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SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL,

September 13, 1900.

DDRESSES and Messages of Condolence for presentation to Her Majesty the Queen on the occasion of the lamented death of His Royal Highness Prince Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, Duke of Edinburgh, K.G., second son of Her Majesty, have been received and presented accordingly by the Secretary for Scotland, and have been suitably acknowledged by gracious command of Her Majesty:

The Right Honourable the Lord Provost, on behalf of the Citizens of Edinburgh.

The Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Glasgow.

The Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council

of the City and Royal Burgh of Dundee.
The Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council
of the City and Royal Burgh of Perth.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Commissioners

of the Burgh of Broughty Ferry. The Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Haddington.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Community of

The Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Leith.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Airdrie.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Renfrew.

*The Commissioners of the Burgh of Troon. The Town Council of the Royal Burgh of North Berwick.

*The Town Council of Port-Glasgow.

The Magistrates and Commissioners of the Burgh of Crieff.

The Magistrates and Community of the Royal Burgh of Arbroath.

*The Town Council of Inverness.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of Coatbridge.

The Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Forres.

The Magistrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Maxwelltown.

The Provost and Council of the Burgh of East Linton.

The Magistrates and Town Council of Pollokshaws.

The Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Peterhead.

The Berwickshire Liberal Association.

The Provincial Grand Lodge of Freemasons of Ayrshire.

*The Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce.

The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Scotland.

The Presbytery of Glasgow, Church of Scotland.

The Commission of the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland.

A Meeting in Dunbar.

The Glasgow Mission to the Deaf and Dumb. The Members of the Ancient and Benevolent Incorporation of Maltmen and Mealmen in the City of Glasgow.

*In these cases Messages have also been forwarded for presentation to Her Royal Highness Duchess of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ended Saturday the 1st day of September 1900.

Name and Title as set forth in	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal	Circulation authorised	Average Circulation during Four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.		
Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Place of Issue.	by Certificate.	£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
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Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	327920	835021	1162941	878015	92374	970389
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	284132	719768	1003900	825989	101060	927049
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	232241	685230	917471	564354	135633	699987
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh ·	374880	260030	746021	1006051	726462	75374 ⁱ	801836
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	297024	244399	636541	880940	683915	53245	737160
Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Ediuburgh	454346	307080	747514	1054594	663462	115669	779131
Town and County Bank Limited	Town and County Bank Limited	Aberdeen	70133	143609	189861	333470	279715	27108	306823
North of Scotland Bank Limited	North of Scotland Bank Limited	Aberdeen	154319	215242	273934	489176	354023	20716	374739
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow	274321	219611	592515	812126	589482	75652	665134
Caledonian Banking Company Limited	npany Limited Caledonian Banking Company Limited		53434	43753	91538	135291	90225	8481	98706
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I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorised in their Certificate, have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

WAR OFFICE, Settember 14, 1900.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to signify her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on the under-mentioned Non-Commissioned Officer, whose claims have been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for his conspicuous bravery at the action at Wolve Spruit, as stated against his name :-

Regiment.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.					
Lord Strathcona's Corps	Sergeant Arthur Herbert Lindsey Richardson	On the 5th July 1900, at Wolve Spruit, about 15 miles north of Standerton, a party of Lord Strathcona's Corps only 38 in number, came into contact, and was engaged at close quarters, with a force of 80 of the enemy. When the order to retire had been given, Sergeant Richardson rode back under a very heavy cross-fire and picked up a trooper whose horse had been shot, and who was wounded in two places, and rode with him out of fire. At the time when this act of gallautry was performed Sergeant Richardson was within 300 yards of the enemy, and was himself riding a wounded horse.					

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE, September 13, 1900.

At a Meeting of the Privy Council held this day in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable Lord Justice Fitzgibbon was sworn a Lord Justice for the Government of Ireland during the absence of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 7
(4) of 43 Viet con 10 (2) (4) of 43 Vict. cap. 19 (Companies Act, 1880), that the names of the under-mentioned Companies have been this day struck off the Register, and that such Companies are hereby dissolved :-

Aberdeen Palace Theatre, Limited. Barberton Development Syndicate Limited. British Central Africa Trading Comp Company Limited.

Clydesdale Meat Company Limited. Property Investment Clydesdale Company

Limited. Cripple Creek Finance Syndicate Limited. Durban Brewery Syndicate Limited. Edinburgh Cycling Academy Limited. Edinburgh Drug Store Company Limited. Forth Salt Company Limited. George Hotel, Stranraer, Limited. Hannan's Gifts Gold Mines Limited.

Hannan's Reefs Limited.

Jamaica Produce and Transport Association Limited.

J. M. Bremner Limited. and Africa Khartoum, Soudan Central Syndicate Limited.

Lomagundi Exploration Company Limited.

Murray & Watson Limited. North British Electricity Supply Company Limited.

North of Scotland Game and Produce Auction Company Limited.

Peffers Brothers Limited.

Pentland Tennis Club Limited. Pond's Drug Store Limited. Quiz Syndicate Limited. Scottish Law Courts Record Company Limited. Scottish Motor Hiring Company Limited. United (Hannan's) Exploring and Development Company Limited.

Val D'Elsa Copper Company Limited. William Cook & Sons, Limited.

> KENNETH MACKENZIE, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 18th September 1900.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 9, 1900.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Michell, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for Northern, North-Eastern, and Central Russia, including Esthonia and the Grand Duchy of Finland, with the exception of the City and Port of Helsingfors, to reside at St. Petersburg.

FOREIGN OFFICE, September 9, 1900.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Sir Francis Richard Plunkett, G.C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Hungary.

DOWNING STREET, September 11, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of William Joseph Williams, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Island of St. Helena.

DOWNING STREET, September 13, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Mr. John M'Keuzie, who has served for more than three years as a Member of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1878.

In pursuance of Section 67 of the above Act, the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint William Frederick Earl Seymour, Esq., to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall, 11th September 1900.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 21st instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vict. cap. 2, 52 Vict. cap. 6, and 63 Vic. cap. 2 (Session 1900), to the amount of £2,000,000, being a further issue under the War Loan Act, 1900.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 25th September 1900, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or nine months, or twelve months, after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz., on the 25th December 1900, or 25th March 1901, or 25th June 1901, or 25th September 1901 respectively.
- 3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent, which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.
- 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Saturday the 22nd instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Tuesday the 25th instant.
- 6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, September 14, 1900.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

September 11, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant of Customs in the Department of Her Majesty's Customs, held on the 19th and 20th July 1900, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette

of the 15th June 1900, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first forty places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.			
1	Gordon, Newton Charles .	Belfast			
2	Johnston, John David .	Glasgow			
3	Tierney, Alexander Robert	Belfast			
4	Dodd, Alexander Thomas .	Belfast .			
5	Wood, Edwin Melhuish .	London			
6	Alford, William Arthur .	Belfast			
7	Foot, Thomas William .	London			
8	Burton, Walter Cameron .	Glasgow			
9	Crossley, Samuel	London			
10	Donald, Arthur James .	London			
11	Malcolm, John Oliphant .	Glasgow			
12	Mackie, Alexander	Edinburgh			
13	Prosser, Harry	London			
14	Cardno, Alexander	Aberdeen			
15	Jackson, Ernest Luther .	London			
16	Spy, Robert Archibald .	Edinburgh			
17 18	Alexander, Frederick Harcus				
19	Barry, Charles Joseph .	Cork London			
20	Wilkins, Henry	London			
21	Kench, Archibald John .	London			
22	Bagot, William	Liverpool			
23	Hind, Joseph James Stobo	Liverpool			
24	Dawson, Henry James .	London			
$\frac{\tilde{25}}{25}$	Kavanagh, Edward Ross .	Manchester			
26	Kearney, William	Belfast			
27	Turnbull, Walter	Newcastle-			
		on-Tyne			
28	Knight, Henry William .	London			
29	Maxwell, Ivie Wilson .	Manchester			
30	Thomson, David	London			
31	Grimble, Percy George .	London			
32	Forrest, John	Glasgow			
33	Gardiner, Alexander James	Aberdeen			
34	Bonnington, Robert	Edinburgh			
35	Hill, Thomas James	Glasgow			
36	Reay, George	Aberdeen			
37	Wyeth, George Charles .	London			
38	Aylmer, William	Glasgow			
39	Moorhead, James Anderson	Belfast			
40	Wiggin, Arthur Benjamin.	London			

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

September 14, 1900.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Inverness, Belfast, Cork, and Limerick, commencing on the 13th November 1900, under the Regulations dated the 28th March 1899, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than eighty Candidates will be appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found qualified.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 25th October, an application, in the Candidate's own

handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVII. SERVICE COMMISSION, September 14, 1900.

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

September 10, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London — William Arthur Cowley.

Female Learner, London — Frances Alice Tomlinson.

Female Learners—Alice Maude Clarke (Manchester), Violet Annie Miller (Norwich).

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: Boy Attendant—George Henry Spencer.

Inland Revenue: Messenger-Frederick Williams.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Joseph Baker Lowe.

Post Office: Temporary Assistant Postman, London-George Harold Wilson.

Learners — Archibald Victor James Flynn (Ryde, Isle of Wight), Tom Wyatt Smith (Leamington Spa).

Postmen—Richard Curphey (Douglas, Isle of Man), Thomas Henderson (York), William M'Culloch (Glasgow), William Wattie Smith (Aberdeen), John Stevenson (Paisley), Thomas Whitcomb (Kidderminster), Robert White (Walton-on-Thames).

Temporary Assistant Postmen — Joseph William Buckley (Dover), Ernest Rowland Glass (Leeds), John Regan (Leeds).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Ernest Alfred Ballantine.

September 11, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Junior Appointment in the Supply and Accounting Departments—George Francis Story.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London-Michael Dwyer, Alfred William Peter Renton.

Female Sorters—Emma Christina Adolfina Backman, Annie Chubb Gill, Mabel Emma Woodgate.

Male Learners—Richard Edge (Manchester), Edwin James Smith (Bristol).

Female Learner, Bristol-Maude Hull.

After Open Competition and under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.

Second Division: Clerk-Andrew Jervis.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Clerk in a Prison —Charles Sellars.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postman, Loudon—Herbert Robert Rolfe.

Porter, London-William John Cocks.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London—Herbert Edward Cook.

Learners—George Edgar Belcher (Maidenhead), Herbert Owen Evans (Conway), Helen Buchanan Fleming (Campbeltown), William Frank Ewart Holloway (Helston), Reginald Sharphouse (Thirsk).

Postmen—Frederick Charles Allingham (Dorchester), Jesse Bradford (Eastbourne), Thomas Cummings (Manchester), Ernest Rhodes (Edenbridge), Charles Edward Rothwell (Manchester), Henry Wardle (Manchester).

Temporary Assistant Postmen—Alfred Ernest Arnold (Leicester), John William Herbert Crabtree (Leeds).

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870, and under Clause 15 of the Order in Council of 29th November 1898.

Admiralty: Supply and Accounting Departments, Assistants—Antonia Edward Ashton, George Henry Smith.

September 12, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London — Daniel Bartley, John Gould Joyce.

Female Learners, London — Ruth Mary Carne, Mary Rimmer Riley.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphists, London — Bertha Mary Burton, Nellie Fuller.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum (Natural History): Attendant—Herbert Goodchild.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—William Poole.

Post Office: Postmen, London—Frank Adams, Augustus Charles Duncan, Edward Albert Pittock, Albert Ernest Ward.

Temporary Assistant Postmen, London-Cornelius Beer, Henry James Goddard.

Learners—Louis Reginald Carr (Dewsbury), Thomas William Gabriel (Barrow-in Furness), Kate Jolly (Chatham), Annella Kennedy Robertson (Grangemouth), Dora Winifred Schonhart (Dowlais), Margaret Smale (Swindon).

Postmen, Glasgow — Alexander Beatson, Robert James M'Cabe, Murdoch George M'Kenzie, James M'Pherson.

Postmen—Edmond Byrne (Cashel), Ernest Burvil Clayson (Dover).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Market Drayton-John Madeley.

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of 1 4TH JUNE 1870, AND UNDER CLAUSE 15 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 29TH NOVEMBER 1898.

Second Division: Clerk-Thomas Charles Tatum.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Robert Clarke.

BANKRUPTS. FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Eustace Barron, 40 St. James' Place, St. James' Street, Piccadilly, in the county of London.

Stephen Blundell, 1 Rosenau Road, Battersea Park, in the county of London, and carrying on business at 4 Hamsell Street, Cripplegate, in the city of London.

Thomas Bush, 15 Station Road, Manor Park, Essex, carrying on business at Manor Park Station, Manor Park aforesaid, coal merchant.

Richmond Nurse, 11 Paradise Road, Clapham Road, in the county of London, carpenter and builder.

James Osman, Granville House, Arundel Street, Strand, in the county of London, director of public companies.

Thomas Wills Withers, 12 Esmond Road, Bedford Park, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 52A Bow Lane, Cheapside, in the city of London, manufacturer's agent.

Albano Charles Jones (trading as A. C. Jones & Co., and the Rapid Polishing and Plating Company), residing at 34 Northampton Street, and carrying on business at Snow Hill Mill, Snew Hill, both in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, button maker, polisher and plater.

Thomas Kimberley, 138 Coventry Road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, corn merchant.

Charles Price, carrying on business at 153 Summer Lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, boot and shoe

Edwin Charles Woollard, 17 Mawdsley Chambers, Bolton, residing at Inglewood, 27 Ellesmere Avenue, Monton Road, Eccles, both in Laucashire, stockbroker.

Joshua James Barrett, 23 Cavendish Street, Keighley, Yorkshire, picture dealer.

Goodman Root (trading as G. Root & Co.), Chevin Grange, Meuston, in the parish of Otley, Yorkshire, and trading at Houldsworth Street, in the city of Bradford, wool and top merchant.

Frank Spencer, 3 Harrogate Street, and carrying on business at 273 Otley Road, both in the city of Bradford, and at Nab Wood Cemetery, Shipley, Yorkshire, monumental sculptor and builder.

James Edward Perry, The Grove, Burgess Hill, Sussex, colonel, lately in Her Majesty's service.

John Gledstone, 43 Nicholas Street and 14 Kenfington Park, both in the city of Bristol, and lately residing at 23 Brynland Avenue, Bishopston, Bristol aforesaid, solicitor.

Walter Wilson, now in lodgings at 75 Hunter Street, Barton-on-Trent, lately residing at 148 Horninglow Street, Burton-on-Trent, both in Staffordshire, brewer's labourer, lately butcher.

Thomas Alfred Sutton, now residing at 4 Royal Buildings, Penarth, near Cardiff, late insurance secretary.

John Henry Hopkin, 170 Bath Street, Ilkeston, Derbyshire, confectioner and refreshment-house keeper.

Henry Merrison Shelton Lock, Derbyshire, patent oven builder.

Walton Pepper, now residing at 3 Osborne Terrace, Saw ley Road, Long Eaton, Derbyshire, and up to the 5th day of February 1894, trading at Kegworth, Leicestershire, and for six months following at 111 Sawley Road aforesaid, journeyman j iner, late joiner.

Jabez Octavus Ford, residing and carrying on business at 36 Tower Road, Eastbourne, Sussex, builder.

Isaac Nathan (formerly trading as Frederick Nathan), formerly of 11 Grand Parade, Green Lanes, Harringay, Middlesex, now of 2 Kinnoull Mansions, Clarence Road, Lower Clapton, in the said county, formerly tobacconist, now out of business.

John Patrick, 55 St. Peter's Road, Great Yarmouth, lately Wymondham, both in Norfolk, lodging-house keeper, lately outfitter's manager.

William Charles Adams, 25 Dalrymple Road, Brockley, London, lately trading at 3 Cross Lane, Eastcheap, London, lately dried fruit dealer.

Thomas Henry Case, 104 London Road, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex, house agent. Arthur Eade, Valley Farm, Foxhall, Suffolk, farmer.

Richard Thorn Craggs, 100 Haydons Road, Wimbledon, lately carrying on business at 228 High Street, Merton, butcher.

Sidney White, Oxford Villas, Guiseley, in the county of York.

George Armson, Beaconsfield Cottages, The Bufton, Ibstock, in the county of Leicester, brickyard labourer, late beerhouse keeper.

Charles Lee, residing at 13 Nottingham Road, North Evington, and carrying on business at Rollestone Street, North Evington, both in the county borough of Leicester, blacksmith.

Thomas Sidwell, Crosby, in the county of Leicester, baker.

Ellis Roberts, residing and carrying on business at 148 London Road, Liverpool, butcher.

William Higton, residing and carrying on business at 75 Ashton New Road, Bradford, in the city of Manchester, and also carrying on business at 20 Phillip's Park Road, Bradford aforesaid, greengrocer.

William George Moore, 10 Hillsborough Terrace, Tor-point, in the county of Cornwall, and carrying on business at 63 St. Aubyn Street, Devonport, in the county of Devon, butcher.

Herbert Williams, Primrose Hill, Llandaff Station, in the county of Glamorgan, formerly of 41 and 42 Coedpenmaen Road, Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, brake driver, formerly sugar boiler and confectioner.

Edward Yates, residing at 3 Selborne Place, Preston, and carrying on business at 8 and 10 North Road, Preston, and at Queen Street Market, Morecambe, Lancashire, confectioner and sugar boiler.

William Philpott, Gills Hole Farm, in the parish of White Parish, Wiltshire, farmer.

Edward Bowmaker, late of 14 Cousin Street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, medical practitioner.

Henry Morgan (trading as Morgan Brothers), residing at 2 Tillery Street, Abertillery, in the county of Monmouth, and carrying on business at 2 Tillery Street, Abertillery aforesaid, and also at Sixbells, near Aberbeeg, in the said county, grocer.

Ernest Stephen Day, 18 Clarendon Street, formerly of 32 George Street, both in Learnington, in the county of Warwick, late hosier's assistant, now of no occupation.

The following Amended Notices are substituted for those published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 11th September 1900:—

Alfred Ernest Munday, 1 Holly Park Road, Hanwell, Middlesex, builder.

Joseph Titley, residing in apartments at 182 Princess Road, Moss Side, near Manchester, lately residing in apartments at 7 St. James Street, Moss Side aforesaid, formerly at 7 Cecil Street, Greenheys, near Manchester, and previously at 41 Rumford Street, Chorlten-upon-Medlock, Manchester, and carrying on business at 43 Barlow's Court, Market Street, Manchester, and lately Kissack, under the style of Titley & Kissack, at 4 Canning Place, Liverpool, and at 43 Barlow's Court aforesaid, commission agent, lately general merchant and commission agent.

RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED AND ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

John Bourdelain, Beech House, Feltham, Middlesex, late of 28 Ludgate Hill, London, advertising agent.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

John Edward King (trading as Frank & Co.), 8 Marlborough Road, Manningham, and trading at 3 and 5 Duke Street, both in Bradford, Yorkshire, wool, noil, and yarn merchant.

RATIBORITZ SILVER LEAD MINES LIMITED.

A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company, duly convened and held at
Glasgow on the 13th day of September 1900, the
following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:

(1) "That it has been proved to the Company that it
cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its
business, and that it is advisable to wind up the
same, and accordingly that the Company be wound
up voluntarily."

up voluntarily."
(2) "That John Stuart Lang, Writer, Glasgow, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator."

JOHN STUART LANG, Liquidator.

Dated the 13th day of September 1900.

In the Matter of THE INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY OF SCOTLAND LIMITED.

A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company, duly convened and held at No.
98 Bath Street, Glasgow, on the 29th day of August 1900,
the following Resolution was 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 13th day of September 1900, the
following Resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—
That the Company be wound up voluntarily under
the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and
1867, and that John Macfarlane, Writer, No. 98
Bath Street, Glasgow, be and is hereby appointed
Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

WILLIAM MUIRHEAD, Chairman.

Dated this 17th day of September 1900.

JOHN MACFARLANE, of No. 98 Bath Street, Glasgow, Writer, Witness.

BLACK & WINGATE LIMITED,

IN LIQUIDATION.

OTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the Office of Messrs. Smith & Williamson, 149 West George Street, in the City of Glasgow, on Monday the 22nd day of October 1900, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator. Liquidator.

D. Johnstone Smith, Liquidator.

Dated the 14th day of September 1900.

PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, by ROBERT HAMILTON WILSON, Dairyman, 48 Lochrin Buildings, Edinburgh, for the benefit of Cessio bonorum and the appointment of a Trustee, the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Petitioner to appear within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 3rd day of October 1900, at two o'clock afternoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend. Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

GARDINER & MACFIE, S.S.C., Agents.

11 York Buildings, Edinburgh, 18th September 1900.

A PETITION for Cessio bas been presented in the Sheriff Court of Forfarshire at Dundee, at the instance of Mrs. ELIZABETH DONALDSON or WILL, sometime Greengrocer and Dairy Keeper, Victoria Road, Dundee, now residing at Bridgend Cottage, Broughty Ferry; and the Sheriff Substitute of Forfarshire at Dundee has ordained the said Mrs. Elizabeth Donaldson or Will to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, upon the 3rd day of October next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all her Creditors are required to appear. Diet all her Creditors are required to appear.

> BRODIE & BUCHAN, Solicitors, King Street, Dundee, Agents.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kin, cardine, and Banff, at the instance of Fullerton, Forbes-& Co. Limited, Warehousemen and Manufacturers, 8 Bridge Street, Aberdeen, against Mrs. MAGGIE FINDLAY or ROBBIE, wife of Alexander G. Robbie, Joiner, &c., 528 Great Northern Road, Woodside, Aberdeen, and the said Alexander G. Robbie as her Curator and Administrator-in-Law, and for his own interest, and as an Individual; and the Sheriff-Substitute at Aberdeen has ordained the said Mrs. Maggie Findlay or Robbie and Alexander G. Robbie to appear in Court, within the Court House of Aberdeen, on the 28th day of September 1900, at twelve o'clock noon, for Examination, at which 1900, at twelve o'clock noon, for Examination, at which all their Creditors are required to attend.

> ARCHD. C. MORRISON, Advocate, 129 Union Street, Aberdeen, Agent for Petitioners.

Aberdeen, 15th September 1900.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lauarkshire, at the instance of John Buchanan & Brothers Limited, Wholesale Confectioners, Stewart Street, Cowcaddens, Wholesale Confectioners, Stewart Street, Cowcaddens, Glasgow, against WILLIAM JORDAN, Grocer, 4 Vernon Street, Maryhill, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said William Jordan to appear for public Examination within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 1st day of October 1900, at 10.15 A.M., at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

WRIGHT, JOHNSTON, & ORR, Solicitors, Glasgow, Agents.

Glasgow, 17th September 1900.

PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark, at the instance of the Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland, incorporated by Act of Parliament, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of G. B. HAMILTON & COMPANY, Hay, Grain, and Straw Merchants, 69 Finnieston Street, Glasgow, and George B. Hamilton, residing at 12 Barrington Drive, Glasgow, sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Scott, Monerieff) of this data granted Warrant for (Mr. Scott Moncrieff) of this date granted Warrant for citing the said G. B. Hamilton & Company and George B Hamilton to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> COWAN, CLAPPERTON, & BARCLAY. 91 West Regent Street, Glasgow. Agents.

Glasgow, 13th September 1900.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER WILLIAM GORDON, Solicitor, George Street, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 14th day of September 1900, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the Lothians and Peebles.

The first Deliverance is dated the 14th day of September

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 26th day of September 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

14th day of January 1901.

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

José Ormiston, Solicitor, Leith, Agent.

THE Estates of GEORGE THOMSON, 7 Gordon Terrace, Shettleston, were Sequestrated on 14th September 1900, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated 31st August 1900.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 27th day of September 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 caths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 14th January Ĭ901

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

THOS. A. MACFARLANE, 49 South Bridge Street, Airdrie, Procurator for Pursuer.

Airdrie, 14th September 1900.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER BALLACH, Iron founder and Aminaltural Vision Ballach, Iron THE Estates of ALEXANDER BALLACH, Ironfounder and Agricultural Implement Maker, formerly in Newton-Stewart, and thereafter residing at No. 1 Alexandria Terrace, Newton-on-Ayr, were Sequestrated on 18th September 1900, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 5th September 1900. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Wednesday the 26th day of September 1900, within Messrs. 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 eaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 5th January 1901.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh. All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

SIMPSON & MARWICK, W.S., Agents, 18 Heriot Row, Edinburgh.

18th September 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN RITCHIE, Market Gardener, Bonnyrigg.

JAMES POLLARD, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Spence Harris, Solicitor, Edinburgh, has been elected a Commissioner. The election of other two Commissioners has been postponed. The Examination of the elected a Commissioner. The election of other two Commissioners has been postponed. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 27th day of September current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. J. & W. Pollard, C.A., No. 17 Duke Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 8th day of October next, at two o'clock afternoon.

FLETCHER & MORTON, W.S., Agents for the Trustee.

18 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, 18th September 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of DAVID CRICHTON M'KNIGHT, Merchant, Bonnyrigg, a Partner of the Firm of John M'KNIGHT & Son, Contractors, Parsonsgreen Edinburgh, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

JAMES POLLARD, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Spence Harris, Solicitor, Edinburgh, has been elected a Commissioner. The election of other two Commissioners

has been postponed. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 27th day of September current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. J. & W. Pollard, C.A., No. 17 Duke Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 8th day of October next, at two o'clock afternoon.

FLETCHER & MORTON, W.S., Agents for the Trustee.

18 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, 18th September 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of ALLAN JAMES BOWIE, Grain Merchant, Brown's Lane, Causeyside, Paisley.

Merchant, Brown's Lane, Causeyside, Paisley.

JAMES M'LAY. Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Gilchrist, Grain Merchant, Glasgow, Charles Forbes Gavin, Hay and Straw Importer, Glasgow, and William Primrose, Grain Miller, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Paisley, on Tuesday the 25th day of September 1900, at 11.30 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the Trustee at 94 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. At the first General Meeting of Creditors, held on the 11th instant, for the election of a Trustee, the Bankrupt made an offer of Composition of Two Shillings per pound, payable in cash, on his discharge being obtained. The Meeting resolved to entertain said offer, and it will fall to be decided upon at the above Meeting of Creditors on the 5th day of October next.

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

Glasgow, 17th September 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT HALLY, Ironmonger, Aberdeen, and residing at No. 22 Queen's Road, Aberdeen.

GEORGE M'BAIN, JUNIOR, Chartered Accountant, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, on Wednesday the 26th day of September current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of William M. Sellar, Solicitor, 81 Union Street, Aberdeen, on Tuesday the 9th day of October next, at twelve o'clock noon. At this Meeting the Creditors will be asked to appoint Commissioners to act along with the Trustee, none having been appointed at the first Meeting of Creditors.

GEO. M'BAIN, Jr., Trustee.

17th September 1900.

A S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of MATTHEW THOMSON YATES, Doctor of Laws, sometime of No. 14 St. Andrew's Drive, Glasgow, and presently or lately residing at No. 42 Bath Street, Portobello, 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 Wednesday the 26th day of September 1900, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the nursues of considering an offer o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering an offer of Composition, with security, made by the Bankrupt.

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

50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, 18th September 1900.

A S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN ROSS, Contractor, Hilton Village, Inverness, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Writing Chambers of Messrs. And. J. & J. MacRitchie, Solicitors, 52 High Street, Inverness, on Friday the 28th day of September, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and finally deciding appropriate the street of the purpose of considering and finally deciding appropriate the street of the street of the purpose of considering and finally deciding appropriate the street of the for the purpose of considering and finally deciding upon an offer of Composition and security therefor, which was

entertained by Resolution of Meeting of Creditors held on Wednesday the 5th day of September 1900.

D. P. DUGUID, Trustee.

Town & County Bank Limited, Inverness, 13th September 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DAVID MEIKLE WATSON, Baker, Kelso.

DAVID WARDLAW BROWN TAIT, Writer to the Signet, Kelso, Trustee, hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within my Chambers, Square, Kelso, on Thursday, 11th October 1900, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by me for my dispharce as Trustee discharge as Trustee.

David W. B. Tair, W.S., Trustee.

. Kelso, 15th September 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of W. & A. MACKENZIE, Sheep Farmers and Sheep Graziers, Kildonan, by Ullapool, in the County of Ross and Cromarty, and William Mackenzie and Alexander Mackenzie, Sheep Farmers and Sheep Graziers at Kildonan aforesaid, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals.

HAY MACKENZIE, Bank Agent, Ullapool, Trustee, hereby intimates that a second and final Dividend will be paid within the National Bank of Scotland at Ullapool on the 3rd day of October next, 1900 years.

HAY MACKENZIE, Trustee.

Ullapool, 15th September 1900.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of WINTON MACKIE & CO., Tile and Marble Work Contractors, Glasgow, and of James Winton Mackie, junior, sole Partner thereof, I hereby intimate that a first and final Dividend will be paid on and after Monday, 5th November next, within the Chambers of Messrs. Grahams & Co., C.A., 212 West George Street, Glasgow, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

PATRICK GRAHAM, Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th September 1900.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MITCHELL, sometime Clothier, Bridge Street, Aberdeen, and afterwards Hotel Keeper at the County Hotel, King Street, Aberdeen.

A LEXANDER KNOX, Solicitor, 34 Bridge Street, Aberdeen, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

ALEX. KNOX, Trustee.

24 Bridge Street, Aberdeen, 14th September 1900.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE BELL & COMPANY, Photographers, 152 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, and George Bell and James Whyte, Photographers there, sole Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 30th August 1900, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

JOHN MEIKLE, Trustee.

157A Hope Street, Glasgow, 15th September 1900.

NDREW SIMPSON M'CLELLAND, Chartered Ac-A NOREW SIMPSON M'CLELLAND, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ROBERT BENNETT BROWNE, Underwriter and Marine Insurance Broker, 31 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

A. S. M'CLELLAND, Trustee, p. M'CLELLAND, MACKINNON, & Co.

Glasgow, 14th September 1900.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JAMES REID, Coach Hirer, 38 Forfar Road, Dundee.

DY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of the County of Forfar at Dundee, James Reid, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar at Dundee, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of the States in the sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

> MELVILLE & LAWSON, Solicitors, 61 Reform Street, Dundee, Agents.

18th September 1900.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, carrying on business as Coalmasters at Bellside Colliery, Cleland, under the Name or Firm of FORSYTH & RUSSELL, is DISSOLVED as at this date.

The Subscriber William Forsyth is authorised to receive payment of all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the dissolved Copartnership.

Airdrie, 14th September 1900.

JAMES RUSSELL.

Wм. FORSYTH.

THOS. FORSYTH, Solicitor, Airdrie, Witness.
WILLIAM THOMSON, Solicitor, Airdrie, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

WILLIAM GALBRAITH ROBSON, Dumbarton, retired, as at 31st March 1900, from the Firm of HARDIE & GORDON, Ironfounders, Dumbarton, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners.

The Business will be continued under the same name by the Subscribers Denny & Company, who will receive and are authorised to recover the assets, and will meet the liabilities of the old Firm.

W. G. ROBSON.

Witnesses to Signature of William Galbraith Robson— JA. Dons, Cashier, Levenbank JA. Dons, Cashier, Levendana Foundry, Dumbarton, Witness.

JAS. LUMSDEN, Bank Accountant, Dumbarton, Witness.

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DENNY & COY.

Witnesses to Signature of Denny & Coy-Ja. Dods, Cashier, Levenbank Feundry, Dumbarton, Witness. Thomas V. M'NIDDER Clerk, Engine Works, Dumbarton, Witness.

William Mayer, Manager, Levenbank Foundry, Dumbarton, has been assumed a Partner of the above Firm of Hardie & Gordon, and the Business shall, as from 1st April 1900, be continued under the old style of Hardie & Gordon by Denny & Company, Engineers, Dumbarton, and the said William Mayer.

DENNY & COY.

W. MAYER.

Witnesses to Signatures of Denny & Coy.
and William Mayer—

JA. Dods, Cashier, Levenbank
Foundry, Dumbarton, Witness.
John W. Caius, Clerk, Levenbank
Foundry, Dumbarton, Witness.

THE Copartnership of DONALD & MORTON, Auctioneers and Cattle Salesmen, Kilmarnock, of Auctioneers and Cattle Salesmen, Kilmarnock, of which the Subscribers Thomas Donald and Mathew Morton were the Individual Partners, was DISSOLVED, of mutual consent, on 28th May 1900. The Partners will carry on business separately on their own account. The Liquidators, Messrs. John Wilson & Stirling, C.A., 154 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, will collect and discharge all debts due to the Firm, and will pay all debts due by the Firm

due by the Firm.

THOMAS DONALD.

HUGH BARNETT, Solicitor, Kilmarnock, ROBERT LOGAN, Law-Clerk, Grange Place, Kilmarnock, Witnesses to the Signature of Thomas Donald.

MATHEW MORTON.

J. D. MACKINTOSH, Solicitor, Kilmarnock, John Bain, Solicitor, Kilmarnock, Witnesses to the Signature of Mathew Morton.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of JAMES BOWMAN & SON, Lamp and Iron Manufacturers, Huntly, of which the deceased James Bowman and James Bowman, junior, were the

only Partners, was DISSOLVED on 16th May 1900, in consequence of the death of the said James Bowman.

The Subscriber James Bowman, junior, will continue to carry on the Business as hitherto under the name of JAMES BOWMAN & SON. He is authorised to collect all debts due to the late Firm, and he will pay all debts due

Dated at Huntly this 15th day of September 1900.

ISABELLA BOWMAN, JAMES BOWMAN, JUNR., JANE RUNCIE BOWMAN, WM. WALKER,

Executors of the deceased James Bowman. JAMES BOWMAN, JUNE.

Signed before and in presence of-

Thos. Mackay, Witness, Clerk to Messrs. Jas. Bowman & Son, Huntly, and residing at 10a Old Road, Huntly.

ALEXR. COULL, Traveller to Messrs. Jas. Bowman & Son, Huntly, and residing at Waterton, Drumblade, Huntly, Witness.

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