THE estates of William Davie Laing, otherwise Tomson Laing, Artist, St. Nicholas Studio, Prestwick, were sequestrated on the sixteenth day of December eighteen hundred and ninety-six by the Sheriff-Substitute of the

county of Ayr. The first deliverance is dated the said sixteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-six. The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners

is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the twenty-eighth day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, within the King's Arms Hotel, Ayr.

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 16th April 1897.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. J. M. and J. WATT, Solicitors, Ayr, Agents.

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The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of December 1896.

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The first deliverance is dated the 16th day of December 1896.

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