



The Edinburgh Gazette.

Published by Authority.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1876.

WHITEHALL, November 16, 1876.

THE Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable George, Earl of Haddington, to be Lieutenant of the County of Haddington, in the room of George, Marquess of Tweeddale, deceased.

WHITEHALL, November 16, 1876.

The Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Sign Manual, to remove Mr. Justice Hawkins from the Queen's Bench Division, to the Exchequer Division, of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

BOARD OF TRADE, WHITEHALL GARDENS,
November 14, 1876.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Albert Medal of the Second Class on:—

JOHN SKELTON SUMMERS, Master of the fishing boat 'Flying Scud,' of Peterhead.

The following is an account of the services in

respect of which the decoration has been conferred:—

On the 3d of August 1876, SUMMERS was riding by his nets, 35 miles east-south-east from Buchanness, and broke adrift about noon in the height of a violent gale, with a dangerous cross sea running, accompanied with heavy rain. About 15 minutes after getting his close-reefed foresail set, to make for the land, he observed a boat on his weather bow, about a quarter of a mile off, with sail down, and making signals of distress. He hauled up for her at once, and, on nearing, observed she was swamped, and her mast lying over to leeward at an angle of about 45°, rendering great caution necessary in approaching her, for fear of carrying away his own mast, as she rolled so heavily in the trough of the sea.

At the first sweep, close on her port quarter, SUMMERS picked off two men with lines; but he had to wear round and come up to her again five times before he succeeded in getting off the third man; but, nothing daunted, he repeated his manœuvre nearly twenty times before he got off the last man, who was the master, and who was much exhausted.

SUMMERS first observed the distressed vessel at about 12.30, and it was 4 P.M. before the last man was dragged on board. In consequence of the violence of the gale, he did not reach Peterhead until four o'clock next morning.

The total number of men rescued was six; and there is little doubt that this could not have been effected if SUMMERS had not displayed great coolness and intrepidity, combined with very skilful handling of his boat.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

November 13, 1876.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for not less than 35 situations as Out-Door Officer in the Department of Her Majesty's Customs, will be held on Friday the 5th of January 1877, in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Liverpool, Bristol, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Hull, Leeds, Portsmouth, Plymouth, Glasgow, Aberdeen, Cork, Belfast, and Limerick, under the Special Regulations, dated 26th April 1875, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th April 1875.

Applications for the necessary form must be sent so as to reach the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, London, S.W., before the 14th December 1876.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

November 16, 1876.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for Men Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service, viz. :—

Of the Candidates examined on November 7, 1876—

Barnett, Ernest Frederick
 Beatty, Arthur William
 Blackwell, James Henry
 Brannon, Philip Walter
 Chalk, Thomas Cradocke
 Clark, William Aitken
 Corry, John
 Costello, Walter Henry
 Cox-Smith, Owen Percival
 Curtis, Frederick James
 Dingle, Alfred Thomas
 Doig, William
 Douglas, Frederick
 Dow, Henry Archibald
 Doyle, Gerald Patrick
 Duncan, Robert
 Dunn, Frederick William
 Elphinstone, William Robb
 Gahagan, Howard John
 Glass, John Alfred
 Griffiths, George
 Hampshire, George
 Harford, Michael
 Henry, Edwin James
 Holden, Robert
 Jackson, Arthur
 Jamieson, Arthur Victor Ottley
 Jarvis Wiffin
 Jones, Francis Edward Leech
 Joyce, Michael Thomas
 Kavanagh, Thomas
 Kean, John
 Kendall, William Henry
 Kennedy, Edward T. A.
 Lawton, Dennis
 Lees, George Dinness
 Lloyd, William John

M'Leod, Frederick Henry
 M'Mahon, Thomas
 M'Millan, Malcolm Reginald
 Mann, Frederick George
 Maslen, Arthur
 Matkin, Joseph
 Matthews, Henry Trays
 Morony, William Francis
 Neale, Frederick William
 Newmarch, Henry
 O'Brien, Patrick D.
 O'Sullivan, Michael
 Parsons, Joseph
 Phillips, Samuel
 Richmond, George B.
 Rigney, Patrick J.
 Roche, Michael
 Rowan, Joseph Patrick
 Saunders, John Freer
 Sheridan, Matthew Joseph
 Shorter, Clement King
 Standing, John William
 Stevens, James William John
 Swain, Duncan William Brailsford
 Teagan, Thomas Henry
 Thompson, Fred Coleman
 Webb, William
 Woodforde, Alfred Ernest

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Charles Preston, of 7 East India Avenue, Leadenhall Street, London, solicitor.
 Thomas French, of 185 Barnet Grove, Bethnal Green Road, Middlesex, wholesale boot and shoe manufacturer.
 Charles Baylis, of 6 Poultry, London, solicitor.
 Viscount Maidstone, residing at 91 Victoria Street, Westminster, Middlesex.
 Henry Robey the younger, of 37 Holloway Road, Middlesex, grocer and tea dealer.
 John Phillips, of 27A Saint Mary-at-Hill, and of 68 Chiswell Street, both in London, forwarding agent.
 Alfred Trueman, trading as A. Trueman & Brothers, of 8 Berners Street, Birmingham, Warwick, jeweller and boot rivet manufacturer.
 George Pochin, of Cosby, Leicester, wheelwright.
 William Richard Goodfellow, of Roche, Cornwall, surgeon and apothecary.
 Frederick William Constantine Dromtra, of 66 Terminus Road, Eastbourne, Sussex, commission agent.
 Matthew Deacon, of Brandon, Durham, grocer and provision dealer.
 Charles Fuller, of Furnace Place, Askam-in-Furness, Lancaster, grocer and provision dealer.
 John Beanland Bowes, of Selsbridge Lane, Bradford, York, timber merchant.
 Thomas Waterhouse Clayton, of Cornborough, York, farmer.
 Philip Edward Gray, of the Bird Bolt Hotel, Saint Andrew Street, Cambridge, innkeeper.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

EDINBURGH AND DISTRICT WATER.

(Alteration of Site of Alnwick Hill Reservoir, and of the Levels thereof; New Powers of Construction, with Filter Bed and Tank; Diversion of Conduits; Abandonment of the said Authorised Reservoir and Portions of Conduits; and Relinquishment of certain of the Lands Authorised to be taken; Confirmation of Agreement with Proprietor of Liberton; Power to make other Agreements; Application of Existing Borrowing Powers; Rates; Amendment and Repeal of Acts; other Purposes).

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Edinburgh and District Water Trustees, for alteration and amendment of their powers in the following and other particulars; and for these purposes, for alteration and amendment, in part repeal, of the provisions of the following Acts of Parliament, or some of them, or some part of them, so far as may be necessary; that is to say:—‘The Edinburgh and District Waterworks Act 1869,’ and ‘The Edinburgh and District Waterworks (Additional Supply) Act 1874,’ hereinafter called the Act of 1874, ‘The Edinburgh and District Waterworks Act 1876,’ hereinafter called the Act of 1876; and the existing Acts of the late Edinburgh Water Company—viz., ‘The Edinburgh Water Company’s Act 1856,’ and ‘The Edinburgh Water Company’s Amendment Act 1863,’ including any portions of the previous Acts of Parliament of the said Edinburgh Water Company which may be reserved and remain unrepealed (that is to say) of the following Acts (Local):—The Act of 59 Geo. III., cap. 116; 7 Geo. IV., cap. 108; 5 Will. IV., cap. 33; 6 and 7 Vict. cap. 89; 10 and 11 Vict., cap. 202; 16 Vict., cap. 49; and also the Act (Local) 32 and 33 Vict., cap. 24, and the following Acts—viz., an Act of 12 and 13 Vict., cap. 39, and all provisions as to the Edinburgh and Glasgow Union Canal Company thereby reserved; the Act 15 Vict., cap. 109; with all Acts of the Edinburgh and Glasgow Railway Company affecting the Union Canal; the Act 28 and 29 Vict., cap. 308, and all subsequent Acts of the North British Railway Company affecting the said Canal.

And power will be taken so far as may be necessary to abandon the powers for construction of the Alnwick Hill Reservoir, situated in the Parish of Liberton and County of Edinburgh, described as Work No. 4 in section 9 of the Act of 1874, as shown on the plans and sections deposited with reference to the said Act, with the portions of the Conduit No. 2, described as Work No. 6 of the said 9th section connected with the said Reservoir, so far as superseded by the deviation or diversion of the same, authorised in the third place in section 7 of the Act of 1876, as altered by the provisions of the proposed Act, and the portion of the Conduit No. 3, described as Work Seventh in the said section 9 of the Act of 1874, so far as the same will be superseded by the diversion afterwards described to be authorised by the proposed Act; and to Relinquish so far as necessary and expedient the lands authorised to be taken for the said works so to be abandoned, but reserving for all or any of the pur-

poses of the proposed Act, as shown on the plans and sections to be deposited as aftermentioned, any of the lands proposed to be Relinquished, for the purposes to which the same were applicable under the said Acts of 1874 and 1876.

And power will be taken, in place of the Reservoir so authorised and other works to be abandoned, to make, execute, and maintain the works following, or some of them; that is to say:—A Reservoir (to be called Alnwick Hill Reservoir) to be situate in the field on the east side of the road leading from Alnwick Hill to Howdenshall, the north-westerly corner of the said Reservoir being at a point 37 yards or thereby from the south-east corner of Alnwick Hill Reformatory, and extending in a southerly direction nearly parallel to the said road from the said point 333 yards or thereby, and in an easterly direction 100 yards or thereby in breadth, with a filter bed along the east side of and adjoining the eastern embankment of the said Reservoir measuring 200 yards or thereby in length and 58 yards in breadth or thereby, and with a covered clear water tank on the east side of and adjoining the said filter bed 112 yards or thereby in length and 40 yards or thereby in breadth; together with a deviation of the authorised Aqueduct, Conduit, or Line of Pipes described as the Conduit No. 2 of the Act of 1874 as authorised to be deviated by the Act of 1876 from a point on such authorised deviation 333 yards or thereby from the termination thereof, and terminating in the said intended Reservoir; and also a deviation of the Aqueduct, Conduit, or Line of Pipes called Conduit No. 3 of the Act of 1874, commencing at the clear water tank beforementioned and terminating at a point on the authorised line of such Conduit No. 3, 620 yards or thereby from its commencement in the authorised Reservoir; all which works are situate in the Parish of Liberton and County of Edinburgh. And power will be taken to deviate laterally in the construction of the works to be authorised from the lines and situations of the said works, within the limits shown upon the plans herein aftermentioned, or as shall be specified in the Bill, and to deviate vertically from the level of the works, as shown on the section as shall be provided for in the Bill.

And power will also be taken to confirm an Agreement made with Walter James Little Gilmour, Esquire, of Liberton, with regard to the altered site of the said intended Reservoir, and the acquisition of Lands and Property for the Works to be authorised, and to authorise new and additional Agreements with him, and with any other person or persons, for the purposes of the intended Act, and, if necessary, to confirm the same.

And power may be taken to ratify, sanction, and approve of any Works executed, and matters and things done under authority of such Agreement with Walter James Little Gilmour, or under authority, or supposed authority, of the Act of 1874 and the Act of 1876.

And power will be taken to make and construct all such Works and conveniences, or alterations of any existing Works and conveniences, which may be necessary or expedient for effecting or carrying out the objects and purposes of the Bill, or any of them, including power to divert into the Works to be authorised and to impound therein the supply of water authorised by the Act of 1874 and the Act of 1876 to be diverted into, and to be impounded in the Reservoir to be abandoned, and with power to discharge, when necessary, from the Works above described, or some of them, the

Waste or Overflow Water into St. Catherine's Burn, or otherwise to dispose of the same.

And power will be taken to acquire, compulsorily or by agreement, all Lands, Houses, and other Property necessary for the execution of the Works to be authorised, and to hold the same for the purposes of the intended Bill, and in such manner to purchase and acquire way-leaves for certain of the Works, instead of the absolute right of property, and to vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges connected with such Lands, Houses, and other Property which may in any way interfere with the purposes of the Bill, or with the existing Works and Property of the Trustees, and also to confer new powers, rights, and privileges.

To make such provisions for the conduct and management of the Trust, and for the better carrying out the purposes thereof as the Bill shall prescribe, and to vary and extinguish existing rights and privileges, and to confer other rights and privileges; or power will be taken to carry into effect the objects and purposes of the proposed Bill, in such other way and manner as shall be found expedient, and as shall be sanctioned by Parliament, and to make all and whatever other provisions may be considered expedient or necessary for carrying out the objects of the same.

To apply the sums borrowed, or that may be borrowed, under authority of the Act of 1874 and Act of 1876, or one or other of them, so far as unborrowed or unexpended, to the purposes of the Bill.

To authorise the Trustees to levy, if expedient, new Rates, Duties, and Charges; to alter existing Rates, Duties, and Charges; and to make provisions as to the collection of the same.

To incorporate all or some of the provisions of 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845,' 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts Amendment Act 1860,' 'The Waterworks Clauses Acts 1847 and 1863,' and also the provisions of 'The Railways Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845,' with respect to the temporary occupation of Lands during the execution of Works, and with respect to the crossing of roads and other interference therewith, and other purposes.

And notice is also given, that Plans and Sections, and Duplicates thereof respectively, describing the Lands, Houses, and Property intended to be taken, or which may be taken, under the powers of deviation before-mentioned, for the purposes of the said Bill, and the Lines, Situations, and Levels of the Works intended to be made and maintained as aforesaid, and the Lands in, upon, or through which the same are intended to be made and maintained, with a duplicate Book of Reference to the said Plans containing the names of the Owners or reputed Owners, Lessees, or reputed Lessees, and occupiers of the said Lands, Houses, and other Property, will, together with a copy of this Notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November instant, in the offices at Edinburgh, of the Principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Edinburgh, and of the Sheriff-Clerk of the County of the City of Edinburgh, and a copy of so much of the said Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference as relates to the Parish of Liberton before-mentioned, in which works are to be executed, or property taken, or to the Royal Burgh of Edinburgh respectively, together with a copy of this Notice, will, on or before the said 30th day of November, be deposited with the Session-Clerk of such Parish at

his residence; and with the Town-Clerk of the City and Royal Burgh of Edinburgh.

And copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st December 1876.

Dated this 10th day of November 1876.

WM. WHITE MILLAR,

Edinburgh,

Solicitor for the Bill.

J. & J. GRAHAM,

3 Westminster Chambers, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

GIRVAN AND PORTPATRICK JUNCTION RAILWAY.

(Acquisition of Lands, Compulsorily or by Agreement, in Counties of Wigtown and Ayr; Agreements with Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company; Additional Capital; Amendment of Acts; other Purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for an Act to effect all or some of the following purposes, that is to say:—

To empower the Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Company (in this Notice called The Company) to purchase by compulsion or agreement, and to hold for the purposes of Station, Siding, Warehouse, Mineral, Goods, and other Accommodation, and for other purposes connected with their undertaking, the Lands and Property following, that is to say:

Certain Lands in the Parish of Old Luce and County of Wigtown, numbered 85 in said Parish on the deposited Plans referred to in the Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1865, and bounded on the North by the Railway of the Portpatrick Railway Company; on the South and South-West by the Turnpike Road leading from Stranraer to Glenluce; on the South-East by Cottages and Garden Ground presently occupied by John Mc'Cartney and Robert Lough, or one of them; and on the East by the Occupation Road leading from said Turnpike Road to the Farm Steading of East Challoch:

Certain Lands in the Parish of Colmonell and County of Ayr, numbered 87 in said Parish on the deposited Plans referred to in the Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1865, and bounded on the West by the Railway of the Company; on the East and North-East by the Turnpike Road leading from Girvan to Barrhill; and on the South by Land belonging, or reputed to belong, to John Dunlop.

To empower the Company on the one hand and the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company on the other hand, from time to time to enter into and carry into effect, and rescind Contracts, Agreements, and Arrangements with respect to the construction and maintenance of the Company's undertaking, and of Additional Works, Accommodation, and Conveniences in connection therewith, as well as with respect to the several other matters in reference to which powers to enter into working agreements are conferred on the said Companies respectively by 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1865,' 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1872,' and the other Acts relating to the Company; and to

confirm any agreements which have been or may be made touching the matters aforesaid or any of them, including the matters mentioned in said Acts.

To provide that no Traffic agreement for a tract of future time now existing, or which may hereafter exist between the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company and any trader or traders in relation to the undertaking of the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company, or any Railway, worked or used by them, shall extend to the undertaking, Railway, Works, Stations, Accommodations or Conveniences of the Company without the consent of the Company.

To empower the Company to raise further money for the purposes of their undertaking by the creation and issue of new Shares or Stock with or without a guaranteed or preferential dividend or other rights or privileges attached thereto, and by borrowing, and by the creation and issue of Debenture Stock, or by one or more of such means as may be authorised or provided by the intended Act.

To empower the Company to accept Surrenders of paid-up Shares in the Capital of the Company, and to cancel the same; and to issue Shares in lieu thereof and of such other Shares as may be surrendered to the Company.

To vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges connected with the lands and property herein-before described, and any other rights and privileges which might in any manner interfere with any of the objects of the intended Act, and to confer all powers, rights, and privileges necessary or expedient for effecting those objects or in relation thereto.

To repeal or vary, alter, amend, and extend so far as may be necessary for all or any of the purposes aforesaid the several local and personal Acts following, that is to say: 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1865,' 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1870,' 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1872,' 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1873,' and 'The Girvan and Portpatrick Junction Railway Act, 1875,' relating to the Company, and 'The Glasgow and South-Western Railway Consolidation Act, 1855,' and the several other Acts relating to the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company, and the undertakings belonging to, amalgamated with, or held on lease by, or vested in that Company, passed respectively in the Sessions of Parliament held on the 19th and 20th, the 20th and 21st, the 21st and 22d, the 22d and 23d, the 23d and 24th, the 24th and 25th, the 25th and 26th, the 26th, the 26th and 27th, the 27th and 28th, the 28th, the 28th and 29th, the 29th and 30th, the 30th, the 30th and 31st, the 31st and 32d, the 32d and 33d, the 33d and 34th, the 34th and 35th, the 35th, the 35th and 36th, the 36th and 37th, the 37th and 38th, the 38th and 39th, and the 39th and 40th years of the reign of her present Majesty, and the several other Acts relating to the Glasgow and South-Western Railway Company and their undertaking.

Plans showing the Lands and Property intended to be taken under the powers of the intended Act, together with a Book of Reference thereto containing the names of the Owners or reputed Owners, Lessees or reputed Lessees, and Occupiers of such Lands and Property, and a Copy of this Notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection on or before the

30th of November 1876, in the Office of the Principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Ayr and in the Offices of the Principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Wigton at Wigtown and Stranraer; and a Copy of so much of the said Plans and Book of Reference as relates to the respective Parishes in which any such Lands and Property are situate, together with a like Copy of this Notice, will be deposited for public inspection, on or before the same day, with the Session-Clerk of each such Parish, at the usual place of abode of such Session-Clerks respectively.

Printed Copies of the intended Act will, on or before the 21st day of December next, be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 15th day of November 1876.

MILLAR, ROBSON, & INNES,
Edinburgh, Solicitors.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON,
45 Parliament Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agent.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

GLASGOW MARKETS.

(Power to Acquire Additional Lands, and to Acquire and Shut up part of Graham Square by Compulsion or Agreement; Power to Borrow Further Moneys; Sinking Funds; Incorporation of Acts; Amendment of Acts; and other Purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Glasgow, as Commissioners for carrying into effect The Glasgow Markets and Slaughter-houses Act, 1865 (who are in this Notice called 'The Commissioners'), for leave to bring in a Bill for the following, or some of the following objects, powers, and purposes—that is to say:—

1. To authorise the Commissioners to Purchase or Acquire, compulsorily or by agreement, and to enter upon, take, hold, and use for the purposes of their Undertaking, the Lands hereinafter described, or part thereof, and all Houses, Hereditaments, and other Property thereon—that is to say:—

All and whole that Portion of Ground and Buildings thereon, situated in the City Parish of Glasgow, City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, and County of Lanark, fronting Graham Square, situated and being within the following Boundaries:—On the North and West by the Property of the Commissioners; on the east partly by the eastern building-line of Graham Square and partly by the eastern boundary of the pavement on the west side of Graham Square; on the South partly by a line drawn parallel to and distant fifty-five feet from the northern end or boundary of Graham Square, and partly by the Property of James Dickson's Trustees, and partly by the Property of John Wallace & Son.

2. To Shut up that Portion of Graham Square situated at the Northern end thereof, opposite the Property already belonging to the Commissioners, and of Portion of the Property to be acquired under the Bill—that is to say, for a distance of

fifty-five feet measuring southward along the said street called Graham Square from the northern end thereof.

3. To authorise the Commissioners to Acquire, compulsorily or by agreement, the Portion of Road so closed up.

4. To Alter and Enlarge the present Borrowing Powers of the Commissioners, and to Authorise the Commissioners, in addition to the moneys they are already authorised to borrow, to Borrow, and from time to time to Re-Borrow, Money for the purposes of the Bill and of their Undertaking, and of the several Acts relating to the Commissioners or their Undertaking, or some of them, on Mortgage, Bond, Annuity, Cash Credit, or otherwise, and to Charge Moneys borrowed on the Tolls, Rates, and Charges authorised, or to be authorised, to be levied and charged by them under the said Acts, or either of them, and on any Rates or Assessments which the Commissioners have already, or may hereafter have, power to levy; and also on the Lands, Houses, and Properties to be purchased or acquired under the provisions of the Bill, and on any other property now belonging, or which from time to time may belong, to, or be acquired by, them, and the Revenues, Tolls, Rates, and Charges to arise, or to be levied and made, under the Bill and the said Acts; and, if expedient, to create and issue a Debenture Stock or Funded Debt in lieu of Money Borrowed, or authorised to be Borrowed.

5. To make provision for the Repayment of all Moneys to be borrowed by the Commissioners for any of the purposes or objects of the Bill; to create a Sinking Fund, or Sinking Funds, and to fix the Amount or Amounts thereof and the respective application thereof; and to Repeal or Alter and Amend the Provisions of the existing Acts hereinafter recited with Reference to the Repayment of Moneys already Borrowed by the Commissioners and the Sinking Funds thereby provided, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

6. The Bill will, so far as may be necessary or expedient, Repeal, Alter, or Amend the Provisions, or some of the Provisions, of the Local and Personal Acts following—that is to say, The Glasgow Markets and Slaughter-houses Act, 1865; The Glasgow Markets and Slaughter-houses Act, 1871; and the Glasgow Municipal Act, 1872.

7. The Bill will incorporate with itself (with such variations as may be thought fit) all or some of the provisions of 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845,' 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts Amendment Act, 1860,' 'The Markets and Fairs Clauses Act, 1847,' and 'The Commissioners Clauses Act, 1847;' and will Vary or Extinguish all Rights and Privileges connected with the Lands, Houses, and Property to be taken or acquired under the Bill, and all other Rights and Privileges which would interfere with the objects of the Bill; and it will confer all Rights, Powers, and Privileges which may be necessary for carrying the same into effect.

Duplicate Plans of the Lands, Houses, and other Property which will or may be taken under the powers of the Bill, with a Book of Reference to such Plans, containing the names of the Owners and Lessees, or reputed Owners and Lessees, and of the Occupiers of such Lands, Houses, and other Property, and a Copy of this Notice, as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, will, on or before the 30th day of November 1876, be deposited for public inspection with the Principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Lanark, at his Office in Glasgow;

and on or before the same day a Copy of the said Plans and Book of Reference, and a Copy of this Notice, will be deposited for public inspection with the Session-Clerk of the City Parish of Glasgow, in which the Lands, Houses, and Property intended to be taken are situate, at the usual place of abode of such Session-Clerk, and with the Town-Clerk of the Royal Burgh of Glasgow, at his Office in Glasgow.

Printed Copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 10th day of November 1876.

J. D. MARWICK,
Town-Clerk, Glasgow,
Solicitor for the Bill.

SIMSON, WAKEFORD, & SIMSON,
11 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

CLYDE CONSERVANCY.

(Constitution of Conservancy Board for River Clyde and its Affluents; Definition of Area within which Board to have Jurisdiction and Powers of Act to be Enforced; Provisions as to Election or Appointment of Board; Mode of Election or Appointment; Powers to be Exercised by Board; Power to Board to Enforce Contributions to Expenses of Executing Act and Cost of Royal Commission to Sir John Hawkshaw from Local Authorities within Area of Proposed Act; Provision Authorising and Requiring Local Authorities to Pay their Charges, and to Levy Assessments thereupon; Incorporation of Acts; Amendment of Acts; and other purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to introduce a Bill (hereinafter called the proposed Act) for the following, or some of the following, among other, objects, powers, and purposes (that is to say):—

1. To appoint and create, or provide for the appointment and creation, or election of, a Board for carrying the proposed Act into effect, to be called the Clyde Conservancy Board, or such other name, as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament may appoint (hereinafter called 'the Board'), to be nominated, elected, or appointed in such manner as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct; to fix and define the number of members of such Board, the qualifications of parties eligible to be appointed, nominated, or elected members of the Board, and the parties (and their qualification), corporations, or local authorities and others, by whom such appointments, nominations, or elections shall be made, and to provide for the nomination, election, or appointment, and rotation of the members of the Board.

2. To define the jurisdiction, powers, and authorities to be conferred on, exercised by, and to belong to, the Board.

3. To provide for the meetings of the Board their committees, quorum, voting and disposal of

business, accounts, books, clerks, treasurer, and other officers, contracts, legal proceedings, and mortgages, and all other matters calculated effectually to carry out the objects of the proposed Act, and to incorporate the Board with powers to sue and to be sued.

4. To fix and define the limits and the area within which the Board may exercise jurisdiction, and the powers to be conferred by the proposed Act may be exercised and put in force, and which limits and area for all the purposes of the proposed Act will comprehend and include the whole, or such portions, of the catchment area of so much of the River and Firth of Clyde as lies, or extends, eastward and upwards of, and including, Gourcock in the county of Renfrew, and Kilcreggan in the county of Dumbarton, and of all the affluents of the said River and Firth, which enter the same, as the proposed Act may provide, or as Parliament may fix, and which catchment area is embraced and situated within the following parishes, or some of them, or some parts, or portions, thereof respectively (that is to say):—

The parishes of Cumbernauld, Arrochar, Luss, Row, Roseneath, Cardross, Bonhill, Kilmaronock, Dumbarton, Old Kilpatrick, New Kilpatrick, and Kirkintilloch, all in the county of Dumbarton ;

The parishes of Buchanan, Drymen, Kippen, Balfron, Killearn, Strathblane, New Kilpatrick, Baldernock, Gargunnoch, Fintry, Saint Ninians, Campsie, Kilsyth, and Slamannan, all in the county of Stirling ;

The parishes of Avondale, Barony Parish of Glasgow, Biggar, Blantyre, Bothwell, Cadder, Caltoun, Cambuslang, Cambusnethan, Carluke, Carmichael, Carmunnoch, Carnwath, Carstairs, Cathcart, City Parish of Glasgow, Covington and Thankerton, Crawford, Crawfordjohn, Culter, Dalsersf, Dalziel, Dolphinton, Douglas, Dunsyre, East Kilbride, Glasford, Gorbals, Govan, Hamilton, Lamington and Wandel, Lanark, Lesmahagow, Liberton and Quothquhan, Maryhill, Moffat, New Monkland, Old Monkland, Pettinain, Rutherglen, Shettleston, Shotts, Springburn, Stonehouse, Symington, Walston, and Wiston and Robertson, all in the county of Lanark ;

The parishes of Abbey Parish Paisley, Cathcart, Dunlop, Eaglesham, East Kilbride, Eastwood, Erskine, Govan, Greenock, High Church Paisley, Houston, Inchinnan, Innerkip, Kilbarchan, Kilmalcolm, Lochwinnoch, Low Church Paisley, Mearns, Middle Church Paisley, Neilston, Port Glasgow, and Renfrew, all in the county of Renfrew ;

The parishes of Largs, Kilbirnie, Beith, Stewarton, Fenwick, Loudoun, Galston, and Muirkirk, all in the county of Ayr ;

The parishes of Kirkpatrick-Juxta and Moffat in the county of Dumfries ;

The parishes of Broughton, Glenholm and Kilbucho, Culter, and Linton or West Linton, in the county of Peebles ;

The parish of West Calder in the county of Edinburgh ;

The parish of Torphichen in the county of Linlithgow ;

The parishes of Kippen, Aberfoil, and Killin, in the county of Perth ;

The parish of Lochgoilhead and Kilmorich in the county of Argyle ;

and which limits and area, to be so fixed and de-

finned, are hereinafter called and referred to as the Clyde district.

5. For the purposes of the proposed Act, and for ascertaining the assessable value of the lands and heritages within the Clyde district,

(1.) To require the assessor under the Act of 17 and 18 Victoria chapter 91, intituled 'An Act for the Valuation of Lands and Heritages in Scotland' of every county, or burgh, within, or partly within, the Clyde district, to ascertain and specify, in the valuation roll made up by him, under the said Act, the rental of all lands and heritages situated within the Clyde district, as distinguished from the rental of lands and heritages situated in any parish partly within, and partly without, the Clyde district ;

(2.) To require the Clerk of every local authority within the Clyde district, at such time or times as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct, to make out and transmit to the Clerk to the Board, or other party or parties to be named in the proposed Act, or to such party or parties as Parliament may appoint to receive the same, and at such time or times as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct, a statement showing the rental, as appearing in the valuation roll, applicable to the area within the jurisdiction of such local authority, of all lands and heritages therein, so far as the same is situated within the Clyde district, and to impose, enforce, and recover penalties in case of failure to make up and transmit such statement.

6. To provide for fixing and determining the number of members of the Board to be elected by each local authority, or group or combination of local authorities, to be appointed by the proposed Act.

7. To provide for the combination or grouping for the purpose of electing members of the Board of two or more local authorities, and to make such other provisions with reference to those matters as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct.

8. To provide and regulate the mode, manner, and time in, and at, which the said local authorities, or group or combination of local authorities, shall elect members of the Board, and to make other provisions with reference to such elections and the filling up of vacancies, and to provide for the first, and subsequent, and adjourned meetings of the Board, their quorum and proceedings.

9. To provide for the revision or alteration of the constitution of the Board, and the rights of the respective local authorities, or group or combination of local authorities, within the Clyde district, to appoint or elect the members thereof, and to make such other provisions with reference to those matters as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct.

10. To define and specify the jurisdiction and duties of the Board, and to confer on the Board such powers as the Bill may define or Parliament may fix, for the effectual carrying out of the provisions of the proposed Act, and to constitute the Board, within the Clyde district, a conservancy authority for supervising the action of the several local authorities within the said district and seeing that they severally take all legal steps to prevent, and that they do nothing, nor allow anything to be done, within their respective jurisdictions, to pollute the River Clyde and its affluents, and, if necessary, to enable the Board to enforce the provisions of

'The Rivers Pollution Prevention Act 1876' and any Acts amending the same, against such of the local authorities and others as may contravene, or neglect, the provisions of the said Act, or Acts, in the same way as sanitary authorities are empowered to do within the areas of their respective jurisdictions under the said Act or Acts.

11. To authorise the Board to investigate complaints made to them with reference to any of the matters referred to in the preceding Section, and of offences committed against 'The Rivers Pollution Prevention Act 1876,' and any Acts amending the same, and to authorise the Board to require the local authorities, or others having jurisdiction in the area within which the offence is committed contrary to the provisions of the proposed Act, to prevent the same, and to enforce the provisions of 'The Rivers Pollution Prevention Act 1876,' and any Acts amending the same, against defaulters, or any other laws relating thereto.

12. To empower any two or more local authorities within the Clyde district, in such manner as the proposed Act may provide or Parliament direct, to combine for the purpose of obtaining powers to execute works necessary for disposing of sewage, or other kind of pollution, and so as to prevent, as far as possible, the pollution of the Clyde and its affluents, and if necessary to authorise and require such local authorities to apply to Parliament for the requisite authority to execute such works.

13. To authorise the Board, either prospectively or retrospectively, and at such times as they may consider necessary, or as the proposed Act may provide, to estimate and fix the sums which may be necessary from time to time, to enable them to carry out the provisions of the proposed Act, and discharge the duties thereby imposed, and to apportion such sums among the several local authorities of the Clyde district, in the ratio of the rentals of the lands and heritages within the area of the jurisdiction of the said several local authorities respectively, and to fix the date or dates when the sums so apportioned shall be paid over by, and to require, the said several local authorities respectively to pay to the Treasurer of the Board the sums so required from them respectively, or to make other provisions in relation to the raising of, and payment of, such moneys, and the levying and recovery of such assessments.

14. To authorise and require the several local authorities within the Clyde district to raise and pay over the sums of money which the Board may from time to time so apportion, and to authorise and empower, and require the said several local authorities to apply, for that purpose, the proceeds of any police assessments, or any assessment under 'The Public Health (Scotland) Act 1867,' or any other rates or assessments leviable, or levied, by them respectively within the area of their respective jurisdictions, or any common good or other funds at their disposal, or, if necessary, to authorise and require them to levy a special assessment for the purpose, and to provide that such assessment shall be assessed, levied, and recovered in like manner as local authorities, under 'The Public Health (Scotland) Act 1867,' are empowered to assess, levy, and recover assessments for meeting all charges and expenses incurred in executing that Act, or in such other manner as the proposed Act will provide, or to make other provision in relation to the raising and payment of such moneys, and the levying and recovery of such assessments.

15. To authorise the Board to borrow and raise, and, from time to time, to re-borrow, money for the

purposes of the proposed Act and of their undertaking, and for carrying out the objects and purposes of the proposed Act, on mortgage, bond, annuity, cash credit or otherwise, and to charge money so borrowed on the sums which they are authorised, under the proposed Act, to apportion and require payment of from the several local authorities in the Clyde district, and in such other manner as the proposed Act may provide; and, if expedient, to create and issue debenture stock or funded debt in lieu of money authorised to be borrowed.

16. To make provision for the repayment of all moneys to be borrowed by the Board for any of the purposes of the proposed Act; to create a sinking fund, and to fix the amount thereof and the application thereof; and to make such provisions for the repayment of moneys borrowed as the proposed Act will define.

17. To provide that the Board, and its officers, and all persons employed by them, shall have access to all lands and premises within the Clyde district, for carrying the provisions of 'The Rivers Pollution Prevention Act 1876,' and the proposed Act, into effect; and to confer on the Board all powers necessary for these purposes, and the powers which, by 'The Public Health (Scotland) Act 1867,' are conferred upon inspectors of nuisances, or some of them, and such other powers as the proposed Act will define.

18. To confer on the Board power to apply to Parliament from time to time for alterations of the proposed Act as they may deem expedient.

19. To provide for the application of the moneys to be borrowed, or received, by the Board under the powers of the proposed Act, and to provide that out of those moneys they shall be authorised—

(1) To pay and discharge the costs, charges, and expenses connected with the Royal Commission to Sir John Hawkshaw on the 15th day of December 1874, with reference to the Clyde and its tributaries, and the proceedings thereunder, and to repay to the Corporation of the City of Glasgow the moneys paid by them in respect of such costs, charges, and expenses:

(2) To pay and discharge the costs, charges, and expenses preliminary to, and of, and incidental to, the preparing, applying for, obtaining, and passing of the proposed Act:

(3) To pay and discharge the costs, charges, and expenses which the Board shall from time to time incur in carrying the provisions of the proposed Act into effect.

20. To amend, alter, or repeal all, or some of, the provisions of all, or any, Acts, either public and general, or local and personal, relating to any corporations, local authorities, or public bodies within the Clyde district, which it may be necessary to amend, alter, or repeal, to carry into effect all, or any of, the objects of the proposed Act.

21. The proposed Act will incorporate with itself, subject to such alterations, or modifications, as may be necessary, the provisions, or some of the provisions, of the following Acts, or some of them (that is to say):—'The Commissioners Clauses Act 1847;' 'The General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act 1862;' 'The General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act 1862 Amendment Act.'

22. The proposed Act will also vary and extinguish any existing rights, powers, and privileges, of corporations, trustees, public and local authorities, and individuals, and all other rights, powers, and privileges, which would, or might, in any respect

interfere with, or prevent, the execution of any of the purposes, or provisions, of the proposed Act, and it will confer all such other rights, powers, and privileges as may be necessary or expedient for carrying the same into effect.

Printed copies of the proposed Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 8th day of November 1876.

J. D. MARWICK,
Solicitor, Glasgow.

SIMSON, WAKEFORD, & SIMSON,
11 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

LARGS RAILWAY.

(Incorporation of Company; Construction of Railways from Greenock and Wemyss Bay Railway to Largs; Compulsory Purchase of Lands:—Tolls, and Charges, and Alteration of Tolls and Charges; Working and other Contracts and Agreements with the Greenock and Wemyss Bay Railway Company and the Caledonian Railway Company; Incorporation of Acts; Amendment of Acts; and other purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that Application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next Session for leave to bring in a Bill for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):

To incorporate a Company (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), and to enable them to make and maintain the Railways and works hereinafter described, or some or one of them, or some part or parts thereof respectively, with all needful works, stations, approaches, sidings, and conveniences connected therewith respectively (that is to say):

1. A Railway (No. 1) commencing in the Parish of Inverkip, and sub-division Parish of Skelmorlie, in the County of Renfrew, by a junction with the existing line of the Greenock and Wemyss Bay Railway, at a point on the said Railway 199 feet or thereabouts (measuring in a southerly direction) from the mile post on the said Railway denoting 10 miles from the junction near Port-Glasgow of the said Railway with that part of the undertaking of the Caledonian Railway Company, known as the Glasgow, Paisley, and Greenock Railway, thence passing through or into the several parishes following, or some of them, namely, the said Parish of Inverkip, and sub-division Parish of Skelmorlie, in the County of Renfrew, and the Parish of Largs, and sub-division Parish of Skelmorlie, in the County of Ayr, and terminating in the said Parish of Largs, and County of Ayr, at a point on the east side of the Turnpike Road leading from Wemyss Bay to Largs, which point is 105 feet or thereabouts (measuring in a north-westerly direction along the said Road) from the south-west end of the boundary wall separating the property of Underbank, belonging to Robert Kerr Holms Kerr, Esquire, from the lands of Routenburn, belonging to James Stewart, Esquire, of Garrocks.

2. A Railway (No. 2) wholly situated in the said Parish of Largs, and County of Ayr, commencing by a junction with Railway No. 1 at the

termination thereof, as hereinbefore described, and terminating in the said Parish and County, on land feued to John Watson and Robert Orr at Noddsdale Green, Largs, at a point in line with the southern boundary wall of Springfield, the property of Miss Jean Boyd, which point is 80 feet or thereabouts (measuring across the said Turnpike Road leading from Wemyss Bay to Largs, in a westerly direction) from the junction of the west end of said boundary wall with the east side of the said Turnpike Road leading from Wemyss Bay to Largs.

To empower the Company to cross, divert, alter, or stop up, or otherwise interfere with, either temporarily or permanently, turnpike roads, streets, highways, roads, railways, tramways, bridges, drains, sewers, navigations, rivers, canals, streams, and watercourses, gas, water, and other pipes, telegraphs and telegraph apparatus, in the parishes and places hereinbefore mentioned, so far as may be necessary in constructing, maintaining, or using the said intended Railways and works, or for other the purposes of the Bill, and to deviate horizontally from the lines of Railway, and vertically from the levels of the said lines, as shown upon the plans and sections hereinafter mentioned, to any extent to be authorised by the Bill.

To empower the Company to enter upon, purchase, take, and use temporarily or permanently, by compulsion or otherwise, and to hold all such lands, houses, and other property, in the parishes and places aforesaid, as may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the said intended Railways and works and undertaking, and of the Bill, and to vary and extinguish all rights and privileges connected with the lands, houses, and property so to be taken, which would interfere with or prevent the carrying into execution any of the purposes of the said Bill, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

To vary or alter the provisions of 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845,' as incorporated with the Bill, and to provide that it shall not be necessary for the Company to purchase the whole of any house or other building or manufactory where part only is required for the purposes of the Bill, and also the provisions with respect to superfluous lands, and the provisions of 'The Railways Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845,' with respect to the limits of lateral and vertical deviation, and otherwise.

To empower the Company to take, levy, and receive tolls, rates, duties, and charges upon, for, and in respect of the use of the proposed Railways, and works, and the conveyance of passengers, animals, minerals, goods, and other traffic thereon, to alter existing tolls, rates, duties, and charges, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from payment of tolls, rates, duties, and charges.

To enable the Company on the one hand, and the Greenock and Wemyss Bay Railway Company, and the Caledonian Railway Company, or any one of those Companies on the other hand, from time to time to enter into and carry into effect, and to rescind contracts, agreements, and arrangements with respect to the working, use, management, construction, and maintenance by the contracting Companies or any of them, of their respective Railways, stations and works, or any part or parts thereof respectively, the supply and maintenance of engines, working and rolling stock, plant, and machinery, the appointment, employment, payment, and removal of officers and servants, the payments to be made and the conditions to be performed

with respect to such working, use, management, construction, and maintenance, the management, regulation, interchange, collection, accommodation, conveyance, transmission, and delivery of traffic upon or coming from or destined for the railways, stations, and undertakings of the contracting Companies or any or either of them, and for and with respect to the fixing of the tolls, rates, and charges to be demanded and taken and recovered in respect of such traffic, and the collection, payment, division, appropriation, apportionment, and distribution of the tolls, rates, income, profits, and revenue arising from such traffic, and from the respective railways and works of the contracting Companies or any of them, or other the profits of the respective undertakings of the contracting Companies, the payment of any fixed or contingent rent, and to authorise the appointment of joint committees for the carrying into effect every or any such agreement as aforesaid, to enable the Caledonian Railway Company to work and use the Railway and works of the Company, and to receive and levy rates and tolls in respect thereof, and to confirm and give effect to any agreement already made, or which previously to the passing of the Bill may be made, touching any of the matters aforesaid.

The Bill will vary and extinguish all existing rights and privileges inconsistent with, or which would in any way interfere with, any of its objects, and will confer other rights and privileges; and it will incorporate with itself the necessary provisions of—'The Companies Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845;' 'The Companies Clauses Act 1863;' 'The Companies Clauses Act 1869;' 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845;' 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts Amendment Act 1860;' 'The Railways Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act 1845;' 'The Railways Clauses Act 1863;' 'The Railway Companies (Scotland) Act 1867;' 'The Regulation of Railways Act 1868.'

And it is proposed by the said intended Act to alter and amend or to repeal the provisions or some of them, of all or some of the several local and personal Acts following, that is to say: The Caledonian Railway Act 1845, and the several other Acts relating to the Caledonian Railway Company and to the undertakings belonging to, or held in lease, or worked by them, passed in the Sessions of Parliament held respectively in the 9th and 10th, the 10th and 11th, the 11th and 12th, the 12th and 13th, the 14th and 15th, the 16th and 17th, the 17th and 18th, the 18th and 19th, the 20th and 21st, the 21st and 22nd, the 22nd and 23rd, the 23rd and 24th, the 24th and 25th, the 25th and 26th, the 26th and 27th, the 27th and 28th, the 28th and 29th, the 29th and 30th, the 30th and 31st, the 31st and 32nd, the 32nd and 33rd, the 33rd and 34th, the 35th and 36th, the 36th and 37th, the 37th and 38th, the 38th and 39th, and 39th and 40th years of the reign of her present Majesty; also any other Acts recited in the before-mentioned Acts relating to or affecting the Caledonian Railway Company, or any other undertaking amalgamated with, leased to, or vested in or worked by the Caledonian Railway Company; the Scottish Central Railway Consolidation Act 1859, and the Acts therein named and referred to, in so far as not repealed; the Scottish North-Eastern Railway Act 1863, and the various Acts mentioned or referred to in the preamble and Schedule to that Act; the Scottish Central (Dundee Perth and Aberdeen Railway Purchase) Act 1863, and the various Acts referred to in the

preamble thereof; the Caledonian and Scottish North-Eastern Railways Amalgamation Act 1866; Acts relating to the Dundee and Arbroath Railway Company (now amalgamated with the Caledonian Railway Company), 6th Will. IV. cap. 32; 5th Vict. (Session 2), cap. 83; 9th and 10th Vict. cap. 133; 11th and 12th Vict. caps. 129 and 154; and 14th and 15th Vict. cap. 63; the Dundee and Perth Railway Act 1845; the Act 6th and 7th Vict. cap. 84, and the Acts therein recited and any other Act or Acts relating to the Tay Ferries; the Act 23rd and 24th Vict. cap. 142, relating to the Montrose and Bervie Railway. Also, the following Acts relating to the Greenock and Wemyss Bay Railway Company, namely:—The Act 25 and 26 Victoria cap. 160; and the Act 26 Victoria cap. 47.

Duplicate plans and sections, describing the lines, situations, and levels of the proposed Railways and works, and the lands, houses, and other property in, through, or under which they will be made, or which may be taken under the powers of the Bill, together with a book of reference to such plans containing the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and occupiers of such lands, houses and other property, and also an Ordnance Map, with the lines of the said Railways delineated thereon, so as to show their general course and direction, and a copy of this Notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, will, on or before the 30th day of November instant, be deposited for public inspection with the principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Renfrew in his offices in Paisley and Greenock respectively, and with the principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Ayr in his offices in Ayr and Kilmarnock respectively, and that on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference as relates to the several parishes in or through which the intended Railways and works are to be made, or in which any lands, houses, or other property intended to be taken under the Bill are situate, and also a copy of this Notice, will be deposited for public inspection with the Session-Clerk of each such parish at the usual place of abode of such Session-Clerk.

Printed copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 10th day of November 1876.

KEYDENS, STRANG, & GIRVAN,
186 West George Street, Glasgow,
Solicitors for the Bill.

SIMSON, WAKEFORD, & SIMSON,
11 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

PAISLEY IMPROVEMENT.

(Constitution and Incorporation of Improvement Trustees; Construction of New Streets, Bridges and Footpath; Widening, Improvement and Alteration of existing Streets, Bridge and Footpath; Stopping up of Street, Road and Footpath; Acquisition of Lands by Improvement Trustees and by Town Council as Road Trustees for these purposes, and by Local Authority for Hospital and Footpath, and by Corporation for Municipal and other Buildings; Erection,

Fitting up and Use of such Buildings for Trusts and Bodies connected with Burgh; Resales, Feus and Leases of Lands not required; Levying of Rates or Assessments by Improvement Trustees and Road Trustees; Alteration of existing Rates or Assessments; Application of various Funds and Rates to Purposes of Bill; Borrowing of Money; Vesting of Streets and Bridges in Town Council, as Road Trustees, and extinction of Rights of other Bodies therein; Further Powers with respect to Streets and Buildings; Recovery of part of Cost of Making, Improving and Maintaining Bridges from Statute Labour Trustees of Renfrewshire and of Abbey Parish of Paisley; Agreements with these Trustees and with Renfrewshire Commissioners of Supply and Court House Commissioners and other Parties; Provision as to Race-Course Ground; Incorporation and Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament, in next Session, by the Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the Burgh of Paisley, (hereinafter called 'the Council'), for leave to bring in a Bill (hereinafter called 'the Bill') for the following objects, or some of them, that is to say:—

To constitute the Council, or members of the Council for the time being, Trustees for the purpose of improving the said Burgh of Paisley, (hereinafter called 'the Burgh'), and if thought expedient to constitute the said Trustees a separate Corporation for that purpose; and to empower the said Trustees (who, whether so separately incorporated or not, are hereinafter called 'the Improvement Trustees,') to make the several works hereinafter described, or some of them, or some parts thereof, and all proper conveniences in connection therewith respectively, that is to say:—

1. A new Street (marked '1' on the plans to be deposited as hereinafter mentioned, which are hereinafter called 'the Plans,') connecting High Street with the street called School Wynd, commencing on the north side of High Street, about seventy-seven yards eastward from the east building line of the street called Church Hill at its junction with High Street, and terminating on the south side of School Wynd, about ninety-seven yards westward from the west building line of Moss Street at its junction with School Wynd:
2. A new Street (marked '2' on the plans) connecting Albion Street with Caledonia Street, commencing at or near the present western end of Albion Street, and terminating on the east side of Caledonia Street, about three hundred yards northward from the north building line of Glen Street at its junction with Caledonia Street:
3. A Widening and Improvement (marked '3' on the plans) of High Street, on the north side thereof, from the said street called Church Hill, to a point about twenty-two yards westward from the west building line of Moss Street at its junction with High Street:
4. A Widening and Improvement (marked '4' on the plans) of the said street called School Wynd, on the north side thereof, from its junction with Moss Street to a point about thirty yards westward from the west building line of Moss Street at its junction with School Wynd:
5. A Widening and Improvement (marked '5' on the plans) of High Street, on the North and South sides thereof, from the open space at the Cross to the West end of the Bridge over the River White Cart called the Old Bridge:
6. A Widening and Improvement marked '6' on the plans) of the new line of street called St. Mirren's Street, on the East side thereof, from the open space at the Cross to Causey-side Street:
7. A Widening and Improvement marked ('7' on the plans) of Causeyside Street, on the North side thereof, from its junction with the new line of street called St. Mirren's Street, to its junction with the street called Water Brae:
8. A Widening and Improvement (marked '8' on the plans) of the street called Smithhills, on the South side thereof, from the East end of the said bridge called the Old Bridge, to the junction of Smithhills with the street called Abbey Close:
9. A Widening and Improvement (marked '9' on the plans) of the said street called Smithhills, on the South side thereof, from a point about nineteen yards eastward from the east building line of Abbey Close at its junction with Smithhills, to a point about fifty-eight yards eastward from the said point of commencement of such Widening and Improvement:
10. A Widening and Improvement (marked '10' on the plans) of Bridge Street, on the East side thereof, from its junction with Orchard Square to the South end of the bridge over the said River, called Abbey Bridge or Seedhills Bridge:
11. A Widening and Improvement (marked '11' on the plans) of Orchard Street, on the North side thereof, from its junction with Causeyside Street to its junction with Bridge Street and Orchard Square:
12. A Widening and Improvement (marked '12' on the plans) of New Street, on the North-east side thereof, from its junction with High Street to a point about one hundred and sixty yards south-eastward from the south building line of High Street at such junction:
13. A Widening and Improvement (marked '13' on the plans) of New Street, on the North-east side thereof, from its junction with Causeyside Street to a point about eighteen yards north-westward from the north building line of Causeyside Street at such junction:
14. A Widening and Improvement (marked '14' on the plans) of Prussia Street, on the North side thereof, from its junction with Causeyside Street to its junction with Gordon's Lane.
15. A Widening and Improvement (marked '15' on the plans) of the street called Gordon's Lane, on the North side thereof, from its junction with Orchard Street and Orchard Square to its junction with Causeyside Street:
16. A Widening and Improvement (marked '16' on the plans) of the said street called Gordon's Lane, on the South side thereof, from Causeyside Street to a point about thirty-two yards eastward from the east building line of Causeyside Street at its junction with Gordon's Lane:

17. A Widening and Improvement (marked '17' on the plans) of Causeyside Street, on the East side thereof, from its junction with Prussia Street to a point about twenty-seven yards southward from the south building line of Prussia Street at such junction :
18. A Widening and Improvement (marked '18' on the plans) of Causeyside Street, on the East side thereof, from its junction with Gordon's Lane to a point about forty yards northward from the north building line of Gordon's Lane at such junction :
19. A Widening and Improvement (marked '19' on the plans) of the street at the junction of the street called Saucel, with Orchard Square on the south side thereof :
20. A Widening and Improvement (marked '20' on the plans) of the street or road called Saucel and Lonend, on the South-west side thereof, from the south-eastern boundary of Saucel Distillery and ground attached thereto to a point about one hundred and fourteen yards south-eastward from that boundary where it abuts on the said street or road :
21. A Widening and Improvement (marked '21' on the plans) of the street called Calside, on the West side thereof, from its junction with Stirling Street to a point about sixty-four yards southward from the north building line of Stirling Street at its junction with Calside :
22. A Widening and Improvement (marked '22' on the plans) of Canal Street, on the South side thereof, from the point where the west-most approach to the Dwelling-house called Canal Bank belonging to the Misses M'Farlane joins Canal Street to the point where the east-most approach to that dwelling-house joins the said street :
23. A Widening and Improvement (marked '23' on the plans) of Canal Street, on the South side thereof, from the junction of Barr Street with Canal Street to a point about forty-seven yards eastward from the east building line of Barr Street at such junction :
24. A Widening and Improvement (marked '24' on the plans) of Well Street, on the North-east side thereof, from its junction with Wellmeadow Street to its junction with Underwood Lane :
25. A Widening and Improvement (marked '25' on the plans) of Broomlands Street, on the North side thereof, from the east boundary of the Church called Free Martyr's Church, and ground attached thereto, to the junction of Broomlands Street with Wellmeadow Street :
26. A Widening and Improvement (marked '26' on the plans) of Broomlands Street, on the South side thereof, from its junction with George Street to a point about thirty-one yards eastward from the east building line of East Lane at its junction with Broomlands Street :
27. A Widening and Improvement (marked '27' on the plans) of the street called Seedhills, on the East side thereof, at the corner of that street opposite the Seedhill Mills.

To empower the Improvement Trustees to take, acquire, and purchase, compulsorily or by agreement, the lands, houses, and other property required for and in connection with the hereinbefore described new streets and widenings and improvements of streets, and for building stances along the sides of the said new streets and widened and im-

proved streets, and also certain lands, houses, and other property adjoining thereto, within the limits delineated on the plans, or part of such lands, houses, and other property; and to stop up the old line of street called St. Mirren's Street, extending from the open space at the Cross to Causeyside Street, without substituting therefor any new street other than the new line of St. Mirren's Street already partly formed.

To empower the Council, acting as the Statute Labour Road Trustees of the Burgh (and as such hereinafter called the 'Road Trustees'), or the Improvement Trustees, to improve Causeyside Street, by raising the levels thereof from a point about seventy yards southward from the south building line of George Street at its junction with Causeyside Street, to a point about one hundred and seventy yards southward from the said point of commencement of such improvement; and in connection therewith to raise the levels of Canal Street from its junction with Causeyside Street to its junction with Wardrop Street, and to raise the levels of the street called Gordon's Lane from its junction with Causeyside Street to its junction with Prussia Street, and to raise the levels of Stow Street from its junction with Causeyside Street to a point about fifty yards westward from the west building line of Causeyside Street at its junction with Stow Street; as also to widen and raise the levels of the street called Water Brae, and the footpath adjoining thereto, and in continuation thereof southward, from the junction of Water Brae with Causeyside Street to the said bridge called Abbey Bridge or Seedhills Bridge; and to take, acquire, and purchase, compulsorily or by agreement, lands, houses, and other property, within the limits delineated on the plans, on both sides of Causeyside Street, Canal Street, Gordon's Lane, Stow Street, and Water Brae, and the said footpath, between the points hereinbefore mentioned as the points of commencement and termination of the said alterations of the said streets and footpath respectively.

To empower the Road Trustees, or the Improvement Trustees, to make the following works, or some of them, and all proper conveniences in connection therewith respectively, that is to say :—

A New Bridge over the said River White Cart, on and adjoining the site of the hereinbefore mentioned bridge called Abbey Bridge or Seedhills Bridge, with approaches thereto, commencing at or near the south end of the existing bridge, and terminating at a point about twenty yards northward from the north end of that bridge :

A New Bridge over the said river, on and adjoining the site of the bridge called Sneddon Bridge, with approaches thereto, commencing at a point about forty-six yards westward from the west end of the existing bridge, and terminating at or near the junction of the street called New Smithhills with West Croft Street :

A New Bridge over the said river, on and adjoining the site of the hereinbefore mentioned bridge called the Old Bridge, with approaches thereto, commencing at or near the west end of the existing bridge, and terminating at or near the east end thereof; or a widening and improvement of the said existing bridge :

And to take, acquire and purchase, compulsorily or by agreement, the lands, houses, and other property required for and in connection with the said new bridges and approaches, and widening and improve-

ment of an existing bridge, and adjoining thereto, within the limits delineated on the plans.

To empower the Improvement Trustees and the Road Trustees respectively, by public auction or private bargain, to re-sell, feu out, or grant leases of such portions of the lands, houses, and other property which may be acquired by them respectively as aforesaid, as may not be required or used for the purposes of the Bill, for such prices, feu-duties, ground-annuals, rents or other consideration as can be obtained for the same.

To empower the Council, acting as Commissioners of Police for the Burgh under the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, and as such, being the Local Authority for the Burgh under the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, and hereinafter called 'the Local Authority,' to take, acquire, and purchase compulsorily, or by agreement, the lands, houses, and other property hereinafter described, and to stop up the road and footpath comprehended therein, without substituting others, that is to say, the lands, houses, and other property, within the area marked 'A' on the plans, or part thereof, lying between the Paisley Infirmary and ground attached thereto on the north-west, and the ground called Bladda, belonging to the Local Authority on the south-east, including the road and footpath called Burn Row, and a part of the stream called Espedair Burn, and extending from Orchard Square, and the road or street called Saucel on the south-west, to the River White Cart on the north-east, for the purpose of erecting thereon, or on part thereof, a Hospital for infectious diseases; as also, to make a footpath, commencing at, or near, the north-eastern end of Burn Row aforesaid, and terminating by a junction with the road called Bladda Lane, at, or near the north-eastern end thereof; and to take, acquire, and purchase compulsorily, or by agreement, the lands and other property required for such footpath.

To empower the Council, acting as the Municipal Authority of the Burgh, and as such hereinafter called 'the Corporation,' to take, acquire, and purchase, compulsorily or by agreement, the lands, houses, and other property within the area marked 'B' on the plans, or part thereof, lying between High Street on the north, the River White Cart on the east, Canseyside Street on the south, and the new line of St. Mirren's Street on the west; and to stop up the old line of street called St. Mirren's Street included within the said area, without substituting therefor any new street other than the new line of St. Mirren's Street already partly formed; or to take, acquire, and purchase, compulsorily or by agreement, the lands, houses, and other property within the area marked 'C' on the plans, or part thereof, lying between High Street on the south, the River White Cart on the east, the street called Dyer's Wynd on the north, and Gilmour Street and the open space at the Cross on the west, and on the lands so acquired within the said area marked 'B,' or within the said area marked 'C,' to erect the town steeple referred to in section 63 of the Paisley Burgh and Cart Navigation Act, 1872, and to erect, fit up, and furnish court-rooms, offices, police cells, and other buildings and accommodation for the use of the Council as the Corporation, and as the Road Trustees, and as acting under the Paisley Corporation Gas Act, 1870, and as Commissioners of the Paisley Waterworks, and as Commissioners of Police of the Burgh, and as the Local Authority, and as the Improvement Trustees, and in any other capacity,

and for the use of the Trustees of the Cart Navigation, and of any other Trust or body connected with the Burgh, and of the Clerks, officers, and servants of those respective Trusts and bodies; and to charge for such use such rents or other consideration as may be agreed upon with such respective Trusts and bodies, or fixed by the Council as representing the undertakings of such Trusts and bodies respectively; and to provide that such rents or other consideration shall be paid out of the rates leviable by, and the other funds belonging to, the said Trusts and bodies respectively; as also to empower the Corporation to erect shops, warehouses, and offices on the said lands, and to let the same for such rents as can be obtained therefor.

All which new streets, bridges, approaches, and footpath, and widenings, improvements, and alterations of streets, bridge, and footpath, and other works proposed to be made, and street, road, and footpath proposed to be stopped up, and lands, houses, and other property proposed to be taken, acquired, and purchased, as aforesaid, will be, and are situate in the High Church Parish of Paisley, the Middle Church Parish of Paisley, the Low Church Parish of Paisley, and the Abbey Parish of Paisley, or in one or more of these parishes, all in the Burgh of Paisley, and County of Renfrew.

To empower the Improvement Trustees for the purpose of defraying the cost of the lands, houses, and other property which may be acquired, and of the works which may be executed by them, as aforesaid, to levy and recover Rates or Assessments from the Owners and Occupiers of the lands, houses, and other heritages, within the Parliamentary boundaries of the Burgh; and to borrow money for the purpose of defraying such cost upon the Security of such Rates or Assessments, and of the lands, houses, and other property, acquired by them.

To vest in the Road Trustees the management, regulation, control, maintenance, and repair of all the public streets, roads, and lanes (other than turnpike roads), within the Parliamentary boundaries of the Burgh, including those at present under the charge of the Statute Labour Trustees of the Abbey Parish of Paisley, and of the Feuars of the Newtown of Paisley, or their Committee of Managers, and any public streets, roads, and lanes, which may be under the charge of the Council, as Commissioners of Police of the Burgh, and those which may be hereafter formed, or altered by the Improvement Trustees, or the Road Trustees, or otherwise, or which may be hereafter declared public, and also of the three existing bridges over the River White Cart, herein-before-mentioned, and of the new bridges, and widened and improved bridge, which may be constructed under the powers of the Bill.

To empower the Road Trustees for the purpose of defraying the cost of the lands, houses, and other property which may be acquired, and of the works which may be executed by them under the powers of the Bill, and of maintaining, repairing, and managing the said several streets, roads, and lanes, and the said existing new and improved bridges, to levy and recover Rates or Assessments from the Owners and Occupiers of the lands, houses, and other heritages within the Parliamentary boundaries of the Burgh, and to alter the Rates or Assessments now leviable by the Road Trustees; as also, to borrow money, for the purpose of defraying the said cost upon the security of such new or altered Rates or Assessments; and

to provide that neither the Statute Labour Trustees of the Abbey Parish of Paisley or of the Parish of Renfrew, nor the Feuars of the Newtown of Paisley nor their Committee of Managers, shall levy any Rates or Assessments for the maintenance, repair, or management of any streets, roads, lanes, or bridges, within the said Parliamentary boundaries.

To provide that Sections 3, 4, 5, and 6 of Part IV. of the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, relating to paving and maintaining streets, naming the streets and numbering the houses, improving streets and removing obstructions, and laying out new streets, comprehending the clauses numbered 146 to 181 inclusive of that Act, shall apply to the streets, roads, lanes, and bridges, to be vested in the Road Trustees as aforesaid, subject to the provision that the expression 'the Commissioners,' when occurring in those clauses, shall be held to mean the Road Trustees, and not the Council, as Commissioners of Police of the Burgh, and subject to such other alterations as may be provided by the Bill; and also to make further provision, within the Parliamentary boundaries of the Burgh, with respect to the laying out and formation of new streets, roads, and lanes, the width, lines and levels thereof, the erection, height, and structure of buildings, the distances from the centre of existing and future streets, roads, and lanes, within which buildings may be erected, the setting back of buildings to certain distances from the centre of such streets, roads, and lanes, and the acquisition by compulsory purchase or otherwise of the ground required for these purposes; and to provide for the regulation and control of these several matters by the Road Trustees.

To empower the Road Trustees and the Improvement Trustees respectively to recover from the Statute Labour Trustees of the County of Renfrew, and from the Statute Labour Trustees of the Abbey Parish of Paisley, or from one of those bodies, a proportion of the expense incurred by the Road Trustees and the Improvement Trustees respectively in making the three new bridges hereinbefore mentioned, and in widening and improving the said existing bridge called the Old Bridge, in the event of the same being widened and improved instead of a new bridge being built in lieu thereof, and in maintaining and repairing the said existing bridges and the said proposed new bridges and widened and improved bridge.

To empower the Corporation to apply towards defraying the cost of the lands, houses, and other property to be acquired by them as aforesaid, and of the erection thereon of court rooms, offices, and other buildings and accommodation, and fitting up and furnishing the same, and of erecting shops, warehouses, and offices as aforesaid, the moneys which may be received by them from the Commissioners of Supply of the County of Renfrew, and the Commissioners acting under the Local Act 55 George III., chapter 73, intituled, 'An Act for erecting and maintaining a Bridewell, Gaol, Court-house, and public offices for the Burgh of Paisley and County of Renfrew,' and under the Local Act 58 George III., chapter 52, passed for altering and amending the last-mentioned Act, or from either of those bodies of Commissioners, in consideration of the Council vacating the premises occupied by them in the buildings erected by the last-mentioned Commissioners, and the moneys or such portion as the Corporation may think fit of the moneys which may be received by them under the powers of the

Paisley Corporation Gas Act, 1870, so far as not specially appropriated to other purposes by that Act or by the Paisley Burgh and Cart Navigation Act, 1872, and the surplus annual revenue, or such portion as the Corporation may think fit of the surplus annual revenue arising from the estates, funds, and property of the Burgh, after payment of the Annuities and Stipends charged thereon by the last-mentioned Act; and to borrow money for the purpose of defraying the said cost on the security of the moneys which may be received by them, and the surplus annual revenue arising as aforesaid, or of any part or parts thereof, or on the security of the said lands acquired by them, and the buildings thereon, or on such other security as may be available for that purpose.

To provide that the land belonging to the Corporation, known as the Race-Course, shall not be sold or feued out by them, and that the same shall be retained by them, and the income arising therefrom applied towards payment of the Annuities and Stipends charged on the estates, funds, and property of the Burgh, by the Paisley Burgh and Cart Navigation Act, 1872, until the said Annuities and Stipends are redeemed, discharged, or secured, in manner provided by that Act, and shall thereupon be laid out, and in all time thereafter used, as a Public Park for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Burgh.

To confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from the payment of the several Rates or Assessments leviable by the Improvement Trustees and the Road Trustees respectively under the powers of the Bill, and by the Council as Commissioners of Police of the Burgh, and as Trustees of Roads within the Burgh, or in any other capacity under any existing powers.

To empower the Council, the Corporation, the Commissioners of Police of the Burgh, the Local Authority, the Commissioners of the Paisley Waterworks, the Road Trustees, the Improvement Trustees, the Trustees of the Cart Navigation, the Commissioners of Supply of the County of Renfrew, the Commissioners acting under the said Acts 55 George III. chapter 73, and 58 George III. chapter 52, the Statute Labour Trustees of the County of Renfrew, the Statute Labour Trustees of the Abbey Parish of Paisley, the Statute Labour Trustees of the Parish of Renfrew, the Committee of Managers of the Feuars of the Newtown of Paisley, the respective Owners, Lessees, and Occupiers of the several lands, houses, and other property herein before authorised to be acquired, and any other Corporations, Commissioners, Trustees, Companies, and persons interested in any of the matters hereinbefore mentioned, or any two or more of such respective parties, to enter into agreements with each other, in relation to any of such matters, and to confirm any such agreements, that may have been, or may be entered into.

To vary or extinguish all existing powers, rights, and privileges, which might interfere with any of the objects of the Bill; and to confer all powers, rights, and privileges, necessary or expedient for effecting those objects or in relation thereto.

And it is intended to incorporate with the Bill the provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts Amendment Act, 1860, and the Commissioners Clauses Act, 1847, and certain of the provisions of the Railways Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845, with such amendments of the provisions of those Acts as may be considered expedient; as, also, to amend, and so far as neces-

sary to repeal certain of the powers and provisions of the following Acts or some of them, that is to say, the several Local and Public Acts hereinbefore specified; and the Local Acts hereinafter mentioned, viz. the Act 46 George III., chapter 116, intituled, 'An Act for paving, lighting, cleansing, and watching the Burgh of Paisley and suburbs thereof, for improving and forming certain streets, and erecting a Bridewell or Workhouse therein, and for regulating the police and markets;' the Act 32 George III., chapter 68, intituled 'An Act for making effectual the Statute Labour in the County of Renfrew, and for levying conversion money in lieu of labour in certain cases, and for otherwise regulating, making, and repairing high roads and bridges in the said County;' the Act 44 George III., chapter 52, intituled, 'An Act for altering, amending, and consolidating several Acts for making and repairing turnpike roads in the Counties of Renfrew, Lanark, and Ayr, repairing other roads branching therefrom, and amending an Act passed in the thirty-second year of His present Majesty for making effectual the Statute Labour in the County of Renfrew;' the Act 52 George III., chapter 55, intituled, 'An Act for enlarging the terms and powers of several Acts for making and repairing certain roads in the County of Renfrew, building a bridge or bridges at Inchinnan, and regulating the Statute Labour of the said county, and for other purposes relative thereto;' the Act 8 and 9 Vict., chapter 18, intituled, 'An Act for the better lighting of the town and suburbs of Paisley with gas,' and the two Acts therein recited; the Paisley Water Works Act, 1854, and the Act therein recited; the Paisley Water Works Act, 1866; the Paisley Water Works Act, 1876; the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, Orders Confirmation Act, 1875; and the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, Order Confirmation (Paisley) Act, 1876; and the following public Acts, viz. the Act 8 and 9 Victoria, chapter 41, intituled, 'An Act for amending the laws concerning highways, bridges, and ferries in Scotland, and the making and maintenance thereof by Statute Service and by the conversion of Statute Service into money,' and the Sheriff Court-houses Act, 1860; and any other Acts, local or public, recited in any of the aforesaid Acts, or relating to any of the undertakings, roads, matters, trusts, bodies, or persons hereinbefore mentioned.

Plans describing the lines and situation of the several works proposed to be constructed as aforesaid, and the lands, houses, and other property, which may be taken for the purposes thereof, and of the conveniences connected therewith, and for the other purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and Sections describing the levels of the said proposed works, together with a book of reference to the said plans, containing the names of the Owners or reputed Owners, Lessees or reputed Lessees, and Occupiers of such lands, houses, and other property, and copies of this notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, will, on or before the 30th day of November instant, be deposited for public inspection in the office at Paisley, of the principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Renfrew; and copies of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference as relates to the respective Parishes hereinbefore mentioned, with copies of this notice, will, on or before the said 30th day of November, be deposited for public inspection with the Session-Clerks of the said parishes respectively, at their respective residences.

Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 8th day of November 1876.

HODGE YOUNG & MARTIN,
Paisley.

GRAHAMES & WARDLAW,
30 Great George Street, Westminster.

ABERDEEN GUILDRY.

(Incorporation of Burgesses of Guild; Vesting and Management of Guildry Funds and Mortifications; Arrangements and Agreements with the Town Council of Aberdeen; Amendment of Acts; and other purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for an Act to effect the following purposes, or some of them, that is to say:

(1). To incorporate the Burgesses of Guild of the Royal Burgh and City of Aberdeen (hereinafter called the Incorporated Guild), with perpetual succession and a Common Seal, and with power to sue and to be sued, to acquire, hold, and transfer lands, houses, and other property, heritable and moveable, real and personal, and all other powers, rights, and privileges of a Corporate Body.

(2). To transfer to, and vest in the Incorporated Guild, the several Mortifications or Charitable Funds of the Guildry of Aberdeen, called the 'Guild Box,' 'Additional Fund to the Guild Box,' and 'Hospital Charge,' or 'Guild Brethren's Hospital,' or such part thereof respectively as may be provided by the Bill, and the lands and other property, heritable and moveable, real and personal, belonging to, or connected with, the said several Mortifications or Charitable Funds, and to provide that the said several Mortifications or Charitable Funds, and lands and other property, and the whole rights therewith connected, or such part thereof as aforesaid, shall be held by the Incorporated Guild for, and on behalf of, the present and future Burgesses of Guild of Aberdeen, and their Widows or Children, on the trusts, and for the uses and purposes to be specified in the said Bill.

(3). To provide for the appointment or election of a Council or Office-bearers of the Incorporated Guild for the transaction and management of the business of the Incorporation, and to authorise the said Burgesses of Guild, from time to time, to appoint or elect Members of the said Council or Office-bearers, in such manner as may be provided by the said Bill.

(4). To authorise the Incorporated Guild to receive and recover from the bodies or persons now having the possession, control, or management thereof, the whole of such Guildry Funds or Mortifications, or such part thereof respectively as may be provided by the said Bill, and all lands and other property, heritable and moveable, real and personal, belonging to or connected therewith, and to accept and take securities for all debts and monies due, and owing by, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council, of the Royal Burgh and City of Aberdeen (hereinafter called the Town Council), or any other bodies or persons to, or on account of such Funds or Mortifications, and to transact and agree with the Town Council, or such other bodies or persons, with respect to

such debts and monies; to authorise the Town Council to convey to the Incorporated Guild any lands, feu-duties, ground annuals, or ground rents, or other property, heritable or moveable, real or personal, belonging to the Town Council, so far as may be necessary for carrying into effect the purposes of the said Bill; to confer on the Incorporated Guild all necessary powers for the investment and management of the said Funds or Mortifications and property, to regulate the application, distribution, and appropriation of the said Funds, or the revenue or income arising therefrom, among the persons entitled thereto under the several Mortifications, Trust Dispositions, Orders, and Regulations, under which the same are now held, and to define and determine the qualifications and interests of the persons entitled to participate in the said funds or income, in such manner as may be provided by the said Bill; and to provide for the appointment of Clerks, Treasurers, and other officers by the Incorporated Guild, and for fixing the salaries or remuneration, and regulating the duties of such Clerks, Treasurers, or other officers.

(5). To authorise the Incorporated Guild, or the Council, or Office-bearers thereof, to fix, and from time to time to alter and regulate, the compositions or rates to be paid to the Guildry Funds, by entering Burgesses of Guild; and to modify or abolish any special benefits or advantages heretofore enjoyed with respect to such compositions or rates; and from time to time to make bye-laws, rules, and regulations for the management of the said Funds or Mortifications and Property, and all matters connected therewith.

(6). To authorise the Town Council to pay over to the Incorporated Guild, the annual income or revenue of any Funds or Mortifications or Property, heritable or moveable, real or personal, held by the Town Council, and bequeathed or destined, or which may be bequeathed or destined, for behoof of the said Burgesses of Guild, or their widows or children, or such part thereof respectively as may be provided by the said Bill, and to provide for and regulate the application, distribution, and appropriation of the said income or revenue by the Incorporated Guild in such manner as may be specified in the Bill; to confer on the Town Council and the Incorporated Guild, or the Council or Office-bearers thereof, all necessary powers for such purposes; to authorise the Town Council and the Incorporated Guild, to make and enter into agreements with respect to such Funds or Mortifications or Property, and all matters connected therewith; and to confirm any such agreements which have been, or may be made, or entered into, between the Town Council and any Committee or Members of the said Burgesses of Guild, for determining the portion of the said Mortifications or Charitable Funds of the Guildry of Aberdeen, which shall be paid over to the Town Council in settlement of all questions between the Town Council and the Guildry.

(7). To provide for and regulate Meetings for the purposes of the said Bill of the Burgesses of Guild, and of the Council or Office-bearers of the Incorporated Guild, and of the Town Council, and to confer on them respectively all such powers, rights, and privileges as may be necessary for carrying into effect the purposes and provisions of the said Bill.

(8). To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges of, or connected with, or relating to, the several Mortifications, Trusts, Funds, or Properties above mentioned, or the said Guildry, or

the Burgesses of Guild, or their Widows or Children, or the Town Council, and all other rights and privileges which would interfere with, or prevent, the execution of the several purposes of the said Bill; and to confer all powers, rights, and privileges which may be necessary for carrying the same into effect; and to make provision in the said Bill that the position of the existing annuitants upon the Guildry Funds shall be preserved intact.

(9). To alter, amend, extend, enlarge, vary, or repeal, so far as may be necessary and desirable for the purposes of the Bill, the powers and provisions of the several Acts of Parliament following—that is to say, ‘The Aberdeen Town Council Act, 1868;’ ‘The Aberdeen Municipality Extension Act, 1871;’ ‘The Aberdeen Harbour Act, 1868;’ and ‘The Aberdeen Harbour Act, 1871.’

On or before the 21st day of December next, printed copies of the intended Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 10th day of November 1876.

WILLIAM GORDON,
Town-Clerk, Aberdeen,
Solicitor for the Bill.

MARTIN & LESLIE,
27 Abingdon Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

DUNDEE GAS.

(Acquisition of Lands, Houses, and other Property, compulsorily or otherwise; Erection of New Works; Erection of Houses and other Conveniences; Additional Borrowing Powers; Rates and Charges; Repeal and Amendment of Acts; and other Powers and Purposes.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is intended to apply to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to bring in a Bill to effect the objects and purposes after-mentioned, or some of them, and to empower the Dundee Gas Commissioners (hereinafter called the Commissioners) as after-mentioned, that is to say:—

To authorise the Commissioners to hold or to enable them to take or acquire compulsorily or otherwise, and to hold as sites for Gas Holders, Gas Apparatus, Houses, and other Conveniences, All and Whole the Lands, Houses, and other Property adjacent to Mid Street and Archibald's Lane, Lochee, recently belonging to John Laird, Quarrier in Lochee, and bounded as follows, viz.:—On the East, partly by the Street or Road commonly known as or called Archibald's Lane, Lochee, and partly by the Property belonging or reputed to belong to Peter Russell; on the South, partly by Peebles' Lane, Lochee, and partly by the Lochee Burn; on the South-West, North-West, and West, partly by the Lochee Burn, partly by the Property belonging or reputed to belong to Christina Scott or Marshall, Lochee, and partly by the Property belonging or reputed to belong to George Yeaman, Wellgate, Dundee; and on the North, by a Street or Road running eastwards in continuation of Reid's Lane, Lochee, to and crossing Archibald's Lane, commonly known as or called Mid Street; which said lands, houses, and other property are situated within the United Parishes of Liff, Logie, Benvie, and Invergowrie, and in that part of said United Parishes recently designated as and now being the Parish of St.

Luke, and in the Royal Burgh of Dundee, all in the County of Forfar; and to authorise the Commissioners to demolish the Houses or any of them upon the said Lands, and to erect, use, and maintain, and store gas in and distribute gas from, Gas Holders, Gas Apparatus, Houses, and other Conveniences on the said Lands, and within the limits and boundaries hereinbefore described.

To authorise the Commissioners to demolish and remove existing Dwelling-Houses and other Conveniences on and to erect and maintain New Dwelling-Houses and other Conveniences upon the Lands at and adjacent to Broughty Ferry Road and Peep o' Day Lane, Dundee, already forming part of the undertaking of the Commissioners.

To authorise the Commissioners to purchase and hold Lands for the purposes of their undertaking in addition to the Lands, houses, and other property before-mentioned.

To make additional provisions applicable to the supply of Gas and Meters by the Commissioners, and for preventing the waste or fraudulent use of Gas and Meters.

To authorise the Commissioners to borrow additional sums of money for the purposes of 'The Dundee Gas Act, 1868,' 'The Dundee Gas Amendment Act, 1872,' and the said intended Bill upon the security of the Rates, Charges, and Revenues, and whole undertaking present and future of or leviable by the Commissioners, and if thought expedient to provide for the payment of the money already borrowed; as also to alter, suspend, or postpone the operation of the provisions contained in 'The Dundee Gas Act, 1868,' and 'The Dundee Gas Amendment Act, 1872,' regarding the Sinking Fund thereby provided, and to make other provisions regarding a Sinking Fund or otherwise.

To confer upon the Commissioners such other and additional rights, powers, and privileges, and to make such other provisions as the Bill may prescribe, for the better carrying out of the purposes and objects of the undertaking of the Commissioners, and of 'The Dundee Gas Act, 1868,' and 'The Dundee Gas Amendment Act, 1872,' and the said Bill.

To vary, amend, extend, alter, or repeal 'The Dundee Gas Act, 1868,' and 'The Dundee Gas Amendment Act, 1872,' or one or other of these Acts, or some parts of the same, or of one or other of them, and in particular to alter, amend, vary, and enlarge the provisions of the said Acts as to estimates, charges, rates, and revenues, and the application thereof; and to authorise the Commissioners to alter existing charges, rates, and revenues, and to make and levy new, additional, increased, and other rates and charges, or otherwise, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

To incorporate 'The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847,' and 'The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1871,' or one of them, or some parts or portions of both or either of them.

To vary, amend, alter, or repeal the following Acts (local and personal), or some of them, or some parts or portions thereof, viz.:—Acts relating to the Roads formerly Statute Labour Roads in the County of Forfar, viz. 29 Geo. III., cap. 20; 50 Geo. III., cap. 120; and 'The Forfarshire Roads Act, 1874;' Acts relating to the Turnpike Roads in the County of Forfar, viz. 1 and 2 Wm. IV., cap. 61, and the said 'The Forfarshire Roads Act, 1874;' Acts relating to the Burgh of Dundee and the Roads and Streets therein, viz. 51 Geo. III., cap. 15; 6 Geo. IV., cap. 183; 7 Wm. IV., cap.

59; 30 and 31 Vict., cap. 79; 28 Vict., cap. 60; and the Public Acts, 13 and 14 Vict., cap. 33; and 19 and 20 Vict., cap. 103; and 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 41; and 1 and 2 Wm. IV., cap. 43; and also 'The Dundee Water Act, 1869;' 'The Dundee Water Extension Act, 1871;' 'The Dundee Water Amendment Act, 1872;' 'The Dundee Water (Additional Powers) Act, 1874;' and 'The Dundee Police and Improvement Act, 1871.'

Plans and Duplicates thereof, describing the foresaid lands, houses, and other property which will or may be held, taken, or acquired as aforesaid, with a Book of Reference thereto, containing the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and occupiers of such lands, houses, and other property, and a copy of this notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette, will, on or before the Thirtieth Day of November 1876, be deposited for public inspection in the Offices at Dundee and Forfar respectively of the Principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Forfar, and also with the Session-Clerks respectively of the said United Parishes of Liff, Logie, Benvie, and Invergowrie, and of the said Parish of St. Luke, at their Residences respectively, and with the Town-Clerk of the Royal Burgh of Dundee, at his Office in Dundee.

Printed copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, on or before the 21st day of December 1876.

Dated at Dundee, this fourteenth day of November 1876.

PATTULLO & THORNTON,
Dundee,
Solicitors for the Bill.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON,
45 Parliament Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agent.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

GENERAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

(Additional Capital; Amendment of Act.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Steam Navigation Company intend to apply to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to bring in a Bill to amend some of the powers and provisions of The General Steam Navigation Company Act, 1874, and to enable the Company to raise additional Capital by shares or stock, and by borrowing; such new shares or stock to be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preference or priority of dividend and other advantages as the Bill may define or Parliament prescribe.

Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st December next.

Dated this 17th day of November 1876.

MARESCO PEARCE,
Abchurch Chambers,
Abchurch-yard, E.C.,
Solicitor.

DYSON & CO.,
24 Parliament Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1877.]

LAW LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Amendment of the Society's Deed of Settlement and Act of 1863; Further Provision as to Investment of Funds and Monies of the Society.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to bring in a Bill to alter, amend, extend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of the Deed of Settlement, made on the establishment of the Law Life Assurance Society, bearing date the 22d day of March 1824, and of the Law Life Assurance Society's Act, 1863; and to make further and other provision with respect to the investment of the funds and monies for the time being of the said Society, including all or any part of their Proprietors' Guarantee Fund and Assurance Fund respectively; and to repeal or modify all or any restrictions upon the investments of such funds and monies, contained in the said Deed of Settlement and Act, or either of them; to vary or extinguish any rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects of the Bill, and to confer other rights and privileges.

Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 18th day of November 1876.

JOHN S. BOCKETT,
60 Lincoln's Inn Fields,
Solicitor for the Bill.

J. C. REES,
13 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the RICCARTON MUNIFICENT FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 25, Ayrshire, held at Riccarton, in the County of Ayr, is Dissolved by Instrument, registered at this Office the 17th day of November 1876, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such Dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

ARCH. ANDERSON,
Assistant-Registrar of Friendly Societies
for Scotland.

43 New Register House, Edinburgh,
the 17th day of November 1876.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS ON

The Trust Estate of PETER M'KAY, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, Parkfoot, Dennyloanhead.

INTIMATION is hereby given that a Dividend will be paid here, on and after 5th December next, to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and admitted.

ALEX. C. RUTHERFORD, Trustee.

145 Queen Street, Glasgow,
20th November 1876.

INTIMATION is hereby made that a Petition has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session, as Commissioners for Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds (Mr. Logan, Clerk), at the instance of the REV. JAMES STEWART, Minister of the Parish of Peterhead, in the Presbytery of Deer and County of Aberdeen, under and in virtue of the Glebe Lands (Scotland) Act, 1866, 29 and 30 Vic. c. 71, for authority to Feu the Glebe of said Parish; on which Petition the said Lords have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'*Edinburgh, 13th November 1876—Act. Robertson.*—The Lords having considered the Petition with the preliminary intimations and certificates thereof, in terms of the Statute 29th and 30th Vic. c. 71, appoint further Intimation to be made in terms of the prayer of the Petition, as amended, the local intimations being inserted in the Peterhead Sentinel and East Aberdeenshire Observer Newspaper; grant Warrant for service so far as necessary, and ordain any parties Respondents to lodge answers to said Petition, if so advised, within ten days after date of service.

(Signed) 'JOHN INGLIS.'

Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the said Interlocutor.

KEEGAN & WELSH, S.S.C., Agents.

29 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
17th November 1876.

ARTHUR THOMSON, Confectioner, Murraygate, Dundee, having, on November 1876, granted a Trust Deed in favour of Daniel M'Intyre, Accountant, 9 Ward Road, Dundee, for behoof of his Creditors, all those having claims against Mr. Thomson are requested to lodge the same, duly vouched, with the Trustee, within one month from this date.

D. M'INTYRE, Trustee.

Dundee, 18th November 1876.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JOHN HOPWOOD GIBSON, residing in Broughty Ferry, sometime carrying on business in Dundee as a Flax Merchant under the Firm of JOHN H. GIBSON & COMPANY, of which Firm he was the sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Forfarshire, John Hopwood Gibson, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Dundee, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

JOHN H. GIBSON.

Dundee, 18th November 1876.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of WILLIAM DALGLISH & SON, Steam Power Loom Manufacturers in Rutherglen, and David Dalglish, Steam Power Loom Manufacturer there, the sole Individual Partner of said Company.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, David Dalglish, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Senior Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of the Estates of the foresaid William Dalglish & Son, and David Dalglish, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, all in terms of the Statutes.

GEORGE B. YOUNG,

Agent for the said David Dalglish.

Glasgow, 20th November 1876.

THE Estates of JOHN DUNCAN, Wholesale Ale and Porter Dealer or Bottler, Church Street, Tranent, in the Parish of Tranent and County of Haddington, were Sequestrated on the 17th day of November 1876, by the Sheriff-Substitute for the County of Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated the 17th day of November 1876.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 29th day of November current, 1876, within the Sheriff Court Room, County Buildings, Haddington.

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 17th day of March 1877.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt has been granted to the Bankrupt, until the Meeting for the election of a Trustee.

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

J. & J. STOBIE, Solicitors, Haddington,
Agents.

THE Estates of THOMAS BUCHANAN YUILL, Watchmaker and Jeweller, No. 13 Main Street, Gorbals, Glasgow, and Town Buildings, Pollokshaws, near Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 17th day of November 1876, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 17th November 1876.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 30th day of November 1876, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, 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 17th March 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, until the said Meeting.

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

ANGUS CAMPBELL,
109 West George Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of THOMAS HOPE, Contractor, No. 14 Railway Arches, Kelvinhaugh, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 20th November 1876, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 20th November 1876.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 30th day of November 1876, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, 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 20th March 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, until the said Meeting.

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

ANGUS CAMPBELL,
109 West George Street, Glasgow, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN NELSON, Baker and Grocer in Ullapool and Gairloch.

ALLEXANDER ARCHIBALD TENNENT, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Archibald Houston, Provision Merchant, Glasgow, James Marshall, Flour Miller, Glasgow, and John Tod, Mavisbank, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Galbraith, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 29th day of November current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No. 30 John Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 8th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. A. TENNENT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 18th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES MUNRO, Merchant, Portessie, in the County of Banff.

PETER ESSLEMONT, Warehouseman, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Rhind and Robert Whyte Mackay, both Warehousemen, Aberdeen, and George Will, Merchant, Cullen, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Aberdeen, on Tuesday the 28th day of November current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. J. & G. Collie, Advocates, Union Street, Aberdeen, on the 6th day of December 1876, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

P. ESSLEMONT.

Aberdeen, 18th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of STEWART CRUDEN, Joiner and Cabinetmaker, Lochee, Dundee.

WILLIAM STIVEN, Accountant, Dundee, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Robertson, Wood Merchant, Broughty Ferry, David Gellatly, Lathsplitter, Dundee, and Robert Murray, Glazier, Overgate, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, on Tuesday the 28th day of November 1876, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Royal Hotel in Dundee, on Friday the 8th day of December 1876, at twelve o'clock noon.

WM. STIVEN, Trustee.

Dundee, 20th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of HENRY MILL, Wood Merchant, Old Victoria Foundry, Leith Walk, Edinburgh.

DAVID KINNEAR, Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and James Lamont, Writer, Edinburgh, and William Aitchison, Writer, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 30th day of November, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of William Officer, S.S.C., 13 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 7th day of December, at two o'clock afternoon; at which Meeting an offer of Composition made by the Bankrupt will be submitted to the Creditors.

DAVID KINNEAR, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS HAMILTON WILSON, Lime Merchant in Glasgow and Greenock, sometime carrying on business as a Sugar Merchant in Greenock under the Name or Style of T. H. WILSON & COMPANY, of which he was sole Partner.

JOHN GOURLAY, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Neil Robson, Coal and Lime Merchant, Glasgow, William Sim, Contractor, Glasgow, and John Steel Wylie, Cabinetmaker, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Murray, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 29th day of November current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Office of the Trustee, No. 128 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 8th day of December 1876, at twelve o'clock noon.

BALFOUR & PATERSON, Writers, Glasgow,
Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of JOSEPH ROBERTSON M'ALL, residing at No. 9 Lutton Place, Edinburgh.

AS Trustees on the above Sequestrated Estate, I hereby call a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held here, on Monday, 29th current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering and disposing of any business that may be brought before the Meeting; also to elect a new Commissioner in room of Mr. Duncan M'Laren, Ironmonger, Edinburgh, resigned; and to receive the Trustee's resignation.

GEORGE PEARSON, Trustee.

74 George Street, Edinburgh,
20th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of Miss BATHIA LEITH SHAND, sometime residing at 25 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, thereafter at 65 Castle Street, Edinburgh, daughter of the late Alexander Shand, Advocate in Aberdeen.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts to 3d instant have been audited by the Commissioners. A Meeting of Creditors will be held in his Chambers, 9 North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 14th December next, at two o'clock P.M., to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of Miss ISABELLA SHAND, sometime residing at 25 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, thereafter at 65 Castle Street, Edinburgh, daughter of the late Alexander Shand, Advocate in Aberdeen.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts to 3d instant have been audited by the Commissioners. A Meeting of Creditors will be held in his Chambers, 9 North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 14th December next, at two o'clock P.M., to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of ARCHIBALD ROY, Calenderer and Packer, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Office of Thomson, Johnston, & Jackson, Accountants, 70 George Square, Glasgow, on Friday the 15th day of December 1876, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made to the Court for his discharge as Trustee, and to resolve thereanent.

JAMES THOMSON, Trustee.

70 George Square, Glasgow,
18th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of SIR WILLIAM COOTE SETON of Pitmedden, in the Parish of Udney and County of Aberdeen, Baronet, residing sometime at Portobello, now in Edinburgh.

JAMES HALDANE, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Estate of the said Sir William Coote Seton, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Chambers, No. 24 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 29th November current, at twelve o'clock noon, to take into consideration an offer of Composition to be made by the said Sir William Coote Seton.

JAMES HALDANE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 20th November 1876.

JOHN JAMES MOIR, Iron Merchant, No. 85 Grassmarket, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestered Estates of JOHN ALEXANDER MILLAR, Boat Builder in Cellardyke, in the Parish of Kilrenny, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors, held upon the 6th day of November current, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of Three Shillings per pound, payable one month after the date of his discharge, with security; that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; that the same has been since assented to in writing by all the Creditors who have produced oaths; and Notice is hereby given that the said offer and security will be finally decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the George Hotel, Kirkcaldy, upon Wednesday the 29th November current, at three o'clock afternoon.

JOHN JAS. MOIR, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 18th November 1876.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of M'KELLAR, DUNCAN, & COMPANY,** Warehousemen in Glasgow, as a Company, and Daniel M'Kellar and Andrew Duncan, both Warehousemen there, the Individual Partners of the said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

WALTER GALBRAITH, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that an equalizing and also a fourth Dividend will be paid, within his Chambers, No. 91 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 6th day of January 1877.

WALTER GALBRAITH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th November 1876.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS JOHNSTON,** Builder, Northbank Cottage, near Bathgate, in the County of Linlithgow.

ALEXANDER CUMMING RUTHERFORD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first Dividend will be paid, within his Counting House, 145 Queen Street, Glasgow, on and after Friday the 8th day of December next.

ALEX. C. RUTHERFORD, Trustee.

Glasgow, 21st November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN AUGUSTUS BURGE, Chemist and Druggist in Greenock.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to 6th November 1876, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that on and after Monday the 8th January 1877, a third and final Dividend will be paid, at his Office here, to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted.

JOHN WILSON, C.A., Trustee.

59 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
20th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT ROBERTSON, Merchant in Glasgow.

THE Trustee's accounts, brought down to the 4th instant, have been audited and approved by the Commissioners, who have declared a first and final Dividend, which will be paid at his Counting House, 83 West Regent Street here, on 5th January next, to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted.

JNO. MANN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th November 1876.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM WATT, Farmer, Lochmalony, in the County of Fife, and residing at Perth Road, Dundee.

CHARLES WELCH, Solicitor, Cupar, Trustee on this Estate, hereby intimates that his accounts of intromissions, brought down to 1st November 1876, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period.

C. WELCH, Trustee.

Cupar, 4th November 1876.

A DEED of Arrangement having been produced in the Sequestration of DONALDSON & DAVIDSON, Provision Merchants, 6 John's Lane, Leith, as a Firm, and David Donaldson and William Davidson, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington, his Lordship has, of this date, 21st November 1876, ordered intimation thereof to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and also to be made to the Creditors on the Estates, requiring all parties having interest to appear within ten days from the date of such publication or posting, to show cause why said Deed should not be approved of, and the Sequestration declared at an end.

THOMAS DOWIE, S.S.C., Agent.

JOHN FRASER, Blacksmith, residing at No. 509 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, and presently a Debtor in the Civil Prison of Glasgow, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, craving Interim Liberation and Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to attend within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 22d day of December next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

WM. PATERSON, Writer,
71 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, Agent.

JOHN MILLIGAN, Mate of the Barque 'Elizabeth Taylor,' presently Prisoner in Glasgow Prison, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all Creditors are required to appear in the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. J. M. Lees), County Buildings, Glasgow, on 26th December 1876, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

THOS. ARNOT, Writer, Agent.
40 West Nile Street, Glasgow,
18th November 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Company carrying on business in Glasgow as Accountants, House Factors, and Insurance Agents, under the Firm of NORRIE & ANDERSON, and whereof the Subscribers were the only Partners, has this day been DISSOLVED of mutual consent.

Glasgow, 7th October 1876.

ROB. M. NORRIE.
ROBERT ANDERSON.

JAMES ROBERTON, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.
HUGH LENNOX, Law-Clerk, 176 St.
Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

INTIMATION is hereby given that the Firm of J. & G. CURRIE, Hosiery, Hillside, Selkirk, has been this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent; and the Business will now be carried on by John Currie in his own name. In witness hereof,—

JOHN CURRIE.

GEORGE CURRIE.

JAMES MATHISON, Witness.
THOMAS KENNEDY SCOTT, Witness.

Notice is also given that all debts due by the Firm will be paid by John Currie, and all debts due to the Firm will be payable to him.

Hillside, Selkirk, 20th November 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Concern of J. & D. CUNNINGHAM, Soap Powder Manufacturers, Govan Street, Glasgow, consisting of the Subscribers, has been DISSOLVED by the joint consent of the Partners; and the Subscriber James M. Cunningham is authorized to collect all debts due to the Company, and will pay all due by it.

Glasgow, 8th November 1876.

DAVID S. CUNNINGHAM.
J. M. CUNNINGHAM.

J. B. SMITH, Law-Clerk, Glasgow,
Witness.
JOHN LITHGOW, Law-Clerk, Glas-
gow, Witness.

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

Published at the EXCHEQUER CHAMBERS, Parliament Square, Edinburgh.

Printed by MURRAY & GIBB, Printers to Her Majesty's Stationery Office, No. 11 Queen Street.

** * This Gazette is filed at the Offices of the London and Dublin Gazettes.*

Tuesday, November 21, 1876.

Price One Shilling and Sixpence.

Missing Page

This page has been determined to be missing from the bound volume.

Missing Page

This page has been determined to be missing from the bound volume.