3. To promote the study of Natural History as a most important adjunct or preliminary to a liberal Medical Education; that of Comparative Anatomy, Zoology, or Botany, if properly cultivated, by means of specimens, for even a short period, being eminently calculated to develop habits of close observation, and to

mens, for even a short period, being eminently calculated to develop habits of close observation, and to strengthen those powers of reasoning upon observed facts, which must be habitually exercised by medical men everywhere, but which must be exercised with the greatest energy and promptitude by those who practise in a tropical climate, and who are often thrown wholly upon their own resources.

The general Examination in these sciences will be elementary, and will embrace a very limited range of technical terms. At the written Examination, a considerable number of questions will be put, with the view of allowing each Candidate to select such subjects as he has attended to, and thereby of enabling the Examiners to ascertain the particular departments of science in which the verbal Examination should be conducted.

With those Candidates who have attained proficiency in any branch of these sciences, the verbal Examination will be pursued in the branch selected, so as to ascertain the full extent of their knowledge.

It is now announced that the next Examination will be held at this House on the 14th July next, and succeeding days; and that the probable number of vacancies in the Medical Establishment of the East India Company to be then filled up will be thirty.

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C EORGE WINK, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of GEORGE GOURLAY, Slater, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 22d ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at said date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Farther, the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a dividend till the next statutory period. and dispensed with sending circular letters to period, and dispensed with sending circular letters to the Creditors.

GEO. WINK, Trustee.

Glasgow, March 8, 1856.

AMUEL RALEIGH, Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JOHN WEMYSS, Woollen and Linen Draper, 31, Earl Grey Street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to 26th ultimo, and state of funds recovered and of those outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on said estate, in terms of the Statute; and that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circular notices to the Creand dispensed with sending circular notices to the Creditors.

SAMUEL RALEIGH, Trustee. Edinburgh, 5, North St David Street, March 10, 1856.

HENRY KERR, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of JAMES HENDER-SON, Baker in Glasgow, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 25th ultimo, 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. Farther, that the Commissioners have resolved to postpone payment of a dividend for the present, and direct the Trustee to dispense with sending circulars to the Creditors.

HENRY KERR, Trustee.

Glasgow, March 7, 1856.

C EORGE M'FARLANE, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of JOHN HART, Grocer and Provision Dealer, Pollokshaws and Springburn, hereby intimates, that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 21st ultimo, and states of the funds recoverdown to the 21st ultimo, and states of the funds recovered and those outstanding as at the same date, have been made up, examined, and approved of by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute. Farther, that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

GEO. M'FARLANE, Trustee.

116, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, March 7, 1856.

THE Estates of HECTOR AITCHISON, Merchant in Lauder, were sequestrated on the 8th day of March 1856.
The first deliverance is dated the said 8th day of

March 1856.

March 1856.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Robert Scott, Merchant in Lauder, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the Bankrupt 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 within the Black Bull Inn at Lauder, on Monday the 24th day of the said month of March, at 12 o'clock noon.

o'clock noon.

To entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths To entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of July 1856.

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

JOHN COSENS, W.S., Agent,

28, Great King Street.

Edinburgh, March 10, 1856.

THE Estates of JAMES HADDIN, Writer, residing in Brunswick Street, Glasgow, now deceased, were sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1856.

The first deliverance is dated 10th January 1856.

Mr Andrew M'Ewan, Accountant in Glasgow, has been appointed Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock P.M., on Monday the 24th day of March 1856, within the Queen's Hotel, George Square, Glasgow. Square, 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 10th

day of July 1856.
All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

Wm. Mason, S.S.C., Agent,
6, South Frederick Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of WILLIAM SMITH, Builder, Barony Street, Edinburgh, and residing at Leggat's Land, Stockbridge, Edinburgh, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 10th day of March 1856.

The first deliverance is dated 10th March 1856.

The Lord Ordinary, on 10th March 1856, nominated and appointed John Spence Ogilvie, Accountant in Edin-

and appointed John Spence Ogilvie, Accountant in Edinburgh, Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within Stevenson's Rooms, No. 4, St Andrew's Square, Edinburgh, on Monday the 24th day of March current, at one o'clock afternoon.

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 10th day of July 1856.

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J. M. Macquern, S.S.C., Agent, 72, Princes Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JAMES ORR & COMPANY,
Cotton Spinners at Crofthead of Neilston, in the
County of Renfrew, as a Company, and William Orr and
John Keir Orr, both residing there, Individual Partners
of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals,
were sequestrated on the 11th day of March 1856.
The first deliverance is dated the 11th day of March

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed Charles Gairdner, Accountant in Glasgow, to be Interim Factor on the estates; and the meeting to elect a Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held within the Rose and Thistle Hotel, Paisley, on Thursday the 20th day of March 1856, at two o'clock

afternoon.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of deht must be lodged on or before the 11th day of July 1856.

The Lord Ordinary has granted a Protection of Said William Orr and John Keir Orr against Arreston Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the Industry of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

All future Advertisements relating to the Control of the Campbell & Smith, G. C. Agres Campbell &