John Taylor, Merchant, Constitution Street, Leith, William Smellie, Secretary, Stockbridge Mills, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 27th December next, at 2 o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 65 Castle Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 5th day of January 1917, at three o'clock afternoon.

WM. ANNAN, C.A., Trustee.

15th December 1916.

SEQUESTRATION of HUGH MACDOUGALL, Builder and Contractor, Argyll Square, Oban.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that a Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, C.A., 87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 28th day of December 1916, at twelve o'clock noon, to elect a Commissioner in place of William Dick Samuel, deceased.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A., Trustee.

87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 14th December 1916.

In the SEQUESTRATION of MISS JESSIE PATERSON, Draper, Govan Road, Glasgow.

C EORGE HODGE, C.A., Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimates that a second and final Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Hodge & Smith, C.A., 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on 22nd January 1917.

GEO. HODGE, C.A., Trustee.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, 14th December 1916.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM BALLANTYNE & SON, 50 Tolbooth Wynd, Leith, and Robert Ballantyne, Butcher, residing at 18 Craighall Crescent, Trinity, Leith, the only known Partner.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 30th November 1916, has been audited by the Commissioners. Further, that a first Dividend of 2s. 6d. per £ will be paid on the 1st day of February 1917, within his Chambers, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

GEORGE BIRD, C.A., Trustee.

17 Duke Street, Edinburgh, 15th December 1916.

To the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of JOHN MACKIE, sometime Farmer, Blackside, Sorn, Mauchline, Ayrshire.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, dated 15th December 1916, John Mackie, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

MAL. GRAHAM YOOLL, Agent for Petitioner.

5A York Place,

15th December 1916.

THE Firm of PETER SINCLAIR & SON, Plumbers, Quay Pend, Dumbarton, has been DISSOLVED as at 8th July 1916, by mutual consent, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Peter Sinclair, one of the Partners. The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber David

Sinclair on his own account and under the same name of "Peter Sinclair & Son." David Sinclair is authorised to uplift all the debts due to, and will discharge all debts and liabilities of, the Firm.

Dated at Dumbarton, the twelfth day of December nineteen hundred and sixteen.

PETER SINCLAIR. DAVID SINCLAIR.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Peter Sinclair and David Sinclair— MINA SINCLAIR, Ascog Villa, Dumbarton, Clerkess. JAMES WILSON, 2 Strathleven Place, Dumbarton, Solicitor.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Oliver Andrews, 21 Beechcroft Mansions, Streatham, Surrey, and carrying on business at St. Ann's Lane, in the city of Westminster, commercial traveller.

James Bertram, 17A Upper George Street, Portman Square, London, and Heron Court Yard, Richmond, Surrey, jobmaster.

Ernest Esdaile, 7 Carlton Parade, Herne Hill, London, journalist.

Harold Parker, the Officers Training Corps, Motor Transport, Grove Park, lately carrying on business at 46 Pall Mall, both London.

Louis Polischuk, 37 Camden Road, Middlesex, teacher of music and dealer in musical instruments.

William Henry Snow, lately residing or carrying on business at 73-75 Watling Street, Loudon, E.C.

Cyril Henry Grenville Ham, (trading as Samuel Timson & Sons) 149 High Street, Berkhamsted, Herts, tailor and breeches maker.

John Parker, 329 to 335 Heath Street, in the city of Birmingham, wholesale rag merchant and bone factor.

George Henry Hawksworth, 5 Crow Nest Road, Ferncliffe, Bingley, Yorkshire, canal boatman.

A. O. Knowles & Co., 3 Westgate, in the city of Bradford, wool, waste, and noil merchants.

John William Allison, 1 Thomas Street, late 92 Corporation Road, Great Grimsby, timekeeper, late confectioner.

Donald Henry Olison (trading as Locke & Co.), 184 High Street, Gorleston, Suffolk, wine and spirit merchant.

William John Weston, Eyhorne Street, Hollingbourne, Kent, butcher.

Arthur Thomas, 84 High Street, Clydach, in the county of Glamorgan, process worker at nickel works.

Sidney Timm, late Red Lion Street, Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, baker, but now a driver in His Majesty's Army.

Hubert Charles Barnes, Shelly Lodge, Muscliff, near Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, builder.

Altham Joseph Packer, 25 Alford Road, Erith, Kent, carman, contractor, and munition worker.

R. A. Allen (male), Heolynant, Vardre, Clydach, and lately carrying on business at Chapel Street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, baker.

Robert Spencer Jessop, 164 West Broomwich Street, Walsall, and carrying on business at 2 West Bromwich Road, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, druggist.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

J. G. A. A. Case, Beckford Hall, Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester.