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CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
February 22, 1881.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS respecting Competitive Examinations, held under the Orders in Council of 4th June 1870 and 12th February 1876, for Second-Class Clerkships in the India Office, and Men Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Competitive examinations of Candidates for Second-Class Clerkships in the India Office and Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service will be held from time to time at such places as may be deemed expedient.

2. These examinations are open, under such general restrictions as may be laid down, to all natural-born subjects of Her Majesty, being of the prescribed age, and of good health and character. The undermentioned restrictions are at present in force :—

(i.) The following classes of persons are ineligible, viz.,

Persons actually serving in the Army and Navy.

(ii.) The following classes of persons will not be eligible unless they shall have produced to

the Civil Service Commissioners, before the date of the competition, the written permission of the authorities of their department to attend the examination, viz.—(a) Persons holding situations in the Civil Service; (b) Members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, of less than 12 years' service; (c) Apprentices and Engineer Students in Her Majesty's Dockyards.

(iii.) Persons who have been trained in Normal Schools at the public expense will not be qualified to receive appointments until the consent of the Committee of Council on Education, Great Britain, or the Commissioners of National Education, Ireland, as the case may be, given in conformity with rules sanctioned by the Lords of the Treasury, has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

(iv.) In reckoning age for competition the following allowances will be made, viz.,—(1) members of the Military and Naval services (whether commissioned or non-commissioned) may deduct from their actual age any time during which they have served towards pension; (2) persons who have served for two full consecutive years (a) in any Civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners, (b) in the Royal Irish Constabulary, or (c) as Registered Copyists in connection with the Civil Service, may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

3. A fee of 10s. will be required from every Candidate attending a Preliminary Examination, and a further fee of 10s. from every Candidate admitted to the Competitive Examination.

4. Candidates must be over 17 and under 20 years of age on the first day of the Competitive Examination.

5. The subjects of examination will be as follows:—

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. Arithmetic.
4. Copying MS. (to test accuracy).
5. English Composition.
6. Geography.
7. Indexing or Docketing.
8. Digesting Returns into Summaries.
9. English History.
10. Bookkeeping.

No Candidate can be admitted to the competition who has not previously satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners that he possesses the requisite amount of proficiency in Handwriting, Orthography, and Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions). With this view, Preliminary Examinations in these subjects will be held at such times and places as the Commissioners may appoint. Application for permission to attend one of these Preliminary Examinations must be made in the writing of the Candidate at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

6. The number of persons to be selected at each examination will be published as part of the notice of every such examination. A list of the competitors will be made out, in the order of merit, up to this published number, if so many are found by the examination to be qualified.

7. The successful Candidates, if duly qualified, will be permitted to choose in their order as determined by the competitive examination whether they will be placed on the list for Second-Class Clerkships in the India Office, or on the list for the Lower Division for the Civil Service. No Candidate will be qualified to be placed on the list for the Lower Division who has been placed on a similar list on the result of a previous examination.

The following Regulations, 8, 9, 10, apply only to Candidates placed on the list for the Lower Division of the Civil Service.

8. Each competitor placed on the list for the Lower Division of the Civil Service will remain thereon until he attains the age of 25 years, unless in the meantime he has been appointed to a situation in some public office.

Candidates on completing their 25th year, or on receiving appointments, will be removed from the list.

9. From these lists the Civil Service Commissioners, on the application of Departments having vacancies, will supply, on probation, the requisite Clerks, whether for permanent or temporary duty. Selections will, as a general rule, be made by the Civil Service Commissioners according to the order of the names on the lists; but the Civil Service Commissioners may select any Clerk who, in his examination, has shown special qualifications in any particular subject, if special application for such a Clerk be made by any Department.

10. No Clerk will remain more than one year in any Department unless at the end of that time the

Head of the Department shall signify in writing to the Civil Service Commissioners that the Clerk is accepted by the Department. If he is not accepted, the Department will report to the said Commissioners the reasons for not accepting him; and such Commissioners will thereon supply another Clerk in his room, and will decide whether the name of the rejected Clerk shall be struck off the lists, as unfit for the Service generally, or whether he shall be allowed a trial in another Department.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 22, 1881.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations, issued 8th April 1872, and amended by subsequent notices in the London Gazette) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Second-Class Draughtsman in the Office of Her Majesty's Works, &c.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

I. The limits of age for this situation are 22 and 35, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Competitive Examination.

II. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Architectural Drawing and Designing in the Classic and Gothic Styles.
2. Knowledge of building materials and their strength, and knowledge of Construction.
3. Perspective Drawing.

Candidates must pass to the satisfaction of the Commissioners in the subjects numbered 1 and 2. The remaining subject is optional.

III. No Candidate can be admitted to the competition who has not previously satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners that he possesses the requisite amount of proficiency in the following subjects:—

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. Arithmetic (including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

With this view, Preliminary Examinations in these subjects will be held at such times and places as the Commissioners may appoint.

IV. Application for permission to attend a Preliminary Examination must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

V. A fee of 10s. will be required from every Candidate attending a Preliminary Examination,



and a further fee of 5s. from every Candidate who may be admitted to the competition.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Tuesday the 22d March 1881.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for four situations as Second-Class Draughtsman will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday the 29th March 1881, and following days.

No person will be admitted to the Preliminary Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 12th March, an 'application,' in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

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 19th February 1881.

	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	624,697	57,612	184,866	867,175	8,957	12,158	21,115
Barley	97,707	4,836	5,240	107,783	519	141	660
Oats	20,790	...	...	20,790	21,367	3,201	24,568
Rye .....	...	...	...	...	522	...	522
Pease	5,102	4,614	...	9,716	197	2,358	2,555
Beans	36,053	...	...	36,053	...	326	326
Indian Corn	225,019	48,943	141,673	415,635	...	578	578
Buckwheat	411	...	...	411	...	...	...
Bere or Bigg .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt) }	1,009,779	116,005	331,779	1,457,563	31,562	18,762	50,324
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheatmeal or Flour	126,595	96,685	...	223,280	777	28	805
Barley Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal	32	...	...	32	141	5	146
Rye Meal	4	...	...	4	...	...	...
Pea Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal ...	1,235	...	50	1,285	...	12	12
Buckwheat Meal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal...	127,866	96,685	50	224,601	918	45	963
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt) }	1,137,645	212,690	331,829	1,682,164	32,480	18,807	51,287
Malt (entered by the Quarter)..... }	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	1,501	...	1,501

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 19th February 1881, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	26,484	1	41	8
Barley	48,952	2	32	1
Oats	5,062	4	20	7

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1877 to 1880.

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.
1877	42,721	5	49,108	4	5,480	6	50	1	40	4	25	7
1878	42,495	5	44,709	2	8,241	7	51	3	44	0	24	1
1879	56,550	2	42,619	7	4,694	7	37	7	34	10	20	3
1880	34,530	1	41,646	3	5,188	6	43	1	35	11	22	2

R. GIFFEN,

Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
February 19, 1881.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

- Robert Bristow, of Percy Villa, Walham Green, Middlesex.
 George Ridsdale, of 35 Euston Square, Middlesex, physician and surgeon.
 Elizabeth Cudlip Rowe, late of Beerferris, Devon, but now of Tavistock, Devon.
 William Hurst, of 67 Lloyd Street, City Road, Hulme, Manchester, Lancaster, salesman.
 Moses Stabbins, of Worle, Somerset, farmer.
 Frederic Hughes, formerly of 69 Great Queen Street, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, Middlesex, vocalist, but now of 31 Ashburnham Grove, Greenwich, Kent, vocalist.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

- Paul Edward Mathews, of 6 Jeffreys Square, St. Mary Axe, London, merchant.
 Paul Cadosch, of 68 Brushfield Street, Spitalfields, Middlesex, merchant.
 Joseph Benjamin Walden, of 2 Villas-on-the-Heath, Hampstead, Middlesex.

James Beale, of 86 York Road, formerly known as 24 Lombard Market, Battersea, Surrey, greengrocer.

Thomas Baker, James Harris, and John Harris, of the Gellyhave Colliery, Maesywmmmer, Mynyddysllwyn, Monmouth, colliery proprietors and dealers in coal.

IN an Application presented to the Sheriff of the County of Ayr, at the instance of COLONEL CHARLES VEREKER HAMILTON CAMPBELL of Netherplace, near Mauchline, Messrs. JOHN WALLACE, residing at Ballochmyle, near Mauchline, Chairman of the Parochial Board of the Parish of Mauchline, JOSEPH TURNER, residing at The Dean, near Kilmarnock, DAVID TAYLOR, residing at Barskimming, near Mauchline, and the REVEREND ANDREW EDGAR, Minister of the Gospel, Mauchline, the Committee of the said Parochial Board, representing in that matter the said Parochial Board, praying the Court, under the circumstances therein set forth, to order such intimation to be made of the said application as to the Court should seem proper, and thereafter to appoint and declare the Burial Ground provided as therein mentioned by the said Parochial Board of the Parish of Mauchline to have been and to be the Burial Ground or part thereof of the said Parish of Mauchline from and after the Term of Martinmas 1880, or from and after such other time as the Court might see cause to fix; also to sanction the Petitioners selling the exclusive right of Burial, either in

perpetuity or for a limited period, in a portion described in said Petition not extending in all to a space greater than one-half of the said Burial Ground which has been appropriated to that purpose, as the same is shown and delineated on the Plan produced therewith; and to sanction the Petitioners selling the right of constructing any Chapel, Vault, or place of Burial, with the exclusive right of Burial therein in perpetuity or for a limited period, and also the right of erecting and placing any Monument, Gravestone, Tablet, or Monumental Inscription in such Burial Ground, and to approve of the fees and payments fixed by the Petitioners as the fees which they may receive in respect of Interments in the said Burial Ground, as these are therein recited, or as the same may in the discretion of the Court be altered or modified; all in terms of the 'Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855,'—the Sheriff-Substitute of said County at Kilmarnock has pronounced a Deliverance in the following terms:—'Kilmarnock, 22d February 1881.—Petitioners' Procurator produces documents per Inventory.—The Sheriff-Substitute having considered this Petition and productions, appoints Notice of the Application and of this Deliverance to be given by Advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette and Kilmarnock Standard Newspapers, and fixes the 9th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, in his Chambers here, for hearing any parties having interest, in terms of the Statute; with certification. (Signed) 'THOMAS ANDERSON.'

Of all which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the Statute and of said Deliverance.

J. & J. STURROCK, Writers,
Petitioners' Agents.

John Finnie Street, Kilmarnock,
23d February 1881.

INTIMATION is hereby given, in terms of an Interlocutor by the Lords of Council and Session, Commissioners for the Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds, dated 21st February 1881, and pursuant to the Statute 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 44, that a Petition has been presented to their Lordships for and in name of GEORGE ERSKINE DARLING, Coalmaster, residing at 12 Crown Gardens, Dowanhill, Glasgow, and Others, Trustees of or Contributors to the Endowment of the Church and proposed new Parish *quoad sacra* of Forth, situated within the Presbytery and County of Lanark, praying their Lordships, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the Acts of Parliament therein recited, to Decern and Erect the Chapel of Ease at Forth into a PARISH CHURCH in connection with the Church of Scotland, and to Mark out and Designate the District specially set forth in the said Petition, consisting of a portion of the Parish of Carnwath, or such other District as their Lordships shall see fit, as the District to be attached *quoad sacra* to the said Chapel; and to Disjoin such District *quoad sacra* from the Parish of Carnwath, to which the same now belongs; and to Erect the said Chapel and District into a Parish Church and Parish *quoad sacra* in connection with the Church of Scotland, to be called THE CHURCH AND PARISH OF FORTH; and to Find and Declare that the Minister and Elders of the said Church and Parish so to be erected shall have and enjoy the status, and all the powers, rights, and privileges of a Parish Minister and Elders of the Church of Scotland; and to Find and Declare that, upon Forth Church aforesaid and District to be attached thereto being erected into a Parish Church and Parish *quoad sacra*, in terms of the foregoing cravings, the election and appointment of the Minister thereto shall be thereafter made in accordance with the provisions of the Act 37 and 38 Victoria, cap. 82, as pointed out in the Deed of Constitution mentioned in the said Petition; but always under reservation of the right of the Presbytery of the bounds to present to the said Church *jure devoluto*, according to law, and as provided in the said Act of the 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 44; and to Find, Decern, and Declare in the premises, in terms of the foregoing cravings, or in such other terms as to their Lordships shall seem meet, as the said Petition in itself more fully bears: And Intimation is hereby further given that, agreeably to the appointment in said Interlocutor, the Petitioners have lodged printed copies of the said Petition

with the Session Clerk of the said Parish of Carnwath and with the Minister of Forth Chapel aforesaid, for the use of such parties interested as may apply for the same.

J. B. M'INTOSH, S.S.C.,

Agent for the Petitioners.

Chambers, 15 Young Street, Edinburgh,
22d February 1881.

NOTICE.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Banffshire, at the instance of George Riddoch, Wood Merchant, Rothiemay, Pursuer, against ALEXANDER GUNN, Fishcurer, Buckie, Defender, praying the Court to decern the above-named Defender to execute a Disposition omnium bonorum for behoof of his Creditors, in terms of 'The Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' on which Petition the Sheriff-Substitute of Banffshire has of this date pronounced a Deliverance appointing the Petitioner to publish a Notice in the Edinburgh Gazette intimating that said Petition has been presented, and requiring all the Creditors to appear on the 28th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, within the ordinary Court House at Banff, and ordaining the Debtor Alexander Gunn to appear on said day and hour, within said place, for public Examination, in presence of the Sheriff; of which Intimation is hereby made.

JOHN FRASER, Solicitor, Keith,
Agent.

Keith, 23d February 1881.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT CHARLES FURLEY, Surgeon, residing at No. 92 Lauriston Place, Edinburgh, carrying on business as a Chemist and Druggist at 1 Downie Place and 1 Earl Grey Street there.

HUGH MILLER, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the said Robert Charles Furley, has presented a Petition to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, under section 103 of 'The Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856,' craving his Lordship to declare all right and interest which belonged to the Bankrupt, *jure mariti* or otherwise, in a sum of £1546, 3s. 1d. Three per Cent. Bank Annuities and the Moiety (one-half) of a sum of £1666, 13s. 4d. like Annuities, with the interests and dividends accrued thereon, to which Ann Elizabeth Goodess or Furley, wife of the said Robert Charles Furley, was entitled under the Last Will and Testament of the deceased Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Smith, wife of Raphael Cesar Robert Smith, of Adams Place, King's Road, Chelsea, in the County of Middlesex, Surgeon, also now deceased, executed by her on 27th April 1842, to be vested in the Petitioner as Trustee foresaid; and to authorize the Petitioner to uplift and discharge the same, and to divide the amount thereof among the Creditors in the said Sequestration, in terms of said Statute; and that upon the said Petition the said Lord Ordinary on 25th February 1881 pronounced a Deliverance appointing the Petition to be intimated in the Gazette, and requiring all concerned to appear in Court for their interest within fourteen days after publication; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

R. AINSLIE BROWN, S.S.C., Agent.

6 York Place, Edinburgh,
25th February 1881.

THE Outstanding Book Debts belonging to the Sequestrated Estate of DAVID KERRON, Draper, King Street, Orrieff, amounting to £340, 13s. 3d., will be exposed for Sale by Public Auction, within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Monday, 28th March 1881, at twelve o'clock noon. Upset Price, £10.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 22d February 1881.

THE Estates of **WILLIAM SCOTT DOUGLAS**, House Agent, Grayfriars Place, Edinburgh, were Sequestered on 22d February 1881, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 22d February 1881.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 8th day of March 1881, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, No. 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 22d day of June 1881.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington at Edinburgh.

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

DANIEL TURNER, Solicitor-at-Law,
24 George Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of the Deceased **RICHARD LUKE MIDDLETON KITTO**, who resided at Preston Lodge, in the Parish of Prestonpans and County of Haddington, were Sequestered on the 22d day of February 1881, by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills.

The first Deliverance is dated the 22d day of February 1881.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 8th day of March 1881, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Mid-Lothian at Edinburgh.

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

GEO. M'INTOSH, S.S.C.,
87 George Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM BENNET, Grocer,
Kingseat, Dunfermline.

WILLIAM POLLARD, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Fraser, Provision Merchant, Dunfermline, Patrick Harvey, Merchant, Balcurvie, and James Hendrie, Tobacco Manufacturer, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dunfermline, on Monday the 7th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. J. & W. Pollard, Chartered Accountants, 137 Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 16th day of March 1881, at twelve o'clock noon.

WILLIAM POLLARD, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 25th February 1881.

SEQUESTRATION of DANIEL HENDRIE, Grocer
and Provision Merchant, Main Street, Pollokshaws.

DAVID BIRD, Junior, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Taylor, Wholesale Grocer, Glasgow, Thomas J. Bolden, Provision Merchant, Glasgow, and Robert Foote, Tea Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House in Paisley, on Monday the 7th day of March next, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Bird & Affleck, C.A., 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 15th day of March next, at eleven o'clock A.M.

DAVID BIRD, Jr., Trustee.

115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
23d February 1881.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN SHIELLS, Farmer, residing at Redmains, in the Parish of Pencaitland and County of Haddington.

GEORGE H. STEVENSON, Solicitor, Haddington, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and George Heriot Stevens, Chemical Manure Merchant, Gullane, Drem, Samuel Dods, Thrashing Mill Proprietor, Somerfield, Haddington, and Thomas Baxter, Merchant, Tranent, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Haddington, on Monday the 7th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the George Inn, Haddington, on Friday the 18th day of March next, at two o'clock afternoon.

G. H. STEVENSON, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of HENDERSON & DIMMACK, Coal and Iron Masters at Drumpeller Ironworks, Coatbridge, as a Company, and the **DRUMPELLER COAL COMPANY**, carrying on business as Coalmasters at Coatbridge, as a Company, and of Robert Henderson of Dundyvan, residing at No. 18 Westminster Terrace, Glasgow, the sole surviving Partner of said Companies, as such Partner, and as an Individual, and also as carrying on business as Coalmaster at Foulshiels, near West Calder, under the name of the **FOULSHIELS COAL COMPANY**.

ROBERT BLYTH, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Robert Donaldson, Iron Merchant, Glasgow, George Miller, Junior, Engineer and Founder, Coatbridge, and Peter M'Donald, Langloan Ironworks, Coatbridge, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Mr. Sheriff Balfour's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 1st day of March 1881, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. M'Clelland, Mackinnon, & Blyth, C.A., 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 9th day of March next, at two o'clock afternoon.

ROBERT BLYTH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 24th February 1881.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES C. STEVEN, Family Grocer, 197 Paisley Road West, Glasgow.

ALEXANDER HUTCHESON SMITH, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Hamilton, Wholesale Grocer, Glasgow, Finlay Bell, Tobacco Manufacturer, Glasgow, and James Pollock, Provision Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Murray, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Friday the 4th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Rattray Brothers & Smith, Chartered Accountants, 45 West Nile Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 14th March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

ALEXR. H. SMITH, Trustee.

TO THE CREDITORS OF

GEORGE WATT, Grocer in Broughty Ferry.

I THOMAS RODGER, Junior, Photographer, St. Mary's Place, St. Andrews, a Creditor on the Sequestered Estates of the said George Watt, do hereby intimate that the Sheriff of Forfarshire has appointed a General Meeting of the Creditors on the said Estates, to be held within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee, on Monday the 7th day of March 1881, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a new Trustee in room of James Henderson, Junior, Accountant in Dundee, who has remained furth of Scotland for the last three months continuously.

T. RODGER, Jr.

Dundee, 23d February 1881.

SEQUESTRATION of ARCHIBALD THOMSON,
Senior, Flesher, Main Street, Rutherglen.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Chambers, 30 John Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 21st March next, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge.

T. A. TENNENT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 23d February 1881.

SEQUESTRATION of DUNCAN FERGUSON, Dairyman, Byars Road, Hillhead, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Chambers, 30 John Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 21st March next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge.

T. A. TENNENT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 23d February 1881.

WILLIAM BRYSON ROBERTSON, Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JAMES CAMPBELL,** Builder, Bainfield, Edinburgh, hereby intimate that the Commissioners have audited my accounts, brought down to 8th February current, and that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within my Chambers, 53 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 21st day of March 1881, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee foresaid.

W. B. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

22d February 1881.

ALEXANDER BURNETT, Solicitor, Elgin, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **ALEXANDER MASSON,** Tailor in Elgin, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Cameron & Allan, Bank of Scotland, Elgin, on Tuesday the 22d day of March 1881, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ALEX. BURNETT, Trustee.

Elgin, 23d February 1881.

JAMES ANDREW, Solicitor in Ayr, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **JOHN REID WILSON,** sometime Spirit Merchant, afterwards residing at Torrhill, Muirkirk, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors held upon the 18th day of February last, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of Twenty Shillings per pound, with interest thereon at five per cent. from and since the date of Sequestration, payable fourteen days 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 Office of R. & D. Fergusson, Writers, Newmarket Street, Ayr, upon Saturday the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock forenoon.

JAMES ANDREW, Trustee.

Ayr, 24th February 1881.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of JAMES NICOL FLEMING,** Merchant, Glasgow.

JOHN THOMAS MAIN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a second Dividend will be paid, within his Counting House, 149 West George Street, Glasgow, upon the 11th day of April 1881.

J. T. MAIN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 24th February 1881.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of ALEXANDER COOPER,** Hatter, No. 1 Spring Gardens, Stockbridge, Edinburgh.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, and that an equalizing Dividend and a second and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Chambers of Messrs. Dall & Miller, C.A., Edinburgh, on Friday the 15th day of April next.

HUGH MILLER, C.A., Trustee.

53 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,
25th February 1881.

ALEXANDER MACTAVISH, Ironmonger, Inverness, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **ALEXANDER MACDONALD,** Carpenter and Contractor, Culcabock Village, near Inverness, hereby intimate that the Commissioners on the Estate have audited my account of intromissions made up to 9th instant, and have examined the state of funds belonging to the Estate as at that date, and have resolved that payment of a Dividend shall be postponed until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. MACTAVISH, Trustee.

Inverness, 24th February 1881.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MILNE,** Fishcurer, Peterhead, and Farmer, Denholm, in the Parish of Peterhead, in the County of Aberdeen.

ALEXANDER WALKER, Grain Merchant, Peterhead, Trustee, hereby gives notice that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. WALKER, Trustee.

Peterhead, 22d February 1881.

ROBERT BRUCE, Bank Accountant, Forfar, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **JAMES BAXTER,** Farmer, Washingdales, near Forfar, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ROB. BRUCE, Trustee.

Forfar, 23d February 1881.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

OWING to the death of Mr. Martin Meldrum, who resided at No. 6 Bonnington Terrace, Bonnington, Edinburgh, the Copartnership of **MELDRUM & ALLAN,** Drapers, Outfitters, Carpet and Furnishing Warehousemen, and carrying on business at Nos. 82, 83, and 84 South Bridge, Edinburgh, under the Firm or Name of Meldrum & Allan, and of which the said Martin Meldrum and the Subscriber James Allan were the sole Partners, has been **DISSOLVED** as at 23d October 1880, and the Business transferred to the Subscriber James Allan, who will receive and discharge all debts due to and by the said Firm.

JAMES ALLAN.

C. MELDRUM,
Executrix of the late Mr. MARTIN MELDRUM.

J. C. DEANS, S.S.C., Edinburgh,
Witness.

A. H. THOMSON, Apprentice-at-Law,
40 Castle Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

Edinburgh, 22d February 1881.

Largs, 19th February 1881.

THE Firm of JAMES CLARK & COMPANY, Drapers, Main Street, Largs, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED as on the 1st day of February current.

The Business will be continued by the Subscriber Thomas Clark in his own name and for his own behoof, and he will pay all debts due by, and is authorized to receive all debts due to, the dissolved Firm.

MARY CLARK.

THOS. CLARK.

ROBERT JACK, Foreman Tailor, Largs,
Witness.

MATTHEW CRAIG, Clerk, residing at 85
Thistle Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE OF
DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Business hitherto carried on under the Firm of MESSRS. HENDERSON, ADAM, & INGLIS, Upholstery and Dress Trimming Manufacturers, and Upholsters' and Tailors' Furnishers, 42 Rose Street and 2 Mound Place, Edinburgh, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

The Subscriber George Adam is authorized to receive and discharge all debts due to the Firm, and he will pay all debts due by the Firm.

Dated at Edinburgh this 11th day of February 1881.

JAS. HENDERSON.

WM. INGLIS.

GEORGE ADAM.

JAMES GOW, S.S.C., Edinburgh, Wit-
ness.

STUART D. ELLIOT, Law-Clerk, 14
Hanover Street, Edinburgh, Wit-
ness.

The above Business will hereafter be carried on by us.

GEORGE ADAM & COMPANY.

GEORGE ADAM.

THE Subscriber Mrs. Mary Buchanan or M'Glashen ceased, as on the 31st day of December last, 1880, to have any interest in the Business of STEWART M'GLASHEN & SON, Sculptors, Marble, Granite, and Stone Works, Canonmills Bridge, Edinburgh.

The Business will be continued by the Subscribers Stewart M'Glashen and John Freeman M'Glashen under

the Firm of STEWART M'GLASHEN & SON, who will pay all debts due by, and receive payment of all debts due to, said Firm of Stewart M'Glashen & Son.

MARY M'GLASHEN.

STEWART M'GLASHEN.

JOHN F. M'GLASHEN.

WM. SAUNDERS, S.S.C., Edinburgh,
Witness.

ROBT. H. WATT, Clerk to the said
Wm. Saunders, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Firm of DOUGLAS & PYOTT, Millwrights and Engineers at Grange of Errol, in the County of Perth, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

The Subscriber George Pyott, who has taken over the whole assets of the Firm, is to continue the Business for his own behoof, and he will pay all debts due by, and is authorized to uplift and discharge all debts due to, the Firm.

Dated at Dundee this 22d day of February 1881.

JOHN DOUGLAS.

GEORGE PYOTT.

DAV. JOHNSTON, Solicitor, Dundee,
Witness.

J. A. LESLIE, Law-Clerk, 31 Reform
Street, Dundee, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers under the Firm of SANGSTER & DUNNINGHAM, Wholesale Watchmakers, 78 Union Street, Aberdeen, was DISSOLVED as at 31st December 1880.

WM. SANGSTER.

WILLIAM DUNNINGHAM.

PETER CLARK, Advocate in Aberdeen,
Witness.

ALEX. MEFFET, Advocate in Aberdeen,
Witness.

The Subscriber William Dunningham will continue to carry on the Business on his own account, and will receive and discharge all debts due to and by the said Firm of Sangster & Dunningham.

WILLIAM DUNNINGHAM.

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

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