

Harley Edwards, the Ryelands Farm, in the parish of Brimfield, Herefordshire, farmer and hop grower.

Thomas Dakin, Sibley, in the city of Leicester, coal dealer.

Clark Smith, now residing and carrying on business at Westwoodside, Lincolnshire, previously residing and carrying on business at Beckingham, Nottinghamshire, farmer.

John Charles Garlick, residing and carrying on business at 39 Severs Street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and also carrying on business at 34 Knowsley Street, Liverpool aforesaid, licensed victualler.

Vincent Harris, the Home Farm, Gatacre, in the county of Salop, farmer.

Horace Newman, Willow House, Old Catton, Norfolk, farmer and contractor.

Thomas Jones Evans, the Cambrian Stores, Ferndale, Glamorganshire, grocer.

Emanuel Lightfoot, Brithwynydd Old Farm, Trealaw, Glamorganshire, collier.

Edmund Williams, the De Winton Hotel, Tonypany, Glamorganshire, innkeeper.

Robert Jones, Holywell Row, Criccieth, Carnarvonshire, builder.

Charles Collett, 234 Commercial Road, Landport, in the county of Hants, provision dealer.

George William Dolman, the King's Restaurant, Queen Street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, lately carrying on business as proprietor of Cold Air Stores at the Refrigerating Stores, Landport, in the said county, restaurant keeper.

William James, 2 Gipsy Lane, Grays, Essex, grocer, china, and provision dealer.

William Readhead, Bolt House, Bridlington, Yorkshire, coal dealer.

Edward Kellyn, Sand Rock Terrace, Pontefract, Yorkshire, commission agent.

The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 13th July 1897:—John Lynch, the Swan Inn, Aldridge, Staffordshire, and carrying on business at 61 Wednesday Road, Walsall, Staffordshire, lately residing at Stonnall Road, Aldridge aforesaid, licensed victualler and bridle cutter, and fancy leather worker.

NOTICE.

AN Application by Petition to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, has been presented by Samuel Christie, senior, residing in Gordon Terrace, Dyce, and nine other householders, within the meaning of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, resident in the area after described, praying the said Sheriff—

(1) To appoint and direct a proper person to ascertain and report the number of the population of the area comprised within the following boundaries, viz.:—Commencing at the point at which the Great North of Scotland Railway Company's main line crosses the Farburn, and proceeding thence down the Farburn to a point opposite the extreme east point of the farm of Upper Glen; thence by a straight line extending to two hundred and sixty yards or thereby to said east point of Upper Glen Farm; thence along the boundary of Upper Glen Farm to the bed of the Old Canal; thence in a straight line to the Berry Moss Road on the farm of Mains of Dyce; thence along said road to junction thereof with the Aberdeen and Old Meldrum Turnpike Road; thence in a straight line westward to the line of the Formartine and Buchan Railway at a point thereon three hundred and ninety yards north-east of the bridge which carries the Dyce Road across said Railway; thence in a straight line in a south-westerly direction to the Great North of Scotland Railway where the same is crossed by the road leading from the Dyce Road to the farm of Raiths; thence following the west boundary of that Railway to the burn leading to Meikle Dyce, and keeping along that burn a distance of four hundred yards or thereby to a point directly opposite the extreme south-west point of Butler's Croft; thence in a straight line to the Farburn to said last-mentioned point; and thence along the Farburn to the starting point; all as delineated on the Plan thereof produced with the said Petition, which area forms a populous place within the meaning of the "Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892,"

and is commonly known as the Village of DYCE, and thereafter to determine whether the area included in the said boundaries, or any part thereof, considering the number of dwelling-houses within it and the density of the population, is in substance a town, and is suitable for being formed into a Police Burgh; and on the Court being satisfied on these points, to define, in a written Deliverance, the boundaries of the said populous place: (2) to find and declare that the said populous place, as so defined, is a Burgh within the meaning of the said Act: (3) to grant Warrant to record the said application and the Deliverances thereon in the books of the Court: and (4) to find and declare that the whole expenses incurred by the Pursuers and the Court in carrying out the proceedings under the said Petition shall be defrayed out of the Burgh General Assessment to be levied within the said Burgh, in terms of the said Act.

Upon which Petition the Sheriff has pronounced a Deliverance, of date 7th July 1897, ordering advertisement in terms of the said Act, and directing all persons desirous of opposing the prayer of the Petition, or to be heard in relation thereto, to lodge a Notice of Appearance in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Aberdeen, within seven days from the latest date of intimation, appointing the Plan referred to in the Petition to remain in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Aberdeen for inspection until further order; appointing James Bowman, Registrar of Births, &c., Dyce, to ascertain the number of the population of the area comprised within the boundaries proposed for the said Burgh, and to report *quam primum*; and assigning as a Diet for hearing all parties interested the 4th of August next, at ten o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff Court House of Aberdeen.

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. M. I. SCOTT, Solicitor,
48A Union Street, Aberdeen,
Agent for Applicants.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, acting under a Commission from the Secretary for Scotland, John Cheyne, Esq., Advocate, will, on Monday, 18th October 1897, at 10.30 a.m., within the Library of the Solicitors before the Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, hold an inquiry into two alternative claims presented to the Secretary for Scotland by the PARISH COUNCIL of the PARISH of LIBERTON for an adjustment of liabilities between the said Council and the Parish Council of the City Parish of Edinburgh, consequential on the alteration of areas effected by the Order of the Secretary for Scotland, No. XXI., dated 14th March 1895, issued under the powers conferred by the Local Government (Scotland) Acts.

DUNDAS & WILSON, C.S.,
Agents for Claimants.

16 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
8th July 1897.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, acting under a Commission from the Secretary for Scotland, John Cheyne, Esq., Advocate, will, on Tuesday, 12th October 1897, at 10.30 a.m., and within the Library of the Solicitors before the Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, hold an inquiry into two alternative claims presented to the Secretary for Scotland, by the SCHOOL BOARD of the PARISH of LIBERTON, for an adjustment of liabilities between that Board and the School Board of the City of Edinburgh, consequential on the alteration of areas effected by the Order of the Secretary for Scotland, No. XXI., dated 14th March 1895, issued under the powers conferred by the Local Government Acts.

THOS. J. COCHRANE, S.S.C.,
Agent for Claimants.

5 York Place, Edinburgh,
9th July 1897.