- Thomas Gresham, of 24 Basinghall Street, London, solicitor.
- James Merchant and James Smith Merchant, of the Hop and Malt Exchange, Borough, Surrey, stock and share dealers and merchants.
- Abraham Solomons, of 3 Marmer's Parade, and 101 Park Lane, both in Liverpool, Lancaster, clothier and outfitter.
- Thomas Geldart and John Bamber, both of 9 and 11 Oriel Street, Liverpool, Lancaster, lard and oil refiners and soft soap manufacturers, trading in business there under the style of Geldart, Bamber, & Co.
- Ralph Winward, of 1 Stevenson Square, Manchester, Lancaster, hotel keeper.
- James Parkinson Cardwell, of Church Street, Altrincham, Chester, builder and contractor.
- Herbert Bing Hall, of Rose Cottage, Petersham, Surrey, Queen's messenger.
- Edwin Thomas Hosier, of Lozells Road, Aston, near Birmingham, Warwick, baker.
- Edward Darby, of 26 Cheapside, Leeds, York, butcher and cattle dealer.
- Richard Parkinson, of Prospect Cottage, Ley Lane, Armley, near Leeds, York, clerk to a woollen manufacturer.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Dame KATHARINE HAWKINS DEMPSTER METCALFE of Dunnichen, wife of Sir Theophilus John Dempster Metcalfe of Dunnichen, Bart., C.B., Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estates of DUNNICHTON OF DUNNICHEN and AUCH-TERFORFAR, and Others, all situated in the County of Forfar, has, with the special advice and consent of her said husband, presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts Eleventh and Twelfth Victoria, chapter Thirty-six, Sixteenth and Seventeenth Victoria, chapter Ninety-four, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Victoria, chapter Eighty-four, and Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth Victoria, chapter Sixty-one, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to charge the said Entailed Lands and Estates with the sum of £1500. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, Sixteenth day of December One thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

> MACKENZIE & KERMACK, Agents of the Petitioner.

9 Hill Street, Edinburgh, 28th December 1876.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Lieutenant-Colonel ALEXANDER CUMMING DEWAR of Vogrie, Heir of Entail in possession of the Lands and Estate of VogRIE and Others, in the County of Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington, for authority to Feu to the Rev. Alexander Gillon Macalpine, Free Church Minister, Gorebridge, and others, as Trustees for the Congregation of the Body of Christians called the Free Church of Scotland, at present worshipping in Gorebridge, and their successors in office, a Piece of Ground extending to one rood and eleven poles or thereby, at present forming part of the Lands of Towerdean, on the said Estate of Vogrie, and bounded and described as mentioned in the Petition, to be held by them, as Trustees of the same, as a Site for a Manse or Dwelling House and Garden attached thereto, to be occupied by the Minister for the time being of the said Congregation. Date of Interlocutor ordering Intimation, twenty-first December Eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

CHARLES P. FINLAY, Agent of the Petitioner.

18 Young Street, Edinburgh, 28th December 1876. To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased JOHN SHAND, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh.

J OHN BROWN DOUGLAS, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, having been appointed by the Court of Session Judicial Factor on the Estate of the said deceased John Shand, under the Act 19 and 20 Vict. cap. 79, sect. 164, requires all the lawful Creditors of the said John Shand, and other persons interested in his Estate, to lodge with the Judicial Factor, within four months after the date of this Notice, a statement of their claims as Creditors of the deceased or as otherwise interested in his Estate, with such vouchers or other written evidence as they may have to found upon in support of their claims, in order to the same being considered and reported upon by the Judicial Factor.

> J. B. DOUGLAS, W.S., 45 Frederick Street, Edinburgh.

28th December 1876.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased CARL DIETRICH JULIUS SEITZ, sometime residing at 14 Mayfield Street, Edinburgh, and latterly at Funchal, Madeira.

**F**RED. W. CARTER, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Judical Factor on the Estate of the said deceased Carl Dietrich Julius Seitz, hereby intimates that he has prepared and lodged in Court (Second Division,— Mr. Melville, Clerk), a State of Funds and Scheme of Division of the said Estate, to be considered and approved of by the Court, of which all concerned are hereby required to take notice.

FRED. W. CARTER.

Edinburgh, 21st December 1876.

## NOTICE.

In the Matter of the RANGOON OIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

## IN LIQUIDATION.

A LL Persons having claims against this Company prior to 30th September last, are required to lodge the same, duly authenticated, in the hands of the Subscribers, the Law Agents of the Company, within thirty days from this date.

DICK & STEVENSON,

176 West George Street, Glasgow.

27th December 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been presented to the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn (acting in Banffshire), by Johu Grant, Auctioneer, Grantown, to be decerned Executor-dative qua Creditor of the Late CHARLES GORDON, Farmer, St. Bridget, near Tomintoul, in the Parish of Kirkmichael and County of Banff, who died at St. Bridget aforesaid on or about the 1st day of September 1875.

GARDEN M. HOSSACK, Solicitor, Banff, Agent.

Banff, 27th December 1876.

I HUGH DUNCAN, Yarn Merchant and Bleacher, , Leslie, hereby intimate that JOHN HARVEY, Manufacturer, Falkland, sole, Partner of the Firm of JOHN HARVEY & COMPANY, Manufacturers there, for himself individually and as representing said Firm, has granted a Trust Disposition for behoof of his Creditors in my favour.

Creditors who wish to participate must lodge claims with me within one month from this date.

H. DUNCAN, Trustee.

Leslie, Fife, 28th December 1876.