A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar at the instance of Smith, Hood, & Company, Coal Merchants, Dundee, for Sequestration of the Estates of JAMES CROLL, Coal Merchant and Contractor, Brechin, his Lordship on 20th March 1897 granted Warrant to Messengers-at-Arms and Officers of Court to cite, in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1856, the said James Croll to appear in Court on the seventh day next after Croll 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 ; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> EBENR. HENDERSON, Solicitor, 10 Whitehall Street, Dundee, Agent.

Dundee, 22nd March 1897.

THE Estates of JAMES SMITH, Farmer, Fairgirth, Southwick in the Statut L Southwick, in the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright, sometime at Boreland of Parton, in said Stewartry, were Sequestrated on the 19th day of March 1897, by the Sheriff Substitute of Dumfrits and Galloway at Kirkcudbright.

The first Deliverance is dated the 8th day of March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 30th day of March 1897, within the King's Arms Hotel in Maxwelltown.

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

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A. SCOTT, Solicitor,

11 Buccleuch Street, Dumfries, Agent. Dumfries, 20th March 1897.

THE Estates of A. M. WRIGHT & SON, Live Stock Agents, 271 Duke Street, Glasgow, and Andrew Muir Wright, Live Stock Agent there, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 19th day of March 1897, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 19th day of March 1897:

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 31st 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 10th day of Lubr 1907

the 19th day of July 1897. All future Advertisements relating to this Seques-tration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JAS. STEVENSON & MACKINLAY, Solicitors,

67 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN WYBURN, Grocer, 228 High Street, Ayr, were Sequestrated on 19th March 1897, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr. The first Deliverance is dated 19th March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 31st day of March 1897, within the King's Arms Hotel, High Street, 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 the 19th day of July 1897.

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J. M. & J. WATT, Solicitors, Ayr, Agents.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, Farmer, Quarryfield, Allangrange, Munlochy, were Sequestrated on the 20th day of March 1897, by the Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland. The first Deliverance is dated the 20th day of March

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 2nd day of April 1897, within the National Hotel in 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 20th day of July 1897.

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W. R. T. MIDDLETON, Solicitor, Dingwall,

Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM WELSH, Lorry and Van Builder, 80 and 82 Port-Dundas Road, Glasgow, the sole Individual Partner of R. STIRRAT & COMPANY, Lorry and Van Builders, 80 and 82 Port-Dundas Road, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 20th day of March 1897 years, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 20th day of March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on the 9th day of April 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 20th day of July 1897.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow.

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> STURBOCK & STURBOCK, S.S.C., 93 George Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of JOHN IMRIE, Dairyman, Reddoch, Grangemonth were Security in Provide Security in Security 1997 L Grangemouth, were Sequestrated on the 22nd day of March 1897, by the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan at Falkirk.

The first Deliverance is dated 13th March 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 30th day of March 1897, within the Crown Hotel, Falkirk.

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 22nd July 1897.

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A. & J. C. ALLAN & Co., Solicitors, Falkirk, Agents.

## SEQUESTRATION of DAVID ROBERT KEAY, Wood Merchant, Kirkliston.

CHARLES JOHN MUNRO, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Menzies, of Menzies & Co., Ship-builders, Leith, Donald Walker Beattie, Timber Importer, Account of Charles New Content of C Leith, and Charles Ninno, of John Ninno & Son, Coal Merchants, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Linlibgow, on Monday the 29th day of March 1897, at two e'clock alternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messry. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edin-burgh, on Friday the 9th day of April next, at eleven c'clock forence. o'clock forenoon.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 22nd March 1897.