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TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1877.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 13th day of August 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has, under the provisions of 'The Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855,' made a Representation stating that he has received a copy of an Interlocutor pronounced by the Sheriff-Substitute of Perthshire, finding proved certain of the allegations contained in a Petition of two members of the Parochial Board of the Parish of Blairgowrie, viz., that the Burial Ground of that Parish is offensive and contrary to decency :

And whereas in the Representation it is recommended that burials should be forthwith discontinued in the said Burial Ground, subject to the exceptions in the 'Joint Minute' of the Petitioners and Objectors accompanying the Sheriff-Substitute's Interlocutor, viz. :

1. There shall be reserved a right for interment in the said Burial Ground to all persons (and the descendants of such persons) who have at the date at which any Order in Council for the discontinuance of interments shall come into force one or more of the following relatives already interred in the said Burial Ground, viz., A parent, grandparent, spouse, child, brother, or sister; also the Minister of the Parish and his successors in office and their families. This reservation to be modified in the case of the burying place enclosed by the Rosemount family to the effect of allowing the interment therein

- of the nephews of the late Robert Geekie of Rosemount and their descendants.
2. Such interments shall be made, in the case of the Ministers and their families, only in that portion of the Burial Ground which has hitherto been recognised as the Ministers burying ground or in unoccupied ground; and in the case of others, only in the lair or lairs in which one or more of the above-mentioned relatives of the deceased have already been interred, or in unoccupied ground; and in no case shall any interference be made with lairs pertaining by allocation, custom, or occupancy to other parties, although such parties may not be resident in the parish.
3. No interment shall be made in any part of the Burial Ground unless the coffin can be laid at a depth of four feet from the surface of the ground to the upper side of the coffin, and that without the exposure of another coffin.

Now therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased to give Notice of such Representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the first day of October next.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order, or notice thereof, be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and that copies of this Order, or notice thereof, be affixed as required by the above-mentioned Act, on the doors of the Church of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parish affected by such Representation, one month before such Representation is so considered.

C. L. PEEL.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, August 14, 1877.

This day the oath of office of First Lord of the Admiralty was taken by the Right Honourable William Henry Smith.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, August 15, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing Charles John Herries, Esq., C.B., Algernon Edward West, and Alfred Montgomery, Esquires, Major the Honourable Charles James Keith-Falconer, and Walter Stafford Northcote, Esq., to be Commissioners of Inland Revenue.

Her Majesty has been further pleased to appoint Charles John Herries, Esq., C.B., to be Chairman, and Algernon Edward West, Esq., to be Deputy-Chairman of the Board.

FOREIGN OFFICE, April 1, 1877.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Marcus Octavius Flowers, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Nagasaki, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Hiogo and at Osaka.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint James Troup, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Neegata, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Nagasaki.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Hiram Shaw Wilkinson, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Neegata.

DOWNING STREET, August 14, 1877.

Lieutenant Montague Frederick Ommanney, of the Corps of Royal Engineers, has been appointed Crown Agent for the Colonies, in conjunction with Sir Penrose Goodchild Julian, K.C.M.G., C.B., and William Charles Sargeant, Esq., C.M.G. The appointment to date from the 1st January 1877.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

August 16, 1877.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that at the recent Open Competition for Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service, held under the Regulations of the 22d May 1876, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 19th June 1877, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first forty-six places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Thomas Edward Kennedy	London
2	Arthur Walton . . .	London
3	Herbert Lancaster Tigar .	London
4	James Joseph Moore .	Dublin
5	William Charles Wright .	London
6	Richmond Breay Apperson	London
7	Arthur Joseph Wall .	London
8	William John French Apted	London
9	Charles Frederick Clarke .	London

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
10	William Frank George Roberts	London
11	Albert Thomas Machen .	London
12	Walter Mark William Edward John Hand	London
13	William Bedford Lewis .	London
14	Charles Jonathan Huddart	London
15	Richard James Moloney .	Dublin
16	Percival Raymond Cock .	London
17	James Chesterton Hanley	London
18	Charles Glenelg Macpherson	London
19	John Andrew Edwards .	London
20	Percy Taylor . . .	London
21	Lawrence Ennis . . .	Dublin
22	George Shepherd . . .	Edinburgh
23	Edward Albert Shaughnessy	London
24	Lavinio Setacci . . .	London
25	William Wotton . . .	London
26	William Herbert Sharland	London
27	William Henry Barrett .	London
28	John James Black Mason	Dublin
29	Charles H Gumm .	London
30	Hugh Fitzpatrick . . .	Dublin
31	Gustavus Adolphus Allin	London
32	William George Charles Reed	London
33	William Onyon . . .	London
34	Edward Icelly Tarn . . .	London
35	Leonard Lewis . . .	London
36	William Henry Evans . .	London
37	William Robert Foster .	Edinburgh
38	Archibald Millar . . .	London
39	Ambrose Booth . . .	London
40	George James Townsend	London
41	Patrick Murray . . .	Dublin
42	William David Barber . .	London
43	Edward Burton . . .	London
44	Charles George Gilbert .	London
45	Frederick James Bankart	London
46	John Thomas Maxwell .	Edinburgh

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

Reverend Charles Turner, of Moreton Morrell, Warwick, clerk, residing at Leamington, Warwick.

Henry Franks, of the White Hart Hotel, Todmorden, Lancaster, innkeeper.

William Waples Leete, of 232 Oxford Street, Manchester, Lancaster, chemist and druggist.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Alfred Baker, of the Customs House, Thames Street, London.

Frederick Johnson, of 24 and 25 Saint George's Street East, Middlesex, outfitter and lodging-house keeper.

Jacob Fabrice, of 11 the Crescent, Minories, London, semolina merchant.

William George Blackley, of 264 Clapham Road, Surrey, confectioner and biscuit baker.

George Beckett, of 157 Strand, Middlesex, auctioneer.

Thomas Gregory, of Redhill, Surrey, outfitter.
 Isabella Botten, of Trosley, Kent, baker.
 Thomas Levi Wells, of 33 Cobden Road, 6 Park Crescent Place, and Saint George's Mews, all in Brighton, Sussex, builder and contractor.
 Ephraim Harrison, of Moss Brow Farm, Pownall Fee, Morley, Wilmslow, Chester, farmer.
 Michael William Henry, of Bradford, York, travelling draper.
 William Smyth, of Tiverton, Devon, butcher.
 John Bolds Boon, of Mill Street, Kingsbridge, Devon, coach proprietor.
 Frederick Cash and John Davis, of 88 Cheapside, Birmingham, Warwick, umbrella furniture manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Cash & Davis.

NORTHERN COUNTIES FIRE OFFICE.
 IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Northern Counties Fire Office will be held in the Station Hotel, Inverness, on Thursday the 27th day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon, when, in terms of the Act 25 and 26 Vict., cap. 89, section 142, the final accounts of the Liquidator will be submitted, and such resolutions proposed as may be necessary for closing the Liquidation of the Company.

JOS. ROBERTSON, Liquidator.

Hope House, Tynemouth,
 16th August 1877.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT BELL STEWART, Bedding Manufacturer, Candlemaker Row, Edinburgh.

A DEED of Arrangement having been produced, the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington this day has appointed intimation of the production thereof in the Edinburgh Gazette and by circular to Creditors who have not concurred in the said Deed, requiring them and all parties having interest to appear within ten days, to show cause why the said Deed of Arrangement should not be approved.

R. B. STEWART.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been presented to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington at Edinburgh, by Messrs. Dalgairns & Company, Wine Merchants in Dundee, praying to be decerned Executors-Dative *qua* Creditors to the Deceased DAVID M'DONALD, Grocer and Spirit Merchant, No. 46 Abbeyhill, Edinburgh, who died at No. 45 Alva Place there, on or about the 20th day of November 1876.

LEBURN & HENDERSON,
 Agents for Petitioners.

4 York Place, Edinburgh,
 21st August 1877.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of ALFRED ERNEST BOND, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, Murraygate, Dundee.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Forfarshire, Alfred Ernest Bond, 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.

WM. M'DONALD, Solicitor, Dundee,
 Petitioner's Agent.

Dundee, 20th August 1877.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE MELLIS RITCHIE, formerly Ale and Porter Merchant, Broughton Street Lane, Edinburgh, and now residing at Leith Walk, Leith.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Midlothian and Haddington, George Mellis Ritchie, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

GEO. M. RITCHIE.

Leith, 20th August 1877.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased MRS. ELIZA SMITH or MITCHELL, widow, of the Aden Arms Hotel, Old Deer, Aberdeenshire.

A PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session (Second Division,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), by The Glendronach Distillery Company, Glendronach, Huntly, and James Simpson, Banff Distillery, Banff, Creditors to the amount required, the said deceased having left no settlement appointing Trustees or other parties having power to manage her Estate, praying under the Act 19 and 20 Vict. cap. 79, section 164, for the appointment of a Judicial Factor upon said Estate; and which Petition will be again moved in Court on or after the 6th day of September 1877.—Of all which Notice is hereby given.

RENTON & GRAY, S.S.C., Agents.

26 George Street, Edinburgh,
 21st August 1877.

JOHN MILLER, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of DANIEL FERGUSON, Paper Maker, Westfield Paper Mill, Torphichen, in the County of Linlithgow, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, for the period ending 30th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period.

JNO. MILLER, C.A., Trustee.

71 Queen Street, Glasgow,
 20th August 1877.

LOUSON WALKER, Accountant in Greenock, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ANDREW & WILLIAM LYMBURN, Merchants in Greenock, as a Company, and of Andrew Lymburn, Merchant there, as only surviving Partner thereof, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 5th current, has been examined by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

LOUSON WALKER, Trustee.

18 Cathcart Street, Greenock,
 17th August 1877.

LOUSON WALKER, Accountant in Greenock, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the Company carrying on business as Merchants in Greenock under the Firm of ANDREW LYMBURN & COMPANY, and in Saint John, New Brunswick, under the Firm of JAMES ROBERTSON & CO., being one and the same Concern, and of Andrew Lymburn, a Partner of said Concern, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 5th current, has been examined by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

LOUSON WALKER, Trustee.

18 Cathcart Street, Greenock,
 17th August 1877.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ending Saturday the 4th day of August 1877.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland.....	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	220577	474617	695194	381789	70243	452033
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	254355	477828	732183	542841	66664	609505
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	167189	380616	547805	163288	35776	199064
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	233451	552395	785846	495658	57389	553047
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	194465	426573	621038	366244	32937	399181
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	250596	519691	770287	391961	70571	462532
Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company.....	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company	Aberdeen	70133	98283	117642	215926	166507	14537	181044
North of Scotland Banking Company.....	North of Scotland Banking Company.....	Aberdeen	154319	164012	176363	340376	213062	13821	226883
Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	194707	350736	545443	293177	44473	337650
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank.....	Glasgow	72921	217261	414981	632242	571526	31440	602966
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company.....	Inverness	53434	43605	83867	127472	77054	8858	85912

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of _____), have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 16th day of August 1877.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

THE Estates of ROBERT HASTINGS, lately residing at Longmyre, and now Ploughman at Riddings, in the Parish of Morton, were Sequestrated on the 16th day of August 1877, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Dumfries.

The first Deliverance is dated 16th August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 29th day of August 1877, within the Buccleuch and Queensberry Arms Hotel, Thornhill.

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 16th day of December next (1877).

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said Robert Hastings, till the first Meeting of Creditors.

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

ALEX. JARDINE, Solicitor, Thornhill,
Agent.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER LOWSON, sometime Coal Merchant, now residing in Forfar, were Sequestrated on the 16th day of August 1877, by the Sheriff of Forfarshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 16th August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 28th day of August 1877, within the County and Commercial Hotel, Forfar.

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 16th December 1877.

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

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

J. C. ANDERSON, Solicitor, Forfar,
Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN STEWART, Glass Stainer, 75 East Howard Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 17th day of August 1877, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 17th day of August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 31st day of August 1877, 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 day of December 1877.

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

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

MACPHERSON & STRATHERN, Writers,
65 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of WYLIE & ANDREW, Merchants and Timber Importers, 27 Oswald Street, Glasgow, and Andrew Finlay Wylie and William Andrew, Merchants and Timber Importers there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on 17th August 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 17th day of August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 31st day of August 1877, 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 day of December 1877.

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

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

NELSON BIRD, Agent,
175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

THE Estates of WILLIAM FLEMING, Wright in Rutherglen, were Sequestrated on the 17th day of August 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 17th day of August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 30th day of August 1877, 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 day of December next.

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

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

GEO. GRAY & THRESHIE, Writers,
72 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of STUART CRANSTON, Tea Salesman in Glasgow, carrying on business in Glasgow under the Style or Firm of STUART CRANSTON & COMPANY, Tea Salesmen there, of which he is sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 18th day of August 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 18th day of August 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 28th day of August 1877, 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 18th December 1877.

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

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

SIMPSON, KIRK, & DONALDSON, Writers,
156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Agents.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting at Nairn, at the instance of the Caledonian Banking Company, incorporated under Act of Parliament, for Sequestration of the Estates of WILLIAM HOWARD HARRIS, Wood Merchant and Farmer, residing in Nairn, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said William Howard Harris to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

DICK & RUSSELL, Solicitors, Nairn,
Agents.

Nairn, 17th August 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has, on the 17th day of August 1877, on considering a Petition by James Young, Slater, 100 West Graham Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of MESSRS. A. J. MARK & COMPANY, Joiners and Builders, 702 Garscube Road, Glasgow, and Alexander Jessemine Mark, residing in 529 New City Road, Glasgow, and Robert Borland, residing at 515 New City Road there, the Individual Partners of said Company, granted Warrant for citing the said Company and Individual Partners to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of their Estates should not be awarded.

J. M. MACQUEEN, S.S.C., Agent.

108 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of HOWELL & STRACHAN, Music Sellers, Glasgow, and William Bruce Howell and Robert Strachan, both Music Sellers there, the Individual Members of that Company.

DAVID SIMPSON CARSON, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Duncan Cameron, Stationer, Glasgow, David Swan, Music Seller there, and Archibald Cuninghame Wilson, Writer there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place in Mr. Sheriff Murray's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Friday the 31st of August next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 161 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 10th day of September 1877.

D. S. CARSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES IMRIE, Contractor, 201 Pollokshaws Road, Glasgow.

DAVID RATTRAY, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Stark, Farmer and Horse Dealer, New Farm, Mid-Caldar, John Duff, Saddler, Glasgow, and William Miller, one of the Individual Partners of J. & W. Miller, Warehousemen, 40 High Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place upon Tuesday the 28th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Paisley. The Creditors will meet within the Trustee's Chambers, No. 54 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday, 5th September 1877, at twelve noon.

At a Meeting of the Creditors on said Estate, held on 6th August 1877, an offer of Composition of Five Shillings per pound on all debts due by the said James Imrie at the date of his Sequestration, payable ten days after the date of his discharge, was made and entertained; and it will be decided upon at the said Meeting, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers on the 5th day of September 1877.

J. & A. KELMAN, Writers, Glasgow,
Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of OGLE & MURRAY, Booksellers, carrying on business at No. 49 South Bridge, Edinburgh, and Thomas Murray, Bookseller there, and residing in Edinburgh, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and James Macdonald, Solicitor Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, James Thin, Bookseller, South Bridge, Edinburgh, and Andrew Elliot, Bookseller, Princes Street, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt, the said Thomas Murray, will take place within the Bankruptcy Court Room, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 3d day of September 1877, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 13th day of September 1877, at two o'clock afternoon.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 21st August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN LITSTER, Victual Dealer, No. 6 Grassmarket, Edinburgh.

SAMUEL KELLY ORR, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Herdman and John Hay, both Millers in Edinburgh, and Robert Lawson, Grain Merchant in Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 30th day of August current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Trustee's Chambers, 31 Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 12th day of September next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

SAMUEL K. ORR, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 21st August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of DENIS LUNDIE, Auctioneer and General Merchant, Borrowstounness, in the County of Linlithgow.

DAVID RATTRAY, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Gray Wilkinson, Cabinetmaker and Upholsterer, Jamaica Street, Glasgow, Robert Breechin, Timber Merchant, Borrowstounness, and James Taylor, Junior, 61 to 65 Mitchell Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within Mr. Sheriff Murray's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 28th day of August current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Rattray Brothers & Smith, Accountants, 54 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 5th day of September 1877, at twelve o'clock noon.

DAVID RATTRAY, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of FREDERICK HELVISH, Portmanteau Maker, 142 Trongate, Glasgow.

ALEXANDER HUTCHISON SMITH, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Anderson, Leather Merchant in Glasgow, Robert Simpson, Junior, Warehouseman, Glasgow, and John Cree, Junior, Wholesale Stationer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within Sheriff Guthrie's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Thursday the 30th day of August 1877, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Counting House of Rattray Brothers & Smith, Accountants, 54 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 7th day of September 1877, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. H. SMITH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of NEIL BELL, Flesher and Cowfeeder, Greendyke Street, Glasgow.

ROBERT REID, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and George M'Kenzie, Coal Master, Glasgow, Alexander Archibald Tennent, Accountant, Glasgow, and John Laing, Farmer, Mollinsby, Airdrie, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Glasgow (Sheriff Murray's Chambers), on Thursday the 30th day of August next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Reid & Mair, Chartered Accountants, 40 Saint Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Monday the 10th day of September next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

ROBERT REID, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE SMITH, lately carrying on business as a Manufacturer at 99 West Scotland Street, Glasgow, presently residing at 30 Houston Street, Glasgow.

ALEXANDER MURRAY, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David W. Torrance, Manufacturer, Glasgow, James Hamilton, Coal Master, Glasgow, and John Richmond, Butcher, Morrison Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within Mr. Sheriff Murray's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Monday the 27th day of August current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Carswell & Murray, Accountants, 79 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 4th day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. MURRAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, 17th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE DRYDEN, sometime Innkeeper in Innerleithen, now residing in Selkirk.

RICHARD LEES, Solicitor, Galashiels, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the said George Dryden, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Fleece Hotel, Selkirk, on Wednesday the 5th day of September next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider an application by the Trustee for his discharge.

RICHARD LEES, Trustee.

Galashiels, 11th August 1877.

HUGH M'GREGOR, Confectioner in Dumfries, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of EDWARD ADAMSON AITKEN, Grocer in Dumfries, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held in the Chambers of James H. M'Gowan, Solicitor, 77 Irish Street, Dumfries, on Thursday the 13th day of September 1877, at two o'clock, to consider as to an application for his discharge.

HUGH M'GREGOR, Trustee.

Dumfries, 20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of HUGH CAMERON & SON, Dyers, Ann Street and Bell Street, Bridgeton, Glasgow, and John Cameron, Dyer there, the only Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Carswell & Murray, Accountants, 79 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 17th day of September 1877, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by him to the Court for his discharge.

ALEX. MURRAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, 21st August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of ISAAC WILSON MORROW, Wine and Spirit Merchant, 142 Paisley Road, Glasgow.

JAMES SDEUARD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the above Estate, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, 133 West George Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 12th day of September 1877, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made by him as Trustee for his discharge.

JAMES SDEUARD, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of HENRY RUSSELL, Bottler, Bonhill, Dumbartonshire.

JAMES SDEUARD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the above Estate, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, 133 West George Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 12th day of September 1877, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made by him as Trustee for his discharge.

JAMES SDEUARD, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

THOMAS ALEXANDER THOMSON, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM BAIN, Sewing Machine Maker, Union Place, Edinburgh, hereby intimates that at a Meeting of the Creditors, held on the 20th day of August instant, the Bankrupt offered to his Creditors a Composition of One Shilling per pound on the whole debts, with security for payment of the same; which offer and security were entertained for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that said offer will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of the Trustee, No. 3 Pitt Street, Edinburgh, upon Friday the 14th day of September next, at one o'clock afternoon.

THOS. A. THOMSON, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 21st August 1877.

JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE WYLLIE, Warehouseman, 8 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, trading there under the Name or Firm of WYLLIE & COMPANY, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Thomas J. Smillie, Writer, 175 West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 28th current, at twelve o'clock noon, to take into consideration an offer of Composition made by the Bankrupt.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT LOW, Draper, 71 Murraygate, Dundee.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that on and after Friday the 5th day of October 1877, within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, there will be paid (1) an equalizing Dividend to a Creditor who did not participate in the former Dividend, and whose claim has now been lodged and admitted, and (2) a second and final Dividend to the whole Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
18th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of LEWIS T. MERROW & CO., 65 Great Clyde Street, Glasgow, late Managers of the State Line Steam Ship Company, Limited, Glasgow, and Lewis Thorpe Merrow and James Bickers, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals.

JAMES HUTTON, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Estates, hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions with the Estates, brought down to 5th instant, have been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that a final Dividend from the Estate of the Company will be paid within the Chambers of M'Farlane & Hutton, 179 West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday 9th October, or any Friday or Tuesday thereafter.

JAMES HUTTON, C.A., Trustee.

179 West George Street, Glasgow,
18th August 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER & BAIRD, Silk and Cotton Handkerchief Manufacturers and Printers, 88 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, and 30 Milk Street, Cheapside, London, as a Company, and James Alexander, Junior, and Alexander Baird, both Silk and Cotton Handkerchief Manufacturers and Printers there, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 29th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed declaration of a Dividend, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors.

JNO. GOURLAY, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 17th August 1877.

FREDERICK WALTER CARTER, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of ANDERSON & WALLACE, Merchants, 27 Quality Street, Leith, as a Company, and of Andrew Paterson Wallace and John Sloan Blair, both Merchants there, the Individual Partners of said Company, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 6th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a second Dividend from the Company Estate, and a first and final Dividend from Andrew Paterson Wallace's Personal Estate, will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, and that those Creditors who did not participate in the first Dividend will receive an equalizing Dividend, at his Chambers here, on the 8th day of October next.

FRED. W. CARTER, C.A.

5 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
21st August 1877.

NOTICE.

Greenock, 27th March 1874.

THE Company carrying on business in Greenock under the Firm of J. & W. ANDREW & COMPANY as Engineers, Blacksmiths, and Ironmongers, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

CRAUFORD & FULTON.
WM. M'CLURE.
THOMAS M'CLELLAND.

JAS. NEIL, Witness.
GEO. W. GILCHRIST, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on under the Firm of P. GORDON & COMPANY as Commission Agents and Ship Stores Dealers at No. 12 Robertson Street, Glasgow, has been DISSOLVED of this date, by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

Mr. Gordon will continue the Business under the same name, and will discharge the debts due by, and receive payment of the debts due to, the Firm.
Glasgow, 31st July 1877.

P. GORDON.

WM. D. FIRTH of No. 175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness to the Signature of the said Peter Gordon.

JOHN ADAM, of No. 145 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness to the Signature of Peter Gordon.

JOSEPH HENDERSON.

JONTHN. ANDERSON, of No. 175 West George Street, Glasgow, Writer, Witness to the Signature of Joseph Henderson.

DAVID GRAY, of No. 175 West George Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness to the Signature of Joseph Henderson.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of JAMIESON, CLARK, & COMPANY, Builders, Leith and Edinburgh, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of this date, by mutual consent, the Subscriber Robert Jamieson having retired from the Business.

The other Partner William Clark will continue to carry on the said Business on his own account, under the said Firm of JAMIESON, CLARK, & COMPANY, and he is authorized to receive payment of all debts due to, and to pay all debts due by, the said Firm.

ROBR. JAMIESON.

W. D. YOUNG, Clerk, 4 North St. David Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

DONALD MACPHERSON, Solicitor, 4 North St. David Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

WILLIAM CLARK.

WM. H. SMYTH, Clerk, 4A North St. David Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

DONALD MACPHERSON, Solicitor, 4 North St. David Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

Edinburgh, 18th August 1877.

THE Company which carried on Business as Manufacturers and Salesmen of Ladies' Linen Collars, Cuffs, Skirts, &c., at 14 Alston Street, Glasgow, under the Name or Firm of CROSBIE, CAMPBELL, & COMPANY, and of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED as on the 30th April 1877, by mutual consent.

The Business of the late Company has been carried on since that date by the Subscribers James Crosbie and

Alexander Campbell, on their own account, under the old Name or Firm, and will be continued by them on their own account under that Firm; and they will collect the debts due to, and discharge all the liabilities of, the dissolved Company.

HUGH CHALMERS.

W. R. BUCHAN, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

WM. ROBINSON, Law-Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to Mr. Chalmers' Signature.

JAMES CROSBIE.

ALEXANDER CAMPBELL.

JAS. COLQUHOUN, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

W. R. BUCHAN, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Messrs. Crosbie and Campbell.

JAMES PRENTICE, Contractor, residing at 24 Ponton Street, Edinburgh, in the County of Midlothian, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington, for Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to attend within the Bankruptcy Court Room, George IV. Buildings, Edinburgh, upon Monday, 24th September 1877, at one o'clock afternoon, when he will appear for Examination. Interim Protection has been granted.

JAMES PRENTICE, Petitioner.

24 Ponton Street, Edinburgh,
21st August 1877.

MURRAY STEVEN, sometime Grocer, Kincardine-on-Forth, and presently Prisoner in the Prison of Dunblane, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Perth, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Dunblane, on Monday the 1st day of October next, 1877, at eleven o'clock a.m., when he will appear for Examination.

MUIRHEAD & ARCHIBALD, Solicitors,
Stirling, Agents.

20 Port Street, Stirling,
20th August 1877.

DAVID M'NEILL, Hair Dresser, now or lately No. 268 Dumbarton Road, Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Spens, within the County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 25th day of September 1877, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

T. C. YOUNG, Writer, Glasgow,
Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, 16th August 1877.

JOHAN MUNRO, Coal Agent, 440 Duke Street, Glasgow, has applied to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are required to attend within the Sheriff Court House, Glasgow, on the 25th day of September next, at 10.30 o'clock, when the Petitioner will appear for Examination.

JOHN T. FRASER, 124 Bothwell Street,
Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, 20th August 1877.

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

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