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## SCOTTISH UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889, have made an Ordinance relating to Pensions to Principals and Professors in the University of St. Andrews, and have ordered the same to be laid before both Houses of Parliament, in terms of section 20, sub-section (1) of the said Act.

ROBT. FITZROY BELL, Secretary.

18 Duke Street, Edinburgh,  
15th June 1894.

## UNIVERSITIES (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1889.

52 and 53 Vict. c. 55.

### ORDINANCE No. 53.

[ST. ANDREWS, No. 8.—PENSIONS TO PRINCIPALS AND PROFESSORS.]

At Edinburgh, the fifteenth day of June eighteen hundred and ninety-four years.

WHEREAS by the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1889 (hereinafter referred to as the first-mentioned Act), the Commissioners under the said Act are empowered by section 14, sub-section 9, to lay down the conditions and the scale on which pensions may be granted to Principals and Professors appointed by the Crown after the sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and to all Principals and Professors to be appointed after the passing of the first-mentioned Act; and by the said section 14, sub-section 16, to repeal or modify any Ordinance

made under the provisions of the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1858; and by section 26 to apportion the annual sum of £42,000 to be provided by Parliament among the Universities in such shares as they shall think just, and to prescribe how the share of each University is to be applied and expended:

And whereas, by section 28 of the first-mentioned Act, it is provided that the said annual sum granted in pursuance of that Act shall be deemed to be in full discharge of all past and present claims of the said Universities, or any past or present professor, member, officer, or servant of any of the said Universities to be maintained or paid out of public moneys, or to receive any portion of public moneys by way of salary, pension, or allowances or otherwise, in so far as such claims are based upon rights existing or alleged to exist at or before the passing of the first-mentioned Act, and on and after such day as aforesaid, all grants of public moneys in use to be made at or before the passing of the first-mentioned Act, to or on account of the said Universities, or any professor, member, officer, or servant of the said Universities, shall cease, and all liabilities, debts, and obligations incurred previously to the passing of the first-mentioned Act, by any of the said Universities, shall be defrayed by the said Universities respectively:

Therefore the Commissioners under the first-mentioned Act statute and ordain, with regard to the University of St. Andrews, as follows:—

I. Any Principal or Professor in the University of St. Andrews (including University College, Dundee), within the meaning of the first-recited enactment, desiring to retire from his office on a