

✓ **THE** Estates of **JAMES COWAN**, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, Glasgow, sometime carrying on Business in Glasgow as a Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, under the style or Firm of **JAMES COWAN & BROTHERS**, as sole Partner of said Company, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 11th day of November 1853.

The first deliverance is dated the 11th day of November 1853.

The Lord Ordinary, by said first deliverance, nominated and appointed **William Tolmie**, Accountant in Glasgow, to be Interim Factor, who has found caution, in terms of the Statute.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners was, on the application of the Interim Factor and of the Bankrupt, with consent of the concurring Creditor, by their Lordships of the First Division of the Court of Session, postponed from the 30th day of November 1853, and is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, of Friday the 16th day of December 1853, within the Claremont Hotel, No. 134, Union Street, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 12th day of March 1854, in the event of the period for payment of said dividend not being accelerated.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the *Edinburgh Gazette* alone.

**CUBER & STEWART**, S. S. C., Agents,  
53, Castle Street, Edinburgh.

✓ **THE** Estates of **JAMES BAILLIE PENDER**, Paper Maker at Lochmill, in the County of Linlithgow, were sequestrated on the 3d day of December 1853.

The first deliverance is dated same day.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed **William Mcncreiff**, Accountant in Edinburgh, to be Interim Factor on the said estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said **James Baillie Pender** against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on the 19th day of December instant, within the Star and Garter Hotel, Linlithgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3d day of April 1854, provided the time of payment shall not be accelerated; or one month before the time fixed for payment of the first dividend, if such time shall be accelerated.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the *Edinburgh Gazette* alone.

**JAMES W. BAILLIE**, W. S. Agent.

Edinburgh, 14, Walker Street,  
December 5, 1853.

#### SEQUESTRATION OF **JOHN TEMPLETON**, Merchant in Kilmarnock.

**JAMES WILSON**, Accountant in Kilmarnock, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **John Merry**, Senior, Baker in Kilmarnock, **Robert Craig**, Accountant in Glasgow, and **John Stevenson**, House Factor, Kilmarnock, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, Kilmarnock, on Wednesday the 14th day of December current, at 11 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the Trustee, 28, King Street, Kilmarnock, on Friday the 23d day of December current, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

**JAMES WILSON**, Trustee.

Kilmarnock, December 3, 1853.

SEQUESTRATION OF **JAMES BENNETT**, Writer to the Signet, Insurance Broker and Banker, residing in Smith's Place, Leith Walk, Edinburgh, formerly of No. 5, Antigua Street, Edinburgh.

**JOSEPH DRYSDALE**, Accountant, Royal Exchange, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and **Alexander Carnegie Ritchie**, Esquire, Advocate, Edinburgh, **John Turnbull**, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, and **Hugh Bruce Dewar**, Solicitor Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff's Office, County Buildings, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 13th day of December current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in **Dowells & Lyon's** Rooms, 18, George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 22d day of December current, at two o'clock afternoon.

**JOS. DRYSDALE**, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 5, 1853.

A Petition having been presented to Lord Deas, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of **GEORGE CLEMENT BOASE**, Esquire, one of the Partners, and the Cashier of the Dundee Banking Company, and also the Registered Officer in whose name the said Company is entitled to sue and be sued, a Creditor to the extent required by law of **WILLIAM BENNET**, Merchant and Manufacturer in Dundee, now deceased, with the consent of **William Collier**, Merchant in Dundee, as Trustee under and conform to a Trust-Disposition executed by the said **William Bennet** in favour of the said **William Collier**, as Trustee for his Creditors, dated the 22d August 1837, praying for the sequestration of the estates of the said **William Bennet**,—his Lordship, upon the 5th day of November 1853, granted warrant to cite **Margaret Bennet**, residing in King Street, Dundee, **Ann Bennet**, also residing there, **Marjory Bennet** or **Todd**, wife of **James Todd**, Merchant in Dundee, **Elizabeth Bennet** or **Webster**, wife of **William Webster**, Engineer in St Petersburg, in Russia, or otherwise furth of Scotland, and **William Bennet**, Clerk in America, or otherwise furth of Scotland, being the children, and nearest of kin and successors of the said deceased **William Bennet**, and all, or at least one or other of them, his heirs both in heritage and moveables, and also the said **James Todd** and **William Webster** for their interest in the premises, to appear in Court within twenty-one days after citation, to shew cause why sequestration of the estates of the said deceased **William Bennet** should not be awarded, in terms of the Statute. The said children and nearest of kin and successors, and heirs or heir, and the said other parties for their interest, having been duly cited to appear accordingly, and no appearance having been made, Lord Handyside, Ordinary officiating on the Bills upon the 5th day of December 1853, ordered intimation of the foresaid warrant to be published in the *Edinburgh Gazette*, and of new ordained the said successors of the said deceased **William Bennet** to appear within a further space of twenty-one days from the date of publication of the said intimation, to shew cause why sequestration of the estates of the said deceased **William Bennet** should not be awarded, in terms of the Statute.

**WM. IVORY**, W. S., 22, Duke Street, Edinburgh,  
Agent for the Petitioners.

Edinburgh, December 6, 1853.

**JAMES BELL**, Mason at Newbigging, formerly Innkeeper, Farmer, and Cattle Dealer at Dalreoch, in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Perthshire, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of his sequestration on the 18th day of April 1844: Upon which Application the Sheriff has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—  
'Perth, 5th December 1853.—Appoints this Petition to be intimated in the *Edinburgh Gazette*, in terms of the 16th sec. of the Act 16th and 17th Vic. cap. 53.

(Signed) 'HUGH BARCLAY.'

—Of which Notice is hereby given accordingly.

**JOHN YOUNG**, Writer, Perth,  
Petitioner's Agent.

**LAUCLAN MACKENZIE**, Writer in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **DONALD FRASER MACPHERSON**, Coal and Lime Merchant, and Commission Agent in Tain, now residing in Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of his Creditors on the 19th November last, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable by equal instalments at three and six months after the Bankrupt's final discharge, and offered **William Catharine Macpherson**, Messenger-at-Arms in Tain, as his security. The said **Donald Fraser Macpherson** further offered to pay or provide for the whole expenses attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. That a majority in number and four-fifths in value of the Creditors present at said meeting having resolved that the offer and security be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Ship Hotel, East Register Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 14th day of December current, at three o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

**L. MACKENZIE**, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 6, 1853.