them by the Acts of Parliament therein recited, to Decern and Erect the Church at Newport (known as the Church of 'St. Thomas of the Seamylnes') into a the Church of 'St. Thomas of the Seamylnes') into a PARISH CHURCH in connection with the Church of Scot-land, and to Mark out and Designate the District specially set forth in the said Petition, consisting of a portion of the Parish of Forgan, or such other District as their Lordships shall see fit, as the Dis-trict to be attached quoud sacra to the said Church at Newport; and to Disjoin such District quoud sacra from the said Parish of Forgan, to which the same now belongs; and to Erect such Church and District into a Church and Parish *angul sacra* in connection with a Church and Parish quoad sacra in connection with the Church of Scotland, to be called THE CHURCH AND PARISH OF NEWPORT; and to Find and Declare that the Minister and Elders of the said Church and Parish so to be erected shall have and enjoy the status, and all the powers, rights, and privileges of a Parish Minister and Elders of the Church of Scotland ; and to Find and Declare that, upon the said Church at Newport and District to be attached thereto being erected into a Church and Parish quoad sacra, in terms of the foregoing cravings, the appointment of the Minister shall be vested in the parties pointed out or referred to in the Constitution mentioned in the said Petition, granted to the said Church under authority of the General Assembly the said Church under authority of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, but always under reser-vation of the right of the Presbytery of the bounds to present to the said Church *jure devoluto*, according to law, and as provided in the said Act of the 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 44; and to Find, Decern, and Declare in the premises, in terms of the foregoing cravings, or in such other terms as to their Lordships shall seem meet, as the said Petition in itself more fully bears : And Intimation is hereby further given that, agreeably to the appointment in said Interlocutor, the Petitioners have lodged printed copies of the said Petition with the Session Clerk of the said Parish of Forgan, and with the Minister of the said Church at Newport, for the use of such parties interested as may apply for the same.

J. B. M'INTOSH, S.S.C.,

Agent for the Petitioners.

Chambers, 15 Young Street, Edinburgh, 5th January 1875.

I NTIMATION is hereby given, in terms of an Interlocutor by the Lords of Council and Session, Commissioners for the Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Statute 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 44, that a Petition has been presented to their Lordships for and in name of JAMES CROMARTY, Esquire, Gossigar, and Others, all Contributors to the Endowment of the Church and proposed new Parish quoad sacra of St. Mary, South Ronaldshay, situated within the Presbytery of Kirkwall, praying their Lordships, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the Acts of Parliament therein recited, to Declare the said Church of St. Mary's,—which is one of the Churches of the United Parish of South Ronaldshay and Burray,—to be the PARISH CHURCH of the District sought to be erected into a Parish, and to Mark out and Designate the District specially set forth in the said Petition, consisting of a portion of the said United Parish, or such other District as their Lordships shall see fit, as the District to be atcra from the said Church of St. Mary's quoad sacra ; and to Disjoin the said Church and District quoad sacra in connection with the Church of Scotland, to be called THE CHURCH AND PARISH or ST. MARY, SOUTH RONALDSHAY; and to Find and Declare that the Minister and Elders of the said Church of St. Mary's and District to be attached to the said privileges of a Parish minister and Elders of the Church of St. Mary's and District to be attached thereto being erected into a Church and Parish quoad sacra, in terms of the foregoing cravings, the appointement of the Minister thereto shall be vested in the parties pointed out or referred to in the Act 37 and 38 Victoria, cap. 82, as set forth in the Deed of Constitution mentioned in said Petition, granted to the said Church of Scotland, but always

under reservation of the right of the Presbytery of the bounds to present to the said Church *jure devoluto*, according to law, and as provided in the said Act of the 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 44; and to Find, Decern, and Declare in the premises, in terms of the foregoing cravings, or in such other terms as to their Lordships shall seem meet, as the said Petition in itself more fully bears : And Intimation is hereby further given that, agreeably to the appointment in said Interlocutor, the Petitioners have lodged printed copies of the said Petition with the Session Clerk of the said United Parish of South Konaldshay and Burray, and with the Minister or Missionary officiaing in the said Church of St. Mary's, for the use of such parties interested as may apply for the same.

J. B. M'INTOSH, S.S.C.,

Agent for Petitioners.

Chambers, 15 Young Street, Edinburgh,

5th January 1875.

INTIMATION is hereby given that ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Esquire of Glendaruel, Institute of Entail in possession of the Estate of Glendaruel, in the Parish of Kilmodan and County of Argyll, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the said County, in terms of the Act 3d and 4th Victoria, caput 4S, for authority to FEU a part of the Entailed Lands of CONCHRA, on the said Estate of Glendaruel, in the said Parish of Kilmodan and County aforesaid, consisting of 2 Roods and 30 Poles or thereby imperial standard measure, therein described as a Site for Building a School House, Schoolmaster's Dwelling House, and the necessary out Houses and Offices, and for a Playground and Garden, to the School Board of the said Parish of Kilmodan, incorporated into a body corporate by 'The Education (Scotland) Act, 1872,' in trust for the purposes of the said last mentioned Act, and praying the Sheriff to interpone his authority to the Petitioner granting a Feu Charter of the said Piece of Ground to the said School Board, for the purposes of the said first mentioned Act; upon which Petition the Sheriff-Substitute has pronounced an Interlocutor, dated 4th December current, appointing Intimation of the said Petition to be made to Messrs. Mac-Lachlan & Rodger, Writers to the Signet, Edinburgh, the Factors or Agents for Robert Hume Campbell of Cragieburn, in the Province of Canterbury, New Zealand, eldest surviving son of the said Archibald Campbell, Heir of Entail next in order of succession to the said Entailed Estate, and also by Advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette and Oban Times Newspapers, three times at intervals of fourteen days, in the manuer specified in the said Petition, and in terms of the Statute.

## WILLIAM DOUGLAS,

Agent for the Petitioner.

Inveraray, 4th December 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sir ALEXANDER WILLIAM GRIERSON, of Lag, Baronet, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Barony of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Barony of RookHALL, lying within the Stewartry of Annandale and Sheriffdom of Dumfries, has, in virtue of the powers contained in the Act 3d and 4th Victoria, chapter 48, presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Dumfriesshiré, for authority to grant a Lease in favour of the School Board of the Parish of Torthorwald of all and whole that Piece of Ground extending to one Acre and a-half, situate near Collin, in the said Parish and County, and bounded as follows, viz., on the north-west by the Turnpike Road leading from Dumfries to Annan; on the north-east by the subjects possessed in long tack by John Thomson and William Vivers; and on the south-east and south-west by the Lands and Farm of Braehead, formerly called Townhead of Collin; and that for the space of 99 years from and after the term of Whitsunday 1874, at the rent of Two Shillings and Sixpence per annum; in which Petition the Sheriff of date 21st December 1874, *inter alia*, 'ordains notice of the import of the Petition to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette and in the Dumfries-

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