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EXTRA GLASGOW CIRCUIT.

Tuesday, 28th February 1888, at eleven o'clock.

Lords FRASER and KINNEAR.

JAMES WALLACE, Esq., *Advocate-Depute*.

ÆNEAS MACBEAN, *Clerk*.

WAR OFFICE, February 3, 1888.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz.:—

Gerald Herbert Portal, Esq., a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,

DUBLIN CASTLE, February 2, 1888.

Her Majesty, by Her Royal Letter, having appointed Edward Nugent, the Earl of Milltown, to be of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.

W. S. B. KAYE.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,

DUBLIN CASTLE, February 1, 1888.

Her Majesty, by Her Royal Letter, having appointed Peter O'Brien, Esquire, Q.C., Attorney-General for Ireland, to be of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.

W. S. B. KAYE.

FOREIGN OFFICE, February 2, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert Hermann Morstadt as Consul in the Island of Penang for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Sidney T. Taudevin as Consul at Guernsey for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Hans Jörgen Gundersen as Consul at Melbourne, with jurisdiction over the Colonies of Victoria and Tasmania, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. José Maria Lluch as Vice-Consul at Halifax for Spain.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 3, 1888.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified

for the appointments set against their respective names:—

January 30, 1888.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London—Margaret Collie.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postman, London—Edward George Hickers.

Postmistress, Wragby—Emily Agnes Pickering.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—Matthew Blythe, otherwise Matthew Cloudsdale (Bradford, Yorks), Annie Browne (Market Drayton), Frank George Browne (Bristol), Albert Edward Taylor Chadwick (Rochdale), Martha Ellen Dixon (Godalming), John Murphy (Queenstown), John Prince Pemberton (Crewe), Harriet Mary Redwood (Margate), William John Sugden Taylor (Southampton), Edward Turner (Liverpool), Eleanor Gertrude Watkins (Folkestone).

Postmen—Crouch William Giles (Devizes), George Tomkinson (Preston), Albert Thomas Willoughby (Bath), William Yates (Pershore).

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Admiralty: Second Class Assistant Constructor—Thomas Mitchell.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Frederick George Ayres.

January 31, 1888.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Southampton—Arthur George Barber.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Walter William King.

Subordinate Officer, Division II.—Robert Crank.

Post Office: Postman, Dublin—James Walter Brady.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—James Augustus O'Brien (Limerick), Frederic William Roberts (Wolverhampton).

Postmen—Joseph Hall (Workington), Arthur Ernest Merrey (Burton-on-Trent), James Milne (Turriff), William Frederick Sothcott (Winchester), Charles William Spreckley (Wolverhampton).

February 1, 1888.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division I.—George Archman, Ralph Quimby.

Post Office: Sorter, London—Eli Alfred Smith.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—Harry Ellis Aves (West Hartlepool), Albert Ernest James Martin (Tavistock), Eveline Mary Smith (Farnborough, Hampshire).

Postmen—Arthur Albert Edward Carter (Cheltenham), Frank Thomas Goldsmith (Tunbridge Wells), William Dea Graham (Mid-Calder), Thomas William Hume (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Daniel Mainwaring (Llanelly), Herbert Edward Smith (Tunbridge Wells).

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 3, 1888.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 12th February 1876, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments and Transfers in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of January 1888:—

APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty—Henry Cock, William James Fitze, Henry James Lonnon, George Alexander Malpas, James Brown Marshall, John Henry Morrison, Joseph Newnham, and James Alfred Yates, to be Constructors.

Henry Horatio Ash, William Stanley Batt, James Cotsell, George Crocker, Henry Darley, Lewis George Davies, William Gowings, Joseph Millard, Charles Grose Nichols, Joseph Congdon Smale, William Edward Smith, and William Henry Whiting, to be First Class Assistant Constructors.

Charles Pink Bailey, Edward Beaton, John Black, John Henry Cardwell, Henry Robert Champness, William Henry Gard, William Thomas Hockaday, William Joseph Luke, Edmund John Maginness, William Henry Malpas, Thomas Mitchell, Frederick Brown Ollis, Henry Pledge, William Woodley Turpin, and Joseph Welch, to be Second Class Assistant Constructors.

William James Everett to be Third Class Assistant Constructor.

Bankruptcy (Scotland), Office of the Accountant in—James Urquhart Anderson to be Temporary Clerk.

Home Office—Richard Donald Bain, to be Assistant Inspector of Mines.

Inland Revenue—John James Howe, to be Supplementary Clerk in the Solicitor's Office.

Post Office—Laura Ellen Robyns-Owen (Pwllheli), and Emily Agnes Pickering (Wragby), to be Postmistresses.

Constance Mary Marwood, to be Female Clerk.

War Office—John Rigby, to be Superintendent of the Royal Small Arms Factory, Enfield.

CLERKS AND BOY CLERKS OF THE LOWER DIVISION.

Colonial Office—Robert Marcus Crawford Esdale, to be Clerk.

Education Department—Ernest Grace Westell, to be Boy Clerk.

Inland Revenue—George Percival Best and Robert Stanley Hammond, to be Boy Clerks.

Post Office—James William Schofield, to be Clerk.

Frederick William Austin, Joseph Bamford, Reginald Ernest Ellis, Herbert Hale, Harold Tom Hanson, Arthur Canler Hayward, Wilfrid George Hoare, Walter George Lovell Ivins, Henry Price Johns, and Walter Herbert Rashlee Toone, to be Boy Clerks.

War Office—Albert Edward Gundry to be Clerk.
Wilfred Ernest Bateman, to be Boy Clerk.

TRANSFER,

with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

Foreign Office—Herbert William M'Quown, Clerk of the Lower Division, from the Education Department.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

John Carruthers, 91 Bishop's Road, Victoria Park, Middlesex, tailor and draper.

Alfred Everill, lately carrying on business at 24 Old Bond Street, Middlesex, late of Harcourt Lodge, Eldon Road, South Norwood, Surrey, present address the petitioning creditors are unable to ascertain, fine art dealer and commission agent.

Harry Fendick, 83 Chiswell Street and 1 Mylne Street, Claremont Square, both in Middlesex, draper.

John Hay, the Cock and Castle, Mansford Street, Hackney Road, Middlesex, publican and public-house manager.

John William Hayball, 22 Great Windmill Street, Haymarket, Middlesex, baker.

Julius Samuel Miller, 10 Bell Yard, Fleet Street, London.

George Edward Shirt, 17 New Park Road, Brixton Hill, Surrey, lately trading also at 19 New Park Road, Brixton Hill, Surrey, oil and colour man.

R. A. Triscott, 25 Cockspur Street, Charing Cross, and Teddington Hall, Teddington, both in Middlesex, solicitor.

Henry Turner, 337 Goswell Road and 56 Essex Road, Islington, both in Middlesex, coffee-house keeper.

Abel Jones, Water Street, Abergale, Denbighshire, butcher and dealer in game.

Richard Jones, Grendon Common, near Atherstone, Warwickshire, carrier.

Thomas Davies, 42 Bradshawgate, Leigh, Lancashire, grocer.

Robert Hall, Bollings Yard, Bradshawgate, Bolton, and 204 Toppings Road, Turton, both in Lancashire, oil and tallow merchant.

Lewis Watson, residing at Westgate, Cleckheaton, and Joseph Birkett, residing at Toft Street, Cleckheaton, trading as Watson & Birkett, Upper Lane Mills, Cleckheaton, Yorkshire, curriers and leather dealers;

Frank Richard Dingle (trading as F. Dingle & Co.), 3 Woodcock Street, Roath, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, and trading at Westgate Street, Cardiff, boot and shoe dealer.

William Jenkin Phillips, 8 Stepney Street, Llanely, Carmarthenshire, grocer.

George Rolph, the Belle Vue Hotel, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, wine merchant and hotel keeper.

Thomas Hughes, The Northgate, Chester, builder.

James Robinson, Church Street, Heckmondwike, Yorkshire, greengrocer and poultryer.

Eli King, Honiton, Devonshire, baker, corn dealer, and cattle dealer.

John Brown Nicholson, formerly Bridge Street, Whitby, Yorkshire, late Eastbourne, Sussex, now 12 Richmond Terrace, Exeter, formerly ironmonger, now out of business.

Jonathan Dawson, Thurlton, Norfolk, farmer.

Susannah Maria Sallows, Westhall, near Wangford, Suffolk, farmer.

William James Price, 42 Tranquil Vale, Blackheath, Kent, china and glass dealer.

James William Broadbridge, 5 Park Road, St. Leonard's-on-Sea, and trading at 3 Eversfield Place, St. Leonard's-on-Sea, Sussex, bookseller and stationer.

Arthur Sanders, Stansted Mountfitchett, Essex, builder.

Frederick Jackson, residing at 28 Prospect Street, and trading at Chapel Hill Mills, East Parade, both in Huddersfield, Yorkshire, waste opener.

Christopher Gibson, 41 Low Fellside, Kendal, Westmoreland, builder and cowkeeper.

George Harrison, the Hare and Hounds Inn, Holme-upon-Spalding Moor, Yorkshire, innkeeper, blacksmith, and farmer.

James Henry Osbourn, 3 Woodside Villas, Holderness Road, Kingston-upon-Hull, engineer, contractor, machine and metal broker.

Eugène Thomas Andrew Delaven, 21 High Street, Wimbledon, Surrey, hairdresser.

Thomas Brown and Samuel Brown (trading as T. Brown & Son), Nottingham Street, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, tailors.

Charles Delhavé, carrying on business at 13 Mawson Chambers, Deansgate, Manchester, translator of modern languages.

John Faulkner, 13 Great Ducie Street, Strangeways, Manchester, electric engineer.

Thomas Rees, 14 Cresswell Terrace, Neath, Glamorgan-shire, labourer, late licensed victualler.

Robert Bewick Tiplady, 338 Askew Road, Gateshead, Durham, butcher.

William Oliver Jones, Lion Hotel, Newtown, and 1 Market Street, Newtown, Montgomeryshire, iron-monger and glass and china dealer.

William Brighty, Hockering, Norfolk, late grocer and shopkeeper.

Thomas Robert Kennion, formerly residing at King Street, Wigan, late Normanby Street, Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool, both in Lancashire, now residing and having for the greater part of the past six months resided in lodgings at 33 Cank Street, Leicester, and at 66 Gregory Boulevard, Hyson Green, Nottingham, theatrical manager.

Tom Harry Holding, Carters Green, West Bromwich, Staffordshire, painter, plumber, and glazier.

Isaac Barnett, 33 Pembroke Street, Pembroke Dock, dairy farmer.

Samuel John David Taylor, 4 King Alfred's Place, Swanage, Dorsetshire, butcher.

William James, late 112 and 114 Chapel Street, Salford, Lancashire, baker and provision dealer.

William Hoggarth, Filey, Yorkshire, cowkeeper.

James Fletcher, 586 Shoreham Street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, silversmith.

Thomas Woolley, residing at the Central Temperance Hotel, 16 St. James Street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, and also trading at the Derby Temperance Hotel, 152 Pond Street, Sheffield, temperance hotel keeper.

George Dean, Wellington Road, Newport, Salop, commercial traveller.

William Thomas Almond, 3 Lower Hillgate, Stockport, Cheshire, residing at 48 Hall Street, Stockport, tailor and clothier.

Francis Hall, 21 Baxtergate, Whitby, Yorkshire, and lately residing at 28 Flowergate, Whitby, watchmaker and jeweller.

John James Shields, Thornhill Cottage, Durham Road, Sunderland, Durham, monumental sculptor and builder.

David Thomas, 49 Llangafelach Road, Swansea, fruiterer and fish dealer.

Walter Houliston, 8 Harrison Street, Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire, draper.

Frederick Arnold, Sussex House School, Streatham, Surrey, schoolmaster.

Bridget Theresa McDonnell, 8 Bedford Street, Leamington, Warwickshire, refreshment-house keeper.

Frederic Stacey (trading as George Stacey & Sons), 52 High Street, Uxbridge, Middlesex, ironmonger and ironfounder.

William Moseley, 30 Deanery Row, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, trading at 30 Deanery Row, Wolverhampton, at 27 and 28 Saint James Square, Wolverhampton, as William Moseley & Company, and at 48 Worcester Street, Wolverhampton, as Josiah Taylor, Plimley, & Company, lock manufacturer, printer, wholesale stationer, hardware merchant, and factor.

John South, Eastnor, Herefordshire, farmer.

James Stuart Boyd, 1 Cumnoch Terrace, Castle Cary, Somersetshire.

John Collier, 36 Fossgate, York, butcher.

Robert Thomas Gill, Kirk Deighton, Grange-in-Kirk Deighton, Yorkshire, farmer.

The following amended Notice is substituted for that published in the Edinburgh Gazette of 10th January 1888:—James Edwin Merchant, Rosebank, Ablington, parish of Bibury, Gloucestershire, grocer.

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, have prepared the Draft of a Scheme for the future administration of the Endowments known as the AYR ACADEMY FUNDS, the FERGUSON OR DOONHOLM MORTIFICATION, the COWAN BURSARIES, DR. PATON'S FUND, the PINMORE BEQUEST, SMITH'S ENDOWMENT, PATERSON'S ANNUITY, SLOAN'S BEQUEST, and the COWAN GOLD MEDAL FUND, the COATS GOLD MEDAL FUND, and the HAMILTON PRIZE FUND, in the County of Ayr and Burgh and Parish of Ayr, whereof an abstract is appended. The Commissioners will, in terms of the Twenty-fourth Section of said Act, receive and consider any objection made to them in writing by any public body or persons interested respecting such Scheme, and any amendments proposed thereon, provided that the same be delivered at their Office, at No. 46 George Street, Edinburgh, within two calendar months from the date hereof. Printed copies of the said Scheme may be had on application to Messrs. A. & C. Black, Booksellers, Edinburgh, Sale Agents for H.M. Stationery Office, at 3d. per copy.

G. R. GILLESPIE,
Secretary to Commissioners.

46 George Street, Edinburgh,
7th February 1888.

Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of

the Endowments known as the Ayr Academy Funds, at present held and administered by the Directors of the said Academy, incorporated by Royal Charter, dated 28th June 1798, for behoof of the said Academy; the Ferguson or Doonholm Mortification, at present held and administered under a Deed of Donation by John Ferguson, Esquire of Doonholm, dated 4th October 1790; the Cowan Bursaries, at present held and administered under the Trust Disposition and Settlement of David Cowan, Esquire of Auchendrane, dated 4th April 1868; Dr. Paton's Fund, at present held and administered under the Will of the late Robert Paton, D.D., Minister of St. David's Parish in Glasgow, dated 1878; the Pinmore Bequest, at present held and administered under the last Will and Settlement of Hugh Hamilton, of Pinmore, dated 13th October 1823; Smith's Endowment, at present held and administered under a Disposition and Assignment of Captain John Smith, dated 6th May 1817; Paterson's Annuity, at present held and administered under and in virtue of a Codicil attached to the Will of William Paterson, Attorney at Law, Kingston, Jamaica, dated 30th October 1829, and a Disposition by William Paterson, Esquire of Montgomerie, dated 14th and 17th August and 18th September 1849; Sloan's Bequest, at present held and administered under the last Will and Testament of Miss Margaret Sloan, of Donaghadee, County Down; and the Cowan Gold Medal Fund, the Coats Gold Medal Fund, and the Hamilton Prize Fund, at present held and administered by the Directors of the said Ayr Academy.

Preamble.

1, 2. Future Administration; Transference of Property.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall consist of the following persons, viz.:—

Two persons elected by the Magistrates and Council of the Burgh of Ayr;

One person elected by the Kirk-Session of Ayr;

Three persons elected by the School Board of Ayr;

Two persons elected by the Directors of Ayr Academy to be members of the governing body for their respective lives or until they shall resign their membership.

On the death or resignation of the first of these life members the Sheriff of the county shall elect one person, and on the death or resignation of the remaining life member the Merchant Company of Ayr shall elect one person. The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies, either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the Kirk-Session and the Magistrates and Council shall, in the case of

the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiration of that period. The governors elected by the School Board, the Sheriff, and the Merchant Company shall, in the case of the first election falling to be made by these bodies and the Sheriff respectively, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiration of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections or appointments subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiration of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected or re-appointed. The first governors shall be elected as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiration of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the proper electing body or to the Sheriff, as the case may be, and the electing body or the Sheriff, as the case may be, shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, elect a governor to hold office from the expiration of said term. Any election not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiration of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

4-17. Vacancies; Meetings; Chairman; Quorum and Execution of Deeds; Minutes; Power to Appoint Committees; Accounts; Business Arrangements; Casual Profits; Powers of Sale and Investment; Audit.

18. First Meeting.—Within two months from the date of this Scheme, a meeting of the governors shall be held upon the summons of the Clerk of the Directors of the Academy. At this meeting they shall make arrangements for the conduct of business, and shall elect a chairman; but they shall not, at this or any subsequent meeting, transact any business that is not necessary for the immediate administration of the Endowment until the whole of the first governors are elected or appointed.

19-22. Clauses relating to Future Administration and Discharge of Governing Body.

Application of Income.

23. Application of Income.—The governors, after paying the necessary expenses of management and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free income of the Endowment in the manner hereinafter provided.

24. Free Scholarships.—The governors shall apply a sum not exceeding £30 in paying, in whole or in part as they may think fit, the fees of scholars, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools in the parish of Ayr, for elementary education as defined in the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882. The free scholars shall be children whose parents or guardians, not being in receipt of parochial relief, are in such circumstances as to require aid for providing elementary education, and are persons who, in the opinion of the governors, ought not to be required to apply to the Parochial Board for such aid.

In the case of children under ten years of age, the selection of free scholars shall be made with due regard to merit, as ascertained by such examination, suited to the age of the candidates, as the governors may from time to time prescribe; or in the case of children for whom such examination is unsuitable, by evidence that the children possess such qualifications as to justify their selection; and in the case of children who have been in attendance at school during one or more school years, the governors shall, in making their selection, give special weight to good conduct, attendance, and progress at school during the previous year. The fees in respect of children under ten years of age shall not be paid for more than one school year without re-appointment, and the amount to be expended in paying fees for such children shall not exceed one-third of the amount to be applied under this section.

In the case of children of ten years of age and upwards, the free scholars shall be selected by competitive examinations, which shall be open to all of the same age who are eligible in terms hereof, whether they have or have not previously been beneficiaries; and for such children the school fees may continue to be paid for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine. If any scholar gain a school bursary his school fees shall no longer be paid under this section.

The governors, at the end of every school year, shall obtain from the teacher or teachers a special report as to the conduct, regularity of attendance, and progress of all scholars whose school fees are paid in whole or in part under this section, and the fees of no scholar shall continue to be paid in regard to whom such report is not satisfactory.

25. School Bursaries.—The governors shall apply an annual sum of not less than £45 in establishing school bursaries, to be called one-half the Ferguson School Bursaries and one-half the Pinmore School Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £5 nor more than £10. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the burgh or parish of Ayr, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may from time to time be fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school; and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid for giving them higher education; these bursaries shall be tenable for such period not exceeding three years as the governors may determine at the Ayr Academy.

26. University or Technical School Bursaries.—The governors shall apply an annual sum of not less than £80, in establishing bursaries for university education, which shall be called the Cowan Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £20 nor more than £30. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among those who have been pupils in the Ayr Academy for at least six months before the date of examination; they shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding four years, as the governors may determine, at any Scottish University. It shall be in the power of the governors to award the said annual sum or such portion of it as they shall think proper, in the event of no fully qualified candidate presenting himself for the

University Bursaries, in bursaries of not less than £15 nor more than £20, tenable for such period as the governors may determine at a technical school approved by them.

27. Annual Payment to the School Board of the Burgh of Ayr.—The governors shall pay the whole residue of the Endowment to the School Board of the Burgh of Ayr on condition—

- (1) That the School Board shall apply the same for the purposes of higher instruction in Ayr Academy, by augmenting the salaries of the Rector, who shall, in the case of any appointment after the date of this Scheme, be a graduate of some university in the United Kingdom, and of the other teachers in such shares as the governors shall see fit to appoint, or by increasing the teaching staff; and that it shall not be used for the relief of payments from any other quarter, nor to permit the reduction of fees.
- (2) That the School Board give free education in the Ayr Academy, with books and stationery, to twelve scholars who have passed the fifth standard, and who shall be selected by the governors by competitive examination under the conditions and regulations of the twenty-fifth section hereof, from boys attending public or State-aided schools in the parish or burgh of Ayr. The free education thus given shall be continued for a period not exceeding three years, and shall include any subjects taught in the school. The governors shall award the benefits of this section in such a way that as nearly as may be the same number of boys shall be elected annually.

The governors shall satisfy themselves from time to time that the said annual payment is applied under the conditions contained herein for the promotion of higher instruction; and, if it appears to them that the said annual payment is not so applied, they shall withdraw the same; provided always that, if the said School Board object thereto, the consent of the Scotch Education Department shall be obtained before the withdrawal of the said annual payment.

28. Application of Annual Payment to School Board in event of Withdrawal.—In the event of the School Board declining to accept the said annual payment under the conditions of the immediately preceding section, or in the event of its being at any time withdrawn under the provisions thereof, the governors shall apply the said surplus income in establishing bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £10 nor of more than £15. These bursaries shall be tenable for a period not exceeding three years at such schools for higher education or technical instruction as the governors may approve, and shall be awarded by competitive examination among the pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the burgh or parish of Ayr, whose age at the date of the competition shall not exceed fourteen years.

29. Forfeiture of Bursaries.—If, in the judgment of the governors, the holder of any bursary shall be guilty of serious misconduct, or fail to make reasonable progress, they may withdraw such bursary, and their determination in such case shall be final.

30. Annual Distribution of Bursaries.—The governors shall establish the bursaries herein provided for in such manner as to secure that they

shall be awarded in as nearly as possible equal numbers in each year.

31. Residue of Income.—The residue of the free annual income, in so far as it has not been applied under the provisions of this Scheme, shall be invested by the governors as soon as it shall amount to £50, and form part of the capital fund of the Endowment.

32–36. Future Administration; Power to apply to Court of Session for Alteration; Power to make Bye-Laws and Standing Orders; and to receive Additional Donations. Scheme to be Printed.

INTIMATION is hereby given that FRANCIS WILLIAM CLARK, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, of No. 1 Mitre Court Buildings, Temple, London, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11 and 12 Victoria, cap. 36, 16 and 17 Victoria, cap. 94, 38 and 39 Victoria, cap. 61, and 45 and 46 Victoria, cap. 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for the conveyance to him in fee-simple of the Estates of ULVA, ORMAIG, INCHKENNETH, KILPATRICK, and Others, in the County of Argyll; but always subject to and burdened with all debts and annuities secured upon said Estates, or with such debts or claims for which said Estates are liable, in so far as these are not otherwise met. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 3rd day of February 1888.

W. & J. COOK, W.S.,
Agents of the Petitioner.

61 Castle Street, Edinburgh,
6th February 1888.

INTIMATION is hereby given that the Honourable ATHOLL MONSON FORBES, of Brux, in the County of Aberdeen, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of BRUX, in the Parishes of Kildrummy, Cushnie, and Towie, and County of Aberdeen, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Entail Acts, for authority to disentail the said Entailed Estate. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 3rd February 1888.

SKENE, EDWARDS, & BILTON, W.S.,
Agents for Petitioner.

21 Hill Street, Edinburgh,
4th February 1888.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Sir HERBERT EUSTACE MAXWELL, of Monreith, Baronet, Member of Parliament for the County of Wigtown, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of MONREITH and Others, in the County of Wigtown, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11 and 12 Vict. cap. 36, 16 and 17 Vict. cap. 94, 38 and 39 Vict. cap. 61, 41 and 42 Vict. cap. 28, and 45 and 46 Vict. cap. 53, and relative Acts

of Sederunt, for authority (1) to charge the said Entailed Lands and Estate of Monreith and others with a sum of £40,000; (2) to substitute Bonds and Dispositions in security for £24,790, 9s. 7d. over the fee of the said Entailed Lands and Estate and others, other than the Mansion-House, Offices, and Policies thereof, for the unexpired portions of certain rent charges and annual rents affecting the said Lands and Estate; and (3) to find that the sum of £4628, 5s. has been expended by the Petitioner on the said Lands and Estate, and to authorise him to charge the said Entailed Lands and Estate therewith, or with such other sum as may be ascertained by their Lordships to have been expended by the Petitioner on said improvements. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 4th day of February 1888.

J. & F. ANDERSON, W.S.,
Agents of the Petitioner.

48 Castle Street, Edinburgh,
7th February 1888.

INTIMATION is hereby given that JOHN HENRY FRANCIS KINNAIRD SCOTT, Esquire of Gala, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of GALA and Others, in the Counties of Selkirk and Roxburgh, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11 and 12 Vict. cap. 36, 16 and 17 Vict. cap. 94, and 31 and 32 Vict. cap. 84, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to charge the said Entailed Lands and Estate with provisions. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 3rd February 1888.

TODS, MURRAY, & JAMIESON, W.S.

66 Queen Street, Edinburgh,
3rd February 1888.

NOTICE.

APPLICATION has been made to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, by Peter Wright, Farmer, Knock, near Renfrew, to be appointed Executive *qua* Creditor to the Deceased WILLIAM PINKERTON, Potato Merchant, Paisley, of which application Notice is hereby given to all concerned.

R. & T. RUSSELL, Writers, Paisley,
Agents.

Paisley, 3rd February 1888.

AIRDRIE AND COATBRIDGE WATER COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Proprietors of the Airdrie and Coatbridge Water Company will be held in the Offices of the Company at Airdrie, on Tuesday the 14th day of February 1888, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering and (if thought fit) approving of the following Bill proposed to be introduced into Parliament in the ensuing Session, under the title after mentioned, and which will be submitted to the Proprietors of the said Company at such Meeting, viz. :—

'A Bill for authorising the Airdrie and Coatbridge Water Company to construct new Works, to raise additional Capital, and for other purposes.'

JOHN JEFFREY, Chairman.

PETER TAYLOR, Secretary.

Airdrie and Coatbridge Water Company's
Offices, Airdrie, 27th January 1888.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS IN

The Cessio of ROBERT BIRNIE LESLIE, Sculptor and Monumental Worker, Prince Street, Peterhead.

WILLIAM CUMINE MACBEAN, Auctioneer in Peterhead, Trustee, hereby intimate that the Sheriff has continued the Diet for the second Meeting of Creditors to the 2nd day of March 1888, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff Court House, Peterhead. Creditors who have not already done so, must lodge their claims with me on or before the 10th instant.

W. C. MACBEAN, Trustee.

Peterhead, 6th February 1888.

THE Estates of THOMAS M'OMISH, Thorn Farm, Fowlis Wester, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Charles Eliezer Colville, Solicitor, Crief, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 13th day of April 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Perth, on Friday the 4th day of May 1888, at two o'clock afternoon.

A. ANDERSON CONNON, Solicitor, Crief,
Agent for the Trustee.

THE Estates of JOSEPH COUTTS, Farmer, Rosebrae, in the Parish of Monquhitter and County of Aberdeen, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Alexander Jack, junior, Miller, Backmill, by Turriff, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 15th day of February current. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House of Aberdeen, on the 7th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

A. J. BRANDER, Agent for Trustee.

Aberdeen, 6th February 1888.

THE Estates of JAMES WATSON, Farmer, Hallyards, in the Parish of Fordyce and County of Banff, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Alexander Sim, Solicitor, Cullen, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 30th May next. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Banff, on Wednesday, 20th June next, at half-ten o'clock forenoon.

ALEX. SIM, Trustee.

Cullen, 3rd February 1888.

THE Estates of WILHELMINA THOMSON, Merchant, Mid Street, Buckie, wife of Alexander Thomson, residing there, have been transferred, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, to John Love M'Naughton, Solicitor in Buckie, as Trustee for behoof of her Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 30th day of May 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Banff, on 20th June 1888, at 10.30 A.M.

JOHN L. M'NAUGHTON, Trustee.

Buckie, 3rd February 1888.

THE Estates of WILLIAM WISEMAN, Merchant, Buckpool, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Alexander Mair, Solicitor in Buckie, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 18th day of April 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Banff, on Wednesday the 9th day of May 1888, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon.

ALEX. MAIR, Trustee.

THE Estates of CHARLES GUNN, Baker, 123, Church Street, Inverness, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Mr. Duncan Mackintosh, Commission Agent, Dempster Gardens, Inverness, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 10th February current. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, on the 16th February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JAMES A. M. WATSON, Solicitor, Inverness,
Agent for Trustee.

Inverness, 4th February 1888.

THE Estates of WILLIAM COLQUHOUN HOPE, Plumber and Lead Merchant, Kilblain Street, Greenock, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to David Kerr, Accountant, 27 West Burn Street, Greenock, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 11th day of April 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street (West), Greenock, on Wednesday the 2nd day of May 1888, at twelve o'clock noon.

DAVID KERR, Trustee.

27 West Burn Street, Greenock,
6th February 1888.

THE Estates of ADAM M'LEOD, Sailmaker, Campbeltown, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to James Birnie Dickson, Solicitor, Supreme Courts of Scotland, Campbeltown, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 4th day of May 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Campbeltown, on the 25th day of May 1888, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JAMES B. DICKSON, Trustee.

Campbeltown, 3rd February 1888.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Banff, at the instance of James Stewart, Farmer, Midthird, Botriphnie, against WILLIAM SPENCE, Feuar, Fife Keith, residing at Braehead, Keith; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said William Spence to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House at Banff, upon the 25th day of February 1888, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

JOHN G. FLEMING, Solicitor,
Agent for Petitioner.

Mid Street, Keith, 2nd February 1888.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of LEWIS T. MERROW & SON, Shipbrokers, 57 West Nile Street, Glasgow, and Lewis T. Merrow, Shipbroker there, the only known Partner of that Firm.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, Lewis T. Merrow & Son and Lewis T. Merrow, both designed above, hereby intimate that they presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by them, or either of them, before the date of the Sequestration of their Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

SMILLIE & BLYTH,
141 West George Street, Glasgow,
Petitioners' Agents.

Glasgow, 6th February 1888.

THE Estates of JAMES KERR REID, Draper, High Street, Dunfermline, carrying on business under the Firm of J. K. REID & COMPANY, of which he is the sole Partner, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 16th day of February 1888, within St. Margaret's Hall, Dunfermline.

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 4th day of June 1888.

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

JAS. CURRIE MACBETH, Solicitor, Dunfermline,
Agent.

THE Estates of PAUL CAMPBELL, Moulding and Glass Merchant, 87 Dunlop Street, Glasgow, carrying on business there under the Firm of PAUL CAMPBELL & COMPANY, of which Firm he is sole Partner, were Sequestrated on 3rd February 1888, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 3rd February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 14th day of February 1888, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting. To entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 3rd June 1888.

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

WILLIAM GILLIES, Writer, Glasgow,
Agent.

THE Estates of MESSRS. JAMES PATERSON & CO., Fish Curers, &c., Portsoy, and James Paterson, Fish Curer there, the sole Individual Partner thereof, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1888, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff, acting in Banffshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 25th day of January 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Thursday the 16th day of February 1888, within the Station Hotel in Portsoy.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 4th June 1888.

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

ALEXANDER WATT, Solicitor, Banff,
Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM CHISHOLM, Mason and Feuar, Maryburgh, in the Parish of Fodderty and County of Ross, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of the Counties of Ross and Cromarty.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 16th day of February 1888, within the National Hotel, Dingwall.

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 4th day of June 1888.

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

JNO. MACRAE, Law-Agent, Dingwall,
Agent.

THE Estates of M'GUFFIE, SILLARS, & COMPANY, Bonded Store Proprietors and Merchants, Glasgow, as a Company, and Alexander M'Guffie, Bonded Store Proprietor and Merchant, Glasgow, sole remaining Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestered on 3rd February 1888, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Thursday the 16th day of February 1888, within the Faculty Hall, St. 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 3rd day of June 1888.

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

ROBERT MENZIES, S.S.C., Agent.

5 North St. David Street, Edinburgh,
6th February 1888.

THE Estates of DANIEL LUGTON, Baker, High Street, Rothesay, in the County of Bute, were Sequestered on the 6th day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Rothesay.

The first Deliverance is dated the 6th day of February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on the 15th day of February 1888, within the Lorne Hotel, Rothesay.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 6th June 1888.

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

GEORGE THOMSON, Writer,
25 Bishop Street, Rothesay, Agent.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, at the instance of Robert Martin, Boltmaker, lately residing at 6 Sharp's Lane, off Main Street, Anderston, Glasgow, and now at Germiston, near Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of **GEORGE WARD, JUNIOR,** residing at No. 19 Westmuir Street, Parkhead, Glasgow, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Ward, junior, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

URE & MACRAE, Writers,
43 Renfield Street, Glasgow, Agents.

Glasgow, 2nd February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES WRIGHT, residing at Dalmuir Crescent, Glasgow.

FREDERICK WALTER CARTER, C.A., Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Caldwell, Farmer, Knockshoggle, John Clark, Lugar, Ayrshire, and James Wright, senior, Farmer, South Sanquhar, near Ayr, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Sheriff Guthrie's Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 14th day of February 1888, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. Wright, Johnston, Mackenzie, & Aitken, Writers, 150 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Friday the 24th day of February 1888, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose *inter alia* of electing a Commissioner in the room of the said James Wright, senior, who has resigned.

FRED. W. CARTER, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 7th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES HENDRIE, sometimes Grocer at Chapel Street, Airdrie, now residing in Aitchison Street, Airdrie.

JAMES WATSON STEWART, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Cochrane, Tobacco Manufacturer, Glasgow, David Mitchell, Director of Mitchell & Company of Belfast Limited, William Mowat, 52 West Howard Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Airdrie, on Tuesday the 14th day of February current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of the Trustee, 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 22nd day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

J. W. STEWART, Trustee.

Glasgow, 6th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of ARTHUR R. GREEN, Butcher, 36 Bridge Street, Musselburgh.

HUGH MILLER, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Ross, Live Stock Agent and Auctioneer, Lady Lawson Street, Edinburgh, has been elected Commissioner. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday, 16th day of February 1888, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Dall & Miller, C.A., 24 Hill Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 24th day of February 1888, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

HUGH MILLER.

Edinburgh, 7th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of ALBERT NEWMAN WYCHERLEY, Music Seller, Paisley.

ALEXANDER BUCHANAN M'GOWN, Accountant, Paisley, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Bigger, Music Seller, Glasgow, Donald Watson, Stationer, Glasgow, and the Reverend Richard Wycherley, Wishaw, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Proof Room, Sheriff Court Buildings, Paisley, on Tuesday the 14th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Mr. Dugald D. Dickie, Writer, Union Bank Buildings, Paisley, on Friday the 24th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. B. M'GOWN, Trustee.

Paisley, 4th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of H. & A. ROSS, Wood Merchants and Builders, Invergordon, in the Parish of Rosskeen and County of Ross, and Donald Fraser, Wood Merchant and Builder, Invergordon foresaid, as sole Partner of that Firm, and as an Individual.

DUNCAN CAMERON, Banker, Tain, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and George R. Hall, Merchant, Invergordon, William Urquhart, Painter, Invergordon, and John Henry Hancock, Timber Merchant, Newcastle-on-Tyne, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Tain, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at half-past eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Writing Chambers of Messrs. Macdonald & Sandison, Solicitors, High Street, Tain, on Monday the 27th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon.

DUNCAN CAMERON, Trustee.

Tain, 3rd February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES SCOTT**, sole Partner of the Firm of James Scott & Company, 272 Cannon-gate, Edinburgh.

JAMES TAYLOR, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Clapperton, John Matheson, and Richard Hubbard Hunter, all Warehousemen in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Friday the 17th current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Monday the 27th current, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
6th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of **AGNES ORR**, Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Highfield, Dalry, Ayrshire.

ALEXANDER WILSON, Accountant, No. 123 West George Street, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Dunbar, Grocer, North Street, Dalry, Thomas Boyd, Baker, Dalry, and John Picken, Flesher, Dalry, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Kilmarnock, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the King's Arms Hotel, Dalry, on Thursday the 23rd day of February current, at four o'clock afternoon.

ALEX. WILSON, Trustee.

4th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of **WILLIAM FRASER M'LAREN**, Iron Broker in Glasgow, and residing at Immerfhad Villa, Rutherglen.

ROBERT BURNS M'CAIG, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Wilson, Iron Merchant, 80 Gordon Street, Glasgow, William Hunter, Accountant, Glasgow, and Thomas Lawson, 85 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No. 183 West George Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 23rd day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon.

R. B. M'CAIG, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES SLOAN GIBSON**, Commission Agent at 41 Robertson Street, Glasgow, and residing at 17 Millbrae Crescent, Langside, Glasgow, sometime Partner of the now dissolved Firm of GIBSON & TAYLOR, 41 Robertson Street, Glasgow, and alone liable for the debts thereof.

JAMES ROBERT HODGE, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Smith, Accountant, Glasgow, Andrew M'Kechnie, Writer, Glasgow, and Arthur Leamon, 90 Maxwell Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Spens, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Hodge & Smith, Accountants, 137 West George Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 23rd day of February current, at one o'clock P.M.

JAMES R. HODGE, Trustee.

Glasgow, 3rd February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES LYNN & COMPANY**, Hamilton Colliery, 12 Dixon Street, Glasgow, and James Lynn, Colliery Agent there, the sole Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors will be held on Thursday, 16th February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, within the Chambers of Wight & Ferguson, Chartered Accountants, 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, for the purpose of sisting procedure in the Sequestration with the view of having same wound up by Deed of Arrangement.

WILLIAM FERGUSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, 6th February 1888.

THOMAS ALEXANDER CRAIG, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of the Deceased **ROBERT READMAN**, lately carrying on business as an Accountant and Property Agent at 163 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, and residing at Altas, Bearsden, New Kilpatrick, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers, 139 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 17th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in room of James Speirs, Plumber and Gasfitter in Glasgow, now deceased, and if so resolved, for appointing a third Commissioner, two only having been elected at the first Meeting of Creditors.

T. A. CRAIG, Trustee.

Glasgow, 6th February 1888.

MATTHEW SMITH, Accountant, Kilmarnock, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JAMES LITTLE, JUNIOR**, Carver and Gilder, John Finnie Street, Kilmarnock, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, Queen Street, Kilmarnock, on Monday the 5th day of March 1888, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

MATTHEW SMITH, Trustee.

Kilmarnock, 7th February 1888.

JAMES CONSTABLE ROBERTSON, Chartered Accountant in Dundee, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JOHN HENRY WINTER**, Commission Agent, Dundee, and residing at Viewbank, Carnoustie, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Moody Stuart & Robertson, 9A Ward Road, Dundee, on Wednesday the 29th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

J. C. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

Dundee, 6th February 1888.

DAVID CARGILL, Accountant, Royal Bank of Scotland, Inverness, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **ALEXANDER MACLEAN**, Coal, Lime, and General Merchant, 39 Shore Street, Inverness, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors, held upon the 10th day of January last, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of Two Shillings and Sixpence per pound, payable within one week of the date of his 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, Queensgate Chambers, of Mr. James Ross, Solicitor, Inverness, upon Wednesday the 15th day of February 1888, at twelve o'clock noon.

D. CARGILL, Trustee.

Inverness, 3rd February 1888.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JAMES FLEMING, Farmer, Scroggiehill, and Flesher, Blairgowrie; CHARLES FLEMING, Farmer, Scroggiehill, and EUPHEMIA M'INTOSH or FLEMING, widow of the deceased James Fleming, sometime Farmer at Scroggiehill aforesaid, Joint-Tenants of said Farm, and as Individuals.

JOHN PANTON, Banker, Blairgowrie, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first Dividend on the claims against the Company Estate will be paid within his Office, Royal Bank Buildings, Blairgowrie, on the 24th day of March 1888: Further, that the Commissioners have postponed the payment of a Dividend on the Individual Estate of James Fleming, first above mentioned, till the recurrence of another statutory period.

JOHN PANTON, Trustee.

Blairgowrie, 6th February 1888.

ALEXANDER MOORE, JUNIOR, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of the Copartnership carrying on business as Distillers at Tobermory, and as Wine and Spirit Brokers in Glasgow, under the Firm of MACKILL BROTHERS, and as Tobacco Juice Manufacturers in Glasgow under the Firm of LAIDLAW & COMPANY, and John Mackill and Alexander Mackill, Distillers and Wine and Spirit Brokers, and Tobacco Juice Manufacturers, in Tobermory and Glasgow, the only Partners of said Copartnership, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another stated period, and dispensed with sending circulars to Creditors.

ALEX. MOORE, Jr., Trustee.

209 West George Street, Glasgow,
3rd February 1888.

In the SEQUESTRATION of MILLER & CALDER, Cattle Dealers, Banchory, and James Miller, Farmer, Drumshalloch, Banchory-Ternan, and Thomas Calder, Crofter, Barehillock, Drumoak, both in the County of Kincardine, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such, and as Individuals.

JOHN CARMICHAEL BENNETT, Solicitor in Aberdeen, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend, and dispensed with the sending of circulars to the Creditors.

J. C. BENNETT, Trustee.

181A Union Street, Aberdeen,
4th February 1888.

WILLIAM GRANT, Solicitor in Forres, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER WIGHT, Ironmonger, Forres, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

WILL. GRANT, Trustee.

Forres, 4th February 1888.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT RAMAGE, Farmer, Watherston, in the Parish of Stow and County of Edinburgh.

THOMAS BROOMFIELD, Writer, Lauder, the Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

THO. BROOMFIELD, Trustee.

Lauder, 3rd February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT HORNSBY, sometime Hotel Keeper, Tarbert, Harris, and now residing at Westmoreland Street, Glasgow.

THE Trustee on the above Estate hereby intimates that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 16th ultimo, have been examined by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute, and that they have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

THOMAS SMITH, Trustee.

137 West George Street, Glasgow,
7th February 1888.

NOTICE.

A DEED of Arrangement has been lodged by the Bankrupt in the Sequestration of JAMES PEBBLES, SENIOR, Cattle Dealer, Mains of Cargill, by Perth; and the Sheriff-Substitute has, by Deliverance dated 3rd February 1888, appointed intimation thereof, and of said Deliverance, to be published once in the Edinburgh Gazette and in the Perthshire Constitutional, requiring all parties who desire to oppose the approval of the same to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court a Notice of Appearance within ten days from the date of such publication, with certification; of all which Notice is given.

JOHN B. M'CASH, Solicitor,
28 High Street, Perth, Agent.

THE Firm of W. & J. DICKSON, Grocers and Wine Merchants, 200-204 Cumberland Street, 426-428 Cumberland Street, and 86 Sandyfaulds Street, and 385 Argyle Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, has this day been DISSOLVED of mutual consent.

The Subscriber William Dickson will ingather all the assets and pay all the debts of the late Firm.

WM. DICKSON.

JOHN DICKSON.

ALEX. MILLAR, Jr., of 142 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness.

JAMES C. RENNIE, Traveller, 6 Caledonia Road, Glasgow, Witness.

THE Firm of MOORE & WEINBERG, Merchants, Dundee, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, was DISSOLVED as on the 31st day of December 1887, by efflux of time and by consent.

Mr. Weinberg, who is in right of the whole assets, will continue the Business as hitherto under the same Firm, and will discharge all liabilities.

Dundee, 6th February 1888.

I. J. WEINBERG.

EDWARD HIRSCHBERG.

Witnesses to the above Signatures—
ANDREW HENDRY, of Dundee, Solicitor.
J. J. JOHNSTONE, of Dundee, Solicitor.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers under the style of JOSEPH MILLER & COMPANY, at 46 Eglinton Street, Glasgow, is DISSOLVED of this date, of mutual consent of the Subscribers, sole Partners thereof.

The Subscriber August Steuert, who continues the Business for his own behoof under the same name, is

authorised to receive payment of all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the dissolved Company.

Glasgow, 4th February 1888.

AUGUST STEUERT.
WILLIAM MILLER.

WILLIAM CALDWELL, Writer, 79 West
Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.
JNO. MACKEOCHAN, Apprentice-at-Law,
79 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Witness.

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