900.

WM. GREENHILL.

6A George Street, Edinburgh, 5th April 1900.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

Special Resolutions of THE GLASGOW ANCHOR AND CHAIN CABLE TESTING COMPANY LIMITED. Passed 8th March 1900, Confirmed 26th March 1900.

T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members

Tan Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 45 West George Street, Glasgow, in the County of the City of Glasgow, on the 8th day of March 1900, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 26th day of March 1900, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:

"1. That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Lloyds Staffordshire Proving House Company Limited, Netherton and Tipton; Lloyds Cambrian Chain and Anchor Public Testing Company Limited, Chester; and Lloyds Tyne Public Chain and Anchor Testing Company Limited, Newcastle-on-Tyne, by the formation of a new Company as after mentioned; and that with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Henry Barr, Solicitor, Glasgow, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

"2. That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be named 'Lloyds British Testing Company Limited,' with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have been already prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

"3. That the Agreement submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between Henry Barr, on behalf of this Company, of the first part; Sir Andrew Maclean, Knight, and others, of the second part; and Sir Benjamin Hingley, Baronet, on behalf of Lloyds British Testing Company Limited, of the third part, be and the same is hereby approved; and the said Liquidator is

hereby authorised, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to adopt the said Agreement, and to carry the same into effect, with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient. And

"4. That the said Sir Andrew Maclean and Charles Connell, two of the Directors of this Company,

be authorised to be Directors of the intended new Company, to be called Lloyds British Testing Company Limited."

George B. Young, 45 West George Street, Glasgow, Solicitor, Witness.

ANDW. MACLEAN, Chairman.

Glasgow, 2nd April 1900.

In the Matter of THE GLASGOW STEAMERS LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company, duly convened and held within the Alexandra Hotel, 148 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 28th day of March 1900, at four o'clock afternoon, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed,

the following Extraordinary resolution was duty passed, viz.:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Shareholders that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and thereafter a Liquidator be appointed for the purpose of such winding up."

At the same Meeting, William Harris Jack, Accountant, 58 West Regent Street, Glasgow, was appointed Liquidator of the said Company for the purposes of such winding up.

ALEXANDER DEWAR, Chairman.

Dated this 4th day of April 1900.

In the Matter of THE EDINBURGH EMPIRE PALACE LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE LONDON HIPPODROME LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE LONDON DISTRICT EMPIRE PALACES LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and prove their said debts or claims at such time and prove their said debts or claims at such time and prove their said in such notice or in default place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE GLASGOW EMPIRE PALACE LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE SHEFFIELD EMPIRE PALACE LIMITED.

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Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE LIVERPOOL, LEEDS, AND HULL EMPIRE PALACES LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of THE NOTTINGHAM EMPIRE PALACE LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 16th day of May 1900, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to the undersigned William Thomson, Writer to the Signet, 23 York Place, Edinburgh, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of April 1900.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Liquidator.

CASTLE TERRACE CYCLE COMPANY LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at 5A York Place, Edinburgh, on Tuesday, 8th May 1900, at twelve o'clock noon,

A final Dividend of One Shilling and Threepence per pound will be paid to the Creditors on Thursday, 12th April 1900.

D. H. HUIE, Liquidator.

5A York Place, Edinburgh, 5th April 1900.

THE GUARD-BRIDGE PAPER COMPANY LIMITED (incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held within the Registered Office of Guard-Bridge Paper Company Limited (incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890), at Guard-Bridge, Fife, on Saturday the 12th day of May 1900, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having laid before them the account of the Liquidators showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidators, and of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Liquidators of the Company shall be disposed of.

Dated the 6th day of April 1900.

H. V. HAIG. JNO. GALLOWAY, Liquidators.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff, at the instance of Watson Brothers. cardine, and Banff, at the instance of Watson Brothers, Engineers and Ironfounders in Banff, against JOHN THOMSON, Engineer, 2 Bridge Street, Keith, in the Parish of Keith and County of Banff, as an Individual, and as sole Partner of the Firm of John Thomson & Company, Engineers or Engine Proprietors, Keith aforesaid; and the Sheriff-Substitute at Banff has ordained the said John Thomson to appear in Court, within the Court House of Banff, on the 17th day of April 1900, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend. all his Creditors are required to attend.

JAS. MORRISON, Solicitor, Banff, Agent.

Banff, 3rd April 1900.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow, by The Glasgow and West of Scotland Property Investment Company Limited, 204 West George Street, Glasgow, against Miss M. M. WAUGH, 205 Cambridge Street, Glasgow; and all the Creditors of the said M. M. Waugh are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff Substitute (Mr. Boyd), 70 Hutcheson Street, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 17th day of April next, at ten o'clock forenoon, when the Debtor is ordained to appear for public Examination.

WILLIAM GILLIES, Writer, 204 West George Street, Glasgow, Agent.

Glasgow 4th April 1900.

THE Estates of JOHN WEBSTER, Butcher, Lamington Street, Tain, have, by virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Sandison, Solicitor, Tain, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 24th day of April 1900. The Creditors will meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Tain, on the 16th day of May 1900, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN SANDISON, Trustee.

Tain, 4th April 1900.

THE Estates of ANDREW KINKAID, Slater, Cults, in the County of Abordson by in the County of Aberdeen, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Craigen, Solicitor in Aberdeen, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 9th day of May 1900. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, on 30th May next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN CRAIGEN, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 3rd April 1900.

THE Estates of JOHN TROTTER, Aerated Water Bottler, residing at 34 Dickson Street, Leith, have, In virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessic Acts, been transferred to John Johnston, C.A., Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before Tuesday, 4th September 1900. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Monday, 24th September 1900, at two o'clock afternoon.

JOHN JOHNSTON, C.A., Trustee.

28 Dundas Street, Edinburgh, 6th April 1900.

THE Estates of WILLIAM M'DOUGALL, Printer and Stationer, 306 Dumbarton Road, Partick, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of April 1900, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of April

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 17th day of April 1900, 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 3rd

day of August 1900.

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

> J. WILSON STUART, Solicitor, 87 Union Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of ARCHIBALD ANDERSON, 4 Comely Bank, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on 4th April 1900, by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated 4th April 1900.

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 17th day of April 1900, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of dath must be ledged on or before the

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ARTHUR S. MUIR, S.S.C., 20 George Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 13th April 1900, within The Institute, 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 4th day of August 1900.

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

GEO. PROCTOR, Solicitor, Keith, Agent.

THE Estates of JAMES BUCHANAN ROSS, Wright, 30 M'Intosh Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 5th day of April 1900, by the Sheriff of the County of

Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 5th day of April

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 17th day of April 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 5th day of August 1900.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration

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TODD & CAMPBELL, Writers, 170 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agents.

HE Estates of JOHN THOMSON, Plasterer, No. 5
Balcarres Street, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on
the 5th day of April 1900, by the Sheriff of the Lothians
and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated the 5th day of April

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Wednesday the 18th day of April 1900, within Smith's Rooms, 79 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 5th day of August 1900.

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

JOHN BAIRD, Solicitor.

20 Albany Street, Edinburgh, 5th April 1900.

OBERT BURNS M'CAIG, Accountant in Glasgow, To Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JAMES GRAY, Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Maybole, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers, 183 West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 17th April 1900, at twelve o'clock noon, to the state of the street of Composition to be to take into consideration an offer of Composition to be made by the said James Gray.

R. B. M'CAIG, Trustee.

Glasgow, 6th April 1900.

A S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER FORREST, Junior, sometime Printer and Stationer, Brandon Street, Hamilton, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Office of the Trustee, 60 Cadzow Street, Hamilton, on Thursday the 12th day of April, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and finally deciding on an offer of Composition and security therefor, which was entertained by Resolution of Meeting of Creditors, held on Thursday the 18th day of January 1900. S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER of January 1900.

ARCHD. MACINTYRE, Trustee.

60 Cadzow Street, Hamilton, 4th April 1900.

S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN BRUNTON, Corn and Hay Merchant, 24 Causeway-side and 2 Sciennes Place, Edinburgh, I hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors in the Sequestration, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 30th day of April 1900, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee. an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

CHARLES S. ROMANES, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 5th April 1900.

JOHN EWEN, Solicitor in Aberdeen, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM BEDDIE, Cycle Agent, Maud, Aberdeenshire, hereby calls a Meeting of the Crediters, to be held within his Office, 1 King Street, Aberdeen, on Saturday, 28th day of April current, at ten o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

JOHN EWEN, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 4th April 1900.

TOHN EWEN, Solicitor in Aberdeen, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of MARSHALL THOMSON, Bicycle Agent, Heath Cottage, Ruthrieston, Aberdeen, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, 1 King Street, Aberdeen, on Saturday, 28th day of April current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge discharge.

JOHN EWEN, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 4th April 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM WHITTET, sometime Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant, 210 Overgate, Dundee, and residing at 14 Balmore Street,

JOHN MESS, Chartered Accountant, Dundee, hereby intimates that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Mackay & Mess, C.A., 13 Albert Square, Dundee, on the 22nd day of June 1900.

. John Mess, Trustee.

DWARD HENRY STANLEY CRAIG, Chartered Accountant, 63A St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of BENJAMIN HEPBURN, residing sometime at Lanark, thereafter at North Berwick, thereafter at Roscrea, Tipperary, Ireland, and at present at Snowhill, Waterford, Ireland, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

E. H. STANLEY CRAIG, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 4th April 1900.

James MES CONSTABLE ROBERTSON, Chartered Accountant, Dundee, Trustee on the Sequestrated te of the Deceased CHARLES ALEXANDER Estate of the Deceased CHARLES ALEXANDER SHEPHERD, Commercial Assistant, sometime of Calcutta, afterwards residing at No. 46 Calcrum Street, Dundee, hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 20th March 1900, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the next statutory period; and that he has examined the claims of the Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the said 20th March, and made up a list of the claims admitted, and also of the claims rejected in whole or in part.

J. C. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

J. C. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

Dundee, 4th April 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of Mrs. CATHERINE MENZIES or MURRAY, residing at Easthaugh, near Pitlochry, and widow of Rear-Admiral Jack Henry Murray.

TUGH MITCHELL, Solicitor, Pitlochry, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

HUGH MITCHELL, Trustee.

Pitlochry, 3rd April 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of DAVID DICK WATER-STON, Wholesale Rag, Waste, and Paper Stock Merchant, sometime at 26 Jackson Street, Glasgow, now at 62 Stockwell Street there.

PY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, David Dick Waterston, 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 or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

COWAN & GROVE, Petitioner's Agents.

199 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 5th April 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS IN

The Sequestration of JOHN STEVENSON, formerly Dairyman, Main Street, Barrhead, and presently residing at East Fulton, Johnstone.

BY virtue of an Order by the Sheriff-Substitute of Renfrew and Bute, John Stevenson, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of said Sheriffdom at Paisley, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the application for Sequestration, in terms of the Statutes.

> JOHN M'NISH, Writer, Paisley, Agent.

9 Moss Street, Paisley, 5th April 1900.

NOTICE.

HE interest which the late Hugh Martin, of 9 Buchanan Gardens, Mount Vernon, had in the Business carried on by the Company of HUGH MARTIN & COMPANY, Iron Merchants, 14 East Howard Street, Glasgow, whereof he and James Hamilton Wotherspoon were sole Partners, ceased, as upon the 3rd day of January 1900, being the

date of Mr. Martin's death. Since that date the Business has been, and it will continue to be, carried on under the same Name or Firm of HUGH MARTIN & COMPANY by Mr. Wotherspoon, who is now the sole Partner, entirely for his own behoof.

ALEX. R. M. LINDSAY, W. ROUNSFELL BROWN, Trustees and Executors of the late HUGH MARTIN.

James M. Smith, Cashier, 96 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, Witness. Alfred J. Austin, Clerk, 96 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, Witness. Witnesses to the Subscriptions of Alexander Ronald Miller Lindsay and Walter Rounsfell Brown.

JAs. H. WOTHERSPOON.

DAVID KENNEDY, Law-Clerk, 227 West George Street, Glasgow, Witness. DAVID MILLER, Law-Clerk, 227 West George Street, Glasgow, Witness. Witnesses to the Subscription of James Hamilton Wotherspoon.

Glasgow, 4th April 1900.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

FINE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers at
Braidwood, Carluke, under the designation of
M'KINNELL & COMPANY, Wood Merchants, was
DISSOLVED, as on the 30th day of March 1900.

The Subscriber Hugh M'Kinnell shall pay all debts due by, and receive payment of all the accounts due to, the dissolved Firm.

WM. BARR.

Thos. Smith, Commercial Bank, Wishaw, Solicitor, Witness. Richard Gibson, Law-Clerk, Com-mercial Bank, Wishaw, Witness.

HUGH M'KINNELL.

Wm. B. Thomson, Solicitor, Wishaw, Witness. John G. Jarvie, Law-Clerk, Wishaw, Witness.

NOTICE.

TIME Copartnery in the Business carried on at 265 Leith Walk, Leith, under the name of PAXTON & MEIKLE, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners,

MEIKLE, of which the Subscribers were the sole rartners, has been DISSOLVED, by mutual consent.

The Subscriber Thomas Adams Paxton will receive all debts due to, and discharge all obligations of, the Firm.

The said Thomas Adams Paxton continues to carry on the Business for his sole behoof under the same Firm name.

Dated at Edinburgh the 2nd day of February 1900.

THOs. A. PAXTON.

JAMES R. MEIKLE.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A., Edinburgh, Witness to both Signatures. WILLIAM SOMERVILLE, 27 York Place, Edinburgh, Witness to both Signatures Witness to both Signatures.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnery subsisting between the undersigned under the Firm name of J. & J. MACKENZIE as Grocers and Spirit Merchants in Academy Street, Inverness, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent, as from 29th May 1893.

All debts due to the Firm were to be paid to Mr. John Mackenzie, junior, who undertook the Firm's obligations, and who arranged to carry on the Business on his own behoof under the Firm of J. & J. MACKENZIE, 103 Academy Street. Inverness.

Street, Inverness.

JOHN MACKENZIE, SENR. JOHN MACKENZIE, JUNE.

Witnesses to the Signatures of John Mackenzie, senior, and John Mackenzie, junior FRANCIS SQUAIR, Solicitor, Inverness. GEORGE D. MACDONALD, Law-Clerk, Lombard Street.

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