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SHERIFF COURTS OF THE COUNTY OF ARGYLL.

ORDER by the Secretary for Scotland.

I, The Right Honourable Andrew Graham Murray, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by an Act passed in the session of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 86, do hereby direct and order that from and after the 1st day of January 1904, the divisions of the County of Argyll for Sheriff Court purposes, including Ordinary and Criminal, Small Debt, and Debts Recovery Courts, shall be as follows:—

I. DUNOON AND INVERARAY DISTRICT.

Burgh of Inveraray, Parishes of Inveraray and Glenaray, Kilmichael-Glassary, Kilmartin, North Knapdale, South Knapdale (including the old parish of Kilberry, but excluding, except as may be fixed by the Sheriff for Small Debt actions dealt with on circuit, the part contained in the Tarbert Water Supply District), Lochgoilhead and Kilmorich, Strachur, Stralachan, Kilmoden, Kilfinan, Inverchaolain, Dunoon and Kilmun, Islay—Kildalton and Oa, Killarrow and Kilmeny, Kilchoman; and the Parish of Jura, in so far as consisting of the Island of Jura and Small Isles south of the Gulf of Corrievreckan.

And I hereby further direct and prescribe that the Sheriff of Argyllshire, or the salaried Sheriff-Substitute at Dunoon, shall hold Courts every Thursday at Dunoon, Small Debts and Debts Recovery Courts at Lochgilphead, at Inveraray, and, for the Islands of Islay and Jura, in Islay, at either Bowmore or Bridgend as may be fixed

from time to time by the Sheriff of Argyllshire; at Lochgilphead once every month during the session of the Sheriff Court, provided that one of such Courts may be held in vacation instead of during the session, as may be convenient; at Inveraray once in every four months; in Islay once in every six months. And such additional Courts shall be held at these places as may be fixed by the Sheriff of Argyllshire, should the business awaiting disposal at any time render this, in his opinion, desirable: and the Sheriff shall take proofs at Lochgilphead and Inveraray in such ordinary cases from these localities as may be ready for probation on the occasion of any sitting of the Court at these places respectively, and he shall hear debates at Inveraray and Lochgilphead in ordinary cases from these localities as may be found convenient.

II. OBAN DISTRICT.

The parishes of Lismore and Appin (including Appin, Lismore, Glencoe, Ballachulish, and Duror), Ardchattan and Muckairn, Kilmore and Kilbride, Oban Burgh, Kilbrandon and Kilchattan, Kilninver and Kilmelford, Craignish, Dalavich, Kilchrenan, Glenorchy and Inishail, Colonsay and Oronsay, the Islands north of the Gulf of Corrievreckan forming part of the parish of Jura, Mull—Kilfinichen and Kilvickeon, Kilninian and Kilmore, Pennygown and Torosay; Tiree, Coll, Ardnamurchan and Sunart (Ardnamurchan portion), Morven.

And I also further direct and prescribe that the Sheriff of Argyllshire, or the salaried Sheriff-Substitute at Oban, shall hold Courts every Friday at Oban, and for Small Debts and Debts Recovery cases at Tobermory once every month