of the said field to meet the existing Burgh boundary at a point near the Mill Lade, thence Southwards and Southwestwards along the existing Burgh boundary to a point 33 yards or thereby to the South of the road leading from Cupar to Pitscottie at which last-mentioned point the existing Burgh boundary meets a stone wall enclosing ground forming part of Tarvit Estate, thence in a Southeasterly direction along the said stone wall for a distance of 367 yards or thereby, thence in a West-southwesterly direction through the said ground belonging to Tarvit Estate for a distance of 217 yards or thereby, thence continuing through the said ground in a Southwesterly direction for a distance of 83 yards or thereby to meet the fence forming the Northern boundary of the drive leading to Tarvit House, thence in a Westerly direction along the North side of the said drive following the curves thereof for a distance of 307 yards or thereby to a point opposite the end of a stone wall forming a field boundary, thence across the said drive and along the said last mentioned stone wall in a Southerly and Southeasterly direction for a distance of 367 yards or thereby, thence in a Southwesterly direction for a distance of 60 yards or thereby crossing part of Tarvit Estate and crossing the road leading from Cupar to Ceres to meet the boundary wall of Cupar New Cemetery on the South side of the said road leading from Cupar to Ceres, thence in a Southeasterly direction along the said boundary wall of Cupar New Cemetery to the Southeastern corner of the said Cemetery, thence along the Southern boundary wall of the said Cemetery to the Southwestern corner thereof, thence in continuation of the line of the Southern boundary wall of the said Cemetery across Cupar Golf Course for a total distance of 200 yards or thereby to a point at which the stone wall forming the Western boundary of the said Cupar Golf Course meets a stone wall bounding subjects belonging to James R. Scotland, thence in continuation of the said last mentioned line along the stone walls forming the Southeastern boundaries of lands belonging to the said James R. Scotland and to James Porter respectively to the Southwestern corner of the said land belonging to the said James Porter, thence in a Northwesterly direction along the stone wall forming the Southwestern boundary of the said land belonging to the said James Porter to meet the East side of the road leading from Cupar to Kirkcaldy at a point near the dwellinghouse known as Garland Cottage, thence along the Eastern side of the said last mentioned road in a Northeasterly direction for a distance of 140 yards or thereby to a point opposite the end of a stone wall forming the Northern boundary of the lands of Bellbrae, thence in a Northwesterly direction across the said last mentioned road and along the said stone wall forming the North houndary of the lands of Bellbrae for a distance of 140 yards or thereby to the River Eden, thence across the said River and in a Northwesterly direction for a d'stance of 333 yards or thereby intersecting the existing Burgh boundary and crossing the Railway line leading from Cupar to Springfield to the toe of the North embankment of the said Railway line, thence in a Southwesterly direction for a distance of 273 yards or thereby again intersecting the existing Burgh boundary, thence in a Northwesterly direction for a distance of 50 yards or thereby to the North side of the fence forming the Northern boundary of Cupar Mills Lade, thence in a Southwesterly direction along the said fence for a distance of 117 yards or thereby, thence in a Northwesterly dir ction along a fence and a wall forming field boundaries for a distance of 393 yards or thereby to a point on the North side of the road known as Brighton Road, thence in a Northeasterly direction along the North side of the said last mentioned road for a distance of 40 yards or thereby, thence in a Northwesterly direction along a fence, a hedge and a wall forming field boundaries for a distance of 350 yards or thereby to the South side of the road known as Westfield Road and intersecting the existing Burgh boundary, thence in a Southwesterly direction along the South side of the last mentioned road for a distance of 320 yards or thereby again intersecting the existing Burgh boundary, thence in a Northwe orly direction for a distance of 70 yards or thereby to meet the Northern boundary wall of the grounds of Belmore House, thence in a Northeasterly direction along the said last mentioned boundary wall for a distance of 180 yards or thereby, thence in a Northwesterly direction for a distance of 113 yards or thereby, thence in an Easterly direction for a distance of 50 yards or thereby, thence in a Northwesterly direction for a distance of 200 yards or thereby to a point on the South side of the road known as Carslogie Road opposite the subjects known as Elmwood, thence in a Westerly direction along the South side of the said last mentioned road for a distance of 140 yards or thereby, thence in a Northerly direction across the said last mentioned road and for a distance of 33 yards or thereby, thence in an Easterly direction for a distance of 87 yards or thereby to meet the Western boundary of the said subjects

known as Elmwood, belonging to Fife County Council Education Committee, thence in a Northwesterly direction following the said last mentioned boundary for a distance of 160 yards or thereby, thence in an Easterly direction along the Northern boundaries of the subjects known respectively as Elmwood and Hope Park for a distance of 173 yards or thereby, thence in a Northwesterly and Northeasterly direction along the Western boundary of Duffus Park to a point on the South side of the road known as St. Mary's Road, thence in an Easterly direction along the South side of the said last mentioned road to meet the existing Burgh boundary at a point near its junction with the road known as Balgarvie Road, and thence in a Northeasterly and Southeasterly direction along the line of the existing Burgh boundary to the point of commencement,

- (3) To find and declare that the said revision alteration and extension shall take effect from the 16th day of May 1961.
- (4) To find and declare that the expenses incurred by the Pursuers and the Court in carrying out the procedure necessary hereunder shall be payable out of the Burgh Fund of Cupar Town Council.
- (5) To find any persons appearing to oppose this application liable in expenses.
- (6) To order such publication of this application by way of advertisement or otherwise as to the Court shall seem proper.
- (7) To cause this application and the deliverance following thereon to be recorded in the Sheriff Court Books of Fife, and
- (8) To do further or otherwise as to the Court shall seem just.

## In Respect Whereof

Thos. E. G. Sinclair, Solicitor,
Town Hall, Cupar,
Pursuers' Agent.

## Condescendence

- 1. The boundaries of the Royal Burgh of Cupar were last extended with effect from 9th February 1894, and the areas within the present boundaries of the said Burgh are shown coloured blue and green on the map produced herewith.
- 2. The Pursuers are desirous that the boundaries of the said Burgh should be extended to include the areas shown coloured pink on the said map, and that, for convenience, the two small areas shown coloured green on the said map and included within the present boundaries of the said Burgh should be excluded therefrom.
- 3. For several years past, the built up area of the said Burgh has spread beyond the present boundaries thereof, and in the said areas shown coloured pink on the said map, water, drainage and cleansing services are provided by the Pursuers.
- 4. In recent years there has been a strong desire by private individuals and building firms to build houses within the said Burgh but almost all the sites available for house-building on an economical scale have already been used for that purpose, or have been reserved for industrial, educational or other purposes.
- 5. The said Royal Burgh of Cupar is the County Town and is the professional, business and shopping centre for a large section of East Fife, and because suitable houses cannot be obtained many professional and business people and persons employed within the said Burgh are unable to obtain housing accommodation within the said Burgh and are accordingly compelled to reside elsewhere and to travel daily to their places of business or employment.
- 6. In 1931, the population of the said Burgh was 4,595; by 1951 the figure had risen to 5,686, and it is expected that the census of 1961 will show a further increase in the population of the said Burgh.
- 7. The present area of ground within the boundaries of the said Burgh is 533 acres, and, if the boundaries of the said Burgh were altered and extended as craved, the net increase in area would be 149.3 acres, making a total revised area of 682.3 acres.

## PLEA-IN-LAW

1. The proposed alteration and extension of boundaries, being reasonable and necessary, should be granted as craved.

In Respect Whereof

Thos. E. G. Sinclair, Solicitor, Town Hall, Cupar, Pursuers' Agent.

"Cupar, 15th April 1961. The Sheriff, having considered the foregoing Writ, Appoints the Pursuers to give notice of the import thereof and of this Deliverance by