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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' PALACE, October 25, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the State Apartments at Windsor Castle will be closed to the Public after Thursday next the 30th instant until further orders.

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL,
28th October 1902.

The King has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 25th instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting a Royal Charter of Incorporation to the Weavers' Society of Anderston.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of October 1902.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the "Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855," as amended by "The Secretary for Scotland Act, 1885," it was enacted that it should be lawful for His Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, upon the Representation

of the Secretary for Scotland, that a copy of an Interlocutor of a Sheriff of a County of Scotland under certain provisions of the said first-named Act had been received, in pursuance thereof, to order that no new burial ground should be opened within certain limits specified in such Order, save with the previous approval of the Secretary for Scotland or as the case might require) that after a time mentioned in such Order burials within certain limits, or in certain burial grounds or places of burial, should be discontinued wholly or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and that such Order in Council should thereupon have like force and effect as if the same were embodied in the said Act: Provided always that notice of such Representation, and of the time it should please His Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, should be transmitted to the Crown Agent in Edinburgh, and the Sheriff-Clerk of the County in which such burial ground is situated; and that the same should be by them respectively published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and fixed on the doors of the Church of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the Parish affected by such Representation, one month before such Representation was so considered:

And whereas the Secretary for Scotland made a Representation stating that he had received a copy of an Interlocutor by the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, finding that the Burial Ground known as Windmillhill Old Burial Ground, situated in or near Windmillhill Street, Motherwell, in the Parish of Dalziel and County of Lanark, was overcrowded and in a condition dangerous to health, and offensive and contrary to decency: