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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1915.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 20th day of December 1915.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

HEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition)
Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 28th day of July 1915, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 28th day of July 1915, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the same:—

- (1) That the heading "Iron, Hæmatite pig" in the list of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal should be deleted, and that the exportation of "Hæmatite pig iron" should be prohibited to all destinations.
- (2) That the exportation of "Iron and steel smelting scrap" should be prohibited to all destinations.
- (3) That the exportation of the following goods should be prohibited to all destinations abroad other than British Possessions and Protectorates:—

Bichromate of soda; Bladders, casings and sausage skins; Colchicum and its preparations; Solid drawn steel tubes; Wireless telegraphs, material for.

(4) That the heading "Bichromate of soda" and "Bladders, casings and sausage skins" in the list of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe

and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal should be deleted.

- (5) That the heading "Telegraphs, wireless telegraphs, and telephones, material for" in the list of goods the exportation of which is prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic Ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal should be deleted, and there be substituted therefor the heading "Telegraphs (other than wireless) and telephones, material for."
- (6) That the exportation of the following goods should be prohibited to all foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia (except through Baltic ports), Italy, Spain and Portugal:—All such vegetable fibres and yarns made therefrom (not including linen thread) as are not at present prohibited to be exported to any destination

Now, therefore, their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZBOY.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S PALACE, S.W., November 27, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be an Honorary Member of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Lieutenant-General Conte Luigi Cadorna, Chief of the Staff, Italian Army.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S PALACE, S.W., December 11, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give Orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be an Honorary Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Colonel Milivoï Nicolaïevitch, General Staff, Serbian Army, Military Attaché of the Serbian Legation in London. CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE, DOWNING STREET, November 27, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:—

To be an Honorary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Lieutenant-General Nobile Carlo Porro, dei Conti di Santa Maria della Bicocca, Assistant Chief of the Staff, Italian Army.

AMERICAN DOLLAR SECURITIES.

Purchase by or Deposit on Loan with the Treasury.

Preliminary Notice.

With a view to facilitating the maintaining of the exchanges between the United Kingdom and the United States of America, the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are prepared to purchase American (including certain Canadian) dollar* securities owned in this country, or to receive such securities on deposit for use as cover for short loans to be contracted in America.

The securities which are regarded as suitable for these purposes are—

- (1) Securities in which Savings Banks in the United States of America are authorised to invest; and
- (2) Any other securities which are customarily accepted as security by bankers in the United States.

Of the two alternatives above suggested, the Treasury prefer that of purchase in all cases in which the holder of the securities is in a position to sell them outright. The alternative of deposit on loan is intended to meet the case of those holders who are not in a position to sell, but are able and willing to assist the Government by lending their securities.

I.—PURCHASE.

The Treasury will be prepared to purchase such securities as are in their opinion suitable for the purpose in view at the current market price, the purchase money to be paid at the seller's option either in cash or in 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds falling due 1st December 1920, at par, subject to the proviso that where the purchase money is not 1001. or a multiple thereof any balance in excess of an even hundred pounds will be payable in cash.

In the case of securities quoted on the New York Stock Exchange the closing New York Stock Exchange quotation of the day on which the securities are purchased will, normally, be taken as the current market price for this purpose, and the price to be paid will be the sterling

* Including sterling securities convertible into dollar securities, and securities carrying the right to payment in dollars or sterling at the holder's option, but not purely sterling securities. equivalent of that quotation at the exchange of the day. In the case of unquoted securities, or in the case of quoted securities in respect of which the current quotation may not be regarded as representing a true market value, the price will be fixed by agreement with the person tendering the securities.

The Exchequer Bonds will bear interest from the day following that on which the purchase is made. Where the quotation of the securities purchased does not include accrued interest or dividend, the amount of such accrued interest or dividend to the date of purchase will be added to the price.

In the event of future loans (other than issues made abroad or issues of Exchequer Bonds, Treasury Bills, or similar short dated securities) being raised by His Majesty's Government for the purpose of carrying on the war, Bonds of this issue will be accepted, together with all undue coupons, as the equivalent of cash to the amount of their face value, for the purpose of subscription to any such loan. Interest accrued to the date of surrender of a Bond will be paid in eash

Securities upon which British Stamp Duty has not previously been paid need not be stamped for the purpose of sale to the Treasury.

II.-DEPOSIT ON LOAN.

In the case of holders who for any reason are not prepared to sell their securities, the Treasury are willing to accept securitles on deposit, subject to a right of purchase in certain contingencies, on the following terms:—

- (1) The securities to be transferred to the Treasury for a period of two years from the date of transfer.
- (2) While the securities are on deposit under this arrangement the lender to receive from the Treasury all interest and dividends paid in respect of them, and also, by way of consideration for the loan, a payment at the rate of one-half of one per cent. per annum calculated on the face value of the securities.
- (3) If the depositor at any time during the currency of the loan desires to realise all or any of his securities, the Treasury will, upon receipt of a notification from him specifying the securities which he desires to realise, either—
 - (i) sell (subject to any limit as to price which may be specified in the notification) the securities on his behalf in New York, and pay over to him the proceeds in London in sterling at the exchange of the day on which such proceeds are received in New York, without any deduction for brokerage or commission, or (at the depositor's option)
 - (ii) release the securities in New York for the purpose of sale by the depositor himself, such release to be made (unless the Treasury otherwise agree) only against payment of the proceeds in dollars to the Treasury Agent in New York, the depositor to be paid in London by the Treasury in sterling at the exchange of the day.

Alternatively the Treasury will, at any time during the currency of the loan, be prepared to consider proposals that they should themselves take over all or any of the securities from the

depositor at the New York Stock Exchange closing quotation of the day upon which the proposal is received; the purchase money to be paid in sterling at the exchange of the day without any deduction for brokerage or commission.

The purchase money will in each case be payable in London against the surrender of the Treasury Certificate.

- (4) In case the Treasury should find it necessary to sell all or any of the securities deposited, the Treasury may take over all or any of such securities on sending notification in writing to the registered address of the holder of the certificate. The Treasury to pay the value of the securities mentioned in the notification, calculated at the New York Stock Exchange closing quotation of the day the notification is sent, with an addition of 2½ per cent. on the value so calculated. Payment to be made in London in sterling at the exchange of the day, without any deduction for brokerage and commission, against the surrender of the Treasury Certificate.
- (5) So far as circumstances may permit, arrangements will be made for enabling a depositor at any time to obtain the release of deposited securities in exchange for the deposit of other suitable American securities of equal value.
- (6) Holders of Bearer Bonds (or share certificates transferable by delivery) will be required to lodge the bonds and coupons with the Treasury, and holders of registered stock will be required to execute a transfer of the stock in favour of the Treasury. Bonds upon which British Stamp duty has not previously been paid may be deposited unstamped. The bonds or stock will then be entered in the holder's name in a register kept by the Treasury for the purpose, and a certificate of entry in this register will be issued to the holder. The title to bonds or stock entered in the Treasury Register may be transferred upon that register by deed in the ordinary way. In the case of registered stock, the Treasury will bear all charges in respect of the original transfer into their name in the company's books, and of the re-transfer in the company's books into the name of the person in whose name the stock stands in the Treasury Register when it is finally released; transfer deeds for intermediate transfers in the Treasury Register will be subject to stamp duty in ordinary course, and to a registration fee of 2s. 6d. All transfer deeds in respect of Bearer Bonds or share certificates transferable by delivery will be free of stamp duty and registration fee. At the end of the period of the loan the bonds or certificates deposited (or bonds or certificates identical in all respects with those deposited) will be delivered to the depositor in exchange for the surrender of the Treasury Certificate.
- (7) The Stock Exchange Committee will be asked to make arrangements for dealings on the Stock Exchange in the Treasury Certificates of Securities deposited under the scheme.
- (8) The interest and dividends on all deposited securities, together with the additional payment at the rate of one-half of one per cent. per annum, will be paid by Treasury Warrant to

the holder for the time being on the Treasury Register, as soon as they have been collected, in sterling at the exchange of the day. For convenience of payment, a full half-year's additional payment will be added to the first dividend payment and (when the deposit continues for the whole period of two years) no additional payment will be made in respect of the period from the last dividend payment to the end of the period. In the event of earlier release, the amount due from the date of deposit to the date of release will be calculated, and any overpayment or underpayment will be adjusted when the release is effected.

- (9) All securities tendered for deposit must be supported by a statament by a banker, broker, or other responsible party that they have remained in physical possession in the United Kingdom or have been in the ownership of the depositor since the 30th September 1914, and that they have not since the outbreak of war been in enemy ownership.
- (10) The Treasury undertake to recommend to Parliament any legislation which may be necessary to give effect to the scheme and to enable trustees and companies to take advantage thereof and to hold Treasury Certificates in place of the securities deposited.

The Treasury reserve the right to refuse either in whole or in part any offer to sell or deposit securities under the scheme.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, S.W., 15th December 1915.

Note.—This Notice is published for public information only. The procedure to be followed in regard to individual applications to sell or deposit securities will be announced on Tuesday next, the 21st instant.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM (LIQUOR CONTROL).

GENERAL ORDER (AMENDING AND EXPLANATORY)
OF THE CENTRAL CONTROL BOARD (LIQUOR
TRAFFIC).

We the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic) in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us by the Acts and Regulations relating to the Defence of the Realm, hereby make the following General Order:

Additional Saving Provision.

- 1. The following paragraph shall be inserted after paragraph (a) of the Article entitled "Saving Provisions" in each of the Orders of the Board now in force in the respective areas to which the Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, and any Regulations amending the same, have been applied.
- (a2) The consumption of intoxicating liquor at a meal by any person in any licensed premises or club at any time within half an hour after the conclusion of the afternoon and evening hours during which the sale or supply of intoxicating liquor is permitted by this Order: Provided that

the liquor was sold or supplied and served during such hours at the same time as the meal and for consumption at the meal:

And each of the said Orders shall be read as if the said paragraph were inserted as aforesaid in the said Article.

In the application of this Order to any area or part of an area situate in Scotland this Order shall be read as if the expression "exciseable liquor" were substituted for the expression "intoxicating liquor."

Hours of Opening in England and Wales on Christmas Day.

2. The hours during which intoxicating liquor may be sold and supplied on Christmas Day in licensed premises and clubs in any such area or part of an area situate in England or Wales whether for consumption on or off the premises shall in each case be the hours during which by the provisions of Article (2) of the said respective Orders applying to areas or parts of areas situate in England or Wales such sale or supply for consumption on or off the premises is respectively permitted on Sundays.

PROVIDED ALWAYS-

- (a) In such part of the Western Border Area as is situate in England the hours shall be the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m., and between 6.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. for consumption on the premises and the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. for consumption off the premises.
- (b) In the areas of Newport, Cardiff and Barry tha hours shall be the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. for consumption on the premises and the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. for consumption off the premises.

And Article (2) of each of the said Orders applying to areas or parts of areas situate in England or Wales shall be read as if the provisions of this Article were inserted therein.

3. This Order shall not apply to the London Area.

Given under the seal of the Central Control
Board (Liquor Traffic) this fourteenth
day of December 1915.

D'ABERNON,
Chairman.
JOHN PEDDER,
Member of the Board.

ADMIRALTY, December 15, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned Officer in recognition of his services and signal gallantry in charge of machine guns at the Gallipoli Peninsula:—

Lieutenant Theodore Douglas Hallam, R.N.V.R. (now Acting Flight-Lieutenant, R.N.).

CURRENCY NOTES.

(4 & 5 Geo. V., cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

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Treasury Chambers, 16th December 1915.

JOHN BRADBURY, Secretary to the Treasury.

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 4th day of December 1915.

Name and Title as set forth in	Name of Firm.	Head Office or	Circulation authorised	Average Wee	Circulation (luring Four above.	Average Amount of Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above.			
Licence.	Awiio of FAM.	Place of Issue.	by Certificate.	£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.*	Silver.	Total.	
<i>i</i> :										
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	396,852	559,727	1,551,418	2,111,145	1,799,588	108,502	1,908,090	
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216,451	43 5,032	1,349,115	1,784,147	1,662, 573	113,359	1,775,932	
British Linen Bank	British Linen Bank	Edinburgh	438,024	343,707	1,144,197	1,487,904	1,173,632	117,836	1,291,468	
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374,880	422,85 3	1,338,302	1,761,155	1,487,243	146,100	1,633,343	
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	 Edinburgh	297,024	365,707	1,142,773	1,508,480	1,29 4,3 32	88,622	1,382,954	
Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	454,346	462,595	1,094,046	1,556,641	1,181,363	109,394	1,290,757	
North of Scotland and Town and County Bank Limited	North of Scotland and Town and County Bank Limited	Aberdeen	224,452	601,732	678,156	1,279,888	1,0 66, 52 9	64,800	1,131,329	
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow	274,321	368,691	995,321	1,364,012	1,198,657	135,429	1,334,086	
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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, with the exception of the North of Scotland and Town and County Bank Limited, 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.

Dated 16th day of December 1915.

P. THOMPSON, Registrar of Bank Returns.

^{*} This column includes Currency Notes deposited at the Bank of England, which by virtue of Treasury Minutes made under the authority of the Act 4 and 5 Geo. 5, Ch. 14, are to be treated as coin held by the Bank at its head office or principal place of issue.

VESSELS DETAINED OR CAPTURED AT | £857,209 ls. 2d. to £685,802, 13s. 2d., and the Minute BY HIS MAJESTY'S ARMED FORCES.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the Edinburgh Gazette of December 14, 1915.)

List of Vessels.

Name and Tonnage.		Nationality.	Where Detained.			
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SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the Edinburgh Gazette of December 14, 1915.)

List of Vessels.

Name of Vessel.	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at		
Gard	Swedish	The Downs		
Grove				
James Haynes .				
Montebello				
Panaghi	Greek	Alexandria		
Lykiardopoulo	8			
Pennsylvania		Grimsby		
Foreign Office,				
December	17, 1915.			

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased GEORGE GARDNER, Grocer and Wine Merchant, eighteen High Street, Innerleithen, and who resided in Waverley Road

A PETITION has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Peebles, by Mrs. Nannie Kirk Pringle or Gardner, residing in Waverley Road, Innerleithen, Widow of the said George Gardner, a person having an interest in the succession of the said deceased George Gardner,—the said deceased having left no settlement appointing Trustees or other parties having power to manage his Estate,—praying under the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913, section 163, for the appointment of a Judicial Factor upon said Estate; and which Petition will be again moved in Court or or after the fourteenth day of January nineteen hundred and sixteen; of all which Notice is hereby given.

AL. C. D. VERT, S.S.C., Pursuer's

9 Howe Street, Edinburgh, 20th December 1915.

In the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division. Mr. Justice Astbury. No. 00354 of 1915.

In the Matter of THE STOCK CONVERSION AND INVESTMENT TRUST LIMITED AND REDUCED, and in the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 7th December 1915, confirming the reduction of the Capital of the above-named Company from

approved by the Court, showing with respect to the Share apital of the Company as altered the several particulars required by the above Act, were registered by the Registrar of Companies on the 15th day of December 1915. The said Minute is in the words and figures following:—The Capital of the Stock Conversion and following:—The Capital of the Stock Conversion and Investment Trust Limited and Reduced henceforth is £685,802, 13s. 2d., divided into £243,750 Preference Stock, 10,000 Preference Shares of £5 each, 450,782 Annuity Shares of One Penny each, 50,000 Ordinary Shares of £2 each, 199,900 Ordinary Shares of £1, 4s. 0d. each, £50,176, 8s. 0d. Ordinary Stock, and 118 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, reduced from the former Capital of £857,209 1s. 2d., divided into £325,000 Preference Stock, 10,000 Preference Shares of £5 cach, £50,782 Annuity 10,000 Preference Shares of £5 each, 450,782 Annuity 10,000 Preference Shares of £5 cach, 450,782 Annuity Shares of One Penny each, 50,000 Ordinary Shares of £2 each, 199,900 Ordinary Shares of £1, 8s. 0d. each, £100,352, 16s. 0d. Ordinary Stock, and 118 Ordinary Shares of £1 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute all the £243,750 Preference Stock, all the 450,782 Annuity Shares, and all the £50,176, 8s. 0d. Ordinary Stock have been issued and fully paid, and all the 199,900 Ordinary Shares of £1, 4s. 0d. each, numbered 101 to 200,000 inclusive, have been issued and the sum of 4s. per share has been and is to be deemed to have been paid up on each of them, and the residue of the Capital of the Company, namely 10,000 Preference Shares of £5 each, 50,000 Ordinary Shares of £2 each, and 118 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, has not been issued. and nothing has been or is to be deemed to have been paid up thereon.

Dated this 20th day of December 1915.

FRESHFIELDS, New Bank Buildings, 31 Old Jewry, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Company.

In the Matter of J. & J. LANG & COMPANY LIMITED.

A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 30 Market Street, Greenock, on Monday the 20th day of December 1915, the following Extraordinary solution was passed :-

esolution was passed:—

"That the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities,
"continue its Business, and that it is advisable to
"wind up, and accordingly that the Company be
"wound up voluntarily."

And at the same Meeting Alexander Allan, Chartered

Accountant, 2 Church Place, Greenock, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

Wм. A. Fisher, Chairman.

Greenock, 20th December 1915.

J. & J. LANG & COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held within the Office of Messrs, Allan & Clapperton, Chartered Accountants, 2 Church Place, Greenock, on Wednesday the 5th day of January 1916, at 12 o'clock noon.

ALEXANDER ALLAN, Liquidator.

2 Church Place, Greenock, 20th December 1915.

THE SCOTTISH GRANITE COMPANY LTD., in Liqn.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Scottish Granite Company Limited, incorporated under the Companies Act, 1862 to 1898, duly convened, and held within the Chambers of Messrs. Hope, Todd, & Kirk, W.S., 19 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, on the 14th day of December 1915, the following Extraordinary Recolutions were duly reseed viz. Resolutions were duly passed, viz. :-

(1) "That the Company cannot, by reason of its
"liabilities, continue its Business, and that it
"be wound up voluntarily."

(2) "That Mr. James Wilson, 19 Charlotte Square,
"Edinburgh, and Mr. William M. Kennedy,
"Creetown, be, and they hereby are appointed

"Joint Liquidators of the Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets thereof, with power to them to earry on the Business of the Company for a limited period for that purpose, and with all other powers conferred by law upon "Liquidators" " Liquidators."

JAMES WILSON, W. M. KENNEDY, Joint Liquidators.

19 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, 15th December 1915.

SCOTTISH GRANITE COMPANY LTD. (in Liquidation).

In terms of sec. 188 of the Companies (Consolidation)
Act, 1908, we, James Wilson, 19 Charlotte Square,
Edinburgh, and William M. Kennedy, Creetown,
hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors of
this Campany will be held within the Chambers of
Messrs. Hope, Todd, & Kirk, W.S., 19 Charlotte
Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 29th day of
December current, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES WILSON. W. M. KENNEDY, Joint Liquidators.

19 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, 18th December 1915.

To the Creditors on the Cessiood Estates of JOHN ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Proprietor of Gipsy Ointment, sometime of 59 Clyde Place, Glasgow, and now of 5 Great Clyde Street, Glasgow.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, John Archibald Campbell, 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 before the date of the Decree of Cessio bonorum pronounced on 9th December 1909, in terms of the Statute.

DAVID COOK, Writer, 162 Bath Street, Glasgow.

December 1915.

In the SEQUESTRATION of FREDERICK LEWIS at Dingwall.

The first Deliverance is dated the 27th day of MAITLAND of Lindores, Newburgh-on-Tay.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Simon Romanes, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of the said Frederick Lewis Maitland, now deceased, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, in terms of Section 98 of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913, against Robert Meynell Stickney, 24 St. Giles Croft, Beverley, Yorkshire, Executornominate acting under the Holograph Will and Codicil of the said Frederick Lewis Maitland, dated respectively 21st April 1911 and 31st August 1912, both recorded in the Books of Council and Session 9th March 1915, Respondent, craving to have it declared that (1) the sum of spondent, craving to have it declared that (1) the sum of £57, 18s. 11d. received by the Respondent as Executornominate foresaid from Douglas Moncrieff Govan, residing at Gowan Park, Cupar, and others, known as the Maitland Trustees, and acting under a Declaration of Trust dated 14th November 1901, and (2) the sum of £30, 1s. 9d. received by the Respondent as Executor-nominate aforesaid from Keith Ramsay Maitland, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, and others, as Trustees acting under an Antenuptial Contract of Marriage between the said Frederick Lewis Maitland and his then intended wife, dated 4th and 5th August, and registered in the Books of Council and Session 21st November 1896, and under a Deed of Declaration of Trust executed by said Marriage Contract Trustees, dated 4th, 5th, 7th, 11th, 18th, and 19th, all days of June, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session 5th July 1901, which sums represent the proportions of two alimentary liferents enjoyed by the said deceased Frederick Lewis Maitland accruing as at the date of his death on 9th February 1915, vested in the Petitioner as Trustee foresaid on said date of deceased's death; and further that the said Respondent should be ordained to make payment to the Petitioner of said sums accordingly; on which at Gowan Park, Cupar, and others, known as the Maitland

Petition the following Interlocutor has been pronounced,

"Edinburgh, 15th December 1915.—The Sheriff-Sub-"stitute of the Lothians and Peebles having considered "the foregoing Petition, appoints the import thereof and "of this Deliverance to be intimated by advertisement in "the Edinburgh Gazette, and a copy thereof and of this
"Deliverance to be served on the Respondent edictally;
"and appoints the Respondent and all others concerned
"to appear, if so advised, within the Sheriff Court House,
"George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Tuesday, 4th January
"1916, at 2 o'clock p.m. "John C. Guy." Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> JOHN M. RAE, S.S.C., Agent for the Petitioner.

45 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, 18th Decembor 1915.

THE Estates of MISS AGNES JESSIE CRUICK-SHANK, residing at Glengarry Villa, Ross Avenue, Inverness, were Sequestrated on the eighteenth day of December nineteen hundred and fifteen, by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness.

The first Deliverance is dated the eighteenth day of

December nineteen hundred and lifteen.
The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the twenty-ninth day of December nineteen hundred and fifteen, within the Faculty Hall, The Castle, Inverness. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the Sequestration shall proceed as a Suppose Sequestration of the sequestration of the

proceed as a Summary Sequestration in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act. 1913.

The date on or before which Creditors must lodge their oaths and grounds of debt to entitle them to the first Dividend will be intimated in the Gazette Notice calling the second Meeting.

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette

KENETH MACDONALD, Solicitor, Town House, Inverness, Agent.

THE Estates of the Deceased DAVID CUNNING-HAM, Farmer, Drummonreach, Strathconon, in the County of Ross and Cromarty, were Sequestrated on the 18th day of December 1915, by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland

October 1915.

Agent.

THE Estates of the GLASGOW HARBOUR FOUNDRY COMPANY, carrying on business at Moorpark, Renfrew, and John Wilson, Founder, Broughallan Gardens, Renfrew, and Thomas Hill, carrying on business and residing at 387 Victoria Road, Crosshill, Glasgow, the sole Partners thereof, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on eighteenth December 1915, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley. and Bute at Paisley.

The first Deliverance is dated the 18th day of

December 1915.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 29th day of December 1915, within the George Temperance Hotel, Old Smithhills Street, in Paisley. A

Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the Sequestration shall proceed as a Summary Sequestration in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913.

The date on or before which Creditors must lodge | Buchanan Street, Glasgow, to those Creditors whose their claims to entitle them to a first Dividend will be | claims have been lodged and admitted. advertised in the second Gazette Notice.

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette

alone.

A. ALSTON CAMERON, Solicitor, Town Hall, Johnstone, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of PETER CUMMING, Wright and Builder, 56 Hydepark Street, Glasgow, and residing at 27 Derby Street, Sandyford, Glasgow.

WALTER NELSON, Chartered Accountant, 135
Wellington Street, Glasgow, has been elected
Trustee on the Estate; and David Weston, Secretary of
Brownlee & Co. Ltd., City Saw Mills, Port Dundas,
Glasgow, Thomas Bryson, Ironmonger, 118 Hope Street,
Glasgow, and Lauchlan Alexander M'Geoch, 28 West
Campbell Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take
place within the Summary Court, County Buildings,
117 Brunswick Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 29th
day of December 1915, at 2.30 o'clock afternoon. The
Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Wilson &
Nelson, C.A., 135 Wellington Street, Glasgow, on
Monday the 10th day of January 1916, at 3 o'clock
afternoon, at which Meeting a Commissioner will fall
to be appointed, in room of Lauchlan Alexander M'Geoch,
resigned.

WALTER NELSON, Trustee.

20th December 1915.

SEQUESTRATION OF JOHN FULLARTON, Farmer, Glencloy, Brodick, Arran.

A S Trustee on the above Sequestrated Estates, I hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Norman Stewart Institute, Rothesay, on Wednesday the 29th day of December 1915, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to elect Commissioners.

JAMES MACKINNON, Trustee.

11 Albert Place, Rothesay, 20th December 1915.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN STEPHEN, sometime Hotelkeeper, Gordon Arms Hotel, Culter, in the County of Aberdeen, and thereafter at No. 134 George Street, Aberdeen (now deceased).

AS Trustee on the above Sequestrated Estates, A hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors in the Sequestration, to be held within the Office of Messrs. James & George Collic, Advocates, 25 Union Street, Aberdeen, on Wednesday the 5th day of January 1916, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider as to application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

J. YOUNGER COLLIE, Trustee.

17th December 1915.

In the SUMMARY SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MACKINTOSH, Butcher, Aviemore.

JOHN MUNRO MIDDLETON, Solicitor, Inver, ness, hereby give notice, in terms of the Bankruptoy (Scotland) Act, 1913, that I have obtained
from the Accountant of Court a Certificate that I am
entitled to obtain my discharge, and that the SheriffSubstitute of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness
has fixed Thursday the twentieth day of January
nineteen hundred and sixteen, at eleven o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff Court House at Inverness, as
a Diet for hearing and disposing of objections to my
discharge. discharge.

J. MUNRO MIDDLETON, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of DUNCAN M'MILLAN, Merchant, Tobermory, Argyllshire.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 4th December 1915, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first Dividend will be paid on and after 5th February 1916, within his Chambers, 135

GEO. HODGE, Trustee.

Glasgow, 17th December 1915.

In the SEQUESTRATION of R. ANDERSON & COY., Jane Street, Leith, and D Ivy Lodge, Laverockbank Road, Leith, and Charles Cooper, 10 Corrennie Drive, Edinburgh, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals

THOMAS PATRICK LAIRD, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first Dividend from the Estates of the Company and Partners will be paid at his Chambers, No. 46 Castle Street, on the 7th day of February 1916.

T. P. LAIRD, Trustee.

46 Castle Street, Edinburgh, 20th December 1915.

THE Copartnership of WM. C. MASSON & COMPANY, Wholesale Tea Merchants, 35 Parnie Street, Glasgow, has been DISSOLVED as at 4th December 1915, by the retiral therefrom of Mr. William C. Masson.

The Business will be continued under the same Firm name by Mr. William Masson, jr., who will uplift the debts due to the Firm and will discharge the liabilities.

> WM. C. MASSON. WILLIAM MASSON.

J. A. Browning, Tea Agent, 32 Ann

Street, Glasgow,
T. S. WANLESS, Tea Agent, 93 Waterloo Street, Glasgow,
Witnesses to the Signatures of the said Wm. C. Masson and William

Glasgow, 18th December 1915.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

N. G. Stewart Dawson, 27 Albemarle Street, lately residing at Gloucester House, Park Lane, both London.

Edward John Knowles Foreman (trading as Sprake, Foreman, & Son), The Yard, Grosvenor Cottages, Eaton Terrace, London, and 6 Dorlcote Road, Wandsworth Common, Surrey, lately carrying on business at 16 Pont Street, Belgravia, London, builder and decorator.

Herbert Lawford Acland, whose present residence the petitioning creditors are unable to ascertain, lately residing at 15 Welbeck Street, London.

Albert M. Maas, 24 Eastcheap, London, E.C.

George Albert Smedley, 36 Clarges Street, Piccadilly, London, lodging-house keeper.

Ernest Symes, Abbotswood, Cinderford, in the county of Gloucester, and lately residing at and carrying on business at The Hermitage, in the parish of Box, in the county of Wilts, surgeon and medical practitioner.

Thomas James, residing at 14 Thompson Street, Higher Tranmere, Birkenhead, and lately carrying on business at 25 Seymour Street, Higher Tranmere aforesaid, both in the county of Chester, wholesale milk dealer.

H. Bennet (male), The Fearns, 43 Preston New Road, Blackburn, dentist.

Arthur Clifford, 14 Swadford Street, Skipton, Yorkshire, outfitter.

John Scott, 13 Sackville Street, Skipton, Yorkshire, furniture broker.

Arthur Bowyer, 70 Westow Street, and 7 Essex Grove, Upper Norwood, Surrey, hardware dealer, and gas and hot water fitter.

Walter Greenwood, Bracken Hill, Mirfield, in the county of York, carrying on business at Wellington Mill, Mirfield aforesaid, cotton doubler.

Charles Marr and Florence Marr (his wife), trading in copartnership as The Polygon Manufacturing Co., 2 Egerton Terrace, Stockport Road, Ardwick, Manchester, and trading in copartnership at 5 Polygon Street, Ardwick, Manchester aforesaid, blouse manu-

John Robson Pounder, Lynnwood, Aynsley Terrace, trading at 23 Front Street, both in Consett, county of Durham, grocer.

James Williamson Tocher, Washington Station, county of Durham, at present stationed at Riby Camp, Lincolnshire, medical practitioner, lieutenant in the Royal Army Medical Corps.

Charles Frank Edward Lear (trading as Charles James Lear & Son), 9 St. Mark's Terrace, Anglescy, and of Alverstoke, Hants, builder and contractor.

The Leatherite Supply Company, 57 Marlborough Road, Hightown, Manchester, leather merchants.

Frederick William Ball, High Street, Malmesbury, in the county of Wilts, baker.

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