

Lanark, praying for a discharge of all debts and obligations contracted by him, or for which he was liable, either as a Partner of said Firm or as an Individual, at the date of the sequestration of his and their estates, in terms of the Acts 2d and 3d Victoria, chapter 41st, and 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 53d; and that the said Sheriff has ordered the said Petition to be intimated by Advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Statutes, which provides that unless appearance be made to oppose the same within twenty-one days from the date of the publication of said Intimation, the Sheriff shall pronounce a Deliverance finding the Petitioner entitled to a discharge.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the said Order and Statutes.

JAMES RITCHIE, Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, November 28, 1855.

PATRICK MORISON, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOSEPH NIXON**, Currier and Leather Merchant, World's End Close, High Street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 28th current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Five Shillings per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable by two equal instalments, the one half thereof on the Bankrupt's final discharge, and the other half thereof six months thereafter; and offered William Nixon, Farmer, Dykesfield, Cumberland, as his security. The said Joseph Nixon further offered to pay and provide for the whole expences attending 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 Dowells & Lyon's Rooms, No. 18, George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 20th day of December next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

PATK. MORISON, Trustee.

Edinburgh, November 29, 1855.

JOHN ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JOHN FERGUSON**, sometime Merchant in Belfast, now Box Maker and Merchant in Glasgow, and residing in Bothwell, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of Creditors held on the 23d current, the Bankrupt made an offer of a composition of Two Shillings and Sixpence Sterling per pound to his Creditors on all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration, payable in one sum at two months after the Bankrupt's final discharge, and offered Alexander Miller, 210, Holm Street, Glasgow, as his security. The said John Ferguson further offered to pay or provide for the whole expences 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 should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given, that another general meeting of Creditors will be held within the Counting-House of the Trustee, No. 9, Prince's Square, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 11th day of December next, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the Bankrupt's offer and the security proposed.

JOHN ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 26, 1855.

WILLIAM HORSBRUGH, Clerk to the Peace for the County of Fife, residing in Cupar, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **THOMAS DUNCAN**, Grocer, Ceres, Fifeshire, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 13th current, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute: That he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the 13th current, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said estate, and also of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part. Farther, that a dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Chambers, St. Cathrine Street, Cupar, on the 14th day of January next, 1856.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WM. HORSBRUGH, Trustee.

Cupar-Fife, November 27, 1855.

GORBALS AND GOVAN UNITED MILITIA SOCIETY.

IN conformity with Minutes of 5th October and 26th November last, Intimation is hereby given, that the above Society will be DISSOLVED on Thursday the 13th day of December 1855.

ANDW. DONALD, Preses.

JAS. BOYLE, Secy.

Glasgow, November 27, 1855.

NOTICE.

Paisley, November 27, 1855.

THE Copartnership carried on in Paisley and Greenock by the Subscribers, sole Partners, as Silk Mercers and Woollen Drapers, under the Firm of **WILLIAM MILLER & COMPANY**, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. The Subscriber Peter Brough, is authorised to uplift and discharge all debts due to, and will pay all debts owing by the Company.

PETER BROUGH.

WILLIAM MILLER.

ARCHD. GARDNER, Writer, Paisley, Witness.

JAMES DODDS, Shopman, Paisley, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership Concern carried on by the Subscribers, sole Partners thereof, under the Firm of **JOHN DUFF & COMPANY**, Engineers, Oakbank, Glasgow, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent. The debts due to and by the Company will be received and paid by the Subscriber Mr Duff, who will continue to carry on the Business on his own account.

JOHN DUFF.

JAS. STEVENSON, Witness.

ARCH. CAMPBELL, Witness.

ALEX. MILLER.

WM. F. KIRKLAND, Witness.

JAMES GRANT SMITH, Witness.

Glasgow, November 23, 1855.

THE Partnership between the Subscribers, as Merchants, Queensberry Square, Dumfries, under the Firm of **W. D. DICKSON & SON**, is this day DISSOLVED.

W. D. DICKSON.

R. A. DICKSON.

JAMES M'KIE, Writer, Dumfries, Witness.

ANDREW ALLAN, Clerk to Mr M'Kie, Witness.

Dumfries, June 1, 1855.

NOTICE.

Glasgow, November 29, 1855.

THE Subscriber, Thomas Wilkinson Blench, has of this date retired from, and ceased to have any interest in, or connection with the Business of **BLENCH & RAMSAY**, Engineers and Machine Makers, Glasgow; and the Business is now carried on as formerly by the other Subscriber, Alexander Ramsay, for his own behoof, who is authorised to uplift all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by the said Firm.

THOS. W. BLENCH.

ALEXR. RAMSAY.

JOHN PATERSON, Witness.

DANIEL RAMSAY, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Interest of **DR JOHN COUPER**, late Professor of Materia Medica in the University of Glasgow, now deceased, as a Partner in the aforementioned Copartnership Concerns, has ceased, viz:—

1st. The **GLASGOW APOTHECARIES' COMPANY**, carrying on Business as Apothecaries and Druggists in Virginia Street of Glasgow, and elsewhere; and,

2d. The **SCOTTISH PROVINCIAL** (formerly **ABERDEEN**) **ASSURANCE COMPANY**, carrying on Business in Aberdeen, Glasgow, and elsewhere.

COUPER & MACKENZIE,
Factors for Dr COUPER's Executor.

WALTER BELL, Clerk to Couper & Mackenzie,
Writers, Glasgow, Witness.

DAV. FALCONER, Clerk to Couper & Mackenzie,
Writers, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, November 26, 1855.