

# The Edinburgh Gazette.

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### FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1874.

OSBORNE, January 2, 1874.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—
His Excellency M. de la Rochefoucauld,
Duc de Bisaccia, to deliver his Credentials as Ambassador from the French Republic.

To which audience he was introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

#### FOREIGN OFFICE, July 16, 1873.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Oswald Charlton, Esq., now Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington, to be a third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

#### BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

#### BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

John Thompson, of 171 Edgware Road, Middlesex, upholsterer and furniture dealer, and Thomas Walker, of 31 Langton Road, Brixton, Surrey, commercial clerk, lately carrying on business together in copartnership at 169 and 171 Edgware Road aforesaid, under the style or firm of J. Thompson & Walker, as upholsterers and furniture dealers, and at 171 Edgware Road aforesaid under the style or firm of J. Walter & Company, as bedding manufacturers.

Thomas Frederick Woodruff, of Deal, Kent, grocer.

James Cushing, of Strand-on-the-Green, Chiswick, Middlesex, builder.

John Tozer, of Fore Street, Totnes, Devon, boot and shoe maker.

Jarves Lawton, of Glossop, Derby, grocer and provision dealer.

George Samuel Daniels, of Warwick, innkeeper.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 3d January 1874.

			QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.
Wheat	 •••	•••	 Qrs. 32,978	Bus.	s. d. 61 8
Barley	 •••	•••	 53,036	7	44 4
Oats	 	•••	 3,471	1	25 5
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Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 5, 1874. R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from \$\frac{1}{8}70\$ to \$1873.

Corresponding			QUANȚITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
Week in		WHE	AT.	BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		
			Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	ε.	d.
1871 .	•••	•••	40,136 49,799	<b>4</b> 0	55,397 49,751	4	2,019 4,096	6	43 52	8 <b>6</b>	35 34	9 11	23	-
1873	•••	•••	32,662 28,318		59,744 38,657		3,212 3,663		54 55	11 11	36 39	8 9	$\begin{array}{c} 22 \\ 21 \end{array}$	2 11

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 5, 1874. R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

#### CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the Week ended the 3d January 1874.

	QUA	NTITIES I	PORTED 1	NTO-		TIES EXPOR	
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Export.
Wheat Barley Oats Rye Pease Beans Indian Corn Buckwheat Bere or Bigg	Cwt. 613,943 31,525 288,504  12,336 74,931 107,128 	Cwt. 223,719 140,912 1,023 7,933 20,023	Cwt. 124,800   37,319	Cwt. 962,462 172,437 288,504  13,359 82,864 164,470 	Cwt. 11,261 919 945 908 206  	Cwt. 4,573 3,802 337  20 612	Cwt. 15,834 4,721 1,282 908 206 20 612
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt) }	1,128,367	393,610	162,119	1,684,096	14,239	9,344	23,583
Wheatmeal or Flour Barley Meal Oat Meal Rye Meal Pea Meal Bean Meal Indian Corn Meal Buckwheat Meal	Cwt. 148,131   	Cwt. 49,297  25 	Cwt. 6,069  	Cwt. 203,497  25  	Cwt. 797 417	Cwt. 326 25	Cwt. 1,123  417   25
Total of Meal	148,131	49,322	6,069	203,522	1,214	351	1,565
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt)	1,276,498	442,932	168,188	1,887,618	15,453	9,695	25,148
Malt (entered by the Quarter)	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters. 2,122	Quarters.	Quarters. 2,122
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Statistical Department, Custom-house, London, January 5, 1874. S. SELDON, Principal. RETURN, stating what has been during Seven Years, ending on the Thursday next before Christmas day 1873, the Average Price of an IMPERIAL BUSHEL of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY, and OATS, computed from the Weekly Averages of CORN RETURNS.

Published pursuant to an Act, passed in the 6th and 7th Years of the Reign of King William the Fourth, intituled 'An Act for the Commutation of Tithes in England and Wales.'

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.		
s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	
7 03/4	4 10		3 1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 5, 1874. R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF CORN, per Quarter (Imperial Measure), in England and Wales, for the Quarter ended Christmas 1873.

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.		
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
61 1	44 2	25 7		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Years 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, and 1873, of the Quantities Sold and the Average Prices of BRITISH CORN in the Towns from which Returns are received under the Act of 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87.

			Q	QUANTITIES SO	AVERAGE PRICE.			
YEAR.		WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	
			Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1869	•••		2,816,105	·1,388,195	161,706	48 2	39 5	26 0
1870			3,398,655	1,841,678	206,091	46 11	34 7	22 10
1871	•••		3,274,885	1,767,298	197,122	·56 8	36 2	25 <b>2</b>
1872	•••		2,582,108	1,592,553	184,375	57 0	37 4	23 2
1873	•••		2,441,943	1,734,922	192,693	58 8	40 5	25 5

Note.—CORRECTED AVERAGES for the Quarter ended 28th June 1873:—

 WHEAT.
 BARLEY.
 OATS.

 s. d.
 s. d.
 s. d.

 56 5
 38 3
 25 3

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 5, 1874. R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

#### INVERNESS-SHIRE POLLING PLACES.

#### NOTICE.

THE Sheriff of Inverness-shire, with the consent of Her Majesty's Advocate, proposes to alter and increase the number and situation and arrangement of the existing Polling Places and Districts in the County of Inverness, in the following manner, viz.:—

District.	Parishes and parts of Parishes.	Polling Places.
I.	Inverness, Petty, Daviot and Dunlichity, Ardersier, Dores, Kirkhill, Kiltarlity, Urray, Kilmorack, Croy, Cawdor, Moy and Dalarossie, the portion of the United Parish of Urquhart and Glenmoriston comprising the District of Glenurquhart.	Inverness.
II.	Cromdale and Inverallan, Abernethy, Duthil and Rothiemurchus.	Boat of Garten.
III.	Kingussie and Insh, Laggan, Alvie.	Kingussie.
IV.	Boleskine and Abertarff, Urquhart and Glenmoriston with the exception of the District of Glenurquhart, the portion of the Parish of Kilmonivaig comprising the Quoad Sacra Parish of Glengarry.	Fort-Augustus.
<b>v.</b>	Kilmonivaig with the exception of the Quoad Sacra Parish of Glengarry, Kilmallie, Ardnamurchan, the portion of Glenelg comprising the District of Morar.	Fortwilliam,
VI.	Sleat, Strath, Glenelg with the exception of the District of Morar, and Small Isles.	Broadford.
VII.	Portree, Kilmuir, Snizort, Durinish, Bracadale.	Portree.
VIII.	South Uist, North Uist, Barra, and Harris.	Lochmaddy.

By Order of the Sheriff.

H. C. MACANDREW,

Sheriff-Clerk of Inverness-shire.

The Castle,

Inverness, 17th December 1873.

### TO THE PROPRIETORS OF EAST INDIA STOCK.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice that under the provisions of the Act 36 Vict., chap. 17, providing for the Redemption or Commutation of the Dividend on the Capital Stock of the East India Company, he offers to proprietors of East India Stock, for every One Hundred Pounds of the

Capital Stock, £220 Reduced £3 per cent. Annuities, or £200 India £4 per cent. Stock, and so in proportion for any greater or less amount of the said Capital Stock; the India £4 per cent. Stock being redeemable at par on or after the 10th October 1888, upon one year's previous notice having been given in the London Gazette by the Secretary of State for India in Council. The total amount so offered is £3,000,000 Reduced £3 per cent. Annuities and £2,000,000 India £4 per cent. Stock.

The assents of proprietors to such offer must be signified to the Secretary of State for India in Council in a form to be obtained at the Financial Department of the India Office, Westminster, or at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England; and such assents must be delivered at the Financial Department of the India Office, Westminster, on or before the 31st January 1874.

If the amount in respect of which assents are received should exceed the amount of the Annuities or Stock above specified, the assents will be accepted according to the time of their delivery at the Financial Department of the India Office, and a notice will be sent to proprietors within fourteen days after the 31st January 1874, informing them whether their assents have been accepted or rejected.

Proprietors who assent to either of the above mentioned commutations, and whose assents shall have been accepted, will have their Reduced £3 per cent. Annuities, or India £4 per cent. Stock, inscribed in their names in the books of the Bank of England on the 30th April 1874; and they will in the meantime be precluded from dealing with their respective shares of East India Stock; but any proprietors may, on application at the Bank of England, receive scrip certificates for the Reduced £3 per cent. Annuities, or India £4 per cent. Stock, to which they may be entitled, and such Annuities or Stock will be inscribed in the books of the Bank of England, on surrender of the scrip certificate, on or after the 30th April 1874.

The Capital Stock of the East India Company will bear interest to the 30th April 1874, and the warrant for the final dividend will be issued accordingly on that day. The first dividend payable in respect of the Reduced £3 per cent. Annuities, or India £4 per cent. Stock, will be calculated from the 6th April 1874.

The Act authorizes trustees, and other persons in a fiduciary capacity, to assent to the proposed commutation, with the consent in writing of the persons beneficially interested, or under the direction of a judge of the Court of Chancery in England or Ireland, or of the Court of Session in Scotland.

The Act also contains provisions in relation to the commutation of East India Stock under the control of the Court of Chancery.

All proprietors of East India Stock who may not signify their assent to either of the offers now made in manner hereinbefore mentioned, or whose assents may not be accepted, will be paid off on the 30th April 1874, at the Bank of England, at the rate of £200 sterling for every £100 of the said Capital Stock, and so in proportion for any greater or less amount, as provided by section 13 of the above Act; and no transfer of such East India Stock as may belong to the last-mentioned proprietors can be made subsequently to the 31st March 1874.

M. E. GRANT DUFF.

India Office, 3d January 1874.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Sir John Andrew Cathcart of Carleton, Baronet, presently residing in Edinburgh, Institute of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Barony of Carleton and Others, lying in the Shire of Ayr, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Adams, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, cap. 36, 16th and 17th Victoria, cap. 94, 23d and 24th Victoria, cap. 95, and 31st and 32d Victoria, cap. 84, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to constitute as Improvement Expenditure on said Entailed Lands and Barony of Carleton and Others, the sum of £1953, 8s. 2d. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, the 7th day of January 1874.

A. & A. CAMPBELL.

Agents for the Petitioner.

22 Dublin Street, Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

NTIMATION is hereby given that the Right Honourable Margaret, Baroness Gray, Heiress of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of Gray and Kinfauns and Others, in the Counties of Perth and Forfar, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,-Mr. Adams, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, and 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, and 31st and 32d Victoria, chapter 84, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to charge the said Entailed Estates of Gray and Kinfauns and Others, other than the Mansion House, Offices, and Policies thereof, with provision debt amounting to the sum of £17,856, 14s. 21d. Date of Interlocator ordering intimation, 19th day of December 1873.

> HOPE, MACKAY, & MANN, W.S., Agents of the Petitioner.

119 Princes Street, Edinburgh, 7th January 1874.

N terms of 'The Companies Act, 1862,' notice 1 is hereby given that at a Meeting of 'The CART AND CLYDE STEAM LIGHTER COMPANY (LIMITED), held on the 26th day of December last, a Special Resolution was passed for winding up the Company voluntarily.

JOHN M'GOWN, Liquidator.

Paisley, 8th January 1874.

#### NORTH BRITISH RAILWAY COMPANY.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF BORDER UNION ORDINARY STOCK.

OTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of 'The North British Railway Act, 1871,' a Meeting of the Proprietors of Border Union Ordinary Stock will be held in the Queen Street Hall, No. 5 Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 22d day of January 1874, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, of approving of the consolidation of the North British Ordinary Stock, the Border Union Ordinary Stock, and the Edinburgh, Perth, and Dundee Ordinary Stock, into one Ordinary Stock of the Company, to be called 'North British Ordinary Stock,' upon the basis of the valuation to be laid before the Proprietors.

By Order.

G. B. WIELAND, Secretary.

Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

#### NORTH BRITISH RAILWAY COMBANY.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF EDINBURGH, PERTH, AND DUNDEE ORDINARY STOCK.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of 'The North British Railway Act, 1871,' a Meeting of the Proprietors of Edinburgh, Perth, and Dundee Ordinary Stock will be held in the Queen Street Hall, No. 5 Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 22d day of January 1874, at a quarter past one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, of approving of the consolidation of the North British Ordinary Stock, the Border Union Ordinary Stock, and the Edinburgh, Perth, and Dundee Ordinary Stock, into one Ordinary Stock of the Company, to be called 'North British Ordinary Stock,' upon the basis of the valuation to be laid before the Proprietors.

By Order.

G. B. WIELAND, Secretary.

Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

#### NORTH BRITISH RAILWAY COMPANY.

TO THE PROPRIETORS OF NORTH BRITISH ORDINARY STOCK,

NoTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of 'The North British Railway Act, 1871,' a Meeting of the Proprietors of North British Ordinary Stock will be held in the Queen Street Hall, No. 5 Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 22d day of January 1874, at half-past one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, of approving of the consolidation of the North British Ordinary Stock, the Border Union Ordinary Stock, and the Edinburgh, Perth, and Dundee Ordinary Stock, into one Ordinary Stock of the Company, to be called 'North British Ordinary Stock,' upon 'the basis of the valuation to be laid before the Proprietors. Proprietors.

By Order.

G. B. WIELAND, Secretary.

Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

OTICE is hereby given that JOHN OMAN, Builder,
Dalry Road, Edinburgh, has presented a Petition
to the Sheriff of the County of Midlothian and Haddington, praying to be discharged of all debts and obligations
contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date
of the Sequestration of his Estates on the 9th day of
November 1871; and that the Sheriff-Substitute has, by
Interlocutor dated 9th January 1874, appointed intimation to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette, and notice
sent to the Creditors, all in terms of the Statute.

THOS. M'LAREN, S.S.C., 51 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, Agent for Petitioner.

#### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to the Commissary of Edinburgh by the Pacific Steam Navigation Company incorporated by Royal Charter, carrying on business in Liverpool and elsewhere, and Messrs. Skinner & Wilsone, Advocates or eisewhere, and Messrs. Skinner & Wilsone, Advocates or Law Agents in Aberdeen, their Mandatories, craving that the said Pacific Steam Navigation Company should be decerned Executors-dative qua Creditors to the Deceased ARCHIBALD WHITSON, sometime of Aberdeen, afterwards Cashier at Callao, in the Republic of Peru, South America, who died there on or about the 24th day of January 1872.

WM. SKINNER, W.S., Agent for Petitioners?

Edinburgh, 31 Great King Street, 8th January 1874.

THE Estates of JAMES MACKIE, Farmer at Craiglug, Carnousie, in the Parish of Forglen and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 5th day of January 1874, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 5th January 1874.
The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Monday the 19th day of January 1874, at eleven o'clock forenoon, within the Fife Arms Hotel, Banff.

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 5th day of May 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bank-

rupt, until the Meeting for election of the Trustee.
All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

James Forbes, Solicitor, Banff, Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM MACKIE, Farmer at Waulkmill, Carnousie, in the Parish of Forglen and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 5th day of January 1874, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 5th January 1874.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Monday the 19th day of January 1874, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Fife Arms Hotel, Banff.

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 5th

day of May 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, until the Meeting for election of the Trustee.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration of the Trustee.

tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JAMES FORBES, Solicitor, Banff, Agent.

THE Estates of JOSEPH GRANT, Fishcurer in Gardenstown, in the Parish of Gamrie and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 6th day of January 1874, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 6th January 1874.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Tuesday the 20th day of January 1874, within the Fife Arms Hotel

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and mounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 6th May 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestration

tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

FRANCIS GEORGE, Solicitor in Banff, Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM FORREST, Hotel Keeper, Forth Hotel, Burntisland, were Sequestrated on the 6th day of January 1874, by the Court of Session. The first Deliverance is dated the 23d day of December

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 16th day of January 1874, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51 George Street, Edinburgh.

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 6th day of May 1874.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

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

> EBENR. MILL, S.S.C., 51 Princes Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of ARCHIBALD YOUNG, Star Inn, Beith, were Sequestrated on the 8th day of January 1874, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated the 8th day of January

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 19th day of January 1874, within the King's Arms Inn,

Dalry.

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 8th day of May 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-

tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WM. S. N. PATRICK, Solicitor, Dalry,

Dalry, 8th January 1874.

THE Estates of Messes. MARQUIS BROTHERS, Engineers and Pump Manufacturers, Bon Accord Works, London Road, Glasgow, and of George Marquis, the sole surviving Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on 9th January 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 9th January 1874. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 16th day of January 1874, within the Hall of the Faculty of Procurators in 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 9th day of May 1874.

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

M'EWEN & CARMENT, W.S., Agents, 32 Albany Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of the Late ALEXANDER BURNET MARQUIS, sometime residing at No. 17 Arlington Street, Glasgow, one of the Partners of the Company of MAROUIS BROTHERS, Engineers and Pump Manufacturers, Bon Accord Works, London Road, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 9th day of January 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 9th January 1874. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 16th day of January 1874, within the Hall of the Faculty of Procurators in 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 9th day of May 1874.

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

> M'Ewen & CARMENT, W.S., Agents, 32 Albany Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JOHN CAMERON, sometime Builder at Bonnington near Leith, and now residing in Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 9th day of January 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 9th January 1874.

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 16th day of January 1874, in Dowell's Rooms, 18 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and

rounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day

of May 1874.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Edinburgh; and a Warrant of Protection granted to the Bankrupt.
All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-

tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THO. SPALDING, W.S. India Buildings, Edinburgh, Agent. SEQUESTRATION of the Company carrying on business as Manufacturing and Wholesale Jewellers in Icknield Street East, Birmingham, under the name of E. A. HARGROVE, and as Wholesale and Retail Jewellers in High Street, Dumfries, under the name of E. A. HARGROVE & COMPANY, and of Edward Albert Hargrove, residing in Birmingham, and Andrew Petrie, residing in Dumfries, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

James Wilson, Ironmonger in Dumfries, has been elected Trustee on the Estates of the said Company and Individual Partners; and James Craig, Merchant in Dunfries, and William Craig, Hatter there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dumrupts will take place in the Sheriii Court House, Dumfries, on Thursday the 15th day of January current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of Messrs. Craig & Geddes, Solicitors, 8 English Street, Dumfries, on Monday the 26th day of January current, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Meeting a third Commissioner will be elected.

At the Meeting of Creditors for the election of Trustee, an office of Composition with geometry was reade by

At the Meeting of Creditors for the election of Trustee, an offer of Composition with security was made by Samuel John Hargrove, Farmer at the Thrift, Tedstone, near Worcester, on the debts owing by the said Company and by the said Edward Albert Hargrove as an Individual, which offer was entertained for consideration, and will be decided on at the Meeting of Creditors to be held at the time and place above mentioned. held at the time and place above mentioned.

JAMES WILSON, Trustee.

Dumfries, 8th January 1874.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN LAURIE, Farmer, Under-the-Brae, in the Parish of Lochrutton and Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

JAMES TAIT, Farmer, Above-the-Brae, in the said
Parish of Lochrutton, has been elected Trustee on
the Estate; and John Porteous Sloan, Manure Agent,
Marchfield, Dumfries, Alexander Callandar, Timber
Merchant, Maxwelltown, and James Millar, of Priestlands, in the Parish of Troqueer, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take
place in the Sheriff Court House, Kirkcudbright, on
friday the 16th day of January current, at ten o'clock
forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the King's
Arms Hotel. Maxwelltown, Dumfries, on Tuesday the Arms Hotel, Maxwelltown, Dumfries, on Tuesday the 27th day of January current, at two o'clock afternoon.
At the Meeting of Creditors for the election of Trustee,

an offer of Composition, with security, was made by the Bankrupt on all debts owing by him at the date of the Sequestration, which offer was entertained for consideration, and will be decided on at the Meeting of Creditors to be held at the time and place above mentioned.

JAMES TAIT, Trustee.

Above-the-Brae, Lochrutton, 8th January 1874.

SEQUESTRATION of SAMUEL LITHGOW, Tinsmith and Gasfitter, Paisley Road, Glasgow, and latterly . residing in Paisley Road, Glasgow, Renfrewshire.

WILLIAM SHANKS, Blacksmith, Bathgate, WILLIAM SHANKS, Blacksmith, Bathgate, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Alexander, Blockmaker, West Street, Glasgow, Robert Livingston, Brassfounder, Nelson Street, Glasgow, and Edward M'Millan, Surgeon, King Street, Tradeston, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Chambers, Paisley, on Friday the 16th day of January current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the County Hotel, County Place, Paisley, on Saturday, 24th January current, at twelve o'clock noon; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and claims will require to be lodged in the hands of the Trustee on or before the 28th February 1874, being the third statutory period. third statutory period.

WILLIAM SHANKS, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of ALFRED YORSTON, Innkeeper, Dunbar.

JOHN JAFFRAY, Accountant, Dunbar, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Anderson, Innkeeper, Dunbar, James Knox, Printer, Dunbar, and Alexander Robertson, Coal Agent, Dunbar, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Haddington, on Wednesday the 14th day of January 1874, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Anderson's Railway Hotel, Dunbar, on Saturday the 24th day of January 1874, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN JAFFRAY, Trustee.

Dunbar, 7th January 1874,

SEQUESTRATION of the Deceased WILLIAM CARSON, Solicitor in and Town Clerk of Wigtown.

ALEXANDER M'CUTCHEON, Solicitor, Newton-tors, to be held within the Commercial Hotel, Wigtown, on Tuesday the 20th day of January current, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider the position of the Estate, and to instruct the Trustee thereanent.

ALEX. M'CUTCHEON, Trustee.

Newton-Stewart, 6th January 1874.

UGH MILLER, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM STEVEN, Mason and Builder in Edinburgh, and residing at No. 16 Brougham Street there, hereby intimates that at a General Meeting of Creditors, held on the 7th instant, the Bankrupt made an offer of Comon the 7th instant, the Bankrupt made an oner of Composition of Two Shillings per pound to the Creditors on all debts due at the date of the Sequestration of his Estate, payable two months after the date of his discharge, and offered Dr. William Goldie, Greenhill Bank, Edinburgh, as his security; the Bankrupt further offered to pay or provide for the expenses attending the Sequestration and the remuneration to the Trustee. That the Creditors present at said Meeting beging resolved. the Creditors present at said Meeting having resolved the offer and security should be entertained for consideration, Notice is hereby given that another General Meeting of Creditors will be held within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th instant, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of finally deciding on the offer of the Bankrupt and the security proposed security proposed.

HUGH MILLER, Trustee.

Chambers, 38 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

JOHN YOUNG, Solicitor in Stirling, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ROBERT STEPHENSON, Timber and Coal Merchant, Contractor, and Cattle Dealer, residing at Forth Place, Stirling, hereby inti-Timber and Coal Merchant, Contractor, and Cattle Dealer, residing at Forth Place, Stirling, hereby intimates that at a General Meeting of the Creditors, held on 3d January 1874, the Bankrupt offered a Composition on all debts due by him at the date of the Sequestration, and to pay or provide for the expenses of the Sequestration and remuneration to the Trustee, with security for payment thereof. The Meeting entertained the offer; and Notice is hereby given that another General Meeting of the Creditors will be held in the Queen's Hotel, Stirling, on Monday, 26th January 1874, at two o'clock afternoon, for finally deciding on said offer and security.

JNO. YOUNG, Trustee.

TAMES GEDDES BROWN, Distiller in Keith,
Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of GORDON
ROBERTSON, sometime Manure Merchant in Keith
(now deceased), hereby intimates that his accounts of
intromissions, brought down to 22d December last, have
been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first
Dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been
rauked, will be paid, at the Office of Mr. Charles Kelman,
Solicitor, Mid Street, Keith, on Monday the 23d day of
February next. February next.

J. GEDDES BROWN, Trustee.

Keith, 6th January 1874.

JAMES ANDERSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN SMALL, Plumber, 105 Wellington Street, Glasgow, hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 23d of December last, has been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; that a second Dividend will be paid to those Creditors who have already participated in the funds, at my Office, 57 West Nile Street, on the 24th of February next; and also at the same time and place an equalizing and second Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted since payment of the first Dividend.

JAS. ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 8th January 1874.

ROBERT REID, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of M. DOW & COMPANY, Coal Merchants, Saint Enoch Square, Glasgow, and John M'Leod, Coal Merchant, Saint Enoch Square aforesaid, and Grocer, Clyde Street, Anderston, Glasgow, presently residing at 23 Elderslie Street, Glasgow, the sole Partner of said Firm of M. Dow & Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to 29th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Counting House of Reid & Mair, Accountants, 79 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 2d day of March next.

ROBERT REID, Trustee.

79 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 12th January 1874.

A LEXANDER THOMSON, Timber Merchant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of WILLIAM PINKERTON, Cabinetmaker, Saint Mary's Street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 23d November last, 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; that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said 23d November last; and that the Commissioners have resolved that a dividend be postponed till the recurrence of another stated period for making a Dividend.

ALEX. THOMSON.

43 George Street, Edinburgh, 9th January 1874.

DAVID ROSS, Agent at Dingwall for the Caledonian Banking Company, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of Miss MARGARET ANN MACKENZIE, formerly residing in Dingwall, now deceased, intimates that his account for last statutory period has been made up, and that the only Commissioner on the Estate is dead, and a successor has not been elected.

DAVID Ross, Trustee.

WILLIAM MACDONALD, Commission Merchant in Glasgow, and residing in Scott Street there, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, praying for Interim Protection, and for Liberation in case he shall be imprisoned, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff's Chambers, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 11th day of February next, at twelve o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for Examination.

John Buchanan, Writer, Glasgow, Agent.

Glasgow, 8th January 1874.

JAMES BORLAND, Plasterer, Dumbarton Road, Glasgow, formerly a Partner of the Firm of Borlands, Gemmill, & Company, Builders, Church Street, Partick, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire for Interim Protection and Decreet of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within Mr. Sheriff Murray's Chambers, County Buildings, Wilson Street here, on the 13th day of February next, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

T. C. Young, Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, 8th January 1874.

Perth, 31st December 1873.

THE Copartnership Concern, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, carrying on business under the Firm of LAURENCE PULLAR & COMPANY, Manufacturers in Perth, Glasgow, and London, has this day been DISSOLVED by expiration of the contract.

The Subscriber Laurence Pullar is authorized to receive payment of all debts due to the late Copartnership, and will defray all its liabilities.

LAURENCE PULLAR.

F. Pullar, Witness.

James Proudfoot, Witness.

ROBERT TROTTER.

F. Pullar, Witness.

James Proudfoot, Witness.

Headlesscross Colliery, 29th December 1873.

THE Copartnery carried on by the Subscribers Gavin Paul and James Brownlee, Junior (the sole Partners), as Coalmasters at Headlesscross, under the Firm of PAUL & BROWNLEE, is on this date DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

GAVIN PAUL.

JAMES BROWNLEE, Jun.

John Storry, Civil Engineer, Glasgow, Witness.

RICHARD DIMMACK, Ironmaster, Coatbridge, Witness.

Referring to the above Dissolution, the said Gavin Paul will uplift and discharge all debts due to and by the said Copartnery.

#### NOTICE.

THE Subscriber William Ferrier has, of the date hereof, retired from the Copartnery Concern of BAIRD, FERRIER, & COMPANY, Builders in Glasgow and Rutherglen, with consent of the other Subscribers, as the sole other Partners of said Copartnery.

Glasgow, 5th January 1874.

WILLIAM FERRIER.
WILLIAM BAIRD.
JOHN DUNN.
GAVIN PORTER.

JOHN WALLAGE, Clerk-at-Law, 158 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness. Dungan Thomson, Clerk-at-Law, 158 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness. THE Firm of JOHN KNOX & KENNEDY, Manufacturers in Glasgow, was DISSOLVED as on the 20th December 1873, by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

The Business will be continued by the Subscriber John Knox, Junior, under the Firm of JOHN KNOX; and he will receive all debts due to, and pay all debts due

by, the late Firm.

NEIL KENNEDY. JOHN KNOX, Jr.

J. NAISMITH, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.
Wm. M'CLURE, Jr., Law-Apprentice, Glasgow, Witness.

#### DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers as Fleshers at 26 High Street, Ayr, under the Firm of ROBERTSON & LENNOX, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as on the 22d day of December 1873.

The Subscriber David Lennox will carry on the Business on his own account, and is authorized to uplift and discharge all outstanding debts due to the dissolved Concern, and any debts owing by the Company will be paid by him.

DAVID LENNOX. CHARLES ROBERTSON.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON, Witness. DAVID KAY, Witness.

Ayr, 31st December 1873.

PY Arrangement between the Subscribers David Caw and William Lightbody, sole Partners of the Firm of DAVID CAW & CO., 86 Wilson Street, Glasgow, the said William Lightbody retired from the Firm, and his interest therein ceased upon the 31st day of December 1873.

DAVID CAW.

WILLIAM LIGHTBODY.

ALEXANDER FOULIS, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

John S. Wright, Apprentice-at-Law, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 6th January 1874.

#### DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between us as Solicitors in Dundee, under the Firm of WALKER & BRUCE, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

The debts due to and by the Company will be settled by Mr. Bruce, by whom the Business will be continued as heretofore.

THO. WALKER.

JOHN D. BRUCE.

GEO. SANDEMAN, Accountant, Dundee, Witness.
WILLIAM FINDLAY, Jr., Apprentice to Walker & Bruce, Solicitors, Dundee, Witness.

Dundee, 31st December 1873.

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

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