

noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

DAV. YOUNG,
T. P. LAIRD,
Joint Liquidators.

Dated 9th March 1897.

BEAR CREEK ALLUVIAL GOLD CO. LTD.,
IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held within the Company's Office, 12 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on the 13th day of April 1897, at 12.45 P.M., for the purpose of having laid before them an account made up by the Liquidator showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, all in terms of section 142 of the Company's Act, 1862.

CHAS. CHRISTIE, Liquidator.

12 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow,
12th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by Robert Paul, Pastry Baker, carrying on business at 108, and residing at 250 New City Road, Glasgow, against JAMES PAUL, 255 Allison Street, Govanhill, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James Paul to appear in Court, within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Lee, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon the 23rd day of March 1897, at 10.30 A.M., for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

WM. B. PATERSON & COMPANY,
101 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Agents.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Ayrshire, at the instance of Russell, Fairbeard, & Fletcher, Vegetable Salesmen, Bazaar, Glasgow, Pursuers, against J. B. ROSS, 37 Dockhead Street, Saltcoats, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute at Kilmarnock has ordained the said J. B. Ross to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Kilmarnock, on the 24th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

JAMES M. INGLIS, Writer, Kilmarnock,
Agent.

Kilmarnock, 11th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland at Kirkwall, at the instance of James Sinclair, of and residing at Friso, in the Island of Westray and County of Orkney, against JAMES LESLIE, Farmer in Velzie, in the said Island of Westray and County aforesaid; and the Sheriff-Substitute for Orkney has ordained the said James Leslie to appear in Court for public Examination within the Sheriff Court Buildings, Kirkwall, on the 23rd day of March 1897, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

THOS. H. LIDDLE, Solicitor, Kirkwall,
Agent for Petitioner.

Kirkwall, 9th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, against ANDREW DOBIE, No. 5 Union Place, Edinburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute has of this date issued an Interlocutor requiring all the Creditors of the said Andrew Dobie to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 30th day of March 1897, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Diet the said Andrew Dobie is ordained to appear for public Examination.

M. J. BROWN, S.S.C., Petitioner's Agent.

7 North St. David Street, Edinburgh,
9th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented in the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of the Midland Railway Company, incorporated by Act of Parliament, having its Head Office in Derby, and having places of and carrying on business at 9 Princes Street, Waverley Station, and South Leith, in the County of Mid-Lothian, against PETER FRASER ALLARDYCE, Harness Manufacturer, 9 Spittal Street, Edinburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Peter Fraser Allardyce to appear in Court, within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 30th day of March 1897, at two o'clock afternoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

HENRY & SCOTT, W.S.,
20 St. Andrew Square.

11th March 1897.

A PETITION for Cessio bonorum has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland at Stornoway, by BAIN & CO., Fleshers, 12 Cromwell Street, Stornoway, against their Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Petitioners to appear in Court, within the Court House, Stornoway, upon the 31st day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

C. G. MACKENZIE, Solicitor, Stornoway,
Agent for Petitioner.

THE Estates of WILLIAM KIDSTON, JUNIOR, Warehouseman, 184 Ingram Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 9th day of March 1897, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 9th day of March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on the 19th day of March 1897, 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 9th day of July 1897.

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

JOHN MAIR,
162 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of ROBERT MURPHY & SONS, Coal Merchants and Carriage Hirers, Ayr, as a Company, and Robert Murphy, William Murphy, and James Murphy, all residing in Ayr, Individual Partners of that Company, as such, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on 9th March 1897, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr. The first Deliverance is dated the said 9th day of March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 19th day of March 1897, within the Queen's Hotel, South Harbour Street, in Ayr.