" for the revised and extended boundaries of the said "Burgh as set forth therein, and of this Deliverance, to "be given by advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette "and in the Fraserburgh Herald newspapers, and also "by handbills to be posted within the Burgh, and also "within the area proposed to be included within the "said revised and extended boundaries; and directs all "persons desiring to oppose the prayer of the Petition, or "to be heard in relation thereto, to lodge a Notice of "Appearance in the hands of the Clerk of Court at "Peterhead within seven days from the latest date of "intimation: and appoints the Plan referred to in the " Burgh as set forth therein, and of this Deliverance, to "intimation; and appoints the Plan referred to in the " Petition to remain in the hands of the Clerk of Court " Petition to remain in the non-" for inspection until further orders. (Signed) "D. CRAWFORD."

(Signed) "D. CRAWFORD." Notice is also hereby given that the latest date of intimation to be made in terms of said Deliverance will be the 30th day of June current, and that all persons desiring to oppose the prayer of said Petition, or to be heard in relation thereto, are required to lodge a Notice of Appearance in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Peterhead within seven days from that date.

F. J. R. ANDERSON, Solicitor, Fraserburgh,

Agent for Petitioners.

Town-House, Fraserburgh,

25th June 1903.

NOTICE.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Dumfries and Galloway at Wigtown, by John Service, Warehouseman, 85 Mitchell Street, Glasgow, for decerniture as Executor dative qua Funerator to the Deceased ROBERT NISH, Draper, Kirk of Mochrum, in the Bester of Mochrum the Parish of Mochrum.

> R. M'WILLIAM, Law-Agent, Wigtown, Petitioner's Agent.

25th June 1903.

SCOTTISH PROVIDENT INSTITUTION.

A Wextraordinary General Meeting of the Members will be held within the Windser Hotel, 100 Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 3th July next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of consider-ing, and, if thought fit, directing the formation of a Special Class of Endowment Assurances, with right of participation in the surplus arising from the special fund to be created for such class,—all in terms of the Scottish Provident Institution Order Confirmation Act, 1901.

JAMES GRAHAM WATSON, MBDager.

6 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, 25th June 1903.

JOHN WATSON LIMITED, Coalmasters, having their Registered Office at No 53 Bothwell Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented by the above-named Company to the Court of Session (Second Division, --Mr. Campbell, Clerk), for confirmation of a Special Resolution of the Company passed on 18th May and confirmed on 1st June 1903, in

passed on four may and control of the Com-the following terms:— "That, in accordance with section 134 of the Com-pany's Articles of Association, and in respect the particle access fund greated out of profits in virtue pany's Articles of Association, and in respect the special reserve fund created out of profits in virtue thereof again amounts to £25,000 sterling, the capital of the Company be reduced by repaying to the holders of the existing 5000 Five per cent. cumulative preference shares of £10 each, fully paid, the present paid up capital on these shares, to the extent of £5 per share, and by reducing the nominal amount of the said 5000 Five per cent. cumulative preference shares from £10 to £5 per chare coordinaty " share accordingly."

To approve of the Minute as set out in the Petition, and to dispense altogether with the addition of the words "and reduced" to the Company's name; upon which Petition the Court has pronounced the following Interlocutor :

"Edinburgh, 23rd June 1903 .- The Lords appoint the "Edinburgh, 33rd June 1903.—The Lords appoint the: "Petition to be intimated as craved, also to be adver-"tised once in each of the Edinburgh Gazette, Scotsman, " and Glasgow Herald; and allow Answers to be lodged " within eight days thereafter; meantime dispense with " the addition of the words 'and reduced ' to the Com-" pany's name. "J. H. A. MACDONALD, I.P.D."

WEBSTER, WILL, & Co.,

Agents for the Petitioners.

37 Queen Street, Edinburgh, 24th June 1903.

THE SCOTTISH AND NEW ZEALAND INVEST-MENT COMPANY LIMITED AND REDUCED.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the Petition pre-sented by the above-named Company to the Right Henourable the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, --Mr. Couper, Clerk), praying their Lordships, inter alia, to confirm the reduction of capital as set out in the said Petition, the following Interlocutor has been pronounced :-

" Edinburgh, 19th June 1903. - The Lords having "considered the Petition, along with the Report by Sir "Charles B. Logan, No. 28 of Process, and heard Counsel "for the Petitioners, approve of said Report; settle the "List, No. 23 of Process, as the List of Creditors entitled "to object to the proposed reduction of capital; find "that there are no Creditors entitled to object to the proposed reduction; confirm the reduction of the capital of the Scottish and New Zealand Investment "capital of the Secttish and New Zealand Investment. Oompany Limited and Reduced from £75,000 sterling, divided into 100,000 ordinary shares of 15s, each fully pipaid, to £37,500 sterling, divided into 100,000 ordi-inary shares of 7s. 6d. each fully paid, all in terms of the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 14th January 1903, and confirmed at the subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 4th February 1903; approve of the Minute of Reduction set out in the Petition; dispense with the addition of the words 'and 'reduced' to the Company's name after the lapse of fourteen days from the date of this Order; authorise 'the registration of the present Order and of the said 'Minute by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in "Minute by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in "Scotland, and decern ; and appoint this Order and the "said Minute to be advertised once in the Edinburgh "Gazette and Scotsman newspaper. "KINROSS, I.P.D."

And Notice is hereby given that the said Interlocutor and the said Minute of Reduction of Capital have been and the said Minute of Reduction of Capital nave ocen-registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 22nd day of June 1903, the said Minute being in the following terms:—"The capital of the Scottish and New Zealand Investment Company Limited is £37,500, divided into 100,000 ordinary shares of 7s. 6d. each. At the time of the registration of this Minute 7s. 6d. has been, and hell be deemed to have been paid up on each share." shall be deemed to have been, paid up on each share,

MORTON, SMART, MACDONALD, & PROSSER, W.S.,. Agents.

19 York Place, Edinburgh, 23rd June 1903.

DUNBAR STEAM LAUNDRY LIMITED.

PETITION has been presented to the Court of A Session (First Division,-Mr. Couper, Clerk), for an Order that the Dunbar Steam Laundry Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898, he wound up by the Court, and for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the said Company; in which Petition the Lords of the First Division have pronounced

retition the Lords of the First Division have pronounced the fellowing Interlocutor:— "*Edinburgh, 24th June 1903.*—The Lords appoint the "Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the "Minute-Book in common form, and to be served upon "the Durbar Steam Laundry Limited; also appoint a "notice of the Petition to be advertised once in the "Edinburgh Caracter and areas in other Schwarzer "Edinburgh Gazette and once in each of the Scotsman

"and Haddingtonshire Courier newspacers; and allow "the said Dunbar Steam Laundry Limited, and all "persons having interest, to lodge Answers, if so