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## PUBLIC NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE ENDOWED INSTITUTIONS ACT, 1878, SECTION 5.

IN terms of an Order by the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, dated 18th December 1878, made under the provisions of the Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, 41 and 42 Victoria, c. 48, it is hereby intimated that a Petition has been presented to the aforesaid Secretary of State, by the Reverend Andrew Browne, Minister of the Parish of Beith, the Reverend John Orr, Minister of the Parish of Kilbirnie, Robert William Cochran Patrick of Woodside, and younger of Ladyland, William Fulton Love, Writer in Beith, Hugh Crawford of Barr, Robert Kirkwood, Doctor of Medicine, Largs, and William Ralston Patrick of Roughwood and Hesselhead, Trustees of the late Mrs. Margaret Gibson or Spier of Marshalland, under her Trust Disposition and Settlement, in the following terms:—

‘That your petitioners are the governing body, as defined in the Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, of a Mortification or Bequest for the erection and maintenance of a School or Institution for uses partly educational and partly charitable on the Lands of Marshalland, in the Parish of Beith and County of Ayr, to be called “Spier’s Institution,” under and by virtue of the Trust Disposition and Settlement of Mrs. Margaret Gibson or Spier of Marshalland, relict of Robert Spier, Esquire, Writer in Beith, dated nineteenth March Eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and registered in the Books of Council and Session on the second day of April Eighteen hundred and seventy, of which Deed a certified copy is herewith sent.

‘That at a meeting of your petitioners, being the governing body of the said Endowed Institution,

and held at a month’s notice on the twenty-sixth day of November Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, it was resolved, in terms of section four of the said Act, by the unanimous resolution of those present at that meeting, that it was expedient that provision should be made for the better government and administration of the said Institution, and for the better application of the endowments; and that an application should be made to the Secretary of State for a Provisional Order. A duplicate of the minute of this meeting, containing the said resolution, is herewith sent.

‘Your petitioners respectfully refer to the evidence given by some of them before the Royal Commissioners appointed to inquire into Endowed Schools and Institutions, and to the Memorial presented by the petitioners to these Commissioners, and printed along with the evidence as containing some of their principal reasons for desiring changes on the application of the endowment, and the removal of restrictions on their powers of management.

‘That your petitioners desire and respectfully suggest that the following alterations ought to be sanctioned:—

‘1. It shall be in the power of the Trustees to erect the principal building of the Institution in a simpler and less ornate style than that shown in the plans thereof, and to make such alterations on the plans, fittings, and furnishings thereof as may appear to them necessary to adapt the accommodations to the purposes of a high class school, and generally to the effect of reducing the expense to the sum of Eighteen Thousand pounds or thereby, being the sum mentioned in the Deed by the founder for the erection of the building, and in so

doing to use any permanent or durable stone, but always with as little injury as practicable to the general conception of the design, as understood by the founder, or the stability and permanence of the work.

‘2. The Trustees shall establish, and carry on within the principal institution building, a high class school to admit and train not only the pupils to be selected and appointed as hereinafter specified, but also other pupils, upon such terms and conditions as the Trustees may from time to time appoint, with a curriculum of study suitable to the ages and capacities of the pupils in attendance. The curriculum shall, besides daily religious instruction, and all the elements of a sound English education, include Latin, Greek, mathematics, modern languages, and such branches of scientific and artistic instruction as the Trustees may from time to time appoint. It shall not be necessary to confine the admission to the classes for scientific and artistic instruction to the pupils regularly in attendance, but the benefit may, if the Trustees see fit, be extended to others.

‘3. The Trustees shall appoint a head master, either with or without the conditions of intramural residence, and either with or without the duty or privilege of superintending or keeping boarders within the institution building, as they may find expedient, and also such other masters and mistresses and such servants as they shall from time to time find necessary for the maintenance of efficient instruction, and the proper care of the establishment, and shall have power to distribute the school fees among the whole masters and mistresses, in such proportion and on such conditions as may be agreed on in their several engagements, or otherwise as the Trustees shall see fit, and generally to allow such salaries or emoluments to such teachers and servants as they shall see fit out of the available annual revenue remaining after provision is made for all the other purposes of the Deed and the Provisional Order. And it shall not be necessary to appoint any master, or any house-keeper or other servant, upon the terms or subject to the conditions, restrictions, or directions mentioned in the Deed of Institution; but without prejudice to the condition therein contained, limiting all such appointments to periods of not more than one year at a time; provided always that while such masters and mistresses need not necessarily be members of the Church of Scotland, or Presbyterians, the religious instruction shall be in accordance with the fundamental principles of doctrine of the larger Presbyterian bodies in Scotland.

‘4. In selecting the boys mentioned in the Deed of Institution, it shall not be lawful to prescribe or insist on the necessity of residence within the Institution Building, or the wearing of a uniform, or to provide them with board or clothing, but always without prejudice to the enjoyment by such boys of all the other advantages of the Institution. In lieu of these provisions, the Trustees shall, out of the free rental of the lands mortified by the founder for the endowment of the Institution, apply not less than Four Hundred pounds yearly (if so much be available), nor more than the amount of the free annual rental of such lands, in the first place, in defraying the fees for the tuition of not fewer than twenty-four boys, selected as foundationers in terms of the Deed, and as bursaries in aid of their further maintenance while they are in attendance; in the second place, in defraying the fees, and as bursaries in aid of their further maintenance, to not

more than twelve additional children, to be admitted and preferred by competitive examination, conducted in such manner and on such conditions as the Trustees shall from time to time see fit to appoint from among children who are, either natives of the Parish of Beith or have been permanently resident within the Parish for a period of three years or upwards prior to admission; and in the third place, of reducing the fees of tuition to such other children admitted to attendance as are natives of said Parish or permanent residents therein for three years as aforesaid, with power to the Trustees to award among this third class, at any time during their attendance, such bursaries as may be by them considered expedient, and as the funds may permit; provided always that the sums so appropriated to these purposes may be paid or applied in such manner as the Trustees may see fit, and that the amount appropriated for the bursaries aforesaid shall not in any year exceed the sum applied to the payment or reduction of the school fees in the same year, and that at least an appropriation to the extent of Two Hundred and Forty pounds shall be made to the first, and One Hundred and Twenty pounds to the second of the purposes aforesaid, before any sum shall be available for the third thereof.

‘5. Every pupil selected as aforesaid shall, when admitted to instruction in such school, be at least nine years of age, and shall pass an examination in the elements of English reading, grammar, and arithmetic suitable to children of that age. The Trustees shall not be bound to continue the benefit of appointment to any pupil longer than they see fit.

‘6. After providing for the payment of the expenses of the principal building and the accessory buildings (which, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in said Deed, may include a gatehouse or lodge, and a dwelling-house for the residence of a janitor and gardener), and the expense of laying out the gardens, playgrounds, and others authorized by the Deed, the Trustees shall ascertain and fix the amount of funds unappropriated at the time such school is opened, and the sum so ascertained and fixed as the amount of unappropriated funds shall be invested and held in perpetuity, and only the income derivable from such funds or investments thereof shall be applied to the uses of the Institution, and that in the same manner and to the same effect as if such income formed part of the rents of the lands mortified by the founder. But, nevertheless, it shall be in the power of the Trustees, if they see fit, to apply any sum not exceeding one-half of the said unappropriated funds, in providing a residence or residences for one or more of the masters, and boarding accommodation for scholars in attendance at the school; and, notwithstanding any restriction in the Deed of Institution, they may erect buildings for these purposes on the land of Marshalland.

‘7. It shall be in the power of the Trustees to let the minerals, in whole or in part, on the farms of Bogstone, Bellcraig, Lugtonridge, and Cuff, with usual working powers, upon condition (first) that the duration of any lease shall not exceed a term of twenty-five years; (second) that the original surface soil shall be restored, and the ground made as productive as it was when interfered with; and (third) that the rents and lordships of the minerals, exclusive of the surface rents or surface damages, shall be accumulated, invested, and held in perpetuity as part of the residuary fund directed to be held for the endowment of the

Institution and the income of such accumulations and invested mineral rental shall be applicable to the same purposes as the rental of the lands mortgaged as aforesaid.

'8. In addition to the securities on which investments are authorized in the Deed of Institution, the Trustees shall be entitled, if they see fit, to invest any part of the funds requiring to be held by them in perpetuity as aforesaid, in the purchase of feu-duties.

'9. The Trustees shall have power to provide and accumulate such books, instruments, specimens, and other materials as may be found convenient or useful for carrying on the education of the scholars in an efficient manner, and to award prizes to the scholars for good conduct or proficiency, and to appoint annual examinations for special objects; and for these purposes, or any of them, to appropriate such part of the free annual revenue as they see fit.

'10. The Trustees shall have power to make and put in force such ordinances as they may find expedient for the government of the said school, and the regulation of the duties and powers of the teachers, servants, scholars, and boarders, the same not being inconsistent with the provisions of the Order or the Deed of Institution. In particular, they shall have power to fix the school fees and boarding charges of the scholars in attendance at such rates and upon such a scale as they shall from time to time see fit; provided always that the lowest fee for the tuition of any pupil shall not at any time be less than twenty shillings per quarter.

'11. The Order shall be read along with the Deed of Institution, and the provisions or directions of the latter are only hereby altered so far as to give effect to the Order, and no further.

'12. The term Trustees shall include the Trustees before named, and other Trustees assumed under the powers contained in the Deed of Institution, and survivors of them, and quorum of their number thereby authorized to execute the Trust.

'May it therefore please you, sir, after such publication and inquiry as the foresaid Act prescribes, or you may see fit to appoint, to issue a Provisional Order in relation to the several things mentioned in this petition, and in accordance therewith, and to cause the same to be laid before both Houses of Parliament, as required by the said Act.'

The foregoing petition has been remitted by the said Secretary of State, by Order dated as aforesaid, to the Commissioners appointed under the said Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, that they may inquire into the said petition, and report thereon.

G. R. GILLESPIE,  
Secretary to the Endowed  
Institutions (Scotland) Commission.

32 Queen Street, Edinburgh,  
24th December 1878.

FOREIGN OFFICE, December 21, 1878.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John A. Parm as Consul at Sierra Leone for the United States of America; of Mr. Ho Hsian Tsê as Consul at Singapore for His Majesty the Emperor of China; of Mr. Diego M. Corry as Consul at Belfast for the Argentine Republic; of Mr. William Lewis Clifton Browne as Consul at Southampton for the Republic of Liberia; and of Mr. Albert W. Lassen as Vice-Consul at Bradford for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, December 24, 1878.

His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold has been pleased to appoint Captain Stanier Waller, R.E., to be Equerry in Ordinary to His Royal Highness.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 21st December 1878, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat ... ..	51,419	1	40	8
Barley ... ..	69,326	1	39	4
Oats ... ..	4,298	7	21	1

R. GIFFEN,  
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,  
December 21, 1878.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1874 to 1877.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1874 ... ..	61,663	6	84,801	7	4,247	4	44	8	44	5	29	4
1875 ... ..	49,125	3	84,101	1	4,671	1	45	9	34	9	23	4
1876 ... ..	41,545	6	76,937	6	4,918	6	50	8	38	7	25	2
1877 ... ..	42,758	6	83,667	1	5,241	2	51	4	43	3	23	11

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,  
December 21, 1878.

R. GIFFEN,  
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

### CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the Week ended the 21st December 1878.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO—				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Exported.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheat .....	623,896	101,039	131,100	856,035	12,531	7,025	19,556
Barley .....	206,064	41,101	...	247,165	287	...	287
Oats .....	299,803	...	...	299,803	120	516	636
Rye .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pease .....	50,103	2,038	...	52,141	201	31	232
Beans .....	14,273	4,262	...	18,535	...	269	269
Indian Corn .....	290,020	29,671	75,580	395,271	...	5,047	5,047
Buckwheat .....	1,598	...	...	1,598	...	...	...
Bere or Bigg .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (ex- clusive of Malt) }	1,485,757	178,111	206,680	1,870,548	13,139	12,888	26,027
Wheatmeal or Flour	89,893	59,598	6,910	156,401	1,327	356	1,683
Barley Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal .....	8,425	...	...	8,425	396	...	396
Rye Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal...	841	...	...	841	...	...	...
Buckwheat Meal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal...	99,159	59,598	6,910	165,667	1,723	356	2,079
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt) .....	1,584,916	237,709	213,590	2,036,215	14,862	13,244	28,106
Malt (entered by the Quarter)..... }	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	1,641	...	1,641

Statistical Department, Custom-house, London,  
December 23, 1878.

S. SELDON,  
Principal.

## BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

## BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Hattie Blackford, of 18 Charles Street, Grosvenor Square, Middlesex, of no occupation.

Joseph Mandelstam, trading under the style or firm of J. Mandelstam & Co., of 26 Ely Place, Holborn, Middlesex, trimming merchant, and residing at 44 Beresford Road, Canonbury, Middlesex.

Robert A. Rust, of Saint Peter's Lodge, Percy Cross, Fulham, Middlesex.

Theodore Hubert Lake, of 232 Strand, Middlesex, a clerk in the General Post Office.

Edward Wilden, of 5 Market Buildings, Mark Lane, London, flour factor.

Thomas Amery, of Whitehouse Farm, Barnston, Chester.

Albert Hayhoe, of the Star Hotel, Newmarket, Cambridge, hotel keeper.

John Pratt, of 6 Market Street, and late of 134 Walton Street, Oxford, formerly a railway agent and baker, and now a baker's manager.

William Middleton Hogarth, of the Eldon Arms Hotel, Ferryhill, Durham, licensed victualler, joiner, and contractor.

Henry Atkinson, of Haverbrack Farm, near Halton, Lancaster, farmer.

John Cook Hubbert, of 1 Bank Chambers, Horse Market Street, Warrington, Lancaster, money scrivener, estate and general agent, accountant, law stationer, property dealer, builder, contractor, and commission agent, and residing at Paul Street, Warrington aforesaid.

John Isgar, of 9 Marcus Street, Sheffield, York, cow-keeper.

## NOTICE.

**INTIMATION** is hereby given that **THOMAS LIVINGSTONE FENTON LIVINGSTONE**, Esquire of Westquarter, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of **WESTQUARTER**, situated in the Parishes of Polmont and Falkirk, and of certain Superiority Lands in the Parishes of Gargunock and Drymen, all in the Shire of Stirling, and also of a portion of Land in the Parishes of Torphichen and Bathgate and Shire of Linlithgow, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Lord Adam Ordinary, —Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 10 Geo. III. cap. 51, 11 and 12 Vict. cap. 36, 16 and 17 Vict. cap. 94, and 31 and 32 Vict. cap. 84, and relative Acts of Sederunt, praying their Lordships to find and declare that the sum of £5050 has been expended by the Petitioner in improvements on the said Estate, and the Mansion House and Offices thereof, and to authorize him to charge the said Estate therewith. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, service, and advertisement, 21st December 1878.

WADDELL &amp; M'INTOSH.

87 George Street, Edinburgh,

26th December 1878.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Petition, under the 3d Section of the Act 16 Vic. c. 28, has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Argyll, praying for an increase in the number, and an alteration of the

situation and arrangement, of the Polling Places in the County of Argyll; and for the appointment of the places specified in a Schedule annexed to the said Petition, to be the Polling Places in the said County.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO :—

- I.—**TOBERMORY**.—For the Parishes of Kilninian and Kilmore, Morven, Tyree and Coll, and Small Isles.
- II.—**PENNYGHAEL**.—For the Parishes of Kilfinchan and Kilvickeon, and Pennygown and Torosay.
- III.—**STRONTIAN**.—For the Parishes of Ardnamurchan and Kilmallie.
- IV.—**PORT-APPIN**.—For the Parish of Appin and Lismore.
- V.—**OBAN**.—For the Parishes of Kilbrandon and Kilchattan, Kilniver and Kilmelford, Kilmore and Kilbride, Ardchattan and Muckairn, and Kilchrenan and Dalavich (North-West of Lochawe).
- VI.—**CAMPBELTOWN**.—For the Parishes of Campbeltown, Southend, and Saddell.
- VII.—**GLENBAR**.—For the Parishes of Killeen and Kilkennie, and Gigha and Carra.
- VIII.—**BOWMORE**.—For the Parishes of Jura, Colonsay, Kildalton and Oa, Kilchoman, and Kilarrow and Kilmaney.
- IX.—**TARBERT**.—For the Parishes of Skipness, Kilmacmonel and Kilberry, and South Knapdale.
- X.—**LOCHGILPHEAD**.—For the Parishes of North Knapdale, Craignish, Kilmartin and Glassary.
- XI.—**INVERARAY**.—For the Parishes of Inveraray, Dalavich and Kilchrenan (South-East of Lochawe), Glenorchy and Innishael, Strathlachlan, Strachur, and Lochgoilhead and Kilmorich.
- XII.—**DUNOON**.—For the Parish of Dunoon.
- XIII.—**STRONE**.—For the Parish of Kilmun.
- XIV.—**TIGHNABRUAICH**.—For the Parishes of Inverchaolan, Kilmodan and Kilfinan.

D. MACLACHLAN, Writer, Lochgilphead,  
Agent for Petitioners.

Lochgilphead, 29th November 1878.

Queen's and Lord Treasurer's

Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,  
Edinburgh, 23d December 1878.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that Ann Spence, Spiuster, Moss Street, Keith, in the County of Banff, has applied to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for a Gift of the Estate of **JOHN GORDON**, sometime Policeman in Edinburgh, and afterwards in Hong Kong, deceased, which has fallen to Her Majesty as *ultima hæres*.

GEO. ANDREW, S.S.C.,

3 Hope Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**THE ROTHESAY WATER COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
IN LIQUIDATION.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that an account showing the manner in which the winding up of this Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of has been made up; and I hereby call a General Meeting of the Company, to be held in the Public Buildings here, on Friday the 31st day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having that account laid before them, and hearing any explanation that may be given thereon, all in terms of the Acts of Parliament.

DANIEL MACBETH, Liquidator.

Rothesay, 23d December 1878.

## NOTICE.

**LACHLAN MARTIN MATHESON**, Surgeon, residing at Kiltaraglen Cottage, near Portree, has presented to the Sheriff-Substitute of the Skye District of Inverness-shire a Petition for his discharge as a Bankrupt.

ALEX. MACDONALD, Solicitor, Portree,  
Agent for Petitioner.

Portree, 24th December 1878.

**T**HE Estates of DANIEL M'KENZIE, Grocer and Spirit Dealer, Portsoy, in the Parish of Fordyce and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 23d day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 23d day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 4th day of January 1879, within the Commercial Hotel, Portsoy.

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 23d day of April 1879.

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.

JAMES FORBES, Solicitor, Banff,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JAMES NOBLE DAVIDSON, Chemist, Nethergate, Dundee, were Sequestrated on the 24th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Forfarshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 24th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 6th day of January 1879, within the Royal British Hotel, Dundee.

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 25th day of April 1879.

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

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

J. D. GRANT, Writer, Dundee,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN SCOTT, Junior, Boatbuilder, Chapelhill Road, Rothesay, were Sequestrated on the 24th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Renfrew and Bute.

The first Deliverance is dated 24th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, within the Victoria Hotel, Rothesay.

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 before the 24th day of April 1879.

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.

A. D. MACBETH, Writer, Rothesay,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN THOMSON DUNCAN, Accountant, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 24th December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 24th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 3d day of January 1879, 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 24th April 1879.

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.

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

**T**HE Estates of DANIEL M'LEAN, sometime Farmer, Hillwood, Ratho, Midlothian, now Grain Merchant in Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 24th day of December 1878, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 24th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 6th day of January 1879, 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 24th day of April 1879.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire.

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.

MASON & SMITH, S.S.C.,  
34 North Castle Street, Edinburgh, Agents.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN BLACK, residing at George Street, Glasgow, and carrying on business under the Firm of BLACK & COMPANY, Muslin Manufacturers, 90 Mitchell Street, Glasgow, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 24th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 24th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, within the Faculty of Procurators' 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 24th day of April 1879.

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.

MACLAY, MURRAY, & SPENS, Agents,  
169 West George Street, Glasgow.

**T**HE Estates of THOMAS MILLAR, Corn Merchant and Seedsman, Kirkcaldy, were Sequestrated on the 25th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Fife.

The first Deliverance is dated the 25th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock P.M., on Saturday the 4th day of January 1879, within the National Hotel, Kirkcaldy.

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 25th day of April 1879.

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.

HARROW & JOHNSTON, Solicitors, Kirkcaldy,  
Agents.

**T**HE Estates of JAMES STUART, Horse Dealer in Keith, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 16th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, within the Gordon Arms Hotel, 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 16th day of April 1879.

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

JOHN FRASER, Solicitor, Keith,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN GOURLAY HOEY, Grain and Coal Merchant, Halfway, Irvine, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated 26th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 6th day of January 1879, within the King's Arms Hotel, Irvine.

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 26th day of April 1879.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt 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.

W. D. M'JANNET, Solicitor, Irvine,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN GREEN, Merchant and Manufacturer, 6 and 8 Brown Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 26th December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 26th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 7th January 1879, 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 26th April 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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MAL. DOWNIE, Solicitor,  
64 Graham Street, Airdrie, Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JAMES RANKIN, sometime Spirit Merchant, Main Street, Coatbridge, now residing at Newarthill Bridge, near Motherwell, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 26th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 6th day of January 1879, 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 26th day of April 1879.

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M'CLURES & HANNAY, Writers,  
209 West George Street, Glasgow, Agents.

**T**HE Estates of DAVID DALZIELL, Builder, Keppochhill Road, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated 26th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 7th day of January 1879, 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 26th day of April 1879.

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

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

**T**HE Estates of GEORGE WELSH M'GEACHIN, Furniture Warehouseman, Maxwell Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 26th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday, 6th January 1879, within the Hall of the Faculty of Procurators, St. George's Place, Glasgow.

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.

DUNBAR & BAIRD, Writers,  
107 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

**T**HE Estates of DAVID GELLATLY, Lathsplitter, Dundee, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first Deliverance is dated the 26th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Tuesday the 7th day of January 1879, within the Imperial Hotel, Commercial Street in Dundee.

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 26th day of April 1879.

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.

JAMES-M. GRAY, Solicitor, Dundee,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of JOHN STUART, Farmer at Mill of Crannah, in the Parish of Marnoch and County of Banff, were Sequestrated on the 24th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 24th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Tuesday the 7th day of January 1879, within the Station Hotel, Portsoy, in the Parish of Fordyce and County of Banff.

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 24th day of April 1879.

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.

ALEXANDER WATT, Solicitor, Banff,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of MATTHEW FORREST, Joiner and House Agent, No. 19 Waverley Terrace, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 27th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated the 27th day of December 1878.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, within Dowell's Salerooms, 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 27th day of April 1879.

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.

JAMES SOMERVILLE, Solicitor,  
No. 30 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Agent.

**THE** Estates of **WILLIAM ROBERTSON**, Confectioner, Pleasance, Edinburgh, were Sequestered on the 27th day of December 1878, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated 11th December 1878.

The Meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, 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 11th April 1879.

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

**IRONS & ROBERTS, S.S.C.,**  
5 York Place, Edinburgh, Agents.

**A** PETITION has been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, by **WILLIAM ROBERTSON**, Confectioner, Pleasance, Edinburgh, for Recal of the Sequestration of his Estates awarded by Hubert Hamilton, Esquire, Sheriff-Substitute of Midlothian, on 26th December current, at the instance of Wilson, Kerr, & Company, Merchants, Bread Street, Edinburgh; and Answers to said Petition have been appointed to be lodged within eight days hence.—Of all which Intimation is hereby made.

**D. HOWARD SMITH, Solicitor.**

27th December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE CRUICKSHANK,**  
Tobacconist, Chapel Street, Peterhead.

**ROBERT LAMB**, Advocate, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate in room of William Smith, Tobacconist, Aberdeen, deceased. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Peterhead, on Tuesday the 31st day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, City Buildings, Aberdeen, on Friday the 10th day of January proximo, at two o'clock P.M.

**ROBERT LAMB, Trustee.**

Aberdeen, 23d December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM PENNIE,** Auctioneer, Mintlaw, in the Parish of Longside, presently residing at Woodside, near Aberdeen.

**JOHN KILLOH**, Farmer, Middlethird, in the Parish of Old Deer, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David Littlejohn, Advocate, Aberdeen, William Greig, Merchant, Nether Kinmundy, in the Parish of Longside, and George Thompson, Merchant, Mintlaw, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Peterhead, on Tuesday the 31st day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Laing's Hotel, Peterhead, on Thursday the 9th day of January next, 1879, at twelve o'clock noon.

**JOHN KILLOH, Trustee.**

Peterhead, 23d December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MASON, Grocer, &c.,**  
Church Street, Hamilton.

**JAMES AFFLECK**, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected and confirmed Trustee on the Estate; and John Tod, Mavisbank Flour Mills, Glasgow, John Houston, Wholesale Provision Merchant, Glasgow, and Robert Robin, residing at Castlehill, Hamilton, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Hamilton, on Monday the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Office of Messrs. Bird & Affleck, Chartered Accountants, 92 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 15th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon.

**JAMES AFFLECK, C.A., Trustee.**

**SEQUESTRATION of DANIEL WALLACE,** Potato Merchant, No. 6 Finnieston Street, Glasgow.

**FRANK YOUNG HENDERSON**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Williamson, Farmer, Auchintulloch, by Luss, John Fulton, Farmer, Balshagray, by Partick, and William Swanston, Law-Clerk, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Mr. Sheriff Campion's Chambers, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 3d day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 175 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 14th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon.

**FRANK Y. HENDERSON, Trustee.**

175 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,  
24th December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT DONALD,** Stationer and Bookbinder, 253 Argyle Street, Glasgow.

**JOHN MILLER**, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Malcolm Stark, 20 Houldsworth Street, Cranstonhill, Glasgow, Samuel Thomas Baker, Gold Leaf Manufacturer, 110 Hope Street, Glasgow, and William Anderson, Stationer, 44 Queen Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Spens, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Monday the 6th day of January 1879, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of John Miller & James H. Ferguson, Accountants, 71 Queen Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 17th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon.

**JNO. MILLER, C.A., Trustee.**

71 Queen Street, Glasgow,  
December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of DONALD M'FARLANE,** Coach Proprietor and Mail Contractor in Greenock.

**JOHN AGNEW**, Accountant in Greenock, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Thomson, Builder, Greenock, James Black, Joiner and Builder, West Stewart Street, Greenock, and Robert Murray, Grain Merchant, 16 Hope Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street (West), Greenock, on Monday the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of the Trustee, No. 27 West Burn Street, Greenock, on Thursday the 16th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon.

**JOHN AGNEW, Trustee.**

Greenock, 24th December 1878.

**SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS NEILL,** Draper, Roslin Terrace, Coatbridge, as an Individual, and also as a Partner of the Firm of NEILL & RAE, Warehousemen, Hutcheson Street, Glasgow.

**JAMES TAYLOR**, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Alexander, Manufacturer, Glasgow, William Robertson, Hat and Cap Manufacturer, Glasgow, and Robert Thompson, Manufacturer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Lees, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 4th day of January 1879, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Monday the 13th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon.

**JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.**



SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS ARNOT, Writer in Glasgow.

**WILLIAM COUPER TAIT**, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander M'Gregor, Accountant, Glasgow, James Colquhoun, Writer, Glasgow, and James Allan, Plumber, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Campion, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 7th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, Accountants, 65 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 16th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 26th December 1878.

**ARCHIBALD LAWRIE**, Marble Merchant, Edinburgh, a Creditor on the Sequestrated Estates of THOMAS F. MATHER, Grocer, Abbeyhill, Edinburgh, do hereby intimate that the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington has appointed a General Meeting of Creditors on the said Estates, to be held within Buchanan's Temperance Hotel, Edinburgh, on Saturday the 4th day of January 1879, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Trustee and Commissioners on the said Estates, and do the other acts provided in the Statute.

ARCHIBALD LAWRIE, Petitioner.

**AS** Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN CLAPPERTON, Sinclairtown Saw Mills, Kirkcaldy, I hereby intimate that the Commissioners have audited the accounts of my intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 11th December current; that the Commissioners, considering that no reversion could come to the Estate, and no funds being available for Dividend to the ordinary Creditors, authorized the Trustee to call a Meeting of the Creditors, to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge, of which notice will be given.

ROBERT PATERSON, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 24th December 1878.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN GORDON, Junior, Farmer at Crovie, in the Parish of Gamrie and County of Banff.

**JAMES MORRISON**, Solicitor, Banff, Trustee on the above Estate, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Fife Arms Hotel, Banff, on Saturday the 4th day of January 1879, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to give the Trustee directions for the recovery, management, and disposal of the Estate, and particularly as to the means to be adopted for compelling implement of the offer and acceptance made and entertained at last Meeting.

JAS. MORRISON, Trustee.

Banff, 25th December 1878.

**DAVID BIRD**, Junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of CRUICKSHANK & M'MILLAN, Produce Brokers, Glasgow, and of Adam Cruickshank and James M'Millan, the Individual Partners of that Firm, hereby calls a Special Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Bird & Affleck, C.A., 92 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Monday the 6th day of January next, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of advising the Trustee regarding the existing lawsuits in connection with the Estates.

DAVID BIRD, Jr., C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 25th December 1878.

**AS** Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN DANIEL CAMPBELL, Painter, Saint Patrick Square, Edinburgh, I hereby call a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within my Chambers, No. 38 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, upon Monday the 6th day of January 1879, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider an offer of Composition to be made by the Bankrupt.

FRANCIS DICKSON, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 27th December 1878.

NOTICE.

**ALEXANDER MOORE**, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM STEVENSON, Grain Miller, Glasgow, as an Individual, hereby intimates that at a General Meeting of the Creditors specially called for the purpose, and held on 24th current, the Bankrupt made offer of a Composition of One Penny Halfpenny per pound upon the debts due by him as a Partner of STEVENSON & COATS, Grain Millers, Glasgow, and as an Individual, at the date of his Sequestration (over and above the Dividend of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound already paid from his private Estate), payable within ten days after the date of his final discharge, with security; that the said Meeting having unanimously resolved to entertain the said offer and security for consideration, another General Meeting of the Creditors, for the purpose of finally deciding thereon, will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Moore & Brown, C.A., No. 128 Hope Street, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 18th day of January 1879, at eleven o'clock forenoon.—Of which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

ALEX. MOORE, Trustee.

**WILLIAM BROWN**, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JOHN HOOD & SONS, Saw Millers and Timber Merchants, Hutchesontown Saw Mills, Polmadie Road, Glasgow, as a Company, and John Hood and Archibald Hood, Saw Millers and Timber Merchants there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that his accounts and state of funds as at 10th current, have been audited by the Commissioners; that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before that date; further, that on Tuesday the 11th February 1879, there will be paid, within the Counting House of Moore & Brown, C.A., 128 Hope Street, Glasgow, a first Dividend to all the Creditors whose claims have been admitted to a ranking on the Company Estate.

WM. BROWN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 26th December 1878.

**WILLIAM THOMSON DUNCAN**, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of ROBERT M. BUCHANAN & COMPANY, Sugar Merchants, Virginia Street, Glasgow, and of Robert MacGoune Buchanan, Sugar Merchant there, the only Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to the 12th instant, have been examined and docketed by the Commissioners; and that an equalizing and third and final Dividend will be paid, within the Trustee's Office, 22 Renfield Street, Glasgow, on and after Thursday the 13th day of February next, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged with and admitted by the Trustee, in terms of the Statute.

W. T. DUNCAN, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 26th December 1878.

**JAMES WINK**, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER MORTON, Junior, Timber Merchant, Inverkeithing, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of said Estate, brought down to 10th December current, has been made up by him and examined by the Commissioners; that he has

adjudicated upon claims lodged on or before the 10th current, and made up a list of those entitled to a ranking on the Estate; further, a first Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Chambers of Mitchell, Watson, & Wink, C.A., 75 St. George's Place, Glasgow, on 11th February 1879.—Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

JAMES WINK, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 24th December 1878.

In the SEQUESTRATION of LUDOVIC BUCHANAN,  
Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Bridge of Weir, Renfrewshire.

JOHN BAIRD STIRLING, Writer in Johnstone, Trustee, hereby gives notice that an equalizing Dividend will be paid, within his Office, No. 28 High Street, Johnstone, upon the 11th day of February 1879.

JOHN B. STIRLING, Trustee.

Johnstone, 26th December 1878.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES AITKEN THOMPSON,  
Wholesale Merchant and Commission Agent in Stirling.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to the 11th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed payment of a Dividend till next statutory period.

GEORGE S. FERRIER, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 27th December 1878.

THOMAS IRELAND, Accountant, Dundee, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES JOHNSTON, Plumber, Brassfounder, and Gasfitter, as also Grocer, Small's Wynd, Dundee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners on the said Sequestrated Estate have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

THOS. IRELAND, Trustee.

Dundee, 23d December 1878.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DONALD R. MACGREGOR & COMPANY, Merchants and Shipping Agents in Leith, and Donald Robert Macgregor and James Smith, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estates of the Company and of the Individual Partners have been audited by the Commissioners as brought down to 12th current; that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said 12th current, and made up lists of those whose claims have been ranked upon the funds of the Estate, as well as of those whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part or from whom additional evidence has been required; further, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of any Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.—Of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

THOMAS S. LINDSAY, Trustee.

55 Castle Street, Edinburgh,  
27th December 1878.

HUGH ROSS ANNAT, Bank Agent, Beaully, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES M'KINTOSH, Innkeeper and Farmer at Achanault, in the Parish of Fodderty and County of Ross, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 6th current, has been examined and audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of the next statutory period.

H. R. ANNAT, Trustee.

Beaully, December 1878.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Trust Estate of PATERSON & CARMICHAEL, Wholesale Provision Merchants, West Bow, Edinburgh.

IN terms of the Trust Deed, Intimation is hereby given that a Scheme of Division has been prepared, and now lies for the inspection of all concerned, at the Subscriber's Office, 15 Quality Street, Leith, where a first Dividend will be paid to all Creditors whose claims have been admitted, on Thursday, 2d January 1879.

AIKMAN CRAWFORD, Trustee.

Leith, 26th December 1878.

#### NOTICE.

THE Copartnership Concern of STEVENSON, JOHNSTON, & COMPANY, Grain Millers, Clyde Grain Mills, Glasgow, is hereby declared to have been DISSOLVED as upon 17th December 1878, by mutual consent of the Subscribers John Stevenson and Ninian Johnston, the sole Partners thereof.

The Business will be continued by the Subscribers John Stevenson, William Stevenson, and William Stevenson, Junior, under the Firm of WILLIAM STEVENSON & SONS, and the latter Firm is alone authorized to receive and discharge all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the dissolved Concern.

JOHN STEVENSON.

N. JOHNSTON.

WM. STEVENSON.

WM. STEVENSON, Jr.

DUN. MACFARLANE, Writer, Glasgow,  
Witness.

JOHN S. GALBRAITH, Law-Apprentice,  
Glasgow, Witness.

#### NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carrying on business as Potters and Earthenware Manufacturers at Possilpark, near Glasgow, under the Firm of BAYLEY, MURRAY, & BRAMMER, of which the Subscribers hereto were the only Partners, was terminated as at the 4th day of November 1878, by the withdrawal therefrom of the Subscriber Joseph Bayley.

Since that date the Business of Potters and Earthenware Manufacturers has been and continues to be carried on in the same premises by the other Subscribers Campbell Murray and John Brammer, in conjunction with other Partners, under the Firm of MURRAY, GRIEVE, & Co.

JOSEPH BAYLEY.

CAMPBELL MURRAY.

JOHN BRAMMER.

JOHN MACFARLANE, of 58 West Regent  
Street, Glasgow, Solicitor, Witness.

WILLIAM GILLIES, of 128 St. Vincent  
Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 23d December 1878.

THE Copartnership sometime carried on by the Subscribers under the Firm of JAMES MOON & COMPANY, Yarn Agents, Glasgow, was brought to an end on the 25th day of December 1878, and the Subscriber James Moon will receive and discharge or pay all debts due to or by the Firm. The Subscribers will hereafter carry on business as Yarn Agents in Glasgow separately, the Subscriber James Moon, under the name of JAMES MOON & COMPANY, at 280 George Street, Glasgow; and the Subscriber HERBERT BERRY, in his own name, at 4 North Court, Royal Exchange, Glasgow.

JAMES MOON.

HERBERT BERRY.

ERNST VOGEL, Clerk, 280 George Street,  
Glasgow,

ALEX. DONALD, Law Clerk, 10 Wil-  
lowbank Crescent, Glasgow,

Witnesses to the Signatures of James  
Moon and Herbert Berry.

Glasgow, 26th December 1878.

## NOTICE.

THE Copartnership hitherto existing between the Subscribers, Thomas Watson and James Watson, and conducted by them at Bensliefauld, Parish of Kilwinning, under the Firm of THOMAS & JAMES WATSON, as Joiners and Sawmillers, has, of the 24th day of December 1878, been DISSOLVED by their mutual consent.

The Subscriber Thomas Watson continues the Business on his account, and will pay all debts due by, and uplift and discharge all debts due to, the dissolved Company.

THOMAS WATSON.  
JAMES WATSON.

A. C. M'JANNET, Writer, Irvine,  
Witness.  
ANDREW MACVIE, Law Clerk, Irvine,  
Witness.

Manchester and Glasgow,  
17th December 1878.

THE Subscriber Mr. William Stevenson ceased, as at 30th June 1877, in terms of the Articles of Partnership, to be a Member of the Copartnership trading as Merchants and Agents in Manchester and Glasgow under the Firm of BEITH, STEVENSON, & COMPANY, of which he and the other Subscribers were the sole Partners.

The Business is being continued as heretofore by the remaining Partners under the same Firm.

GILBERT BEITH.  
WM. STEVENSON.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Mr.  
Gilbert Beith and Mr. William  
Stevenson—

JAMES DYMOCHE, Cashier, Wit-  
ness.  
CHAS. DOWNIE, Clerk, Witness.

JOHN ALEX. BEITH.

Witness to the Signature of Mr.  
J. A. Beith—

WM. JOHN ROBERTSON, Cashier,  
Witness.

THE Business carried on by the Subscriber William Craig as a Rivet Manufacturer at Queen Street, Port-Glasgow, under the Firm of the CLYDE IRON COMPANY, of which he was the sole Partner, was, as on the 24th day of October 1878, transferred to Messrs. David Wingate and William Wingate, both Rivet Makers in Port-Glasgow, who continue to carry on the Business for their own behoof under the same Firm.

WILLIAM CRAIG.  
DAVID WINGATE.  
WM. WINGATE.

ALEX. LADE, Writer, Port-Glasgow,  
Witness.

JOHN HOOD, Law-Clerk, Port-Glas-  
gow, Witness.

## NOTICE.

THE Firm of HAMILTON, THOMSON, & CAMERON, Grain and Flour Merchants in Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED upon the 9th instant, by the retiral of the Subscriber Samuel Hamilton.

The other Subscribers will continue the Business under

the Firm of THOMSON BROTHERS & CAMERON, and will pay all debts owing by the former Firm.

SAMUEL HAMILTON.  
THOMAS THOMSON.  
JOHN CAMERON.

H. H. GALLOWAY, Writer, Glasgow,  
Witness.

ARCHD. ROSS, Clerk-at-Law, 91  
West Regent Street, Glasgow,  
Witness.

Glasgow, 25th December 1878.

## DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Company carrying on business in Ochiltree and Ayr as General Merchants and Dealers under the Firm of J., R., & J. WILSON, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of mutual consent, as from and after this date.

Ayr, 24th December 1878.

JOHN WILSON.  
ROBERT WILSON.  
JAMES WILSON.

THOMAS KEER, Solicitor, Ayr, Witness.  
JOHN ROBERTSON, Bank Accountant,  
Ayr, Witness.

## NOTICE.

WILLIAM DUGAN, Sea Captain, presently Prisoner in the Prison of Ayr, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Ayr, for Liberation and Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Ayr, on Tuesday the 28th day of January next, at ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

DAVID FERGUSSON, Solicitor,  
52 Newmarket Street, Ayr, Agent.

Ayr, 25th December 1878.

JAMES SUTHERLAND, Costume Maker, 45 Bridge Street, Glasgow, and residing in Albert Drive, Crosshill, in the County of Renfrew, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute, for Interim Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Paisley, on the 28th day of January 1879, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

ALEXR. COCHRAN, Writer,  
12 High Street, Paisley,  
Pursuer's Procurator.

Paisley, 24th December 1878.

HUGH GUNN, Grocer and Provision Merchant, 28 Oxford Street, Glasgow, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Campion, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 5th day of February next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

THOMAS SINCLAIR, Writer,  
12 Miller Street, Glasgow,  
Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, 26th December 1878.

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