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FOREIGN OFFICE, April 14, 1886.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Malcolm Hugh Drummond, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul on the East Coast of Africa.

FOREIGN OFFICE, May 20, 1886.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William George Aston, Esq., to be Japanese Secretary to be Her Majesty's Legation at Tokio.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 10, 1886.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. A. Brown as Consul at Newcastle, with jurisdiction over that part of New South Wales comprised between Queensland, the River Barwan, the Arbutnot Mountains, and Broken Bay, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians; of Mr. A. Van Rompaey as Consul at Sydney, with jurisdiction over New South Wales, with the exception of the territory comprised between Queensland, the River Barwan, the Arbutnot Mountains, and Broken Bay, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians; of Mr. Robert Beadon as Consul in Tasmania for His Imperial Majesty the Mikado; and of Mr. Guillermo Naylor Carne as Vice-Consul at Falmouth for the United States of Mexico.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Lauderdale to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th June 1886.

The Right Honourable Edward Marjoribanks, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th June 1886.

Sir George Lauderdale Houstoun Boswall, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th June 1886.

Sir William Marjoribanks, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th June 1886.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
June 8, 1886.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Third Class Clerk in the Department of Her Majesty's General Register House, Edinburgh, will be held in Edinburgh, commencing on the 26th July 1886, under the Special Regulations dated the 3d October 1884, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

A preliminary examination will be held in Edinburgh on the 13th July 1886.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the examination.

No person will be admitted to examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 2d July, an 'application' in the candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, at once.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ended Saturday the 29th day of May 1886.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland.....	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	311909	644766	956675	661839	80667	742506
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	298299	558674	856973	676428	80798	757226
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	218913	509964	728877	314006	68811	382817
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	254265	591573	845838	511454	67483	578937
National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	221397	477093	698490	428124	63974	492098
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	281870	558556	840426	435302	105661	540963
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	107006	123663	230669	177360	17425	194785
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	202344	218438	420782	300491	22645	323136
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	217975	401123	619098	337139	83294	420433
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness	53434	33341	70235	103876	47319	14519	61838

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

Dated this 10th day of June 1886. J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

William Nicholas de Mattos, 27 Leadenhall Street, London, and Ashburnham House, Eliot Hill, Blackheath, Kent, commission merchant and agent.
 Charles Evans, 21 West Street, Cambridge Heath, Middlesex, mineral water manufacturer.
 Richard Percival Bodeley Frost, 5 Verulam Buildings, Gray's Inn, and 30 Woburn Place, both in Middlesex, of no occupation.
 Percy Portway Harvey, the Corn Exchange, Mark Lane, London, and Bishop's Stortford, Hertfordshire, corn, coal, and seed merchant.
 Thomas Charles Johnson, 44 Bridge Road, Hammer-smith, Middlesex, formerly horse dealer, now of no occupation.
 Robert Poulter, 122 and 122A High Street, Peckham, Surrey, cab proprietor.
 Thomas William Seammen, 109 High Street, Camden Town, Middlesex, draper.
 John James Tosen, 64 King William Street, London, and Railway Approach, London Bridge, and 159 Brixton Road, both in Surrey, watchmaker and jeweller.
 Thomas Shaw, the Hydropathic Establishment, Colwyn Bay, Denbighshire, physician and surgeon.
 Evan Williams, Llanengan, Carnarvonshire, shoemaker.
 William Wilkinson, Harbro' Terrace, Barnsley, joiner.
 George Luscombe, 140 Main Street, Bingley, Yorkshire, pot hawker.
 Joseph Matthewman, residing at 926 Bolton Road, and trading at 8 Leeds Road, both in Bradford, maker-up and packer.
 James Hutchings, 7 Egremont Place, Brighton, commission agent.
 Richard Morgan James, 12 Bridge Street, Carmarthen, saddler.
 Robert Pender, Ellerslie House, Eastwood, Nottinghamshire, mechanical engineer.
 Theophilus Midgley, Soothill, Dewsbury, and Station Lane, Batley, Yorkshire, waste merchant.
 Thomas Newell Winfield, late High Street, Kates Hill, Dudley, Worcestershire, grocer.
 William Cole Beckett, 58 Green Lanes, Stoke Newington, Middlesex, bootmaker.
 James Isaac Loveys, Queen House, Old Town Street, Dawlish, Devonshire, builder.
 Frederick Charles Ramshaw, 7 Grosvenor Crescent, Deansgate, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, also trading with Frederick Pemberton Koe and Charles Ithell Bethell, at The Avenue, Bishop Lane, and at 44 Derringham Street, both in Kingston-upon-Hull, as the Hull and East Riding Drysalters' Company, manager of creosote works, and blue, black lead, and dry soap manufacturer.
 Charles Henry Smith, 144 Cleethorpe Road, Great Grimsby, hairdresser and music-seller.
 John Stanley, 8 Tonning Street, Lowestoft, Suffolk, tailor and outfitter.
 Frederick Easton, The Down, Westfield, Sussex, builder.
 Charles Griffiths, 31 Manchester Street, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, draper.
 Charles Bensley, Northdelph, Norfolk, carpenter and wheelwright.
 William Holland Short (trading as William Rainey), the Vulcan Spring and Coach Iron Works, Lady Lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, and residing at 2 Barker's Yard, Crown Point Bridge, Leeds, coachsmith.
 Rebecca Houldcroft, 112 Bold Street, Liverpool, Lancashire, milliner.
 John Sharpley Benson, 13 Duke Street, Macclesfield, Cheshire, commercial traveller.
 Henry Newton Eldershaw (trading as Jas. Pearson & Co.), the Dane Mill, Congleton, Cheshire, millowner.

James Wilkinson Brewis, residing at 4 Warwick Place, Newcastle-on-Tyne, merchant's clerk.
 James Henderson, 51 Bridge Street, Morpeth, Northumberland, plumber, tinsmith, and gasfitter.
 John Albury, Minster House, St. Mary's Butts, Reading, Berkshire, and the General Market, Reading, grocer and provision merchant.
 Henry Gilpin, 274 Glossop Road, Sheffield, Yorkshire, jeweller, fancy dealer, and commission agent.
 John Morton, 82 Nicholson Road, Heeley, Sheffield, Yorkshire, grocer, beer retailer, and cutler.
 George William Tingle, 57 Furnival Street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, grocer and beer retailer.
 George Fernall Hardwick, West End Hotel, Lawson Street, Stockton-on-Tees, licensed victualler.
 Samuel Kettle, 31 Carlisle Street, Dresden, near Longton, Staffordshire, baker, grocer, and provision dealer.
 William Bradford, 182 High Street West, Sunderland, Durham, grocer and provision dealer.
 Frederick William Curry (trading as Curry & Son), Meneage Street, Helston, Cornwall, tailor and outfitter.
 Edwin Griffin, Grampond Road, Cornwall, general dealer.
 James Kelman, Normanton, Yorkshire, draper.
 William Deakin, 94 Stafford Street, Walsall, Staffordshire, corn factor, and hay and straw dealer.
 George Etheridge, Chestnut Cottage, Otterbourne, Hampshire, farmer and machinist.

THE BRITISH AND AFRICAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED AND REDUCED).

NOTICE is hereby given that on the Petition presented by the above Company to the Court of Session in Scotland (Second Division,—Mr. Martin, Clerk), craving confirmation of a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the Company, passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 17th day of March 1886, and confirmed at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting held on 14th April 1886, in terms of the Companies Acts, the said Court have pronounced the following Deliverance, viz.:—*Edinburgh, 11th June 1886.*—The Lords having resumed consideration of the Petition with the documents produced instructing intimation made in terms of the preceding Interlocutor, dispense with settling a list of Creditors of the Petitioners, The British and African Steam Navigation Company (Limited and Reduced), incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1880; confirm the reduction of the capital of the said Company from £750,000, divided into 15,000 shares of £50 each, to £600,000, divided into 15,000 shares of £40 each, by returning to the holders of the 13,000 shares already issued paid up capital to the extent of £2 per share, and by reducing the nominal amount of all the shares from £50 to £40, all in terms of the Special Resolution of the Company set forth in the Petition; approve of the Minute, Reduction of Capital, No. 13 of process, showing with respect to the capital as altered the amount of such capital, the number of shares into which it is to be divided, and the amount of each share, and the amount deemed to have been paid up on each share at the date of registration of the Minute; appoint this Order and the said Minute to be registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and allow the Petitioners on the expiry of fourteen days from the date of such registration to discontinue the addition to the name of the Company of the words 'and Reduced'; further, appoint intimation of this Order and of said Minute to be made in the *Edinburgh Gazette*, and *Decern*.

'MONCREIFF, I.P.D.'

A copy of the Minute referred to in the above Deliverance is appended hereto.

MACKENZIE, INNES, & LOGAN, W.S.,
 Edinburgh, and
 ROBERTSON, LOW, ROBERTSON, & CROSS,
 Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

14th June 1886.

[OVER.

'Minute of Reduction of Capital of the British and African Steam Navigation Company (Limited and Reduced).

'The Capital of the Company is £600,000, divided into 15,000 shares of £40 each. At the date of the registration of this Minute 13,000 of said shares have been issued, which have been, and are to be deemed to have been, fully paid up, and the remaining 2000 shares have not been issued.'

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased REVEREND ALEXANDER ECKFORD WATSON, who resided at Raeburn Cottage, Raeburn Place, Edinburgh.

WILLIAM NATHANIEL FRASER, Solicitor, Supreme Courts of Scotland, Judicial Factor upon the Estate of the said deceased Reverend Alexander Watson, hereby intimates that he has prepared and lodged in Court (First Division,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), a State of Funds and Scheme of Division of the said Estate, to be considered and approved of by the Court, of which all concerned are hereby required to take notice.

WM. N. FRASER.

41 Albany Street, Edinburgh,
14th June 1886.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' and the 'Bankruptcy and Cessio (Scotland) Act, 1881,' has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, by Mrs. JANE GORDON, 13 Gilmore Place, Edinburgh, for the benefit of the Process of Cessio; in which Sheriff-Substitute (Rutherford) has ordained the Petitioner to appear for public Examination on 5th July 1886, at two o'clock, within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, at which all her Creditors are required to appear.

JNO. VEITCH, L.A., Petitioner's Agent.

Edinburgh, 15th June 1886.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of the Trustees and Executors of the late James Sutherland Chisholm of Chisholm, against PETER SHAW, Farmer, Wester Runivraid, in the Parish of Kilmorack and County of Inverness; upon which Petition the Sheriff has granted a Deliverance requiring all the Creditors of the said Debtor to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, upon the 24th day of June 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said Debtor to appear for public Examination; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

STEWART, RULE, & BURNS, Solicitors, Inverness,
Agents for Petitioners.

Inverness, 12th June 1886.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of the Trustees and Executors of the late James Sutherland Chisholm of Chisholm, against Mrs. CATHERINE CHISHOLM or SHAW, Wester Runivraid, in the Parish of Kilmorack and County of Inverness; upon which Petition the Sheriff has granted a Deliverance requiring all the Creditors of the said Debtor to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, upon the 24th day of June current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said Debtor to appear for public Examination; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

STEWART, RULE, & BURNS, Solicitors, Inverness,
Agents for Petitioners.

Inverness, 12th June 1886.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of Alexander Macfarlan & Company, General Merchants, Greenock, against the REVEREND JOHN A. MACRAE, Minister at Balloch, in the Parish of North Uist and County of Inverness; upon which Petition the Sheriff has granted a Deliverance requiring all the Creditors of the said Debtor to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, upon the 24th day of June current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said Debtor to appear for public Examination; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

STEWART, RULE, & BURNS, Solicitors, Inverness,
Agents for Petitioners.

Inverness, 12th June 1886.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of DAVID AIRD, sometime residing at 18 Brougham Place, Edinburgh, and now at 20 Glen Street there, Pursuer, against his Creditors, Defenders; upon which Petition the Sheriff-Substitute has granted a Warrant requiring all the Creditors of the Pursuer to appear within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Friday the 2d day of July 1886, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said David Aird to appear for public Examination.

WILLIAM BLACK, S.S.C.,
3 Hill Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

NOTICE.

A PETITION, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, by John M'Gill, Grain and Provision Merchant, 12 Old Sneddon Street, Paisley, Pursuer, against PHILIP M'CAFFERTY, Contractor, 11 New Smith-hills Street, Paisley, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Philip M'Caafferty to appear for public Examination within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, Sheriff Court House, Paisley, on Friday the 25th day of June current, at one P.M., at which Diet all Creditors are required to appear.

REID & DICKIE, Writers,
10 St. Mirren Street, Paisley,
Agents for Pursuer.

THE Estates of MURDO MATHESON, Polmoed, near Guthrie, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Edward James Leslie, Solicitor, 1 Hill Street, Arbroath, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 15th September next. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Forfar, on 7th October next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN R. W. CLARK, Solicitor, Arbroath,
Agent for Trustee.

Arbroath, 12th June 1886.

TO THE CREDITORS IN

The Process of Cessio Bonorum at the instance of JOHN JAMES TULLOCH, Shipmaster, residing in Scalloway, Shetland.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Caithness, Orkney, and Zetland at Lerwick, John James Tulloch, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Caithness, Orkney, and Zetland at Lerwick, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Decree of Cessio bonorum, in terms of the Statutes.

ALEX. MACGREGOR, Solicitor, Lerwick,
Agent for Petitioner.

Lerwick, 12th June 1886.

THE Estates of JAMES BONE, carrying on business as a Ship and Insurance Broker and Merchant in Greenock under the Name or Firm of FOLDS & BONE, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, were Sequestrated on the 11th day of June 1886, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Renfrew and Bute at Greenock.

The first Deliverance is dated the 11th day of June 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 23d day of June 1886, within the Tontine Hotel in Greenock.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 12th day of October 1886.

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

DUNCAN CLERK, Writer, Greenock,
Agent.

THE Estates of JAMES MURPHY, Egg Merchant, 48 Saint Mary Street, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 12th day of June 1886, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 12th day of June 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 22d day of June 1886, 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 12th day of October 1886.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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

GREGOR MACGREGOR, S.S.C., Agent,
2 South St. David Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JOSEPH HUTCHISON, Importer of Foreign Merchandise, Gordon Street, Glasgow, carrying on business under the designation of JOSEPH HUTCHISON & SONS, Importers of Foreign Merchandise at Gordon Street, Glasgow, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, were Sequestrated on the 14th of June 1886, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 14th of June 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 24th of June 1886, 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 14th of October 1886.

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

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

NOTICE.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, at the instance of James Torrance, Farmer, Maidenburn, in the Parish of Avondale, for Sequestration of the Estates of ROBERT SHIELDS, Coal Agent and Lime Merchant, Cotcastle, Stonehouse, his Lordship, of yesterday's date, granted Warrant for citing the said Robert Shields to appear in Court on an *inducia* of eight days from the date of citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

AND WALLACE LYON, Solicitor, Strathaven,
Agent.

Strathaven, 12th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of ARTHUR ALLISON, Hay Dealer, Springside Cottage, Dunlop.

A DAM DUNLOP, Accountant, Avenue Square, Stewarton, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Steel, Farmer, High Kilbride, Stewarton, George Dunlop, Farmer, Warnockland, Fenwick, and John Gibson, Farmer, Hillhouse, Stewarton, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Kilmarnock, on Wednesday the 23d day of June 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Andrew Steele, Writer, Avenue Square, Stewarton, on Monday the 5th day of July next, at one o'clock afternoon.

ADAM DUNLOP, Trustee.

Stewarton, 14th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of HUGH DUNCAN, Wood and Commission Merchant, 102 Bath Street, Glasgow (now deceased).

J OHN WRIGHT ROBB, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Wilson, Wood Merchant, Bonnybridge, Robert Black, Joiner, Brechin, and Henry Smellie, residing at 82 East Crosscauseway, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. J. W. Robb & Gunn, Accountants, 97 West George Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 24th day of June 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

J. WRIGHT ROBB, Trustee.

Glasgow, 14th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE BRAID, Builder, Parkside Terrace, Edinburgh.

A LFRED CHARLES ROWDEN, Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Dobson, Slater, No. 2 Bernard Terrace, Edinburgh, and David Purvis, Plumber, No. 12 Rose Street, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Bankruptcy Court Room, Sheriff Court Buildings, George the IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 23d day of June next, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Stewart, Gellatly, & Campbell, S.S.C., 8 York Buildings, Edinburgh, on Friday the 2d day of July next, at two o'clock afternoon.

A. C. ROWDEN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 15th June 1886.

In the SEQUESTRATION of HANNAY & SONS, Ironmasters in Glasgow, as a Firm or Company, and of Robert Hannay of Ruseo, residing at Ulverstone, Lancashire, and of Robert Hannay, Junior, Ironmaster in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of said Firm or Company of Hannay & Sons, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held in his Chambers, No. 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Friday the 25th current, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in room of the late Robert Donaldson, Iron Merchant in Glasgow.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 14th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of DOUGALL & M'ARTHUR, Fish Curers, Eyemouth, and Thomas Dougall and James M'Arthur, the Individual Partners of said Firm.

A MEETING of the Creditors will be held in the Town Hall, Eyemouth, on Thursday, 24th June 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider, and if so resolved upon, to accept the resignation of the Trustee.

R. P. DISHART, Trustee.

12th June 1886.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JAMES M'MURTRIE, China Merchant, Ayr, who was sole Partner of the Firm of JAMES M'MURTRIE & COMPANY, China Merchants, Ayr.

DAVID CRAWFORD, Accountant in Ayr, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within his Chambers, 62 Newmarket Street, Ayr, upon the 5th day of July 1886.

DAVID CRAWFORD, Trustee.

Ayr, 14th June 1886.

DANIEL COOPER BOOTH, Solicitor, Stonehaven, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of DAVID ROBERTSON, Farmer, Koughbog, Durriss, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

D. COOPER BOOTH, Trustee.

Stonehaven, 14th June 1886.

In the SEQUESTRATION of A. T. PRINGLE & COMPANY, Agricultural Implement Agents, Corn Exchange Buildings, Edinburgh, and Thomas Hubback Pringle.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend.

ROBT. C. MILLAR, Trustee.

30A India Street, Edinburgh,
14th June 1886.

DAVID FORSYTH, Solicitor in Elgin, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ARTHUR DUFFES, Solicitor in Forres, in the County of Elgin, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

DAVID FORSYTH, Trustee.

Elgin, 11th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MURDOCH TEVIN-DALE, Boot Manufacturer and Merchant, Trongate, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 30th ultimo, has been audited and approved of by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. H. SMITH, C.A., Trustee.

Gresham House, 45 West Nile Street,
Glasgow, 14th June 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS CROW, Builder, Caledonian Crescent, Edinburgh.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts, brought down to 30th ultimo, and postponed the declaration of a Dividend till another statutory period.

W. B. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

53 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh,
14th June 1886.

ALEXANDER MOORE, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JOHN BELL of North Park House, Hamilton Drive, Glasgow, now deceased, as an Individual, and as sole Partner of the following Firms, viz.:—J. & M. P. BELL & COMPANY, Potters, Glasgow Pottery, Glasgow; The GOVAN TUBE COMPANY, Malleable Iron Tube Makers, Govan, near Glasgow; J. BELL & COMPANY, East India Merchants and Agents, West Regent Street, Glasgow, and BELL & COMPANY, Commission Agents, Rangoon, British Burmah,—hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to 29th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners.

ALEX. MOORE, Trustee.

209 West George Street, Glasgow,
14th June 1886.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of HANNAY & SONS, Ironmasters in Glasgow, as a Firm or Company, and of Robert Hannay of Rusco, residing at Ulverston, Lancashire, and of Robert Hannay, Junior, Ironmaster in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of said Firm or Company of Hannay & Sons, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to the 28th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed the declaration of a further Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee.

115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
14th June 1886.

In the SEQUESTRATION of A. SIMPSON & COMPANY, Timber Merchants, Ruchill Saw Mills, Maryhill Road, Glasgow, as a Company, and William Macadam, Timber Merchant, Maryhill and Glasgow, a Partner of that Company, as such Partner.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 3d ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute, and that they have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee.

115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
14th June 1886.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of JOHN M'CALL & COMPANY, Corn Factors and Merchants, Glasgow, is DISSOLVED as of this date, by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners.

GEORGE LOWE,
J. C. M'CALL.

WILLIAM ANNAN, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.
DAVID JOHNSTON, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.

Glasgow, 14th June 1886.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Subscriber Alexander Macneur retired, as at 1st May 1886, from the Firm of MACNEUR & BRYDEN, Booksellers, Stationers, and Publishers, Helensburgh, of which he and Samuel Bryden were the sole Partners.

The Subscriber Samuel Bryden has assumed as a Partner William Bryden, who will continue the Business under the same Firm Name of MACNEUR & BRYDEN on their own account, and they will receive payment of all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the late Firm.

A. MACNEUR.
SAM. BRYDEN.
WILLIAM BRYDEN.

JOHN B. MACLACHLAN, Solicitor, Helensburgh, Witness.

GEORGE R. MURRAY, Law-Clerk, Helensburgh, Witness.

Helensburgh, 11th June 1886.

THE Copartnership of WILLIAM MOYES & SONS, carrying on business as Sanitary Plumbers, Gas-fitters, and Bellhangers at Maxwell Road, Pollokshields, and at Cathcart, of which the Subscribers were the Partners, was DISSOLVED on the 30th day of April 1885, by the retiral of the Subscriber William Moyes, Junior, from the Copartnership.

The Subscribers William Moyes, Senior, and John Moyes, who have retained the Business, are authorised to receive and pay all debts due to and by the dissolved Copartnership.

WILLIAM MOYES, Senr.
JOHN MOYES.

J. H. SMITH, Clerk, 57 Maxwell Road, Pollokshields East, Witness.

JOHN WARE, Writer, 120 Bath Street, Glasgow, Witness.

To the Signatures of William Moyes, Senior, and John Moyes.

WILLIAM MOYES, Junr.

ALLAN F. BAIRD, Writer, 211 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

WILLIAM G. FLEMING, Law-Clerk, 211 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

To the Signature of William Moyes, Jr.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership Concern of JOHN YOUNG & COMPANY, Timber Merchants and Saw Millers in Paisley, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was, by expiry of the Contract, DISSOLVED on 31st May last.

The Subscribers John Young and James Hunter Young will continue the Business under the same Firm of JOHN YOUNG & COMPANY, and will uplift all debts owing to, and pay all debts due by, the late Firm.

Jno. YOUNG.
SAMUEL YOUNG.
JAs. H. YOUNG.

ROB. RUSSELL, Writer, Paisley, Witness.

ANDREW R. HARPER, Law-Apprentice, Paisley, Witness.

Paisley, 14th June 1886.

MRS. JANET BUCHAN RITCHIE or BAXTER, residing at Broughty Ferry, Widow and Executrix-dative of the deceased Robert Baxter, Merchant and Twine Manufacturer, Bell Street and Hilltown, Dundee, hereby intimates that she has sold the whole stock in trade of the Business of ROBERT BAXTER & COMPANY, formerly carried on by the said Robert Baxter, to George Buchan Ritchie and John Crystal, Merchants and Twine Manufacturers, Dundee, who will carry on the Business under the same name.

Debts due to the previous Firm may be paid to the said George Buchan Ritchie and John Crystal, and parties having claims against the previous Firm are requested to lodge such with the new Firm, who are authorised to adjust and settle the same.

Broughty Ferry, 9th June 1886.

J. B. BAXTER.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Mrs. Janet Buchan Ritchie or Baxter—

GEO. B. SIMPSON, Merchant, Dundee.

JAMES B. STIVEN, Law-Apprentice, 32 Bank Street, Dundee.

GEO. B. RITCHIE.
J. P. CRYSTAL.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said George Buchan Ritchie and John Crystal otherwise John Patrick Crystal—

ANDREW HENDRY, Solicitor, Dundee.

JAMES FORSYTH, Solicitor's Clerk, 32 Bank Street, Dundee.

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