Notice is hereby given, that the same will be finally decided upon at the said meeting to be held on Mouday the 26th day of June current, at two o'clock afternoon.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun. Trustee.

Glasgow, June 8, 1854

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN AITKEN, Contractor and Builder in Glasgow.

EORGE MACFARLANE, Accountant in Glasgow,
Trustee on the sequestrated estates of John Aitken,
Contractor and Builder in Glasgow, hereby intimates,
that at the second general meeting of Creditors held
upon the 8th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a
composition of Two Shillings per pound to his Creditors
on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable one half in cash on the 1st day of September next, and the other half in cash on the 1st day of December following, as also to renounce his interest in certain vacant ground situated at Partick on behalf of the Creditors, and offered Duncan Turner, Writer in Glasgow, as his security. The said John Aitken further offered to pay and provide for the expences attending the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. The Creditors present at said meeting having resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for conthe offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of the Trustee, 116, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 4th day of July, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

GEO. M'EARLANE Trustee

GEO. M'FARLANE, Trustee. Glasgow, June 9, 1854.

JAMES THOMSON, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of RALSTON & HOUSTON, Commission Merchants in Paisley, as a Company, and Robert Wright Ralston and John Mac-alaster Houston, Commission Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, hereby intimates, that at the general meeting of Creditors after the Bankrupts' examination, held on the 7th current, the said Robert Wright Ralston made an offer of composition on all debts due by the said Ralston & Houston, as a Company, and the said Robert Wright Ralston and John Macalaster Houston, as Partners of that Company, and as Individuals respec-tively, at the date of the sequestration of their estates, payable at three months after the date of the Bankrupts' final discharge, and offered security for the same; as also to pay and provide for the expence of the sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. That the Creditors present at said meeting having unanimously resolved that the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Office of Messrs Reid & Henderson, Writers, 3, County Place, Paisley, on Thursday the 29th day of June current, at 12 noon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupts' offer, and the security proposed, with or without amendment.

James Thomson, Jun. Trustee. Glasgow, June 8, 1854.

POBERT TOD, Tenant in Cardrona Mains, Peeblesshire, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of THOMAS SALTON, designed as residing at Howford, Peeblesshire, Farmer, Tacksman of the Slate Quarry at Grieston, Peeblesshire, and Manufacturer of Slates there, and Banker, or Dealer in, or Holder of Bank Stock, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromisstock, hereby intimates, that an account or his intromis-sions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 25th day of May last, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding, have been made up, and ex-amined and audited by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute. Further, that at a meet-ing of the said Commissioners held of this date, payment of a third dividend on the estate was postponed until the recurrence of the next stated period for declaring a dividend, and the said Commissioners also dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ROBERT TOD, Trustee.

Cardrona Mains, June 6, 1854.

WILLIAM LAWSON, Draper, Cupar, and present Prisoner in Cupar Prison, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Fife, for decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are required to appear in Court at Cupar, on 11th July 1854, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

Charles Welch.

CHARLES WELCH Writer, Petitioner's Agent.

Cupar, June 7, 1854.

## NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

PETER REID, sometimes designed PETER REID, Junior, Cattle Dealer at Greenyards, near Bannockburn, in the Parish of Saint Ninians, and County of Stirling, presently Prisoner in the Jail of Stirling.

INTIMATION is Hereby Given, that Peter Reid, otherwise Peter Reid, Junior, before designed, has of this date applied to the Sheriff of the County of Stirling for the benefit of Cessio Bonorum, and for liberation from prison, and interim protection against the execution of diligence at the instance of his real or pretended Creditors; and setting forth in said application that he is ready and willing to find caution acted in the Sheriff-Court Books of Stirling to the extent of L200 sterling, and naming his cautioner, and that he L.200 sterling, and naming his cautioner, and that he will appear and attend at all diets of Court that may be fixed for his examination: Of which application the said Sheriff directed intimation to be given, and has appointed the Petitioner's Creditors to meet within the Sheriff-Court-House of Stirling, upon the 12th day of July next, 1854, at ten o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

JAMES CHRYSTAL Agent for the Petitioner.

Stirling, June 7, 1854.

## NOTICE

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON, Carter in Grangepans, at present a Prisoner in the Prison of Linlithgow. NOTICE is Hereby Given, that the said William Williamson has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Linlithgow, praying for the benefit of the process of Cessio Bonorum, and for liberation and interim protection against the execution of diligence; and that the Sheriff-Substitute of said Shire, by his deliverance upon said Petition of date the 8th day June 1854, appointed the Petitioner to give Notice of said application in the Edinburgh Gazette; and requiring all his Creditors to appear within the Court-House of Linlithgow, on the 11th day of July next, at 12 o'clock noon, and ordaining the Petitioner to appear in Court on the above-mentioned day for public examination.-Of all which Notice is hereby given according-

> JOHN HARDY, Procurator for Petitioner.

Linlithgow, June 8, 1854.

ly, in terms of the Statute.

WILLIAM CRUICKSHANKS, Tailor and Clo-VV thier in Glasgow, sometime carrying on Business at No. 901, Cowcaddens Street, Glasgow, along with Robert Brown, under the name or Firm of CRUICKSHANKS Robert Brown, under the name or Firm of CRUICKSHARKS & Brown, Tailors and Clothiers, 90½, Cowcaddens Street, Glasgow, presently Prisoner in the North Prison of Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 12th day of July next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination. the Petitioner will appear for examination

D. NIVEN, Petr's. Pror.

Glasgow, June 8, 1854.

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A LEXANDER MACK, sometime Fishcurer in Pollokshaws, afterwards Grocer there, and thereafter Spirit-Merchant there, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Paisley, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Renfrew, praying for decree of Cessio Bonorum, liberation, and interim protection from the diligence of his Creditors; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Tuesday the 11th day of July next, at one o'clock afternoon, at which time and place the Petitioner will appear for public examination, in presence of the said Sheriff or his Substitute.

JA. CALDWELL, Agent.

Paisley, June 6, 1854.

JONATHAN ALLWOOD, Glazier, Thistle Street, and residing in Crown Street, Hutchesontown, Glasgow, presently Prisoner in the North Prison of Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, craving liberation, interim protection, and decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Sheriff-Clerk's Office here, on the 11th day of July next, at 12 o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for examination.

Glasgow, June 8, 1854.

J. TAYLOR, Petr's. Pror.