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Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners, to both Houses of Parliament, on Thursday, February 15, 1883.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I HAVE summoned you at a date somewhat later than is usual, on account of the advanced period to which the labours of the last Session were protracted.

I have the satisfaction of maintaining with all Foreign Powers relations of friendship and goodwill.

At the close of the last Session I had the pleasure of recording my gratitude to my sea and land forces for suppressing with rapidity and completeness a formidable rebellion in Egypt. Since then tranquility has been restored to that country, clemency has been shown by its ruler to the leaders of the rebellion, and the withdrawal of the British troops is proceeding as expeditiously as a prudent consideration of the circumstances will admit.

The reconstruction of the Government of Egypt, and the reorganization of its affairs under the authority of the Khedive, have in part been accomplished, and will continue to receive my earnest attention. It will be my endeavour to secure that full provision shall be made for the exigencies of order, for a just representation of the wants and wishes of the population, and for the observance of international obligations.

I have already been able to fulfil the promise made by me to the Sultan, and to the Great Powers of Europe, that I would submit to their friendly consideration the arrangements which appeared to me to be the best fitted to insure the

stability of the Khedive's Government, the prosperity and happiness of the Egyptian people, the security of the Suez Canal, and the peace of Europe in the East.

To those objects my policy has been directed in the past, and will be addressed in the future; and I continue to rely with confidence on its just appreciation by other countries.

A Conference of the Great Powers has assembled in London to consider measures for better securing the freedom of navigation on the Danube, which is placed under their guarantee, and forms part of the public law of Europe.

The condition of Zululand, and the possibility of renewed disturbances there, have engaged my most serious attention. With a view to the preservation of peace and order, I have caused the former ruler of that country to be replaced in possession of the greater part of the territories held by him before the war. I earnestly hope that this step may lead to the establishment of a more stable Government, and to the maintenance of good relations between the Zulu nation and the adjoining Colony of Natal.

Papers on these subjects will be presented to you.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The estimates for the services of the coming year are in a forward state of preparation, and will be speedily laid before you.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I am happy to state that the improvement in the social condition of Ireland, to which I referred in

December, continues. Agrarian crime has sensibly diminished, and the law has been everywhere upheld.

At the same time, the existence of dangerous Secret Societies in Dublin and other parts of the country calls for unremitting energy and vigilance on the part of the Executive.

Measures will be promptly submitted to you for the codification of Criminal Law; for the establishment of a Court of Criminal Appeal; and for the amendment and consolidation of the laws relating to Bankruptcy and Patents. There will also be brought to your early notice Bills for preventing Corrupt Practices at Elections, and for perpetuating and amending the Ballot Act.

I have on previous occasions referred to the importance of effecting reforms in the Local Government of the different parts of the United Kingdom. Proposals for the better government of the Metropolis will, in the first place, be submitted to you, and, if time should permit, will be followed by other measures relating to reform of Local Government.

Your attention will be called to Bills dealing with the Conservancy of Rivers and the Prevention of Floods; with the Police in Scotland; with the Universities in that part of the United Kingdom; and with Education in Wales.

You will also be invited to consider a proposal which will more effectually secure to tenants in England and Scotland compensation for agricultural improvements.

You have provided in recent years by a liberal devotion of your time for the most urgent among the needs of Ireland. The claims both of general legislation and of other portions of the United Kingdom will now demand from you a just regard. I trust, however, that you will be able to deal during the present year with some of the legislative wants of Ireland for which provision has not yet been made.

I rely upon your proceeding with energy and prudence; and I beseech Almighty God now, as heretofore, to bless your labours.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE, ST. JAMES'S PALACE, February 5, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday the 19th instant, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

WHITEHALL, February 6, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the death of Doctor Alfred Ollivant, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Venerable Richard Lewis, Clerk, Master of Arts, Archdeacon and Prebendary of the Cathedral Church of St. David, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Llandaff.

INDIA OFFICE, February 10, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James O'Kinealy, Esq., of the Bengal Civil Service, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, in succession to George Gordon Morris, Esq., resigned.

WAR OFFICE, February 13, 1883.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon the undermentioned Officer, whose claim has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for his conspicuous bravery during the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, in Egypt, on the 13th September last, as recorded against his name:—

Regiment.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.
2d Battalion the Highland Light Infantry	Lieutenant William Mor-daunt Marsh Edwards	For the conspicuous bravery displayed by him during the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, on the 13th September 1882, in leading a party of the Highland Light Infantry to storm a redoubt. Lieutenant Edwards (who was in advance of his party) with great gallantry rushed alone into the battery, killed the Artillery Officer in charge, and was himself knocked down by a gunner with a rammer, and only rescued by the timely arrival of three men of his Regiment.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 10th February 1883.

						Quantities.	
Animals living :—							
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	...	...	Number	6,028
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	...	...	"	19,366
Swine	...	...	...	...	...	"	29
Dead Meat :—							
Bacon	...	...	...	...	...	cwts.	80,054
Beef, salted and fresh	...	...	...	...	...	"	26,076
Hams	...	...	...	...	...	"	18,228
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	...	...	"	242
" " preserved	...	...	...	...	...	"	11,423
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	...	...	...	...	...	"	7,699
Mutton, fresh	...	...	...	...	...	"	13,311
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	...	...	...	...	...	Value £	15,983
Butter and Butterine	...	...	...	...	...	cwts.	42,215
Cheese	...	...	...	...	...	"	15,325
Eggs	...	...	...	...	...	Great Hundred	116,133
Lard	...	...	...	...	...	cwts.	20,919
Vegetables :—							
Onions, raw	...	...	...	...	...	Bushels	36,684
Potatoes	...	...	...	...	...	cwts.	90,329
Unenumerated	...	...	...	...	...	Value £	6,881
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—							
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	cwts.	1,087,274
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	"	251,808
Oats	...	...	...	...	...	"	248,756
Pease	...	...	...	...	...	"	23,618
Beans	...	...	...	...	...	"	69,276
Maize	...	...	...	...	...	"	297,569
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	...	...	"	443,054

S. SELDON, Principal.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
February 12, 1883.

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 10th February 1883, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	53,130	3	40	8
Barley	66,032	3	32	10
Oats	9,492	6	21	3

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
February 10, 1883.

R. GIFFEN.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from
1879 to 1882.

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.
1879	62,239	0	50,532	7	4,360	3	38	1	35	5	19	2
1880	36,160	4	51,008	3	4,698	1	43	7	36	10	21	1
1881	36,089	6	54,412	2	6,432	5	42	3	32	9	20	6
1882	45,181	4	58,136	6	5,931	6	46	5	32	5	20	8

R. GIFFEN.

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
February 10, 1883.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
February 8, 1883.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for one situation as Assistant Naturalist in the Natural History Department of the Museum of Science and Art, Dublin, held on the 23d January 1883, and following days, notice of which examination was given in the London Gazette of the 1st December 1882, the undermentioned candidate obtained the first place:—

Nichols, Albert Russell

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
February 12, 1883.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for situations in the Civil Service (Class I.):—

Bailey, Thomas Lewis
Baillie, Ronald Hugh
Barlas, Alexander Richard
Benson, Ralph Beaumont
Bland, William Archdale
Brade, Reginald Herbert
Brooks, James Henry
Browne, Edward Austin
Bull, John Major
Burnett, George Ridley
Cardew, Herbert Walter
Castier, Alfred Benjamin
Cawston, John Westerman
Clough, Arthur Hugh
Dawkins, Clinton Edward
Dodd, William Henry
Fyers, Evan William Hamilton
Hardy, Theodore Bayley
Herbert, Frederick William

Highton, Ernest Albert
Hogg, Evelyn Granville
Lax, William Greenwell
Leonard, Arthur Goolden
Linford, Arthur Howard
McCabe, Michael
MacGregor, Arthur Duncan
McLaren, George
Molony, John Patrick Cornelius
Ottley, Herbert Taylor
Pool, Frederick William
Robertson, Duncan Douglas
Stuart, Alan Lenox Conyngham
Stuart, Thomas George
Wight, George Potts
Wilkinson, Henry Arthur

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Richard Manning, of 8 White Horse Street, Commercial Road, Middlesex, barge owner, lighterman, and ballast contractor.

William Scott, of 165 Huddlestone Road, Tufnell Park, Middlesex, builder and ironmonger, carrying on business at 253 Junction Road, Holloway, Middlesex, and also with George Jolley, of 21 Stamford Terrace, Maygrove Road, West Hampstead, Middlesex, at 253 Junction Road aforesaid, at Tufnell Park Road, and at Brondesbury, all in Middlesex, as builders.

Wilbraham Evers Evelyn Morley, of 90 Saint George's Road, Pimlico, Middlesex.

Gottlieb Schweizerhof, of 18 Brushfield Street, Bishopsgate Street, Middlesex, and late of 6 Delta Street, Wellington Road, Bethnal Green, Middlesex, baker.

John Ward, of 20 Goldhawk Road, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, and late of 9 Blandford Street, Portman Square, Middlesex, tailor.

Benjamin Benjamin, of 337, 339, and 341 Hackney Road, Middlesex, wholesale boot manufacturer and leather and export merchant, trading as Benjamin & Co.

Albert Hill Alphonso Saunders, of 2 Stamford Villas, Friern Road, St. Giles, Camberwell, Surrey, builder and contractor, formerly of 73 Wells Street, St. Giles, Camberwell aforesaid.

Henry Raven, of 26 Albion Grove, Barnsbury, Middlesex, and William Harrison Brewis, of 7 Weston Villas, Middle Lane, Hornsey, Middlesex, and both of 5 Newgate Street and 19 Warwick Square, London, wholesale furriers, trading under the style or firm of Raven, Brewis, & Co., and formerly carrying on business with Frank Walter Franklin at 5 Newgate Street and 19 Warwick Square aforesaid, as wholesale furriers.

Samuel Robinson, of the Fox Farm, Knotting, Bedford, farmer.

David Lloyd, of 165 Ferndale Road, Clapham, Surrey, late financial agent, but now out of business.

Charles James Andrews, of 17 Wind Street, Swansea, Glamorgan, tailor and outfitter.

Benjamin Morley, of 25 Breckfield Road South, Liverpool, Lancaster, now or lately a brewer.

Thomas Miles, of Syston Mill, Syston, Leicester, miller.

Ann Smith, residing at 2 Travis Place, Broomhall, Sheffield, York, and carrying on business at Albert Works, Cambridge Street, Sheffield aforesaid, as ivory cutter and dealer, under the style of Smith Brothers.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MR. DONALD SINCLAIR, Boot and Shoe Maker, 19 George Street, Montrose, having executed a Trust Deed in favour of Mr. Alexander Ramsay, Banker, Montrose, for behoof of his Creditors, all those having claims against Mr. Sinclair are requested to lodge them with the Trustee within fourteen days from this date.

ALEX. RAMSAY, Trustee.

Montrose, 10th February 1883.

JOHAN CHRISTIE, Coal Merchant, Gilmore Park, Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the Lothians at Edinburgh, for Decree of Cessio bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House at Edinburgh, on Monday the 12th day of March 1883, at one o'clock afternoon, when he will appear for public Examination.

CHARLES ROBB, L.A.,
44 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

16th February 1883.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio bonorum, under the 'Debtors' (Scotland) Act, 1880, and Acts explaining and amending the same, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of David Stewart, Advocate in Aberdeen, Pursuer, against ALEXANDER M'BAY, late Farmer, Foveran, now or lately Feuar, residing in Newburgh, in the County of Aberdeen, Defender; and all the Creditors of the said Alexander M'Bay are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House of Aberdeen, upon the 5th day of March next, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, at which Diet the said Alexander M'Bay is ordained to appear for public Examination.

JOHN MURRAY, Solicitor,
Pursuer's Agent.

83 Union Street, Aberdeen,
14th February 1883.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of John M. King, Grain Merchant, 112 and 114 London Street, Glasgow, Pursuer, against Mrs. STEWART, Cambridge Street, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour) has ordained the said Mrs. Stewart to appear for public Examination, within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 1st day of March 1883, at 10.30 A.M., at which all her Creditors are required to appear.

WM. B. PATERSON, Agent.

101 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
15th February 1883.

A PETITION, under 'The Cessio Acts,' has been presented to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh, by ALEXANDER FAIRBAIRN, Fishmonger, Melrose; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Court House, Jedburgh, on the 12th March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

JOHN M'DOUGALL, Solicitor, Jedburgh,
Agent for Petitioner.

Jedburgh, 15th February 1883.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by Thomas Drennan, 26 and 28 Wilson Street, Glasgow, against JAMES BAXTER, Grocer, 242 Great Eastern Road, Glasgow, and residing at 16 Nisbet Street, Parkhead; and all the Creditors of the said James Baxter are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 2d day of March next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when the Bankrupt will appear for public Examination.

JOHN MARTIN,
69 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Petitioner's Agent.

Glasgow, 14th February 1883.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Fraser, Sons, & Company, Warehousemen, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, have presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Argyll at Inveraray, against JOHN M'GREGOR, Clothier, Queen's Buildings, Oban, praying the said Sheriff to grant a Decree of Cessio bonorum against the said John M'Gregor, and to decree and ordain him to execute a Disposition omnium bonorum to a Trustee for behoof of his Creditors; and that the said Sheriff has pronounced a Deliverance thereon, *inter alia*, requiring all the Creditors of the said John M'Gregor to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House at Inveraray, on Friday the 2d day of March 1883, at twelve o'clock noon, when the said John M'Gregor is also ordained to appear for public Examination.

D. MACGREGOR, Solicitor, Oban,
Agent for Petitioners.

Oban, 14th February 1883.

THE Estates of ARCHIBALD REID KESSON, sometime Grieve at Savoch, and presently residing in Jute Street, Aberdeen, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Crombie, Chartered Accountant, 74 Union Street, Aberdeen, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 31st March 1883. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, on Thursday, 3d May 1883, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN CROMBIE, Trustee.

THE Estates of JAMES THOM, sometime carrying on business at 83 King Street, Tradeston, Glasgow, and presently residing at 213 Main Street, Gorbals, Glasgow, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William Wilson, Tea Merchant, 52 Wilson Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 7th day of September 1883. The Creditors meet before Sheriff Balfour, within the County Buildings, Glasgow, on 28th September 1883, at ten o'clock forenoon.

DUNCAN, BAIRD, & YOUNG,
211 Hope Street, Glasgow,
Agents for Trustee.

INTIMATION.

A SUMMONS of Multiplepointing has been raised in the Court of Session, in name of John M'Intosh, Officer of Inland Revenue, residing at Summerhall Place, Edinburgh, a Creditor on the Sequestrated Estates of M'INTOSH BROTHERS & COMPANY, Merchants, Giles Street, Leith, and of Alexander M'Intosh, Merchant there, the only Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, Pursuer, Nominal Raiser, and Common Debtor, against Robert Sutherland, Commission Agent and Traveller, 10 Gordon Street, Leith, a Creditor on the said Sequestrated Estates, Real Raiser, and all the other Creditors ranked or entitled to be ranked on the said Sequestrated Estates, and who have not received full payment of their debts, and who shall lodge claims in the said Process of Multiplepointing; and of which Notice is hereby given, in terms of the 'Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856,' 19th and 20th Victoria, cap. 79, section 150.

W. G. ROY, S.S.C., Agent.

Edinburgh, 13th February 1883.

ALEXANDER HUTCHISON, Grain Merchant in Kirkcaldy, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of PAUL DARLING, Farmer at Easter Elcho, in the Parish of Rhynd and County of Perth, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. HUTCHISON, Trustee.

Perth, 13th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES RITCHIE SOMERVILLE, Farmer, Biun, in the Parish of Abernethy and County of Perth.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts of intrusions for the statutory period ending 31st ultimo, and have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of the next statutory period.

JAMES MOIR, Trustee.

Perth, 9th February 1883.

In the Sequestration of the Deceased JOHN SUTHERLAND, Fish Curer, Greenigoe, in the Parish of Wick and County of Caithness.

WILLIAM MILLER, Tertius, Accountant in Wick, hereby intimates that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors whose oaths and grounds of debt have been lodged with him on or before the 20th ultimo, and completed lists of those Creditors entitled to be ranked on the funds of the said Estate, and also of those Creditors whose claims have been rejected in whole or in part; further, that declaration of a Dividend has been postponed until the recurrence of another statutory period; of all which Notice is hereby given in terms of the Statute.

W. MILLER, Tertius, Trustee.

Wick, 14th February 1883.

THE Estates of WILLIAM STEWART, Merchant Tailor and Clothier in Glasgow, trading under the Firm of W. STEWART & COMPANY, at each of Nos. 42 and 67 Dalmarnock Road, Glasgow, 38 Bridgeton Cross, Glasgow, and 10 West Blackhall Street, Greenock, and under the Firm or Style of The BRIDGETON CLOTHING COMPANY, at Nos. 10 and 12 Canning Street, Calton, Glasgow, of which Firms the said William Stewart is sole Partner, were Sequestrated on the 13th day of February 1883, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 13th day of February 1883.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 27th day of February 1883, 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 13th day of June 1883.

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

ANGUS CAMPBELL, Writer,

109 West George Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of ANDREW M'DOWALL HOUSTOUN, Chartered Accountant and Stockbroker in Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 13th day of February 1883, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 13th day of February 1883.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 23d day of February 1883, 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 13th day of June 1883.

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

H. & R. LAMOND & MACCREIDIE,

93 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN ROBERTSON & COMPANY, Plumbers, 555 Govan Road, Govan, as a Company, and John Robertson, Plumber there, the only known Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 13th day of February 1883, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 31st day of January 1883.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 23d February 1883, 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 13th day of June 1883.

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

M'CLURE, NAISMITH, BRODIE, & Co.,

87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of ANDREW M'KERROW, Farmer in Castlefarm, in the Parish of Colvend and Southwick and Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, were Sequestrated on the 14th day of February 1883, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Kirkcudbright.

The first Deliverance is dated 2d February 1883.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 23d day of February 1883, within the King's Arms Inn, Maxwelltown, in said Stewartry.

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 14th day of June 1883.

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

S. ADAMSON & J. SYMONS, Writers, Dumfries,
Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN TIPPING, Auctioneer and Valuator and General Warehouseman, 26 Dalry Road, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 14th day of February 1883, by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians.

The first Deliverance is dated the 20th day of January 1883.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 23rd day of February 1883, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 14th June 1883.

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

STEWART, GELLATLY, & CAMPBELL, S.S.C.,
8 York Buildings, Edinburgh, Agents.

Edinburgh, 15th February 1883.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Dunville & Company (Limited), Distillers and Merchants, Belfast, for Sequestration of the Estates of HUGH RAMSAY, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Pawnbroker, Kilwinning, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Hugh Ramsay to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. & A. HASTIE, S.S.C., Agents,
5 York Place, Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, 14th February 1883.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Messrs. John Miller & James H. Ferguson, Accountants and Stockbrokers, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of the Deceased ARCHIBALD MACDONALD, Accountant and Stockbroker, Dumfries, who was a Partner of the Firm of MACDONALD & KIRK, Accountants and Stockbrokers, Dumfries, as a Partner of said Firm, and as an Individual, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing Mrs. Mary Taylor or MacDonald, residing at No. 6 Melville Street, Perth, and Mrs. Catherine Thomson or MacDonald, residing at Gillespie's Buildings, Dunkeld Road, Perth, the only successors of the said deceased Archibald MacDonald, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of the Estates of the said deceased Archibald MacDonald should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

FYFE, MILLER, FYFE, & IRELAND, S.S.C.,
Agents for Petitioners.

43 Hanover Street, Edinburgh,
14th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MACKENZIE, Boot and Shoe Maker, 91 Academy Street, Inverness.

JOHN WILLIAM MACKENZIE, Leather Merchant, Inverness, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Hugh Mackintosh, Ironmonger, Inverness, Robert Mackay, Wine Merchant, Inverness, and William Charles MacBean, Solicitor, Inverness, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, on Wednesday the 21st of February current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of Mr. Andrew J. MacRitchie, Solicitor, No. 15 Union Street, Inverness, on Thursday the 1st day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN W. MACKENZIE, Trustee.

13th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM CORNELIUS or WILLIAM MATHIAS THIELE, Decorative Artist, carrying on business at No. 46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, and residing at Hanover Villa, Trinity there.

ALEXANDER JAMES PATERSON, Accountant, 74 George Street, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on this Estate; and Archibald Rodan Hogg, Solicitor, William Cleghorn Murray, W.S., and Marcus John Brown, Solicitor, all of Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Bankruptcy Court Room, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Friday the 2d day of March 1883, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Trustee's Chambers, No. 74 George Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 12th day of March 1883, at two o'clock afternoon.

ALEX. J. PATERSON, Trustee.

74 George Street, Edinburgh,
16th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN SMITH, Manufacturer, Arbroath, carrying on business under the Firm of JOHN SMITH & SON, Manufacturers, Arbroath, of which he is the sole Partner.

ALEXANDER MILN THOMSON, Accountant, Arbroath, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Simpson, Flax Merchant, Arbroath, Joseph Ferguson, Junior, Manufacturer, Arbroath, and Douglas Fraser, Manufacturer, Arbroath, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Forfar, on Monday the 26th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the White Hart Hotel, Arbroath, on Wednesday the 7th day of March next, at one o'clock p.m.

ALEX. M. THOMSON, Trustee.

Arbroath, 14th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS M'URTRIE, Wholesale and Retail Tea Merchant, Ingram Street, Glasgow, now or lately trading under the Firms of M'URTRIE & COMPANY, otherwise THOMAS M'URTRIE & COMPANY, Wholesale and Retail Tea Merchants, Ingram Street, Glasgow, and CASI & COMPANY, Wholesale and Retail Tea Merchants in Glasgow, Dundee, and Greenock, of which Firms he is the sole Partner.

WILLIAM COUPER TAIT, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Macrae and Frank Young Henderson, both Accountants in Glasgow, and Alexander Wallace, Commission Agent there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Sheriff Guthrie's Chambers, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 26th day of February next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, C.A., 65 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 7th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

65 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
12th February 1883.

DAVID BIRD, Junior, C.A., Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of the Deceased WILLIAM M'INTYRE, Junior, Card and Pasteboard Manufacturer, Paisley, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Chambers, 115 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday, 19th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

DAVID BIRD, Jr., Trustee.

Glasgow, 15th February 1883.

WILLIAM MILLER, Tertius, Accountant in Wick, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the Deceased **JOHN SUTHERLAND**, Fish Curer, Greenigoe, in the Parish of Wick and County of Caithness, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within Brims' Rooms, Bridge Street, Wick, on Monday the 26th day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in the room of James Bremner, Shipowner, Palteneystown, Wick, now deceased.

W. MILLER, Tertius, Trustee.

Wick, 14th February 1883.

ROBERT ROMANES, Writer, Lauder, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **ADAM ARCHIBALD**, lately Farmer at Cockburn, Danse, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Ronaldson & Brown, 10 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th day of February, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing two Commissioners, in room of Mr. Thomas Edmonstone, Partner of the Firm of Thomas Edmonstone & Son, Seed Merchants, Edinburgh, whose claim has been withdrawn, and Mr. John Romanes, S.S.C., Edinburgh, whose constituent has died.

ROBERT ROMANES.

Lauder, 15th February 1883.

ROBERT ROMANES, Writer, Lauder, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JAMES ARCHIBALD**, lately Farmer at Glengelt, Lauder, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Ronaldson & Brown, 10 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th day of February, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing two Commissioners, in room of Mr. Thomas Edmonstone, Partner of the Firm of Thomas Edmonstone & Son, Seed Merchants, Edinburgh, whose claim has been withdrawn, and Mr. John Romanes, S.S.C., Edinburgh, whose constituent has died.

ROBERT ROMANES.

Lauder, 15th February 1883.

ROBERT ROMANES, Writer, Lauder, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JOHN ARCHIBALD**, lately Farmer at Duddingstone, South Queensferry, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Ronaldson & Brown, 10 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th day of February, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing two Commissioners, in room of Mr. Thomas Edmonstone, Partner of the Firm of Thomas Edmonstone & Son, Seed Merchants, Edinburgh, whose claim has been withdrawn, and Mr. John Romanes, S.S.C., Edinburgh, whose constituent has died.

ROBERT ROMANES.

Lauder, 15th February 1883.

ANDREW LOWSON, Manufacturer, Arbroath, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **PETER GAVIN & SONS**, Rope and Sail Makers, Leith and Musselburgh, as a Company, and Peter Wishart Gavin, Rope and Sail Maker there, the sole surviving Partner of that Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Boyd, Jameson, & Kelly, W.S., at No. 55 Constitution Street, Leith, on Monday the 19th day of March 1883, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ANDW. LOWSON, Trustee.

Arbroath, 15th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES PAYNE, formerly Cattle Dealer, residing at Nethertown, in the Parish of Troqueer, afterwards residing at Saughtrees, near Dumfries.

JOHN CLARK, Auctioneer in Dumfries, Trustee on the Estate, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held in the Office of Messrs. Craig & Geddes, Solicitors, 8 English Street, Dumfries, on Monday, 12th March next, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application being made for his discharge.

CRAIG & GEDDES, Agents.

Dumfries, 15th February 1883.

ROBERT BRUCE, Bank Accountant, Forfar, Trustee, hereby intimates that a final account of his intrusions in the Sequestration of **JAMES BAXTER**, Farmer, Washingdales, brought down to 9th current, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held on Monday, 12th March next, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Chambers of Messrs. Myles, Solicitors, Forfar, to consider as to an application to be made by him for his exoneration and discharge as Trustee foresaid.

ROB. BRUCE.

Forfar, 13th February 1883.

NOTICE.

ROBERT BOUSIE ROBERTSON, Potato Merchant and Commission Agent, residing or lately residing at The Retreat, Dunbar, in the County of Haddington.

ROBERT LYLE, Writer and Banker, North Berwick, the Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Wood & London, Solicitors, 13 Market Street, Haddington, upon Wednesday the 7th day of March 1883, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge as Trustee foresaid.

ROB. LYLE, Trustee.

North Berwick, 16th February 1883.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM WALKER & COMPANY, Manufacturers at Boyne and Merchants in Banff, both in the County of Banff, and Hugh Stein, residing in Banff, and William Kerr Walker, residing at Boyne aforesaid, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

WALTER GALBRAITH, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimates that a final account of his intrusions, brought down to the 1st day of February 1883, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held on Tuesday the 13th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, Accountants, 91 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, to consider as to an application to be made by him for his exoneration and discharge as Trustee foresaid.

WALTER GALBRAITH, Trustee.

91 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
14th February 1883.

WILLIAM BAXTER, Commission Agent, Peterhead, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **GEORGE MITCHELL**, Ship Broker, recently in Peterhead, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 1st instant, has been audited by the Commissioners; further, that on and after Monday, 2d April next, an equalizing Dividend and also a second Dividend will be paid, within his Office, No. 20 Harbour Street, Peterhead, to those Creditors whose claims have now been duly lodged and admitted.

WILLIAM BAXTER, Trustee.

Peterhead, 15th February 1883.



SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM STEWART & CO.,
Timber Merchants and Saw Millers, 157 Great Junction Street, Leith, and William Stewart, Timber Merchant and Saw Miller there, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to the 30th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute; that a Dividend will be paid, within his Chambers, 58 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on and after Friday the 30th day of March 1883, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged within the first statutory period, and which have been admitted by him.

JAMES CHARLES PARK, Trustee.
Glasgow, 14th February 1883.

NOTICE.

THE Concern of WILSON & WATSONS, Wholesale Tea Dealers, 52 Wilson Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers are the only Partners, was DISSOLVED of this date, by the retirement of the Subscriber William Wilson.

The affairs of the Firm will be liquidated by the other Subscribers.

WILLIAM WILSON.

DAVID HANNAY, Writer, 209 West George Street, Glasgow.
ALEX. M'LENNAN, Law-Clerk, 209 West George Street, Glasgow.
Witnesses to the Signature of William Wilson.

WM. WATSON, Jr.
PETER G. WATSON.

WM. G. LINDSAY, Chartered Accountant, 157 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.
GEORGE C. WATT, Clerk, 157 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.
Witnesses to the Signatures of William Watson, Jr., and Peter G. Watson.

Glasgow, 15th February 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between the deceased Robert Howard, Joiner and Builder in Castle-Douglas, and Joseph Howard, Joiner and Builder there, in the Trade or Business of Joiners and Builders carried on by them in Academy Street, Castle-Douglas, under the Firm of R. & J. HOWARD, was on the 19th day of January last DISSOLVED by mutual consent between the late Robert Howard's Trustees and Joseph Howard; and in future the Business will be carried on by the said Joseph Howard on his own separate account, and the said Joseph Howard will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the said Partnership.

AGNES HOWARD,
JOSEPH HOWARD,
J. B. PENMAN,
JOHN NIVISON,
ROBERT S. WILSON.
Trustees of ROBERT HOWARD.
JOSEPH HOWARD.

HUGH FRASER, Clerk to Messrs. Lidderdale & Gillespie, Writers, Castle-Douglas, Witness.
R. F. MAXWELL, Clerk to Messrs. Lidderdale & Gillespie, Writers, Castle-Douglas, Witness.
Castle-Douglas, 1st February 1883.

Lanark, 15th February 1883.

THE Copartnership carrying on business as Wholesale and Retail General Drapers, Clothiers, Milliners, and Dressmakers at Lanark, under the Firm of HUME & FORBES, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, was on the 10th February current DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

The Subscriber George Hume will continue to carry on the Business under his own name, and will receive payment of all the debts due to the late Firm, and discharge all its liabilities.

GEORGE HUME.
JOHN FORBES.

JOHN S. BARR, Draper, Lanark, Witness.
GEORGE MITCHELL, Cutter, Lanark, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of GORDON & YOUNG, carrying on the business of Slaters and Plumbers at Galston, was DISSOLVED as at the 14th day of February 1883, by mutual consent of the Subscribers, owing to the retirement of the Subscriber John Gordon, Slater, Galston, from the Business.

The Subscriber William Young, who will carry on the Business under his own name, will receive and pay all debts due to or by the late Firm.

JOHN GORDON.
WILLIAM YOUNG.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said John Gordon and William Young—
ANDREW CAMERON, Solicitor, Newmilns.
ROXBURGH BLACK, Miner, Galston.

THE Firm of F. & A. HENDERSON, Fruiterers and Florists, 73 Sauchichall Street, Glasgow, has, of mutual consent of the Subscribers Francis Henderson and Alexander Henderson, the sole Partners thereof, been DISSOLVED as on 1st February 1883, by the retirement of Alexander Henderson.

The Subscribers Francis Henderson and Annie Henderson, having agreed to carry on the said Business as from 1st February under the same Firm, will pay all debts due by, and they are authorized to receive and discharge all debts due to, the dissolved Firm.

FRANCIS HENDERSON.
ALEXANDER HENDERSON.
ANNIE HENDERSON.

ALEX. FRASER MACBEAN, Writer, 140 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.
DAVID MUIR, Clerk, 140 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto carried on under the name of JAMES HOUSTON & SON, Steamboat and Coal Agents in Largs, and of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has of this date been mutually DISSOLVED, by the retirement of the Subscriber James Houston, Senior.

The Business will hereafter be continued under the same name by the Subscriber Alexander Houston, who will pay the debts due by, and collect all sums due to, the Firm.

Largs, 12th February 1883.
JAMES HOUSTON, Senr.
ALEX. HOUSTON.

ALEXANDER HILL, Writer, West Kilbride and Largs, Witness.
ROBERT HILL, Clerk-at-Law, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of TAYLOR & M'FADZEAN, Builders, Glasgow, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners.

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

WILLIAM M'FADZEAN.

WALTER K. SIMPSON, Clerk-at-Law,
of 213 West George Street, Glas-
gow, Witness.

CHAS. HOWARD, Jr., Apprentice-at-
Law, of 213 West George Street,
Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 14th February 1883.

NOTICE.

THE Company carrying on business under the Firm of JOHN YOUNG & CO., Manufacturers, Burnside Works, Menstrie, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on the 27th day of January 1883.

The Business will hereafter be carried on under the same Firm Name of JOHN YOUNG & Co. by the Subscriber Robert Young for his sole behoof.

JOHN YOUNG.

ROBERT TAYLOR, Writer, Stirling,
Witness to the Signature of John
Young.

WM. KEITH ROBERTSON, Law-Clerk,
22 Barnton Place, Stirling, Witness
to the Signature of John Young.

ROBERT YOUNG.

ROBERT TAYLOR, Writer, Stirling,
Witness to the Signature of Robert
Young.

WM. KEITH ROBERTSON, Law-Clerk,
22 Barnton Place, Stirling, Witness
to the Signature of Robert Young.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of M'CASKIE & BROWN, S.S.C., Edin-
burgh, was DISSOLVED on 31st January last, of
mutual consent, their Contract of Copartnership having
terminated.

A. M'CASKIE.

M. J. BROWN.

W. CAMPBELL MILNE, Law-Clerk, 8
York Buildings, Edinburgh, Wit-
ness.

JAS. A. STRACHAN, Law-Clerk, 8
York Buildings, Edinburgh, Wit-
ness.

Edinburgh, 16th February 1883.

NOTICE OF
DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Partnership carried on by the Subscribers as
Tailors and Clothiers in Kirriemuir under the
Firm of BROWN & DAVIDSON, has been this day
DISSOLVED of mutual consent.

The Subscriber James Brown will discharge all debts
due by, and collect the outstanding accounts of, the now
dissolved Firm.

JAS. BROWN.

JAMES DAVIDSON.

J. DAVIDSON, Solicitor, Kirriemuir,
Witness.

CHAS. NICOLL, Clerk to James David-
son, Solicitor, Kirriemuir, Witness.

Kirriemuir, 15th February 1883.

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