

the Trustee's Office, 146, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 14th February current, at 12 o'clock noon.  
JAMES URE, Trustee.

Glasgow, February 5, 1857.

**JAMES SWAN**, Accountant in Paisley, Trustee on the sequestrated estates of **MATTHEW BARR**, Linen and Woollen Draper, and Toy Merchant in Paisley, hereby intimates, that at the second general meeting of the Creditors of the said Matthew Barr, held on the 27th day of January last, the Bankrupt made offer of a composition of Three Shillings per pound, payable in equal instalments at four and eight months from the date of his final discharge, upon all debts due by him at the date of his sequestration; and farther, to provide for the expences of sequestration, and the Trustee's commission, with security. That the Creditors present at said meeting unanimously resolved that the said offer and security be entertained for consideration; and that another meeting will be held within the Counting-House of James Swan, Accountant, County Square, Paisley, on Thursday the 19th day of February current, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of deciding upon the said offer and security.

JAMES SWAN, Trustee.

Paisley, February 2, 1857.

**SEQUESTRATION** of the Company carrying on Business in Glasgow as Oil Distillers and Patent Grease Manufacturers, under the Firm or Name of **R. B. NEILL & ALEXANDER STEWART**, and sometimes under the Firm or Name of **R. B. NEILL**, and sometimes under the Firm or Name of **ALEXANDER STEWART**, and of which Company Alexander Stewart, Oil Distiller and Patent Grease Manufacturer in Glasgow, and the now deceased Robert Bruce Neill, Oil Distiller and Patent Grease Manufacturer, Glasgow, were the sole Partners, and of the said Alexander Stewart, as a Partner of said Company, and as an Individual, and of the said Robert Bruce Neill, as a Partner of said Company, and as an Individual.

**WILLIAM TOLMIE**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on said sequestrated estates, hereby intimates, that at a general meeting of the Creditors held on 4th current, the Bankrupt, Alexander Stewart, made an offer of composition to the Creditors on the debts owing by the said Company, and by him as an Individual Partner thereof, and as an Individual, with security for payment thereof; which offer the meeting unanimously agreed to entertain; and that the said offer and security will be decided upon at another general meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Chambers of Messrs Tolmie & Reid, Accountants, 8, Prince's Square, Glasgow, on Thursday the 26th day of February current, at three o'clock afternoon.

WM. TOLMIE, Trustee.

Glasgow, February 5, 1857.

**ALEXANDER ELLISON**, Mail Coach Contractor in Tain, Trustee upon the sequestrated estate of **HUGH COLVILLE CHRISTIE**, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Tain, hereby intimates, that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 27th January 1857, and states of the funds received and of those outstanding at said date, have been made up, examined, and audited 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 30th day of December last, and has made up lists of the Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the estate, and whose claims have been admitted, to whom an interim dividend of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound will be paid within the Trustee's Office in Tain, on Tuesday the 31st March next.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

A. ELLISON, Trustee.

Tain, February 2, 1857.

#### NOTICE.

**WILLIAM THOMSON**, Broker and Commission Merchant in Leith, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **J. CHRISTIANSEN & CO.**, Ship Brokers and Commission Merchants in Leith, and of Jacob Christiansen, Ship Broker and Commission Merchant in Leith, the sole Partner of that Company, as sole Partner thereof, and as an Individual, hereby intimates, that an

account of his intrusions with the funds of the estate, brought down to the 2d instant, and states of the funds recovered and of those outstanding as at same date, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners on the estate, in terms of the Statute. Further, that the Commissioners resolved to postpone the declaration of a dividend till the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending notices or abstracts of the affairs to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

WILLM. THOMSON, Trustee.

Leith, February 6, 1857.

**SEQUESTRATION** of the Deceased **JOHN LAING**, Junior, late Farmer at Colinton Mains, and Postmaster and Horse Dealer in Edinburgh, one of the Individual Partners of the Company of John Laing & Sons, of The Royal Horse Bazaar, Postmasters and Horse Dealers in Edinburgh, as a Partner of the said Company, and as an Individual.

**THE** Commissioners on the said estate, at a meeting held here to-day, postponed payment of a dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JAMES ROBB, Trustee.

Edinburgh, February 4, 1857.

**THE** Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **WILLIAM MACNAIR**, Bookbinder, Argyle Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates, that the Commissioners have postponed payment of a dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

WM. TOLMIE, Trustee.

Glasgow, February 5, 1857.

#### NOTICE.

**GEORGE FRIER**, Confectioner, Dundee, and presently a Prisoner in the Dundee Prison, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire, praying for liberation, and interim protection against the execution of diligence, and for decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court-House, Dundee, on Monday the 9th day of March next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for public examination, in terms of the Statute and the said Sheriff's Deliverance.

ARCHD. PAUL, Agent for Petitioner.

Dundee, February 4, 1857.

**THE** Copartnership Business carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof, under the Firm of **PATERSON & HALL**, as Manufacturers, at No. 53, Cochran Street, Glasgow, was **DISSOLVED** on the 2d day of February current, by mutual consent.

Alexander Ritchie, Accountant in Glasgow, is authorised to collect the debts due to, and to pay the debts due by the Dissolved Concern.

THOMAS LYON PATERSON.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS HALL.

JAMES CARSTAIRS, Witness.

JOHN CRAIG, Witness.

#### NOTICE.

**THE** Subscriber has ceased to be a Partner in The **WESTERN BANK OF SCOTLAND**, having sold and transferred his Shares therein.

DAVID TENNANT,  
Howwell, by Kirkcudbright,  
January 23, 1857.

JAMES DONALDSON, Witness.

JOHN MOUNCEY, Witness.

Barrhead, February 2, 1857.

**THE** Subscriber ceased, on the 31st day of January last, to have any interest or concern with the Firm of **LEGGAT, FERGUSON, & COMPANY**, Printcutters at Grahamston, Barrhead.

DAVID SERVICE.

DAV. PORTROUS, Clerk, Barrhead, Witness.

R. S. HUNTER, Clerk, Barrhead, Witness.

*N.B.—The Fees of all Notices must be paid in advance, and all Letters post-paid.*

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