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# FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1888.

Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Thursday, February 9, 1888.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

CONTINUE to receive from all other Powers cordial assurances of their friendly sentiments, as well as of their earnest desire to maintain the peace of the world.

My officers, in conjunction with those of the Emperor of Russia, have completed the demarcation of the Afghan boundary in conformity with the terms of the Convention of last year. I trust that the work which has thus been brought to a conclusion may tend to remove the possibility of misunderstanding between the two Powers in regard to their Asiatic possessions.

Animated by a desire to prevent the effusion of blood, I dispatched a Mission to the King of Abyssinia, with the hope of dissuading him from engaging in a war with Italy. I deeply regret that my efforts have not been successful.

The deliberations of the Conference assembled at Washington to adjust questions which have arisen between the Dominion of Canada and the United States are still in progress.

The negotiations which were commenced in

1885, with respect to the regulation of the Suez Canal, have been brought to a conclusion, so far as points of difference between myself and the French Republic are concerned.

I have also entered into an Agreement with the French Republic for the protection of life and property, in the group of the New Hebrides, by a Joint Naval Commission.

A Conference of Delegates from the Powers interested in the sugar industry was summoned in London in the autumn, to consider the possibility of putting an end to the injurious system of bounties; and they have made considerable progress towards the conclusion of a satisfactory arrangement.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The Estimates for the Services of this year, which will be laid before you, have been framed with due regard to economy. You will be asked to make provision for the improvements in the defence of the Ports and Coaling Stations of my Empire, which have been rendered urgently necessary by the advance of military science. You will also be asked to sanction an arrangement for providing a special squadron for the protection of Australasian commerce, the cost of which will be partially borne by the Colonies themselves.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

The measures which, at the cost of great labour, you passed during the last Session for the benefit of Ireland, have been carefully carried into effect during the period which has since elapsed.

The result of this legislation, so far as it has been tested by a short experience, has been satisfactory. Agrarian crime has diminished, and the power of coercive conspiracies has sensibly abated. Measures tending to develop the resources of Ireland, and to facilitate an increase in the number of the proprietors of the soil, will be laid before you.

Your attention will be invited to the subject of Local Government in England; and measures will be submitted to you for dealing with it, in combination with proposals for adjusting the relations between Local and Imperial Finance, and for mitigating the burdens at present imposed upon the Ratepayers.

The prospects of commerce are more hopeful than any to which I have been able to point for many years past. I deeply regret that no corresponding improvement is observable in the condition of agriculture. I commend the interests of that great industry to your attentive care, in the hope that means may be discovered for enabling it to meet more effectively the difficulties under which it labours.

You will be invited to consider legislative proposals for cheapening the Transfer of Land; for modifying the procedure by which Tithe Rent Charge is collected; for the promotion of Technical Education; for preventing undue preferences in the Rates charged by Railway Companies on Foreign and Domestic Produce; for remedying abuses in the formation of Companies under Limited Liability; and for amending the Law as to the Liability of Employers in case of Accidents.

Measures for improving the position of the Scottish Universities, and for regulating the Borough Police in Scotland, will be laid before you; and proposals will be submitted to you for diminishing the cost of Private Bill Legislation.

In these and all other efforts that you may make to promote the well-being of my people, I pray that you may be guided by the hand of Almighty God.

# WHITEHALL, February 6, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland

nominating the Venerable Sir Lovelace Tomlinson Stamer, Bart., M.A., Archdeacon of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the Diocese of Lichfield, to be Bishop Suffragan of the See of Shrewsbury.

# WHITEHALL, February 6, 1888.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Robert Henry Hadden, B.A., to the Vicarage of St. Botolph-without-Aldgate, in the City and Diocese of London.

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

William Francis Hunter Arundell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Aretas Akers Douglas, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

John Charles, Earl of Dalkeith, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Arthur Henry Johnstone-Douglas, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Major-General John Gordon Graham, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Marmaduke Constable Maxwell, Lord Herries, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

John Adrian Louis Hope, Earl of Hopetoun, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Sir Alexander Jardine, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Sir Frederic John William Johnstone, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

William Macalpine Leny, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Sir John Robert Heron Maxwell, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

William David Murray, Viscount Stormont, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

Colonel George Gustavus Walker, A.D.C., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October 1887.

### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

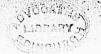
February 7, 1888.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

February 2, 1888.

### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Suburban District—Sophia Mary Deg.



Skilled Telegraphist—Elizabeth Ann Hazelden.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners— Frederick Dane (Crewe), Benjamin Thomas Dunmill (Normanton), Henrietta Parsons (Liverpool), Thomas Robertson Stevens (Glasgow).

Postmen—John Tyrer Blease (Kidderminster), William Desmorro Dymond (Cheltenham), George Robinson Headrick (Perth), William Hedges, otherwise William Hill (Aylesbury), Alfred Charles Woods (Tunbridge Wells).

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.

Admiralty: Clerks, Lower Division—Frederick Josiah Ward, George Worrall.

Science and Art Department: Clerk, Lower Division—William Walter Chandler.

February 3, 1888.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Royal Irish Constabulary, Cadet-William James Joseph Byrne.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postman, London-William Harrison.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—John Bound (Penzance), Warren Hallowes (Glasgow), Barbara Ann M'Millan (Folkestone), Uriah John Morgan (Cardiff), Richard Purchase (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Mary Ellen Stevens (Chester), Charles Thompson (Middlesbrough).

Postman, Mountain Ash-Charles Gallivan.

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870.

Post Office: Clerks, Lower Division — Arthur Hugh Beswick, William Dawson Conquest, John Hodges.

February 4, 1888.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Royal Irish Constabulary, Cadet—John Quaid Purcell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postmen—George Adnitt (Northampton), Joseph Lower (Middlesbrough).

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 4th February 1888, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

|        |         |     |     | QUANTITIE | S SOLD. | AVERAGE PRICE |    |  |
|--------|---------|-----|-----|-----------|---------|---------------|----|--|
|        |         |     |     | Qrs.      | Bus.    | 8.            | d. |  |
| Wheat  | •••     | ••• | ••• | 60,744    | 1       | 30            | 8  |  |
| Barley | • • • • | ••• |     | 62,880    | 3       | 30            | 6  |  |
| Oats   | •••     | ••• |     | 7,846     | 2       | 16            | 0  |  |

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1884 to 1887.

| Corresponding<br>Week in |     | QUANTITIES SOLD. |                |         |                 |       | AVERAGE PRICE. |        |          |         |          |        |          |    |
|--------------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|-------|----------------|--------|----------|---------|----------|--------|----------|----|
|                          |     | WHEAT.           |                | BARLEY. |                 | OATS. |                | WHEAT. |          | BARLEY. |          | OATS.  |          |    |
| 1884                     |     |                  | Qrs.<br>48,301 | Bus.    | Qrs.<br>90,364  |       | Qrs.<br>16,133 | Bus.   | s.<br>37 | d.<br>3 | s.<br>32 | d. 4   | s.<br>19 | d. |
| 1885                     | ••• | •••              | 67,913         | 0       | 91,488          | 2     | 13,137         | 5      | 33       | ð       | 32       | 5      | 20       | 11 |
| 1886<br>1887             |     | •••              | 67,437         | 3       | 89,767 $87,468$ |       | 10,855         | 0      | 29<br>34 | 9       | 29<br>26 | 3<br>7 | 18<br>17 | 10 |

Commercial Department, Board of Trade, February 4, 1888.

R. GIFFEN.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 4th February 1888, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

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| <del></del>   | <del></del>            |     | 1     |                         |             |         |  |
| Animals living :—   |                        |     | - 1   |                         |             |         |  |
| Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and C  | Calves                 |     |       | Number                  | 2,083       | 5,451   |  |
| Sheep and Lambs   |                        |     |       | "                       | 11,812      | 9,329   |  |
| Swine   | •••                    | ••• | •••   | "                       | 65          | 42      |  |
| Dead Meat:—   | 7.6                    |     |       |                         | 30 33 30    |         |  |
| Bacon   |                        |     |       | cwts.                   | 96,704      | 54,372  |  |
| Beef, salted and fresh  | 0.00                   | ••• |       | "                       | 24,543      | 14,777  |  |
| Hams  |                        |     |       | "                       | 25,907      | 14,031  |  |
| Meat unenumerated, salte  |                        | esh |       | "                       | 1,102       | 625     |  |
|   | •                      |     |       | ,,                      | 12,192      | 7,817   |  |
| Mutton, fresh   |                        |     |       | "                       | 3,048       | 13,628  |  |
| Pork, salted (not Hams)   |                        |     | •••   | "                       | 16,008      | 10,891  |  |
| Poultry and Game  |                        | ••• |       | Value £                 | 11,607      | 12,035  |  |
| Rabbits   |                        |     | •••   | cwts.                   | 2,357       | 2,400   |  |
| Butter  |                        |     |       | ,,                      | 28,298      | 31,618  |  |
| Margarine   |                        |     |       | ,,                      | 24,981      | 20,570  |  |
| Cheese  |                        |     |       | ,,                      | 13,587      | 34,146  |  |
|   |                        |     |       |                         |             |         |  |
| Eggs  | •••                    | ••• |       | Great Hundred           | 99,146      | 81,850  |  |
| Lard  | (* * \$)               | *** | ***   | cwts.                   | 22,910      | , 17,16 |  |
| Vegetables:—  |                        |     |       |                         |             |         |  |
| Onions, raw   | •••                    | ••• | •••   | Bushels                 | 85,851      | 56,14   |  |
| Potatoes  | •                      | ••• | •••   | cwts.                   | 16,740      | 6,50    |  |
| Unenumerated  | •••                    | ••• | •••   | Value £                 | 5,399       | 7,558   |  |
| Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flou   | r:                     |     |       |                         |             |         |  |
| Wheat   |                        | ••• | •••   | cwts.                   | 1,237,477   | 583,39  |  |
| Barley  |                        | ••• | •••   | "                       | 107,428     | 226,01  |  |
| Oats  | •••                    |     | •••   | "                       | 244,197     | 549,23  |  |
| Pease   | •••                    | ••• | •••   | ,,                      | 35,580      | 25,23   |  |
| Beans   |                        |     |       | ,,                      | 16,822      | 72,23   |  |
| Maize   | •••                    |     |       | ,,,                     | 640,274     | 153,97  |  |
| Wheat Meal and Flour  | •••                    |     | •••   | ,,                      | 351,078     | 406,57  |  |

Statistical Office, Custom House, London, February 6, 1888.

G. METCALFE.

## BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

### RECEIVING ORDERS.

Benjamin G. Aldrich, lately trading at Morley Works, St. Peter's Road, Kingsland Road, Middlesex, pianoforte manufacturer.

Frederick Edward Charles Cooper, 2 Leamington Road Villas, Cornwall Road, Bayswater, Middlesex, no occupation.

Peter Kirsch, 42 Langham Street, Middlesex, tailor.

C. Warlters Lovejoy, 11 Southampton Row, Holborn, Middlesex.

James Henry Mapleson, late the Royal Italian Opera House, Covent Garden, and Her Majesty's Theatre, Haymarket, both in Middlesex, operatic manager.

James M'Master, 1 Stanhope Gardens, Middlesex, and William John M'Master, Toronto, Dominion of Canada, trading as J. & W. J. M'Master, 30 and 31 St. Swithin's Lane, London, and as W. J. M'Master & Co., Front Street, Toronto, warehousemen.

Robert West Munsey, 21 Aytoun Road, Stockwell, Surrey, commercial traveller.

Edward Paine, 29 Harding Street, Commercial Road, Middlesex, grocer and beer retailer.

- J. M. Posno, 24 Wilton Street, Grosvenor Place, Middlesex.
- E. Russell, 33 The Broadway, Hammersmith, Middlesex, cheesemonger and provision dealer (being a married woman trading separately from her husband, and having separate estate).

- Thomas Russell. 33 The Broadway, Hammersmith, Middlesex, butcher.
- Donald Stewart, lately 73 Harrington Gardens, Middlesex, afterwards the School of Musketry, Hythe, Kent, an officer in Her Majesty's Regiment of Gordon Highlanders.
- Antonio Tull, 24 Duke Street, St. James's, Middlesex, army agent.
- William Tween, 16 and 18 Old Street, St. Luke's, Middlesex, and Greensted, near Chipping Ongar, Essex, basket manufacturer, liner and worker of plush, and farmer.
- Watson & Company, 61 Fore Street, London, drapers.
- Frederic Kirkham, 6 York Place, Balls Road, Birkenhead, Cheshire, poultry, fruit, and vegetable dealer.
- Frederick Boswell, in lodgings at 128 King Edward's Road, Birmingham, Warwickshire, lately residing and trading at 31 Ryland Street, Birmingham, out of business, lately fruiterer.
- Samuel Charles Fairey and Andrew Robert Lumsden, trading as Rex & Co., 11 Snow Hill, 45 Parade, 102 Longmore Street, and 58 Aston Street, all in Birmingham, Warwickshire, and as Coopers, 24 Queen's Street, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, 89 Briggate, Leeds, Yorkshire, and 36 The Drapery, Northampton, Northamptonshire, tea dealers.
- Frederic Wallace (trading as F. Wallace & Co.), 2 Ashburnham Grove, Manningham, and Nelson Street, both in Bradford, Yorkshire, stuff and woollen merchant.
- Richard Stotesbury, 22 Station Road, Horsham, Sussex, out of business.
- Henry Vaughan, 25 King Square and King Square Avenue, Bristol, hardware merchant.
- Samuel Thomas White (trading as S. T. White & Co.), 47 Queen Square, Bristol, 126 Bute Road, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, and 24 Ashley Road, Bristol, produce broker.
- Johnson Pickover, 55 Huffling Lane, Burnley, and David Carruthers, 5 Palatine Square, Burnley, trading as Pickover & Co., Waterloo Road, Burnley, Lancashire, drysalters.
- William Howell, late the Court Colman Hotel, Nantymoel, now trading at Nantymoel and Abergwynfi, near Bridgend, Glamorganshire, late licensed victualler, now builder.
- David Bevan, Llangennech, Carmarthenshire, grocer and ironmouger.
- George Knight, residing and trading at Clifton Mili, Clifton - on - Dunsmore, near Rugby, Warwickshire, miller and corn dealer.
- George Herman Midgley, White Lion Inn, Market Place, Dewsbury, Yorkshire, innkeeper.
- William Shepley, Troy Road, Morley, Yorkshire, iron and brass founder.
- Joshua Hickman, 18 Reddall Road, Gornal Wood, Staffordshire, and Javan Greenway, 10 Prospect Road, Gornal Wood, lately trading as Hickman & Greening, Oak Farm, Kingswinford, Staffordshire, royalty masters.
- James Oxenham, 18 Wellington Street, Teignmouth, Devonshire, dealer in fancy goods and sewing machines.
- Henry R. Alington, Weelsby and Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, ballast and road material agent.
- Mary Ann Kirkham, Auderby Villa, Caistor, Lincolnshire, farmer.
- Andrew M'Urich, 118 Kent Street, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, fishing vessel owner and butcher.
- Alfred Greenwood, Woodville, Sowerby Bridge, near Halifax, Yorkshire, and Josiah Crowther, Tuel Lane, Sowerby Bridge, trading as Greenwood & Crowther, Sowerby Bridge Mills, Sowerby Bridge, and Mixenden Woollen Mills, Mixenden, near Halifax, woollen manufacturers.
- John Rose, bottom of King Street and 13 Daisy Street, Saint Andrew's Road, both in Huddersfield, Yorkshire, coachbuilder.
- George Curtis, Pier Hotel, Felixstowe, Suffolk, hotel manager, formerly hotel proprietor.
- William Thomas Morgan Day, Wood Hall Farm, Stoke Ash, Suffolk, farmer.

- George Enderby Mason, 45 Carr Lane, Kingston-upon-Hull, music dealer.
- Frederick Mountain, 62 Market Place, Kingston-upon-Hull, tobacconist and fancy dealer.
- Frederick Laycock, Holbeck New Mills, Holbeck, and 7 Kennedy Street, Kirkstall Road, both in Leeds, Yorkshire, cloth fuller.
- George Hall, 4 Garendon Street, Upper Kent Street, Leicester, builder.
- Alexander Hiscox, Clarendon Park Villas, Central Avenue, Clarendon Park, Knighton, Leicestershire, formerly trading at Rutland Street and Nedham Street, Leicester, commission agent, formerly timber merchant.
- Thomas Winkles, Alma House, Vernon Road, Aylestone Park, Leicester, builder.
- Samuel Southey, lately residing at 38 Cavendish Street, Manchester, and trading at 38 Cavendish Street and 14 Stretford Road, both in Manchester, jeweller and watchmaker.
- John Lewis Davies, 3 and 5 Sand Street, Dowlais, Glamorganshire, grocer.
- Ernest Jordan, 25 Bailey Street, Newport, Monmouthshire, late builder, now out of business.
- John M'Lean, Rogerstone, near Newport, Monmouthshire, contractor.
- John Lofty Bloom, the Leys Farm, Hockering, Norfolk, farmer.
- Benjamin Johnson, South Green, East Dercham, Norfolk, and lately residing at Bintry, Norfolk, farmer.
- Henry Sharp, 44 Eland Street, New Basford, Nottingham, baker and confectioner.
- Edward George Greenhill, residing at Ensbury Cottage, Kinson, Dorsetshire.
- James Newbery, East Street, Wareham, Dorsetshire, and trading at St. John's Hill, Wareham, and Stoborough, in the out parish of Holy Trinity, Wareham, machinist and blacksmith.
- Alfred Bolding, High Street, Harrow, and Middle Road, Roxeth, both in Middlesex, lately trading and residing at Pitt Terrace, Wealdstone, Middlesex, grocer and provision merchant.
- William Frederick Tubbs, Belmont Road, Portswood, Southampton, shipping clerk.
- Arthur John Scott, lately residing at 12 Carrington Road, Stockport, Cheshire, now residing at 136 Turncroft Lane, Stockport, lately trading at Mount Street, Stockport, now at Vulcan Iron Works, Union Street, Stockport, general millwright.
- Robert Laidler Anson, 22 Clementina Street, Sunderland, insurance agent, and Ralph Anson, 4 Randolph Street, Sunderland, trading as Anson Brothers, 52 High Street, Sunderland, Durham, boot and shoe dealers.
- Elizabeth Hunt and James Daniel Hunt (trading as E. Hunt & Brothers), 118 Kirkgate, Wakefield, and 12 Eldon Street, Barnsley, both in Yorkshire, tea dealers.
- Robert Robson, 31 Scotch Street, Whitehaven, Cumberland, trading at 20 Duke Street, Whitehaven, furniture broker and general dealer.
- Thomas Pennington and Arthur Perks (lately trading as Pennington & Perks), both residing at Newtown, Great Malvern, and lately trading together at Bank Street, Great Malvern, Worcestershire, lately cabinetmakers and upholsterers, now out of business.
- George William Woodall, Stillingfleet, Yorkshire, joiner and wheelwright.
- The following amended Notices are substituted for those published in the Edinburgh Gazette of 17th January 1888:—
- Isaac Cowell, 55 Bedford Road, Rock Ferry, and formerly 67 Bedford Road, Rock Ferry, Cheshire, baker.
- William Francis Swan, 30 Beaconsfield Road, Osman Road, Lower Edmonton, Middlesex, and John Charles Clay, 24 Priory Road, St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, Middlesex, trading as Swan & Clay, 24 Priory Road, St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, Middlesex, builders.

NTIMATION is hereby given that DAVID BLAIR LOCKHART, Major-General, sometime of Her Majesty's 107th Regiment, presently residing at No. 6 Belgrave Crescent, Edinburgh, Heir of Entail in possession of (1) the Entailed Lands and Barony of Milton and Others; and (2) the Entailed Lands and Estate of Germistown, Sandeholm, and Others, all lying in the County of Lanark, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts eleventh and twelfth Victoria, chapter thirty-six, sixteenth and seventeenth Victoria, chapter ninety-four, and forty-five and forty-six Victoria, chapter fifty-three, and relative Acts, for authority to disentail (1) the Lands and Barony of Milton and others; and (2) the Lands and Estate of Germiston, Sandeholm, and others, all lying in the County of Lanark. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, the 7th day of February 1888.

FERGUSON & JUNNER, W.S., Agents of the Petitioner.

63 George Street, Edinburgh, 10th February 1888.

OTICE is hereby given that on the 4th day of February 1888 a Deed by WILLIAM THOMSON, of No. 6 Mealmarket Street, Aberdeen, Innkeeper, and MRS. JESSIE SIMPSON or THOMSON, his wife, has been registered in the Register of Deeds at Edinburgh, in terms of the Married Women's Property (Scotland) Act, 1881.

STEPHEN & SMITH, Advocates, 89 Union Street, Aberdeen, Agents.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased REVEREND DANIEL M'LAREN, Minister of Carluke.

PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session (Second Division,—Mr. Melville, Clerk) by Andrew Scott, C.A., Edinburgh, Liquidator of the Morningside College Company Limited, a Creditor to the amount required, the said deceased having left no settlement appointing Trustees or other parties having power to manage his Estate, praying, under the Act 19 and 20 Vict. cap. 79, section 164, for the appointment of a Judicial Factor upon said Estate, and which Petition will be again moved in Court on or after the 25th day of February current; of all which Notice is hereby given.

AULD & MACDONALD, W.S., Petitioner's Agents.

21 Thistle Street, Edinburgh, 9th February 1888.

# THE BRITISH AND AFRICAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented by the above Company to the Court of Session in Scotland (Second Division,—Mr. Martin, Clerk), craving Confirmation of the following Special Resolution passed and confirmed, in terms of section 51 of the Companies Act of 1862, at Extraordinary General Meetings of the Company, held at Glasgow on the 18th day of January and the 3rd day of February 1888 respectively, viz.—'That in respect of each £40 share in 'the capital of the Company—£35 paid up—capital be 'paid off or returned to the extent of £5, so as to reduce 'the capital paid up on all such shares to the sum of

\*#30, and that upon the footing that the amount paid off or returned on each share, or any part of it, may be called up again in the same manner as if it had never been paid, —and the said Court, on considering said Petition, has pronounced the following Deliverance:—
\*## Edinburgh, The February 1888.—The Lords having considered the Petition, dispense in hoc statu with the Petitioners lodging a List of Creditors; fix Tuesday the 14th day of February current as the day on which every person then entitled to any debt or claim against the Company, which, if that date were the commencement of the winding up of the Company, would be admissible to proof against the Company, shall be entitled to object to the proposed reduction, and to be entered in a List of Creditors; fix Tuesday the 28th day of February current as the day within which such Creditors shall claim to be so entered, or otherwise shall be excluded from objecting to the proposed reduction; and appoint the Petition and this Deliverance to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form, and also by advertisement once in the Edinburgh and London Gazettes, and in the Times, Scotsman, Glasgow Herald, and Liverpool Mercury newspapers.

(Signed) 'MONCREIFF, I.P.D.'
Of all which Intimation is hereby made accordingly.

Mackenzie, Innes, & Logan, W.S., Edinburgh; and Roberton, Low, Roberton, & Cross, Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

7th February 1888.

# THE GLASGOW PORT WASHINGTON IRON AND COAL COMPANY LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the 142nd section of the Companies Act, 1862, that the Liquidator has made up accounts showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of; and that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held within the Chambers of Carson & Watson, C.A., 149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, upon Tuesday, 13th March 1888, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having the accounts laid before them, and hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidator.

Laurence H. Watson, C.A., Liquidator.

Glasgow, 8th February 1888.

### TO THE CREDITORS OF

DAVID H. RAE, late of 43 Dundas Street, Edinburgh.

OTICE is hereby given that all claims against his Estate be lodged with the Trustee on or before the 14th day of February current. Claims not lodged on that date will not be acknowledged, and will not participate in the Dividend to be paid immediately thereafter.

WM. MACKAY, Trustee, 4 Deanbank Terrace.

# NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

WILLAM A. RANKIN, Baker and Grocer in Lhanbryde, near Elgin, having granted a Trust Deed for behoof of his Creditors in favour of Edward Noltie, Merchant, Forres, all persons having claims against the said William A. Rankin are requested to lodge the same, duly vouched, with Messrs. R. & R. Urquhart, Solicitors, Forres, within twenty-one days from this date; and all persons indebted to the said William A. Rankin are requested to make payment to Messrs. Urquhart, within the like period.

EDWARD NOLTIE, Trustee.

Forres, 7th February 1888.

CREDITORS are requested to lodge their claims against JOHN BAIN, Grocer, Bishopmill, Elgin, with the undersigned, by 25th current.

A. Murison, Accountant, Trustee on Estate.

Elgin, 7th February 1888.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the A Sheriff of Ayrshire at Ayr, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' at the instance of John Pritchard, Coach Painter, Fullarton Street, Irvine, Pursuer, against GAVIN DUNLOP, Apprentice Carriage Painter, residing in Montgomery Street, Irvine, and his curators, if he any have, Defenders; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Orr Paterson) has ordained the said Gavin Dunlop to appear in Court, within the Court House, County Buildings, Ayr, upon the 21st day of Fobruary 1888, at ten o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

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

Irvine, 7th February 1888.

PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of John Moreland, Boot and Shoe Maker, 264 Paisley Road, Glasgow, against ALEXANDER SLATER, Grocer, 139 Parliamentary Road, Glasgow, and residing at 136 Stirling Road there; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour) has ordained the said Alexander Slater to appear for public Examination within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 28th day of February current, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

J. T. T. Brown, Writer, Glasgow, Agent for Pursuer.

W ILLIAM ROBERTSON, Grocer, Linlithgow, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Linlithgow, praying for Decreet of Cessio bonorum, in terms of the 'Cessio Acts;' and Notice is hereby given that all his Creditors are required to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Linlithgow, on Friday the 24th day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon, when the Petitioner will appear for public Examination.

P. Miller, Junr., Law-Agent, Linlithgow, Agent for Petitioner.

Linlithgow, 8th February 1888.

A PETITION, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Monson, Robinson, & Co., The Metropolitan Printing Works, Talbot Street, Dublin, and and Wallace & Wilson, Writers, Glasgow, their Mandatories, Pursuers, against JOHN BLACKHURST, 151 High Street, Glasgow, and residing at 30 East Crawford Street, off Duke Street, Glasgow, Defender; upon which Petition the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour) has issued a Warrant requiring all the Creditors of the said John Blackhurst to appear in Court, within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 23rd day of February 1888, at 10.30 o'clock forenoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said John Blackhurst to appear for public Examination; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

WALLACE & WILSON, Writers, Glasgow, Agents for Pursuers.

42 Bath Street, Glasgow, 9th February 1888. PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh, against ROBERT HUTCHISON, Gardener, residing in Darnick, in the Parish of Melrose and County of Roxburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh has ordained the said Robert Hutchison to appear in Court; within the Court House of Jedburgh, on the 20th day of February 1888, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

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

Jedburgh, 6th February 1888.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has the been presented to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh, against MIRIAM KETCHIN, a spinster, residing at Darnick, in the Parish of Melrose and County of Roxburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk has ordained the said Miriam Ketchin to appear in Court, within the Court House of Jedburgh, on the 20th day of February 1888, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, for Examination, at which all her Creditors are required to attend.

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

Jedburgh, 6th February 1888.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh, against Mrs. MARY KETCHIN or HUTCHISON, wife of and residing with Robert Hutchison, Gardener, residing at Darnick, in the Parish of McIrose and County of Roxburgh, and the said Robert Hutchison, as her husband and administrator-in-law, and for his own right and interest if he any has; and the Sheriff-Substitute for Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh has ordained the said Mrs. Mary Ketchin or Hutchison and Robert Hutchison (the latter only, if so advised,) to appear in Court, within the Court House of Jedburgh, on the 20th day of February 1888, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, for Examination, at which all the Creditors of the said Mrs. Mary Ketchin or Hutchison are required to attend.

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

Jedburgh, 6th February 1888.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway, by JOHN RICHARDSON, Bookseller and Stationer in Annan; and the Sheriff-Substitute has appointed all the Petitioner's Creditors to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Dumfries, upon the 28th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner is ordained to appear for public Examination.

C. Watson, Solicitor, Annan, Agents for Petitioner.

Annan, 9th February 1888.

### NOTICE.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow, at the instance of The Garteraig Fire-Clay Company, 275 Parliamentary Road, Glasgow, and Campbell Rodger, James Fraser, and Thomas Murdoch, all of 275 Parliamentary Road aforesaid, the Partners of said Company, Pursuers, against BRUCE MILLER, Architect, 109 West George Street, Glasgow, and residing at 38 Kirkland Street there, Defender;

npon which Petition a Warrant has been granted ordaining all Creditors of the said Bruce Miller to appear within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour), County Buildings, Glasgow, on the 22nd day of February 1888, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet the said Bruce Miller has also been ordained to appear for public Examination; of all which Intimation is hereby given. is hereby given.

STRAIN & Co., Solicitors, 212 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Petitioners' Agents.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Stonehaven, by Mrs. ISABELLA EDMONSTON or FYFE, Coachbuilder, residing in Laurencekirk, in the Parish of Laurencekirk and County of Kincardine, widow of James Fyfe, sometime Coachbuilder there, praying that she may be found entitled to the Process of Cessio bonorum, and for the appointment of a Trustee for the management and disposal of her Estate, for behoof of her Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Isabella Edmonston or Fyfe to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Stonehaven, upon Wednesday the 22nd day of February current, 1888, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all her Creditors are hereby required to appear.

GEORGE S. CAIRD, Solicitor, Stonehaven,

Stonehaven, 9th February 1888.

NTIMATION is hereby given that ALEXANDER GEMMELL, 26 Wallace Grove Place, Paisley Road, Glasgow, Renfrewshire, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, praying to be found entitled to the benefit of the Process of Cessio bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House at Paisley, upon the 21st day of February 1888, at one o'clock afternoon, when the Petitioner will appear for public Examination. public Examination.

Per J. CAMPBELL GRAY, 158 George Street, Glasgow, Petitioner's Procurator, ALEX. FORBES, Procurator.

# NOTICE.

PETITION, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, by THOMAS FRASER, residing at No. 46 King Street, Aberdeen, praying for the benefit of Cessio bonorum, and for the appointment of a Trustee; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Petitioner to appear within the Sheriff Court House of Aberdeen, upon the 22nd day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are requested to appear.

D. M. ANDERSON, 20 Belmont Street, Aberdeen, Petitioner's Procurator.

Aberdeen, 9th February 1888.

HE Estates of CHARLES COUSAR, Builder,
A Prestwick, have been transferred, in virtue of and
for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, to Thomas
Young, Solicitor, Ayr, as Trustee for behoof of his
Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the
Trustee on or before the 21st day of February current.
The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court
House, County Buildings, Ayr, on Tuesday the 13th day
of March next, at ten o'clock forenoon.

JNO. SILVER, Solicitor, Ayr. Agent for Trustee.

Ayr, 7th February 1888.

THE Estates of GEORGE ROGERSON, Tobacconist, THE Estates of GEORGE ROGERSON, Tobacconist, 19 South College Street, Edinburgh, and residing at 39 West Nicolson Street there, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Walker, Chartered Accountant, 30 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 19th March 1888. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday, 9th April 1888, at two o'clock afternoon.

BRUCE & KERR, W.S., Agents for Trustee.

16 Hill Street, Edinburgh, 9th February 1888.

THE Estates of DANIEL ROBB GAFF, Timber Merchant, residing at No. 25 Wellington Street, Greenock, have been transferred, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, to James Paterson, Accountant, Greenock, 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 Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street (West), Greenock, on Friday the 4th day of May 1888, at twelve o'clock noon.

R. B. SHEARER, 1 Bank Street, Greenock, Agent for Trustee.

#### TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of WILLIAM MARTIN, Grocer and Wine Merchant, and Corn and Hay Dealer, Stockbridge, Edinburgh.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Edinburghshire, William Martin Edinburghshire, William Martin, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

WILLIAM MARTIN.

Edinburgh, 10th February 1888.

### TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JOHN HUGHES, sometime residing at 8 Viewvale Terrace, Langside, Glasgow, and residing at No. 9 Buckingham Terrace, Partick, the only known Partner of Hughes & COMPANY, sometime Clothiers, 8 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, as a Partner, and as an Individual.

Y virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, John Hughes, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

JOHN HUGHES. HUGHES & Co.

Glasgow, 8th February 1888.

### SEQUESTRATION of COLIN M'LENNAN, Merchant, Garve.

ALEXANDER CUMMING RUTHERFORD,
Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimate
that the Commissioners have audited my account of
intromissions for the statutory period ending 24th
January 1888, and that they have postponed payment
of a second Dividend until the recurrence of another
statutory period. statutory period:

ALEX. C. RUTHERFORD, Trustee.

Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

HE Estates of JOHN MORRISON, Joiner, Denny, were Sequestrated on the 6th day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of Stirlingshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 6th day of February 1889.

The Meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Monday the 20th day of February 1888, within the Queen's Hotel, Stirling.

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

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequents.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN MUIRHEAD, Solicitor, Stirling, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN MAVOR, Tailor and Clothier, Schoolhill, Aberdeen, were Sequestrated on the 6th day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen.

The first Deliverance is dated the 6th day of Feb-

ruary 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 18th day of February 1888, within the Douglas Hotel, in Market Street, Aberdeen.

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 6th day of June 1888.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ROBERT LAMB, Advocate, 29 Union Street, Aberdeen, Agent.

HE Estates of SINCLAIR COUPER, Merchant, Helmsdale, County of Sutherland, were Sequestrated on the 7th day of February 1888, by the Sheriff of Ross, Cromarty, and Sutherland at Dornoch.

The first Deliverance is dated the 25th day of January

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at ten o'clock forenoon, on Saturday the 18th day of February 1888, within Mitchell's (Sutherland Arms) Hotel, Golspie.

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 7th June 1888.

June 1888.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

G. G. TAIT, Solicitor, Golspie, Agent.

THE Estates of ROBERT PURVES BELL, Artist,

THE Estates of ROBERT PURVES BELL, Artist, No. 10 North St. Andrew Street, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on 8th February 1888, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The tirst Deliverance is dated 8th February 1888.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Friday, 17th February 1888, within Dowell's Rooms, 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 8th June 1888.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

A. MENZIES, S.S.C.,

7 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Agent.

In the SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of JAMES DOW, Wright and Builder, 53 Cavendish Street,

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of By virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, in respect the period for which the Sequestration was sisted has expired, and no Deed of Arrangement has been produced, a Meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners on the said Estates is to be held on Monday the 20th day of February 1888, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

WM. C. JOHNSTON, Solicitor, Glasgow, Agent.

#### NOTICE.

PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Ayr, at the instance of James Hay & Company, Leather Merchants, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of JAMES SMITH, Bootmaker, Alloway Street, Ayr, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said James Smith 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 Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

A. GEMMELL, Jr., Solicitor, Ayr, Agent.

Ayr, 8th February 1888.

OTICE is hereby given that the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has, on considering the Petition by William Finlayson, Writer in Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of ALEXANDER LIVING-STONE, Merchant and Sugar Refiner in Greenock, granted Warrant for citing him 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 his Estates should not be awarded. Estates should not be awarded.

> R. BRUCE COWAN, W.S., Edinburgh, Agent for Petitioner.

7th February 1888.

A PETITION having been presented in the Sheriff Court of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of Henry Waugh Hunter, Metal Merchant, Catherine Street Court, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of ALEXANDER GIBB, Plumber, 35 Dundas Street, Edinburgh, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Alexander Gibb, in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856, 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 his Estates should not be cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

BUCHAN & BUCHAN, S.S.C., Agents.

37 Great King Street, Edinburgh, 9th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN CRAIG & SONS, Ham Curers, Fullarton Street, Ayr, and John Craig, senior, Ham Curer, Fullarton Street, Ayr, and William Craig, now or lately residing in Chicago, America, the sole Individual Partners of the said John Craig & Sons, as such Partners, and the said John Craig, senior, as an Individual.

DAVID CRAWFORD, Accountant, Ayr, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Craig, Cattle Dealer, Ayr, David Carruthers, Solicitor, Kilmarnock, sole Partner of the Firm of W. Hamilton

Wilson & Carruthers, Writers, Kilmarnock, and Daniel Wyllie, Grain Merchant, Ayr, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Ayr, on Tuesday the 21st day of February current, at ten o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of Mr. John M. Watt, Solicitor, Winton Buildings, Ayr, on Friday the 2nd day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

DAVID CRAWFORD, Trustee.

Ayr, 9th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS JOHNSTON, Grocer and Wine Merchant, 212 North Woodside Road, Glasgow.

OHN WILSON BRUCE, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Andrew, Wholesale Provision Merchant, a Partner of Harvie, Watson, & Andrew, Provision Merchants, Glassford Street, Glasgow, Robert Gillespie Greig, a Partner of Wright & Greig, Wholesale Wine Merchants, 90 West Campbell Street, Glasgow, and John Forsyth, Iron Merchant, 214 North Woodside Road, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Murray, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at halfpast twelve afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of John Wilson Bruce, Accountant, 12 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Friday the 24th day of February 1888, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN W. BRUCE, Trustee.

Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES WALLACE THOM, Confectioner, 15 Argyle Street, Glasgow.

LIBERT CREEN DEMPSTER, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Charles M'Arthur, Law-Clerk, Glasgow, William Lawson, Chemist, S Stafford Street, Aberdeen, and James Macdonald, Writer, Glasgow, have been elected James Macdonald, Writer, Glasgow, have been elected Lake place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Lees, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 21st day of February 1888, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the Trustee, 33 Rentield Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 1st day of March 1888, at twelve o'clock noon.

GILBERT C. DEMPSTER, Trustee.

83 Renfield Street, Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of DANIEL M'FARLANE FRASER, Horse Collar and Saddle Manufacturer, Riddell's Court, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh.

Riddell's Court, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh.

AMES PEARSON CALLUM, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Thomson, Wholesale Saddlers' Ironmonger, 160 High Street, Edinburgh, Andrew Paterson Wallace, Commission Merchant, 66 Elbe Street, Leith, and William Taylor Sutherland, S.S.C., Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Bankruptey Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Friday the 17th day of February 1888, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 30 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 27th day of February 1888, at two o'clock. At the Meeting of Creditors, held on 3rd February current, for the election of Trustee, the Bankrupt made an offer of Composition of Seven Shillings per pound, with security; and the said offer will be decided upon at the abovenamed Meeting on 27th instant. named Meeting on 27th instant.

J. PEARSON CALLUM, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 9th February 1888.

HE Trustee intimates that the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles has fixed Wednesday the 15th instant, at two P.M., within the Sheriff Court House, George, IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, for the public Examination of WILLIAM SPIERS KENNEDY, Wine Merchant, Edinburgh, and residing at Stoneybank, Musselburgh, a Partner of W. & J. Russell, Wine Merchants, Edinburgh, and as an Individual.

ADAM DAWSON, Trustee.

34 Castle Street, Edinburgh, 10th February 1888.

Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of BRECHIN & WIGHT, Timber Merchants, Linlithgow, as a Firm, and Andrew Wight, Engineer, residing in Linlithgow, a Partner of said Firm, as such, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 17th January, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that there are no funds available for division among the ordinary Creditors. He hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, No. 45 High Street, Linlithgow, on Friday the 2nd day of March 1888, at two P.M., to consider as to an application to be made to the Court for his discharge, and resolve thereanent. thereament.

EDWARD PETERKIN.

Linlithgow, 5th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of HUGH STEWART, Farmer, Balgray, Springburn, near Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, Gresham House, 45 West Nile Street, on Monday the 5th day of March 1888, at ten o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

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

Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

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

THE Trustee hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, Gresham House, 45 West Nile Street, on Monday the 5th day of March 1888, at ten o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

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

Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

LEXANDER MOORE, JUNIOR, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JOHN STOBO & CO., Bedding Manufacturers, 257 Argyle Street, Glasgow, and John Stobo, the only Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby intimates that his account and state of funds, as at 26th January last, have been audited by the Commissioners; that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before that date; and further, that on Tuesday the 27th day of March 1888, there will be paid, within the Chambers of Moore & Brown, C.A., 209 West George Street, Glasgow, a first Dividend to all the Creditors whose claims have been admitted to a ranking on the Estates.

ALEX, MOORE, Jr., Trustee.

Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

SEQUESTRATION of DOW & COMPANY, Oil Refiners and Merchants, 77 Queen Street, Glasgow, and Avondale Works, near Manuel Station, Stirlingshire, and Peter Dow, 77 Queen Street, Glasgow, and residing at East Pollokshields, near Glasgow, and Thomas Gerrard Dow, residing at Polmont, Stirlingshire, both Oil Refiners and Merchants, the Individual Partners of that Company.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an equalising and also a second and final Dividend will be paid within his Chambers, on Monday the 26th day of March 1888, or on any Tuesday or Friday thereafter.

JAMES HUTTON, C.A., Trustee.

179 West George Street, Glasgow, 9th February 1888.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN TAYLOR SHIELD, Farmer, East Mains of Rossie, Montrose.

TAMES FINLAYSON, Farmer, Balcathie, Arbroath Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Office of Miln & Dalgarno, Solicitors, 15 Hill Street, Arbroath, upon the 26th day of March 1888.

JAMES FINLAYSON, Trustee.

Arbroath, 4th February 1888.

#### NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

JOHN GRIERSON, Solicitor, Dumfries, Trustee on I, the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN MUNN GUN, Solicitor, Dumfries, do hereby give notice that a second Dividend will be paid within my Writing Chambers, in Irish Street, Dumfries, upon Tuesday the 27th day of March 1888.

John Grierson, Trustee.

Dumfries, 10th February 1888,

SEQUESTRATION of MICHAEL JOSEPH ROGAN, Clothier, trading at Loanhead and at Berwick-on-Tweed under the style of THE LEEDS CLOTHING COMPANY.

TAMES CRAIG, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, TAMES CRAIG, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, the Trustee, hereby intimates that the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles has accelerated payment of the first Dividend under this Sequestration by authorising the same to be made on the expiration of four months from the date of the Deliverance actually awarding Sequestration; and that accordingly the claims of the Creditors must be duly lodged with the Subscriber on or before the 30th day of March 1888, in order to participate in said Dividend.

James Craig, C.A.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A.

Chambers, 5 York Place, Edinburgh, 10th February 1888.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JAMES FORREST, Road Contractor, Erroll Street, Peterhead.

OHN SIMPSON, Prince Street, Peterhead, the Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postpoued the declaration of another Dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period.

JOHN SIMPSON, Trustee.

Peterhead, 8th February 1888.

ANDREW BEATTIE'S SEQUESTRATION.

OTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, by John Waugh, Farmer, Castlehill, Lochmaben, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of Andrew Beattie, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of Andrew Beattie, Farmer, Maxwellbank, Lochmaben, in order that certain Estate to which the said Andrew Beattie has succeeded through the death of his brother, John Beattie, Fishmonger, Dumfries, on the 30th day of December 1887, since the date of his Sequestration, and all right and interest in the same, should be vested in the said John Waugh for behoof of the Creditors of the said Andrew Beattie; that upon said Petition the Lord Ordinary (Trayner) has pronounced a Deliverance, dated the 7th day of February 1888, requiring all concerned to appear for their interest, if so advised, within ten days after publication in the Edinburgh Gazette; of all which Intimation is hereby made.

Thos. M'Naught,

THOS. M'NAUGHT, Agent for the said John Waugh.

51 North Hanover Street, Edinburgh, 10th February 1888.

THE Copartnery of CROSS & HANLINE, Tailors and Clothiers in Hamilton, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED

as at the 1st day of February 1888.

Thomas Jackson, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, is authorised to uplift all sums due to, and to pay all debts

due by, the Copartnery.

JOHN CROSS. JOHN HANLINE.

Rob. Archibald, Writer, Hamilton, Witness. Rob. Dunlop, Write Witness. Writer, Hamilton,

Hamilton, 7th February 1888.

PANY, Marine Insurance Brokers, London, having their Office at No. 3 Newman's Court, Cornhill, E.C., of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED upon the 31st day of January 1888, of mutual consent.

The Subscriber Walter Easton continues the Business under the same Firm on his own account, and will receive all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved

WALTER EASTON. WALTER EASTON, JR. CHARLES J. EASTON.

Witnesses to the Signatures of all the parties—
DAVID MURRAY, of 169 West George

Street, Glasgow, Solicitor.

D. WYLLIE, of 169 West George Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk.

Glasgow, 7th February 1888.

January 1887 from the Copartnership of MAC-DONALD & MORRISON, Tea Merchants, Oswald Street, Glasgow, of which he and the other Subscribers were sole Partners.

Glasgow, 31st January 1887.

A. MACDONALD. RICHARD GIBSON. JOHN MACDONALD.

GEORGE GILLESPIE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness. 7TH, Writer, Glasgow, DAVID FORSYTH, Wri Witness.

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