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DOWNING STREET, December 5, 1877.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Roger Tuckfield Goldsworthy, Esq., C.M.G., Colonial Secretary of Western Australia, to be the Senior Member of the Legislative Council of that Colony.

WHITEHALL, December 6, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Henry Tarlton, M.A., to the Rectory of Southam, in the County of Warwick and Diocese of Worcester, void by the resignation of the Reverend Mayow Wynnell Mayow, M.A., the last Incumbent.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 4th instant.]

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Ainslie Douglas Ainslie, Esq., being appointed Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen. Dated 17th November 1877.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

Thomas Philp, of 37 Aldermanbury, London, late of 67A Basinghall Street, London, merchant.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Robert Dance, of Natal, South Africa, and Mark Ewen's public house, corner of Basinghall Street and London Wall, London, woollen merchant, trading as Dance & Knell.

Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths, of 15 King Street, Cheapside, London, trading there under the style or firm of Griffiths Brothers & Company, merchants and commission agents, formerly carrying on business at the same place, under the style or firm of Griffiths & Griffiths, as accountants.

Henry Freeman, late of 255 Portobello Road, Notting Hill, Middlesex, butcher.

Arthur James Brunning and Charles Abraham Brunning, of Great Yarmouth and Kirby Cane, Norfolk, nurserymen, florists, and seed merchants, trading as Isaac Brunning & Company.

Frederick Day Latham, of Dunstable, Bedford, late coal merchant, but now out of business.

Thomas Worrall and Ralph Worrall, both of Congleton, Chester, silk throwsters, carrying on business under the style or firm of T. & R. Worrall.

William Russel, of Zetland Street, Southport, Lancaster, builder.

Edward Hulme, of 12 Brownlow Hill, Liverpool, Lancaster, licensed victualler.

William Lowery, late of 73 Palmerston Street, Leicester, grocer and beerseller, but now of Richmond Road, Aylestone Park, Leicester, out of business.

Joseph Clark, of Sweet Street, Holbeck, Leeds, York, grocer.

William Gudgeon, of Baildon, Otley, York, cabinet-maker.

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 24th day of November 1877.

1006 THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, DECEMBER 11, 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	264837	519969	784806	500588	75662	576250
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	296715	519809	816524	648672	74650	723322
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	198457	417353	615810	205294	51775	257070
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	275227	612980	888207	572267	47531	619798
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	214003	470291	684295	438498	41166	479665
Union Bank of Scotland.....	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	299915	577924	877839	497421	59731	557152
Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company.....	{ Aberdeen Town and County Banking } Company	Aberdeen	70133	114707	138573	253281	194702	17588	212291
North of Scotland Banking Company.....	North of Scotland Banking Company.....	Aberdeen	154319	191117	204636	395754	259239	11863	271103
Clydesdale Banking Company.....	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	223771	383768	607539	355396	63606	419002
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank.....	Glasgow	72921	256196	437291	693487	639508	32140	671648
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	47695	90482	138177	92840	6065	98905

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 6th day of December 1877.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

INTIMATION is hereby given that ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL CAMPBELL, Esquire of Blythswood, in the Counties of Lanark and Renfrew, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estates of BLYTHSWOOD, in the said Counties of Lanark and Renfrew, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 1685, chapter 22, and 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to the Keeper of the Register of Tailzies to record in said Register, a Disposition and Deed of Entail, dated 29th and 30th June, and 20th July 1877, executed by John Forbes Walker Drummond, sometime Writer to the Signet, thereafter of Belchester, Coldstream, and now of No. 10 Cornwall Gardens, London, Barrington Bulkley Douglas Campbell, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel in Her Majesty's Scots Fusilier Guards, then residing at No. 3 Dean Street, Park Lane, London, and now at No. 3 Manchester Square, London, Archibald Campbell Douglas of Mains, in the Counties of Dumbarton and Stirling, and Robert King, Merchant in Glasgow, the Trustees, original and assumed, acting under an Act of Parliament passed in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 10, entitled 'An Act for authorizing a new Entail to be made of those parts of the Lands and Estate of Blythswood, which lie in the County of Lanark, and for enabling Archibald Campbell, Esquire of Blythswood, the Heir in possession of the said Estate, and his successors, with consent of Trustees, to sell or grant Feus of certain parts thereof, and for other purposes therein expressed;' with consent and approbation of the Petitioner, in favour of the Petitioner, and the other Heirs of Entail appointed to succeed to him in the Lands and Estate of Blythswood, in terms of the destination contained in the Deed of Entail executed, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of Parliament, by the deceased Archibald Campbell of Blythswood, with consent therein mentioned, dated 20th and 22d November 1844, and recorded in the Register of Tailzies the 17th day of December same year,—of All and Whole the Lands of North Bar or House of Hill, and the Lands of Ladyacre, Ferrycroft, and others, lying in the Parishes of Renfrew and Inchinnan and County of Renfrew, and of several Parcels or Pieces of Land lying within the Burgh and County of Renfrew. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 6th day of December 1877.

WILLIAM J. EASTON, L.A.,
Agent of the Petitioner.

26 Stafford Street, Edinburgh,
7th December 1877.

INTIMATION is hereby given that ROBERT CHRISTIE, Esquire of Durie, Proprietor of the Entailed Lands of DURIE, Parishes of Scoonie, in the Kennoway, and Markinch, and County of Fife, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the said County, in terms of the Act 3d and 4th Victoria, cap. 48, for authority to feu to Trustees for behoof of the Episcopal Congregation in Leven, a portion of the said Entailed Lands, situated on the north side of the Town of Leven, in the said Parish of Scoonie, as a site for an Episcopal Church or Place of Public Worship and a Parsonage or Dwelling-house and Garden for the Minister or Incumbent of said Church; and that the Sheriff-Substitute has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'Cupar, 8th November 1877.—The Sheriff-Substitute having considered the foregoing Petition, appoints Intimation thereof to be made to the Heir of Entail next in order of succession within the United Kingdom, or if out of

'the United Kingdom then to the Factor or Agent of such next heir, if of lawful age, and if in pupillarity or minority, or under mental or other legal disability, then to the Tutors or Curators or other legal guardians of such heir; and also appoints Notice to be given in usual form of the presentation of the Petition and of this Deliverance in the Edinburgh Gazette and in the Fifeshire Journal Newspaper, three times at intervals of fourteen days. (Signed) 'A. BEATSON BELL.'

JAS. H. SMITH, Writer, Leven,
Agent for the Petitioner.

Leven, 10th November 1877.

INTIMATION is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), by DAVID BURNETT, sometime Tailor in Brechin, now residing in Coupur-Angus, sole surviving Trustee of the LICENSED EPISCOPAL CONGREGATION, BRECHIN, and Disponee in Trust under Disposition by John Smith, of the Navy, sometime residing in Brechin, and others, as Trustees, in favour of the said David Burnett and others, Trustees for said Congregation, dated 2d, 6th, 7th, and 12th November 1829, and sole Reverser in Trust under Contract of Wadset and Disposition in security between the said David Burnett and others, Trustees foresaid, on the one part, and William Ferrier, residing in Brechin, and others, Trustees for behoof of the Relief Congregation in Brechin, on the other part, dated 17th, and registered in the Burgh Court Books of Brechin 19th June 1830, with consent and concurrence of the parties mentioned in said Petition, praying that John Burnett, Baker in Coupur-Angus, may be appointed Judicial Factor under the said Disposition and the said Contract of Wadset and Disposition in security; upon which Petition the following Interlocutor has been pronounced:—'6th December 1877. —Lord Adam—Act. M'Laren.—Appoints this Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form, and to be publicly advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette; further, grants Warrant for serving the same with a copy of this Deliverance upon William Sievwright mentioned in the Prayer of the Petition, and ordains him to lodge Answers thereto, if so advised, within eight days after service. One word delete. (Signed) JAMES ADAM.'

Of all which Intimation is hereby given accordingly.

T. J. GORDON, W.S.,
Agent for Petitioner.

3 Queen Street, Edinburgh,
11th December 1877.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF
JOHN WATT, Farmer, Newton of Auchterhouse, near Dundee.

Application for Bankrupt's Discharge.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Watt, Farmer, Newton of Auchterhouse, near Dundee, whose Estates were Sequestered by the Sheriff of Forfarshire on 6th November 1866, has presented a Petition to the said Sheriff of Forfarshire (at Dundee), as on the expiration of two years from the date of the Deliverance actually awarding Sequestration, without any consents of Creditors, praying to be discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates; and that the Sheriff-Substitute has pronounced thereon the following Deliverance:—'Dundee, 7th December 1877.—The Sheriff-Substitute appoints the foregoing Petition to be intimated to each Creditor, and in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Statute.

(Signed) 'JOHN CHEYNE.'

Of all which Intimation is hereby made accordingly.

BRAND & DAVIDSON, Solicitors, Kirriemuir,
Agents for the said John Watt.

Kirriemuir, 10th December 1877.

Queen's and Lord Treasurer's
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,
Edinburgh, 8th December 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that Elizabeth Low, residing in Helen Street, Arbroath, has applied to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for a Gift of the Estate of MARY HARRISON, Teacher, Inverkeillor, in the County of Forfar, deceased, which has fallen to Her Majesty as *ultima hæres*.

In the Matter of the voluntarily winding up of the
BRONGRONWY SLATE COMPANY (LIMITED),
under the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, held at Glasgow on the 27th day of November 1877, John MacCallum, Accountant in Glasgow, was appointed Liquidator of the Company. And Notice is also hereby given that the Creditors of the Company are required, on or before the 11th day of January 1878, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to the said Liquidator, at the Company's Office, No. 132 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

JOHN MARSHALL, Writer, Glasgow,
Agent of the Liquidator.

Dated this 8th day of December 1877.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased DAVID HOPE SOMERVILLE, Doctor of Medicine, who resided at No. 18 Hamilton Drive, Glasgow.

JAMES MUIR, C.A., Glasgow, Judicial Factor upon the Estate of the deceased David Hope Somerville, hereby intimates that he has prepared and lodged in Court (First 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.

JAMES MUIR, Judicial Factor.

149 West George Street, Glasgow,
10th December 1877.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

NOTICE.

THE ALLOA GAS COMPANY being about to be DISSOLVED, in terms of 'The Burghs' Gas Supply (Scotland) Act, 1876,' all parties having claims against the Company are requested to lodge the same with the Subscriber within one month from this date.

JAMES MOIR, Writer, Alloa,
Clerk to the Company.

20 Bank Street, Alloa,
7th December 1877.

By virtue of an Order, dated at Edinburgh the 10th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Midlothian and Haddington, JAMES TURNER, sometime Stoneware Manufacturer, Newbigging Pottery, near Musselburgh, now residing in Leith, 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.

BOYD, MACDONALD, & Co., S.S.C.,
Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT GRAHAM, Flesher in Cupar-Fife.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the declaration of a Dividend has been postponed till the recurrence of another statutory period.

DAVID WHYTE, Trustee.

Kirkcaldy, 10th December 1877.

THE Estates of JOHN CROCKET, Boot and Shoe Maker in Elgin, were Sequestrated on the 7th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Elginshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 7th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 18th day of December 1877, within the Gordon Arms Hotel, Elgin.

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 7th day of April 1878.

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.

JOHN CRUICKSHANK, Solicitor,
114 High Street, Elgin, Agent.

THE Estates of GEORGE STIRLING, Farmer, residing at Morhambank, in the County of Haddington, were Sequestrated on 8th December 1877, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Wednesday, 19th December 1877, within Messrs. Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of April 1878.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington; and a Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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W. G. ROY, S.S.C., Agent,
56 George Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of LEWIS PAUL, Blacksmith at Rothiemay, in the Parish of Rothiemay and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 8th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the County of Banff.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 22nd day of December 1877, within the Gordon Arms Hotel at Keith.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of April 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

JOHN FRASER, Solicitor, Keith,
Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM RITCHIE SAMPSON, Grocer, Byars Road, Partick, were Sequestrated on 8th December 1877, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 18th December current, 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 8th day of April 1878.

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.

NEILSON BIRD,
- 175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN LOCKE, Grocer, No. 435 Garscube Road, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 8th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 20th day of December 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 8th April 1878.

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.

WM. COCHRAN, Writer,
68 Bath Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN WRIGHT, Joiner and Builder, South Norton Place, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 8th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 20th day of December 1877, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of April 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

D. HOWARD SMITH, Solicitor,
36 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN COCKBURN, Grocer, Earl Grey Street, Edinburgh, and residing at Jordan Bank there, were Sequestrated on the 8th day of December 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 19th day of December 1877, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of April 1878.

A Warrant of Personal Protection, until the first Meeting of Creditors, has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

GEO. M. WOOD, S.S.C.,
53 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN KEENAN, Seedsman and Fruiterer in Greenock, were Sequestrated on the 8th December 1877, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

The first Deliverance is dated 8th December 1877.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 20th day of December 1877, within the White Hart Hotel in Greenock.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of April 1878.

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

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

STEWART NEILL, Writer,
2 Argyle Street, Greenock, Agent.

NOTICE.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Fifeshire, at the instance of Henry Gibson, Wood Merchant, St. Andrews, for Sequestration of the Estates of CHARLES CROLL, Cooper, St. Andrews, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Charles Croll to appear in Court at Cupar, on the 18th instant, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. RITCHIE WELCH, Solicitor, St. Andrews,
Agent.

St. Andrews, 7th December 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MACGREGOR,
Auctioneer and Restaurant Keeper in Stirling.

WILLIAM BRYSON ROBERTSON, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Gillespie, Grocer, Stirling, William Steven, Merchant, Leith, and David Whitelaw, one of the Partners of the Firm of William Whitelaw & Son, Brewers, Musselburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Stirling, on Thursday the 20th day of December 1877, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 53 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 31st day of December 1877, at two o'clock P.M.

W. B. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HARCUMB, Bower, residing at Kirkmabreck, in the Parish of Stoneykirk and County of Wigtown.

JAMES HAMILTON, Merchant, Stranraer, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James M'Adam, Farmer, Culhorn Parks, John Couston, Draper, Stranraer, and James Andrew Whyte, Farmer, Kirkmabreck, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Wigtown, on Tuesday the 18th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the George Hotel, Stranraer, on Friday the 28th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES HAMILTON, Trustee.

Stranraer, 8th December 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES WOTHERSPOON,
Cabinetmaker, Paisley.

JOHN WILSON, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Cumming, Wholesale Cabinetmaker and Upholsterer, Glasgow, John Porteous, Cabinetmaker, Paisley, and Thomas Copland, Hair Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Paisley, on Tuesday the 18th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Office, No. 59 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 26th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN WILSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN FINLAYSON, Brick-maker, Oakley Brick Works, near Dunfermline.

JONATHAN HOWELL, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the said Sequestrated Estates, hereby intimates that at an adjourned Meeting of Creditors, held upon the 4th day of December 1877, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of One Shilling per pound, payable three months after his final discharge, with security; and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Writing Chambers of James Wilson, Solicitor, Wilson's Buildings, Falkirk, upon Thursday the 27th day of December current, at two o'clock afternoon.

JONATHAN HOWELL, Trustee.

Glasgow, 7th December 1877.

JOHAN HENDERSON FERGUSON, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of SHORT & STEWART, Manufacturers and Merchants in Glasgow, and Thomas Short and David Stewart, both Manufacturers and Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors held upon the 8th day of December last, the Bankrupt David Stewart offered a Composition of Six Shillings per pound on all debts due by the Firm of Short & Stewart as at the date of the Sequestration of their Estates, payable by equal instalments at four, eight, and twelve months from the date of his final discharge, and a Composition of One Penny per pound on all debts due him, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the said Firm, payable one month after his discharge as aforesaid, with security; that the Bankrupt Thomas Short offered to the Creditors a Composition of One Penny per pound on all debts due by him, as an Individual, and as a Partner of the said Firm, payable one month after his final discharge, with security; and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offers and securities for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that said offers and securities will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of John Miller & James H. Ferguson, Accountants, 71 Queen Street, Glasgow, upon Monday the 31st day of December 1877, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JAS. H. FERGUSON, Trustee.

71 Queen Street, Glasgow,
10th December 1877.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON, Iron Merchant, Dundee, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of MORTON, WYLD, & CO., Shipbuilders in Dumbarton, as a Company, and John Morton and John Paton Wyld, both Shipbuilders there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of J. M. & J. H. Robertson, Writers, 44 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 20th day of December 1877, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of electing two Commissioners, in the room of John Yule, Engineer, Glasgow, now deceased, and David George Hoy, sometime Accountant in Glasgow, who has resigned.

WM. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

Dundee, 10th December 1877.

SEUQUESTRATION of W. & M. DAWSON, Brewers and Maltsters, Anderston Brewery, Bishop Street, Glasgow, as a Company, and William Dawson, Brewer and Maltster there, one of the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors in this Sequestration, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Carswell & Murray, Accountants, 79 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 20th December 1877, at two o'clock afternoon, to take into consideration an offer of Composition to be made by the said William Dawson, and also to consider as to the renewal of the Personal Protection of the Bankrupts.

ALEX. MURRAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

SEUQUESTRATION of DUNCAN WILKIE, Ship Chandler, Harbour Place, Ardrossan.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Reid & Mair, C.A., 40 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Thursday the 3d day of January 1878, at twelve o'clock noon, to take into consideration an application to be made by the Trustee for his discharge.

ROBERT REID, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

THOMAS DAVIDSON, Solicitor, Cupar, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM WHYTE, Merchant, Cash Feus, Strathmiglo, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Writing Chambers of Messrs. Harrow & Johnston, Solicitors, Kirkealdy, on Saturday, 5th January 1878, at three o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made by him for his discharge as Trustee.

T. DAVIDSON, Trustee.

Cupar, 10th December 1877.

SEUQUESTRATION of PETER WEBSTER, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, Primrose Place, Leith.

THE Trustee hereby calls a Meeting of Creditors, in Whitfield Hall, Leith Walk, Leith, on Wednesday, 19th December 1877, at three o'clock afternoon, to consider as to selling the outstanding debts.

JAMES B. LAMB, Trustee.

JOHAN MACKENZIE, residing at Portmore, Tobermory, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN CAMERON, Innkeeper and Merchant, Lochaline, in the Parish of Morven and County of Argyll, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, brought down to the last statutory period, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at the Dwelling House of the Trustee, on the 21st day of January next, 1878.

JOHN MACKENZIE, Trustee.

Tobermory, 5th December 1877.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DUNNETT, BROWN, & COMPANY, Merchants and Manufacturers in Glasgow, and of Matthew Dunnett, Merchant and Manufacturer in Glasgow, sole Partner thereof.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that an equalizing Dividend of One Shilling and Fourpence per pound will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted but who did not participate in the previous divisions; and that a third and final Dividend of One Farthing per pound will be paid to all those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Chambers of Messrs. Auld & Guild, Accountants, 65 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 25th day of January 1878.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

SEUQUESTRATION of RODERICK LINDSAY, Merchant, Dornoch.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, brought down to the 24th ultimo, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by him, within his Chambers, No. 2B St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on the 24th day of January 1878.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 10th December 1877.

JOHAN MILLER, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM HUNTER, Junior, Omnibus and Carriage Proprietor, Cossack Inn, Saint Andrew Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates that a final and equalizing Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, within the Chambers of John Miller & James H. Ferguson, Accountants, 71 Queen Street, Glasgow, on the 25th day of January 1878.

JNO. MILLER, C.A., Trustee.

71 Queen Street, Glasgow,
6th December 1877.

ANDREW SIMPSON M'CLELLAND, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of MACFADYEN & COMPANY, Shipbuilders, Port-Glasgow, and of Archibald Macfadyen, David M'Culloch, and John Polonis, all Shipbuilders there, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 25th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that an equalizing and a final Dividend will be paid to the Creditors, within the Chambers of M'Clelland, Mackinnon, & Blyth, Accountants, 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on and after Saturday the 26th day of January 1878.

ANDREW S. M'CLELLAND, Trustee.

Glasgow, 7th December 1877.

ROBERT BLYTH, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JOHN M'KIE, Junior, & COMPANY, Merchants in Glasgow, and John M'Kie, Junior, Merchant there, and David Campbell Paton, Merchant there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ROBERT BLYTH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

SEQUESTRATION of DONALD BOYD, residing at Noblehill, in the Parish and County of Dumfries.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 27th November last, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period.

T. B. DICK, Trustee.

Barncaillie Hall, Dalbeattie,
11th December 1877.

JOSIAH LIVINGSTON, Merchant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES KIRK, Builder in Edinburgh, sometime Wholesale and Retail Grocer, Wine and Spirit Merchant in Edinburgh, thereafter Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, Oxford Street, London, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 25th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have resolved that the declaration of a Dividend should be postponed until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with circulars being sent to the Creditors.

JOSIAH LIVINGSTON, Trustee.

7 Roxburgh Place, Edinburgh,
11th December 1877.

JAMES ANDERSON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES NISBET, Slater, Hamilton, hereby intimates that his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 17th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES ANDERSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th December 1877.

GEORGE JAMES ALEXANDER KIDD, formerly Merchant, now Clerk in Dundee, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar, for Interim Protection and for Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, on the 12th day of January next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

SHIELD & KYD, Solicitors, Dundee,
Agents.

Dundee, 8th December 1877.

HUGH M'TAVISH, lately Flesher in Lochgilphead, and now residing at No. 19 Nicholson Street, Greenock, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street (West), Greenock, on Friday the 11th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

W. G. HUME-GUNION, Procurator for Petitioner.

8 Hamilton Street, Greenock,
10th December 1877.

NOTICE.

JAMES SUTHERLAND, Cooper in Pulteneytown, presently a Prisoner for Civil Debt in the Prison of Wick, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland, for the benefit of the Process of Cessio Bonorum, and for Liberation and Interim Protection; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the ordinary Court House at Wick, upon the 15th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

M. M'LENNAN, Solicitor,
Petitioner's Agent.

Wick, 8th December 1877.

CHARLES SMITH, Paper Box Manufacturer, Ann Street, Glasgow, sole Partner of the Firm of CHARLES SMITH & COMPANY, Paper Box Manufacturers there, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark, for his Liberation and Interim Protection against the Execution of Diligence, and for the benefit of the Process of Cessio Bonorum. The Sheriff-Substitute, Lees, has pronounced an Interlocutor, of date 8th December 1877, requiring all the Creditors of the said Charles Smith to appear in Court, within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 11th day of January 1878, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when the public Examination of the said Charles Smith is to take place.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

JAMES DUNBAR,
21 West Nile Street, Glasgow, Agent.

NOTICE.

Glasgow, 7th December 1877.

THE Copartnership of DICKSON, TAYLOR, & JOHNSON, Wholesale Trimming Merchants, 8 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED to-day, by the retiral of the Subscriber John Dickson.

The other Subscribers James Robertson Taylor and William Johnson will carry on the Business on their own account, in the same premises, under the Firm of TAYLOR & JOHNSON, and will pay the debts due by, and uplift and discharge the debts due to, the dissolved Firm.

J. DICKSON.

DAVID MANN, of 150 Regent Street,
Glasgow, Writer,
PAT. C. HUTCHEON, of 175 West
George Street, Glasgow, Clerk-
at-Law,

Witnesses to the Signature of
the said John Dickson.

JAMES R. TAYLOR.
WILLIAM JOHNSON.

DAVID MANN, of 150 Regent Street,
Glasgow, Writer,
GEORGE MASON, Optician, 39 Union
Street, Glasgow,

Witnesses to the Signatures of
the said James Robertson
Taylor and William Johnson.

THE Firm of MACREADIE & MELROSE, Builders and Contractors, Darnley Street, Pollokshields, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of mutual consent, on the 12th day of November 1877 years.

The Subscriber Andrew Melrose will collect the assets and finish the contracts in progress.

Glasgow, 7th December 1877.

THOMAS MACREADIE.

ANDREW MELROSE.

JOHN WILSON BRUCE, Accountant,
Glasgow, Witness.

JOHN HENDERSON, Clerk to Messrs.
Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait,
Accountants, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE is hereby given that by Minute of Agreement, dated the 9th day of November 1877, the Copartnery of SCOTT & RODGER, Wholesale Stationers and Importers of Cigars and Tobacco, Glasgow, and Walter Scott and William Rodger, the Individual Partners of said Firm or Copartnery, was DISSOLVED of mutual consent, as at and from the said 9th day of November 1877.

WALTER SCOTT.

WILLIAM RODGER.

ROBERT T. MACMASTER, Law-Clerk,
Glasgow, Witness.

CHARLES K. PATERSON, Law-Clerk,
Glasgow, Witness.

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

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