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INDIA OFFICE, January 1, 1898.

**T**HE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India :—

*To be Knights Commanders.*

His Highness Maharaja Lokindra Bhawani Singh Bahadur of Datia.  
Arthur Charles Trevor, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service.  
John Frederick Price, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service.

*To be Companions.*

Henry Evan Murchison James, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
James Knox Spence, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Michael Finucane, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Charles William Odling, Esq., Chief Engineer and Public Works Secretary to the Government of the North-West Provinces and Oudh.  
Raja Tasadduk Rasul Khan, of the Bara-Banki District of Oudh.  
James Austin Bourdillon, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Alexander Walmesley Cruickshank, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Thomas William Holderness, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
David Norton, Esq., Indian Civil Service.

INDIA OFFICE, January 1, 1898.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire :—

*To be Knights Grand Commanders.*

His Highness Maharaja Sir Prabhu Narayan Singh Bahadur, of Benares, K.C.I.E.  
His Highness Sir Sher Muhammad Khan, Diwan of Palanpur, K.C.I.E.

*To be Knights Commanders.*

Baba Khem Singh Bedi, of Kallar, C.I.E.  
Brigade - Surgeon - Lieutenant - Colonel George King, C.I.E., M.B.  
Arthur Wilson, Esq., Legal Adviser and Solicitor, India Office.

*To be Companions.*

Charles Stewart Crole, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Sahibzada Muhammad Bakhtiyar Shah.  
Raja Balwant Singh of Awa.  
Benjamin Robertson, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Duncan James Macpherson, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
John Campbell Arbuthnott, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Robert Warrand Carlyle, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Henry Cecil Ferard, Esq., Indian Civil Service.  
Captain John Ramsay, Indian Staff Corps.  
Robert Batson Joyner, Esq., Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, Bombay.  
Charles George Palmer, Esq., Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, North-West Provinces and Oudh.  
Surgeon - Lieutenant - Colonel Samuel John Thomson, Indian Medical Service.  
Lieutenant-Colonel David Parkes Masson.  
Surgeon-Major Frederick Fitzgerald MacCartie, M.B., Indian Medical Service.  
Rai Bahadur Bipin Krishna Bose.  
Virchand Dipchand, of Ahmedabad, Esq.

CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT  
MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE,  
DOWNING STREET, January 1, 1898.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :—

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Robert Baxter Llewelyn, Esq., C.M.G., Administrator of the Colony of the Gambia.

The Honourable Pieter Hendrik Faure, Secretary for Agriculture of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope.

The Honourable James Penn Boucaut, Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of South Australia.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Captain Ronald M'Farlane (late 9th Lancers), in recognition of services in connection with the

suppression of the revolt of Matabeles in Rhodesia.

Robert Henry Sawyer, Esq., Member of the Executive Council and House of Assembly of the Bahama Islands.

John Anderson, Esq., M.A., of the Colonial Department.

DUBLIN CASTLE, January 1, 1898.

Her Majesty's Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing William Kenny, Esquire, Q.C., late Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Ireland, to be one of the Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, January 1, 1898.

Her Majesty's Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing Dunbar Plunket Barton, Esq., Q.C., to be Her Majesty's Solicitor-General in Ireland.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN Imperial Measure,\* as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 1st January 1898, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	30,163	4	34	6
Barley	...	...	...	74,645	6	27	3
Oats	...	...	...	9,704	4	17	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1894 to 1897.

Corresponding Week in				QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
				WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1894	...	...	...	25,631	3	52,223	1	8,737	4	26	4	28	10	17	8
1895	...	...	...	17,813	3	56,258	6	9,471	7	20	4	21	5	14	2
1896	...	...	...	10,848	6	56,290	6	8,809	2	25	2	24	7	13	10
1897	...	...	...	17,581	3	41,588	4	5,776	0	30	6	24	8	16	2

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel, or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

STATEMENT showing what has been during SEVEN YEARS, ending Christmas Day 1897, the Average Price of an IMPERIAL BUSHEL of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY, and OATS, computed from the Weekly Averages of CORN RETURNS, for the purposes of the Tithe Acts, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 3   5½	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 3   1	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 2   2

Board of Agriculture,  
January 3, 1898.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter (Imperial Measure), for the Quarter ending Christmas 1897, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 33   3	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 27   0	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 16   5

Board of Agriculture,  
January 3, 1898.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of an Imperial Bushel of BRITISH CORN, for the Year ending Christmas 1897, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 3   9½	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 2   11½	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i> 2   1½

Board of Agriculture,  
January 3, 1898.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Years 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, and 1897, of the Quantities Sold and the Average Prices of BRITISH CORN in the Towns from which Returns are received under the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

YEAR.	QUANTITIES SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICE.		
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>
1893   ...   ...	2,620,060	3,366,056	575,522	26   4	25   7	18   9
1894   ...   ...	1,956,824	2,729,348	565,747	22   10	24   6	17   1
1895   ...   ...	1,928,383	3,426,576	665,939	23   1	21   11	14   6
1896   ...   ...	2,111,021	3,391,862	655,153	26   2	22   11	14   9
1897   ...   ...	2,756,561	3,257,187	550,434	30   2	23   6	16   11

P. G. CRAIGIE.

Board of Agriculture,  
January 3, 1898.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 1st January 1898, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					QUANTITIES.	
					1897.	1898.
Animals living:—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves...	...	...	...	Number	6,911	12,327
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	4,387	15,134
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat:—						
Beef	...	...	...	Cwts.	39,621	52,985
Mutton	...	...	...	"	68,940	70,280
Pork	...	...	...	"	7,510	10,982
Salted or Preserved Meat:—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	80,171	89,124
Beef	...	...	...	"	4,337	3,230
Hams	...	...	...	"	25,618	21,467
Pork	...	...	...	"	5,817	3,014
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	4,481	4,239
Meat, preserved otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	12,854	9,126
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	54,114	52,178
Margarine	...	...	...	"	16,731	14,665
Cheese	...	...	...	"	23,256	24,981
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	"	16,534	13,158
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	...	...	...	"	658	418
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	212,378	164,616
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	37,185	35,406
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	Cwts.	2,939	9,935
Lard	...	...	...	"	21,681	40,049
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	2,249,600	1,054,550
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	581,700	567,600
Barley	...	...	...	"	656,400	591,800
Oats	...	...	...	"	372,040	480,800
Pease	...	...	...	"	42,020	39,200
Beans	...	...	...	"	66,530	27,940
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	1,147,700	1,065,060
Fruit, Raw:—						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	60,397	25,033
Oranges	...	...	...	"	481,165	299,969
Lemons	...	...	...	"	49,667	26,321
Cherries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Plums	...	...	...	"	—	10
Pears	...	...	...	"	301	214
Grapes	...	...	...	"	4,638	491
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	9,870	12,676
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	1,345	1,956
Hops	...	...	...	Cwts.	2,499	10,051
Vegetables:—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	97,989	90,376
Potatoes	...	...	...	Cwts.	6,782	53,875
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	15,690	11,360

T. J. PITTAR.

## DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE  
FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended  
1st January 1898, distinguishing Counties  
(including Burghs).

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.
—	No.	No.
Lanark ... ..	1	23
TOTAL ... ..	1	23

## DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-  
mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the  
Week ended 1st January 1898, distinguishing  
Counties (including Burghs).

## ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
—	No.	No.
Elgin or Moray ... ..	1	1
Haddington ... ..	1	1
TOTAL ... ..	2	2

## GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous Week.	Animals Reported during the Week as Attacked.
—	No.	No.	No.
Lanark ... ..	—	—	3
TOTAL ... ..	—	—	3

OSBORNE, December 28, 1897.

This day had audience of Her Majesty :—

Phya Visuddha Suriyasakti, to present Phya Maha Yotha's Letters of Recall, and his own Credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, from His Majesty the King of Siam ; and

General Juan Piètri, to present his Credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of Venezuela.

DOWNING STREET, December 31, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased, - by Letters Patent, dated the 30th November 1897, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to provide for the annexation of certain Territories in South Africa, known as Amatongaland, to the British possession of Zululand.

Her Majesty has also been pleased, by further Letters Patent, dated 1st December 1897, passed under the said Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to provide for the annexation of the British possession of Zululand to the Colony of Natal.

WHITEHALL, January 3, 1898.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for presenting the Reverend George William Gent, M.A., Principal of St. David's College, Lampeter, to the Sinecure Rectory of Llangeler, in the County of Carmarthen and Diocese of St. David's, vacant by the promotion of Doctor John Owen to the Bishopric of St. David's.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, December 28, 1897.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the under-mentioned situation in the National Gallery is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council dated the 4th June 1870, viz. :—

The post of Female Attendant at the National Gallery of British Art, Millbank.

BOARD OF TRADE, WHITEHALL GARDENS,

December 30, 1897.

The Board of Trade, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the situation of Temporary Staff Officer for Companies Winding-up in the office of the Inspector-General in Bankruptcy, is withdrawn from Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June 1870.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

December 31, 1897.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Extra Assistant Examiner of Binding in Her Majesty's Stationery Office.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 25 and 36, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

2. Candidates will be required to show what preliminary training or technical education they have undergone to qualify themselves for a situation of this nature, and they must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that they possess the special qualifications necessary for the office. They must have served the usual apprenticeship to the Trade of Binding, and must have been a sufficient time in actual employment. Evidence on these points must be sent in at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners may appoint. If such evidence should prove *prima facie* satisfactory, the Candidate will be admitted to examination, subject, in the case of his being successful in the competition, to such further inquiry, and the production of such further evidence, as may be necessary.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. English Composition, including Handwriting and Orthography.
2. Arithmetic.
3. Knowledge of Binding. (Candidates must have a thorough knowledge of good work, and the materials required to produce it; they should consequently be able to detect defective work or inferior materials.)
4. Estimating. (Candidates must be able readily to calculate the quantity of paper required for any number of books, in the different sizes of folio, quarto, octavo, &c., and to cast up an account with ease.)

No Candidate will be eligible who fails to pass in subjects 1 and 2.

4. A fee of £1 10s. will be required from every Candidate attending an Examination.

5. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Extra Assistant Examiner of Binding in Her Majesty's Stationery Office will be held in London, under the foregoing Regulations, commencing on the 22nd February 1898.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 4th February, an application in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

January 4, 1898.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Male Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held in London, on the 15th February 1898, under the Regulations dated 15th October 1897, and published in the London Gazette of the same date,

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 28th January 1898, an application in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

January 4, 1898.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Male Learner in Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Liverpool, Glasgow, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Cardiff, and Belfast, in the Department of the Postmaster-General.

These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

- (a) That their age on the day of the Examination is not less than 15 nor more than 18.
- (b) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.
3. English Composition, to be tested by a short essay or letter on a simple subject.
4. Arithmetic, including Vulgar and Decimal Fractions and Percentages.
5. Geography (general).

4. Candidates must be at least 5 feet in height, and no officer will be retained in the Service who does not attain the height of 5 feet 4 inches before completing his nineteenth year.

5. No Candidate will be admitted to Examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking, signed by his parent or guardian, that he will, if successful, reside within a suitable distance from the Post Office, either with his parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by them.

6. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service, Engineer Students in the Navy, and Apprentices in Her Majesty's Dockyards, will not be eligible unless they produce to the Civil Service Commissioners the written permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the Competition.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

8. A fee of 4s. will be required from every Candidate attending the Examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that Open Competitive Examinations for situations as Male Learner in Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Liverpool, Glasgow, and Belfast, in the Department of the Postmaster-General, will be held on the 15th February 1898, under the foregoing Regulations.

The Examinations will be held in the following towns, and for the number of situations indicated, viz. :—

Edinburgh	...	Not fewer than	8
Dublin	...	" "	34
Birmingham	...	" "	12
Liverpool	...	" "	7
Glasgow	...	" "	24
Belfast	...	" "	10

The Examinations are intended to supply the several Post Offices with persons resident in or near the towns in which the Examinations are held. Candidates will be allowed to compete only for vacancies in the town in which they elect to be examined.

No person will be admitted to any of these Examinations from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 28th January 1898, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

December 31, 1897.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :—

December 23, 1897.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department—Marie Heegaard Warner.

Female Sorter, London—Clara Bowie.

Male Learner, Glasgow—Robert Weir Marshall.

Male Learner, Edinburgh—William Sinclair.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Technical Officers, Engineer-in-Chief's Office—John Chapman, Robert M'Ilroy.

Sorter - Tracer, London—John Newton Woodmansee.

Skilled Telegraphist—Henry John Snow.

Tracer, Dublin—George John Breasley.

Learner, West Hartlepool—William Thorburn Storm.

Postman, Alnwick—Francis Norris.

#### FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Alec Edwin Russell Logan, Arthur Dennis Mavity, Frederick George Brittan, Robert Brian Greenwood, Ernest Henry Walter, Joseph Paul Brennan, John Geelan.

December 24, 1897.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Robert John Brown.

Post Office: Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department—Gertrude Whitbread Wickham.

Female Learner, Liverpool—Elizabeth O'Loughlin.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Chatham Dockyard, Fitter—Richard Hardman.

British Museum: Boy Attendant—Edward Huddle.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division II.—George Heppel.

Post Office: Postman, London—Ernest Thomas Culpitt.

Learners—John Boland (Armagh), James Gentleman (Hawick), Ethel Herbert (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Laura Emily Hogg (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Henrietta Mary Payne (Buttevant), Annie Mary Smith (Dalry).

Postmen, Leeds—Ernest Brown, Percival John Hewitt, Edward Moorey, William James Morris, Peter Rhodes, Adner Smith, Arthur Whitaker.

Postmen—James Fraser (Fort - George Station), Samuel Richardson (Manchester), Laurence Sandham (Manchester), Michael James Smyth (Dublin), Harwood Earl Wick (Fakenham).

#### UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Reformatory Office, England: Assistant Inspector of Reformatory and Industrial Schools—(Hon.) Nigel Christopher Walsh.

#### FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Herbert Samuel Bayley, Edmond Edmore Mellor, Arthur Channing Purnell, John Wheatcroft Turner, William Henderson Parker.

December 28, 1897.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Mint: Clerks in the Operative Department—Arthur James Baker, Arthur Walter Loveridge.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London—William Scott.

Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London—Teresa Romano Wright.

Female Sorter, London—Ruth Winifred How.

Male Learners, Glasgow—James Baird, George Johnston, Hugh O'Brien.

Male Learner, Belfast—John Malough.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Mint: Boy—Richard Herbert Luscomba

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division II.—Charles Fleet, Albert Henry Mayers.

Prisons Department, Scotland : Warder—William Ferrier Annand.

Post Office: Learners—Frances Housby Binks (South Shields), Herbert William Blanch (Pontypool), Elizabeth Elliott (Holyhead), Arthur Henry Flight (Richmond, Surrey), Joseph Parker Graham (Appleby), Andrew Herd (Aberdeen), Edith Gertrude Russ (Woolwich), Florence Emily Ullathorne (Bradford).

Postmen — George Edward Gunn (Edinburgh), Joseph Humphreys (Burnley).

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL  
OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Scotch Education Department: Sub-Inspector, Second Class — Francis Richard Sandford Walker.

Post Office: Second Class Engineer—Herbert Voight-Cornish.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Ernest David Simmons Cason, Archibald Thomas Martin, Herbert Alfred Nicholls, James Charles Norman, Theodore Francis Sime, Robert Cunningham, George Alfred Innes, James Arthur Owen, Patrick Arthur Cronin, James Malcolm Duncan Macmillan, James O'Sullivan, Donald Fraser.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
MESSENGER.

Frank Spence Névin.

December 29, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Woman Clerk—Winifred Mary Imrie.  
Male Learner at Glasgow—Henry Shepherd Young.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracer, London—William Robert Bull.

Postman, London—Charles Wills.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Edwin Francis Spooner, Jeremiah Patrick Daly.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
MESSENGER.

John Matthew Morris.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,  
January 4, 1898.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

December 30, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London—Henry Hearn Rossiter.

Learner, London—Carl Henry Prime.

Girl Clerks in the Savings Bank Department—Sarah Humphreys, Dorothy Jeney Newman.

Female Sorters, London—Daisy Dryden, Charlotte Healing, Mabel Vause.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Chatham Dockyard, Joiners—John Millard, Edward Daniel Underhill Willoughby, otherwise Edward Daniel Underhill, Charles Biddlecombe Whittle.

British Museum: Attendants—William Ernest Davis, John Albert Grimsdick.

British Museum, Natural History: Attendant—Robert Hugh Bunting.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division I.—Ernest Champion, John Spittle.

War Office: Presskeepers—Herbert James Hector Allen, George Horace Payne.

Post Office: Postmen, London—William George Cottle, Ernest George Savage.

Learners—Charles Henry Herbert (Lydney), Florence Emily Longley (Red Hill), James Whitehead Warbrick (Oldham).

Postmen, Manchester—Fred Andrew, William John Handley, Harry Irwin.

Postmen, Glasgow—Andrew Gray, Hugh Campbell Matheson, Colin Thomson.

Postmen—Thomas Edward Allport (Wolverhampton), James Cockcroft (Rochdale), Albert William Day (Harleston), Mark Kerrison (Ashbourne), Mark Gillibrand Kershaw (Accrington), Edward Arthur Newman (Birkenhead), David Scott (Stranraer).

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL  
OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, Leeds—Paul Frederick Byrne.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

Frederick Adams, William Amos Cross, John Ryan.

December 31, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Women Clerks—Ethel Violet Mallett, Isabella Williamson Watt.

Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department—Grace Popple.

Female Sorter, London—Ethel Maude Acres.

Learner, London—Henry Maullen.

Female Learner, Belfast—Marion Barr.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London—Herbert Haines.



## WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Alfred George Bouckley.

Registrar-General's Office, England: Boy Messenger—Edwin Frederick Baverstock.

War Office: Presskeeper—Charles John Crocker.

Post Office: Postman, London—William George Sidney Clemson.

Learners — Alexander Stephen (Forfar), Ernest Whatling Watkins (Birkenhead).

Postman, Oldham—Thomas William Hannah.

UNDER CLAUSE 7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL  
OF 4TH JUNE 1870.

Board of Trade: Abstractor—Nathaniel James Heppell Whitcombe.

Home Office: Clerk to Her Majesty's Inspector of Burial Grounds—Thomas Harden Kearnes.

Post Office: Female Sorter, London—(Mrs.) Jane Klein.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Ernest Francis Aloysius Kieran.

January 1, 1898.

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London — Albert Edward Bishop.

Female Sorter, London — Caroline Ethel Elliott.

## WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Science and Art Department: Attendant in the National Library of Ireland—John Thomas Kelly.

Post Office: Porters, London—George William Bush, Edward Munday.

Technical Officer in the Engineer-in-Chief's Office—Francis Tremain.

Postman, Dublin—Thomas Patrick Armstrong.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

James Augustine M'Kenna.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
MESSENGER.

Edward Owen Williams.

## CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

January 4, 1898.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 12th February 1876, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the under-mentioned Appointments and Transfers in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of December 1897:—

## APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty—George Ernest Woodward, to be Examiner in the Naval Ordnance Store Department.

Joseph Thomas Clarke and George M'Cloghrie, to be Pensioner Writers.

Agriculture, Board of—Charles Edwin Staples Cock, Harry Hemming Gahagan, Hugh Junor, Francis Henry Lander, and Henry Peckham, to be Civil Assistants (Higher Grade) on the Ordnance Survey.

Alexander Maclaren, to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor.)

Lucinda Ellen Ashe, to be Female Typist.

Diplomatic Service—Ernest Bristow, to be Clerk to Her Majesty's Legation, Tangier.

Education Department—Matthew Henry Langley, to be Sub-Inspector (Second Class).

Home Office—Thomas Harden Kearnes, to be Clerk to the Inspector of Burial Grounds.

India Office—William James Bowden, to be Assistant to the India Office Member of Committee for Valuation of Military Equipment.

Aimée Stevens Larkins, to be Female Typist.

Inland Revenue—John Talbot, to be appointed to a Minor Staff Post.

Irish Land Commission—Walter Ernest Everard Callan, Thomas Francis Crotty, and John James Gilfoyle, to be Third Class Clerks.

Austin Joseph Dunkin and Charles Conacher Robertson, to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Local Government Board (England)—George Henry Louis Barnsdale, Thomas Edward Bet-tany, Edward Stuart Mills, and Richard Jefferson Simpson, to be Clerks (Class I.).

John William Colton, John William Davidson, George Herbert Follows, Charles Jonathan Huddart, Thomas Robinson Johnson, Arthur Albert Kent, and Thomas Lawrance, to be appointed to Minor Staff Posts.

Frederick Copping Allworth, Alfred John Eves, Lewis Wilson Subr ok, William John Sutton, John Woollet Trickey Franklyn Lewis Turner, and Frederick Jones Welch, to be appointed to Temporary Staff Posts.

Local Government Board (Ireland)—Graham Owen Robert Wynne, to be Auditor.

Mint—Arthur James Baker and Arthur Walter Loveridge, to be Clerks in the Operative Department.

Post Office—Henry Emmerson (Liversedge), William Dickson Storie (Innerleithen), and Henry William Tyrrell (Potters Bar), to be Postmasters.

Mary Ann Jane Crosswell Mathias (Newport, Pembrokeshire), Agnes Susanra Orchard (Ebbw Vale), and Elizabeth Stirling (Shettleston), to be Postmistresses.

John Chapman and Robert M'Ilroy, to be Technical Officers in the Engineer-in-Chief's Office.

Herbert Vooght - Cornish, John Herbert Fossett, and Ernest Wilmot Rees, to be Second Class Engineers.

Lilian Kathleen Hankey, Winifred Mary Imrie, Ethel Violet Mallett, Jessie May

Mummery, Flora Eva Stainforth, Jessie Towers, Isabella Williamson Watt, and Ethel Gertrude Wheeler, to be Women Clerks.

Ethel Sophia Bird, Annie Clarkson, Jessie Hooper Hughes, Sarah Humphreys, Gertrude Frances Lidiard, Dorothy Janey Newman, Grace Popple, Dorothy Scammell, Marie Heegaard Warner, and Gertrude Whitbread Wickham, to be Girl Clerks in the Savings Bank Department.

Reformatory Office, England—The Honourable Nigel Christopher Walsh, to be Assistant Inspector of Reformatory and Industrial Schools.

Scotch Education Department—Simon Dalgety Black, to be Sub-Inspector (First Class).

Francis Richard Sandford Walker, to be Sub-Inspector (Second Class).

Stationery Office—Alfred John Ellis, Charles Green, George Henry Thwaites, and Isaac Adolphus Herbert Watson, to be appointed to Temporary Staff Posts.

Supreme Court of Judicature (England)—Thomas Henry Christmas, to be Third Class Clerk in the Chancery Division.

Trade, Board of—Nathaniel James Heppel Whitcombe, to be Abstractor.

Treasury—Annie Mary Garland, to be Female Typist.

War Office—Vincent Wilberforce Baddeley, to be Clerk (Class I.).

Mabel Drakes, to be Female Typist.

#### CLERKS OF THE SECOND DIVISION.

Agriculture, Board of—Sydney Stagg (for temporary duty).

Customs—Herbert Edgeworth Bishop, John Isaac Lambert, and Owen Henry Gwynne Tudor.

Inland Revenue—Berti John Brown and Sydney Augustus Putnam.

Local Government Board (England)—Thomas James Arnold, Walter Frank Atkins, Arthur Christey, Alfred Coates, Robert M'Gowan, and (for temporary duty), David Emlyn Jones and Ernest Albert Saunders.

Local Government Board (Scotland)—James M'Gowan.

Local Government Board (Ireland)—Andrew Taylor Emerson.

Post Office—George Edward Davidson and Leonard Bertram Maggs.

Stationery Office—Alfred Ernest Lacey and Ezra William Edmund Liddington.

Trade, Board of—William Waller Marsh.

#### BOY CLERKS.

Chancery Office (Scotland)—Alexander Gardner Veitch.

Local Government Board, Ireland—John Phelan.

#### TRANSFERS,

with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury :—

Foreign Office—Daniel Arthur Leak, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Registrar-General's Office (England).

Local Government Board (Scotland)—Adam Smail, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Inland Revenue.

Post Office (Edinburgh)—John Henry Rae, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Chancery Office (Scotland).

Registrar-General's Office (England)—Joseph William Reading, Clerk of the Second Division from the Post Office.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

December 28, 1897.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, held on the 2nd and 3rd November 1897, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 21st September 1897, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first one hundred and twenty places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	MacLeod, Alexander Neil Hood	London
2	Edwards, Henry Agincourt	London
3	Sydenham, Henry Arthur	London
4	Coman, William	Leeds
5	Henry, Samuel	Belfast
6	Forse, Thomas Frederick Searle	London
7	Elston, Arthur Edward Anthony	London
8	Thomas, Francis David	Cardiff
9	Hill, John Sydney	London
10	Shaw, Michael Joseph	Cork
11	Dowsett, Frank David	London
12	Whitaker, Harry	London
13	Dodd, John William	London
14	Gaulter, Peter	Liverpool
15	Inglis, David	Edinburgh
16	Hammerton, William Edwin Humphry	London
17	Walley, Reginald Massie	London
18	Danaher, Thomas	London
19	Griffin, William John	Dublin
20	Smith, Harold Ernest	London
21	Pritchard, Sam	London
22	Keely, Charles	Dublin
23	Philip, Robert Morgan	London
24	O'Hara, Michael Kennedy	Dublin
25	Urquhart, Donald Munro	Inverness
26	M'Auslan, William Arthur	Glasgow
27	Page, Frederic Charles	London
28	Curtin, William Joseph	Cork
29	Foley, James Henry	Cork
30	Boyd, William Marshall	London
31	Howell, George Ernest	London
32	Duncan, William James	Edinburgh
33	Juniper, John	London
34	Bullar, Frank Paxton	London
35	Cahill, Patrick	London
36	Suggett, Charles Matthew	London
37	Upton, Alfred George	Portsmouth
38	Duggan, William James	Dublin
39	Marlow, Harry Francis	Portsmouth

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.	No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
40	Humphries, Edward .	London	104	Ryan, John Patrick .	Belfast
41	Mallinson, Ernest Sharp .	Leeds	105	Ashill, Robert James .	London
42	Jacobs, Samuel John .	London	106	Pringle, Charles Eric .	London
43	Pattinson, Ernest Alfred .	London	107	Watson, James .	Glasgow
44	Cooper, Thomas .	Liverpool	108	Westwood, Leonard Samuel	Birmingham
45	Driscoll, James Joseph .	Dublin	109	Richards, Thomas Rupert .	London
46	Ulyett, Percy .	Liverpool	110	Murray, Alexander Muir .	Glasgow
47	Molohan, George .	London	111	Kirby, Maurice .	Limerick
48	O'Hanlon, Bernard Joseph	Liverpool	112	Hall, Stewart Edward .	London
49	Newnam, Claude Tompkins	London	113	Bury, John Edwin .	London
50	Morrison, William .	Glasgow	114	Fitzpatrick, William Michael	Dublin
51	Barrett, Herbert Harry .	Birmingham	115	Maunder, Percival Harry .	Bristol
52	De la Court, Thomas Frederick	London	116	Burling, Ernest Arthur .	London
53	Fraser, William Edward .	Edinburgh	117	Brown, James Fettes .	London
54	Paton, Daniel Shaw .	Glasgow	118	Doupe, William Francis .	London
55	Hearne, Thomas George Charles	Portsmouth	119	Molineux, Hubert John .	London
56	Johnson, Arthur Murley .	Leeds	120	Paris, Charles Albert Thomas	London
57	Stone, Fred Percy .	London			
58	Clark, James .	Aberdeen			
59	Drohan, William .	London			
60	Moles, William Edward .	London			
61	Michie, James .	Aberdeen			
62	Brown, Albert Edward .	Bristol			
63	Jones, Evan .	London			
64	Moore, Joseph .	Belfast			
65	Waters, William Sutherland	Edinburgh			
66	MacMahon, Gerald John .	Belfast			
67	Pyle, John Bennet .	Newcastle			
68	Jemmett, Cecil David .	Birmingham			
69	Doyle, Martin Patrick .	Cork			
70	Cribb, William Llanwarne .	Bristol			
71	Sageman, Philip John .	London			
72	Mayhook, Frederick William	London			
73	Lennox, Peter Craig .	London			
74	Iliffe, Robert Thomas .	London			
75	Sadler, Joseph Thomas Wilson	Birmingham			
76	Mayne, William .	Dublin			
77	Tonking, Richard .	London			
78	James, Arthur .	London			
79	Barrett, Charles Joseph .	Cork			
80	O'Driscoll, Daniel .	Cork			
81	Harper, Ernest .	Liverpool			
82	Markham, Patrick .	Dublin			
83	Bristy, Frank Robert .	London			
84	Trotter, Edward .	London			
85	Robson, James William .	London			
86	James, John Stanley .	Bristol			
87	Kilpatrick, John .	Glasgow			
88	O'Loughlen, Anthony G. .	Dublin			
89	Chalmers, James Morrison .	Aberdeen			
90	Petts, James Quested .	London			
91	Hartley, John Joseph .	London			
92	Halpin, William .	Liverpool			
93	Ellercamp, Henry William .	London			
94	Sheehy, John Joseph .	Limerick			
95	Fretton, Charles Innocent .	London			
96	Bingham, William Henry .	Birmingham			
97	Read, John Alexander .	London			
98	Latchford, Edward .	London			
99	M'Dermott, Patrick .	Dublin			
100	Parke, George .	Belfast			
101	Johnson, John .	Belfast			
102	Eggington, Harold .	Liverpool			
103	Hanham, Frederick George Edward	London			

## CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

January 3, 1898.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that at an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships of the Second Division of the Civil Service, held on the 26th October 1897, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 31st August 1897, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the first eighty-four places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Bourne, Thomas Henry .	London
2	Adamson, Douglas Hay Reavell	London
3	Robinson, Robert .	London
4	Cotton, George Frederick .	London
5	Cole, Harold Godfrey .	London
6	Howell, George Ernest .	London
7	Beck, Adam Louis .	London
8	Renton, Peter .	Glasgow
9	Weatherhead, Edward .	London
10	Jones, Ernest Stephens .	London
11	Paton, Daniel Shaw .	Glasgow
12	Johnson, Arthur Murley .	Leeds
13	Nicoll, William Stokes .	London
14	Price, Ernest .	London
15	Heath, John .	London
16	Cassedy, James .	Dublin
17	Codling, William Richard .	London
18	Elliott, Alan Geoffry .	London
19	Dodd, John William .	London
20	Lowry, Hugh George .	London
21	Godden, James .	London
22	Bury, John Edwin .	London
23	Shove, Walter Russell .	London
24	Hovell, Joseph .	Aberdeen

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
25	Stone, Fred Percy . .	London
26	M'Allister, John . .	Edinburgh
27	Hill, John Syduey . .	London
28	Howell, Godfrey Valentine	London
29	Price, Ernest John . .	Bristol
30	Deans, David Joseph . .	Belfast
31	Daly, Richard . . . .	Cork
32	Carruthers, Angus William	Edinburgh
33	Knight, Christopher New man	London
34	O'Neill, Henry . . . .	Dublin
35	Luce, William Manger . .	London
36	Peake, George . . . .	London
37	Cox, William Edward . .	London
38	Buchan, Nathaniel Law- rence	Aberdeen
39	Davies, Charles James . .	London
40	Brown, William Christison Lyle	Edinburgh
41	Mackie, John Wesley . .	Dublin
42	Strong, Frederick . . . .	London
43	Jacobs, Samuel John . .	London
44	Stephen, Alexander . . .	Aberdeen
45	Llewellyn, William Ewart .	Liverpool
46	Nicholson, George Dunwell	Leeds
47	Ridley, Harry Watson . .	Newcastle
48	Noall, William Ernest . .	London
49	Lever, Albert Morris . .	London
50	Killeen, Michael . . . .	Dublin
51	Frankish, Charles Norwood	London
52	Smith, Harry . . . . .	London
53	Rudd, William John . . .	Plymouth
54	Higgin, William Wilson . .	Edinburgh
55	Denyer, Frederick Charles .	London
56	Collins, Harry . . . . .	London
57	Cooper, George Henry . . .	London
58	Brambleby, Bertram Cecil .	London
59	Mackay, George Stuart . .	Glasgow
60	Critchinson, William Thomas	London
61	Warry, William John . . .	London
62	Fraser, John Henry . . . .	Edinburgh
63	Lyon, Sydney Judah . . . .	London
64	Flood, Edward John . . . .	London
65	Christy, William Albert . .	London
66	White, William John . . . .	London
67	Buckland, Herbert . . . .	London
68	Coman, William . . . . .	Leeds
69	Key, John Russell . . . .	London
70	Gould, George Henry Augustus	Bristol
71	Settle, Herbert Harold . . .	London
72	Letch, Walter John . . . .	London
73	Whitley, Richard Charles .	Bristol
74	Ellis, Harold . . . . .	Liverpool
75	Hunter, William Cecil . . .	London
76	Barrett, Frederick Titlow .	London
77	Thomline, Robert . . . . .	Edinburgh
78	White, Leonard Charles . .	London
79	Thompson, John . . . . .	London
80	Murray, Patrick James . .	Dublin
81	Trinick, Richard . . . . .	Liverpool
82	Samson, Harry Berkeley . .	London
83	Edwards, Thomas Oliver . .	London
84	Cole, Sydney Arthur . . . .	London

The under-mentioned Candidates were successful in the Limited Competition held at the same time under Clause XI. of the Order in Council of 12th February 1876:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Kay, Alexander Berridge . .	London
2	Kinnes, Robert . . . . .	London
3	Elston, Arthur Edward Anthony	London
4	Cowcher, William Brains- ford	London
5	Jarvis, Daniel . . . . .	Liverpool
6	Wood, Louis Mitchell . . .	London
7	Elmes, James Edward . . .	London
8	Tonking, Richard . . . . .	London
9	Allen, Harold Tuckwell . .	London
10	Simpson, Frederick Samuel	London
11	Fitzgerald, John . . . . .	London
12	Russell, William Ernest . .	London
13	Howell, Edward Harold . .	London
14	Fuller, Walter Everard . .	London
15	Fulton, John . . . . .	London
16	Montgomery, Robert Ernest	London
17	Ducker, Thom Langton . . .	London
18	Mason, Albert William . . .	London
19	Bailey, Horace Hibberd . .	London
20	Thomas, Frank Taylor . . .	London
21	Justice, Charles Ernest William	London
22	Barnes, Evelyn Aimee Osborne	London
23	Langford, Andrew Graham	London
24	Walsh, Patrick Thomas . . .	Dublin
25	Stokes, Arthur William . . .	London
26	Parker, Ernest Edward . . .	Edinburgh
27	Clegg, William Charles . . .	London
28	Haylett, Robert Henry . . .	London
29	Weemys, Arthur David . . .	London
30	Park, John Forrester . . . .	London
31	Doidge, Ernest Charter . . .	London
32	Burden, Donald . . . . .	London
33	Yule, William . . . . .	London
34	Baker, Harold Owen . . . .	London
35	Cotton, James Temple . . . .	London
36	Cooper John Walter . . . . .	London
37	Ling, Percival John . . . . .	London
38	Hamer, William Solomon . .	London
39	Thomson (of Crouch End), David	London
40	Acres, Wilfrid Marston . . .	London
41	Turner, William Goodwin . .	London
42	Moss, Walter Byron Ken- dall	London
43	Tebbutt, Herbert Clement . .	London
44	Seagrave, Bertram Ros- krige	London
45	De la Court, Thomas Frederick	London
46	Austin, Augustine James . .	London
47	Caddy, Alexander William	London
48	Genochio, Ernest . . . . .	London
49	Towle, Herbert John . . . .	London
50	Phillips, Philip William . .	London
51	Sabin, Charles Withers . . .	London
52	Woodward, Herbert James	London
53	Martin, Hubert Stanley . . .	London
54	Morgan, John Cyprus . . . .	London
55	Hegarty, Denis . . . . .	Dublin
56	Breese, George . . . . .	London

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
57	Bryan, Herbert William .	London
58	Porter, Arthur Thomas .	London
59	Moutfort, Vincent Charles	London
60	Hall, Edward . . . .	London
61	Greig, William Alfred .	London
62	Jones, Thomas Cairn .	Liverpool
63	Price, John Saunders .	London
64	Clarke, Charles . . .	London
65	Strang, James . . .	London
66	Lindsay, Alexander Hay .	Edinburgh

## BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

## RECEIVING ORDERS.

Cordelia Warde Lamond, lately residing at the Hotel Victoria, the Grosvenor Hotel, the Hotel Cecil, the Charing Cross Hotel, Haxell's Hotel, and other Hotels in London, but whose present residence the petitioning creditor is unable to ascertain, spinster.

Howard Hooper Leask, 297 High Road, Lee, Blackheath, Kent, lately carrying on business at 53 Victoria Street, Westminster, in the county of London, insurance agent.

Frederick Peckett, Green Lane, Featherstone, Yorkshire, lately residing and carrying on business at 5 Park Road, Barnsley, Yorkshire, draper and boot and shoe dealer.

William Hobson, 8 Mill Lane, Woolfold, Bury, Lancashire, dealer in jewellery.

Arthur Smith, residing at 149 Lumb Lane, formerly residing at 29 Grandage Terrace, and carrying on business at 50 White Abbey Road, all in the city of Bradford, grocer's manager, formerly a grocer.

Alfred Wilkinson, residing at 25 Oliver Street, Hall Lane, and Joseph Spencer, residing at 149 North Wing, trading as Wilkinson & Spencer at 70A Heap Lane, all in the city of Bradford, mineral water manufacturers.

Jane Rymer Matthews, Beechgrove, in the parish of Almondsbury, in the county of Gloucester, single woman.

William Lacy, residing at 51 Brunshaw Road, and lately carrying on business at 14 Bridge Street, both in Burnley, Lancashire, wholesale baby linen and underclothing manufacturer.

George William Radford, Privett's Temperance Hotel, Southampton Row, London, W.C., lately residing at Baythorne End, Birdbrook, Essex, but of no fixed place of abode, law-clerk.

Charles Henry Vincent, Haverhill, Suffolk, solicitor.

Isabella Barnett, 21 Bute Street, Cardiff, jeweller and tobacconist, a married woman, carrying on trade separately from her husband.

Herman Stead Broadhurst, residing and carrying on business at Staincliffe, near Dewsbury, mattress maker.

William John Nash, lately residing and carrying on business at the Four Swans, Waltham Cross, in the county of Hertford, licensed victualler.

George Morris, Easton Barton, Morchard Bishop, Devonshire, farmer.

Henry Slater, Roseville, Welholme Road, Great Grimby, blacksmith.

William Woolesey, 5 Estcourt Road, and trading at Moat Road, both in Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, twine spinner.

Willie Walter Utley, 43 Wharf Street, Sowerby Bridge, Yorkshire, hatter.

George Bamforth, residing at 24 Lewisham Road, Slaitwaite, in the county of York, and carrying on business at Carr Lane, Slaitwaite aforesaid, plasterer and painter.

Joseph Whale, Porthill, near Burslem, Staffordshire, builder.

John Severs, lately residing at 10 Ferney Green, now of 50 Kirkland, Kendal, Westmorland, carrying on business at 10 Ferney Green, 50 Kirkland, and Woolpack Buildings, all in Kendal aforesaid, fish merchant.

Charles Henry Kersley, residing at 21 Fulham Terrace, Beeston Hill, and George Kersley, residing at 89 Lodge Lane, Beeston Hill, carrying on business together under the style of C. H. Kersley & Kersley at Beeston Old Mill and 16 York Place, all in the city of Leeds, woollen manufacturers.

David Lebowidge, 20 Star Street, Gower Street, in the city of Leeds, grocer and provision merchant.

Elizabeth Hadley Rigden (trading as E. & M. Rigden), 18 London Road, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, ladies' outfitter.

Thomas Amphlett Wheelwright, residing at 33 Filbert Street, and carrying on business at 86 Welford Road, both in the county borough of Leicester, grocer and provision dealer.

H. M. Burgess, Lime Grove, Altrincham, in the county of Chester, and of Stamford Street, Altrincham aforesaid, wholesale provision merchant and commission agent.

Aaron Ernest Roseman, 153 High Street, Dowlais, furniture dealer.

William Howard, 101 Edleston Road, Crewe, late of 20 High Street, Crewe, and 13 Edleston Road, Crewe, butcher.

Frank Brinkworth, 40 Queen Street, Neath, Glamorgan-shire, fish dealer.

George Sowerby, residing at Lemington Hall, Northumberland, lately carrying on business at Lemington Glass Works, Lemington, Northumberland, company managing director.

Frederick Bulstrode Whitlock, 49 Gregory Boulevard, Nottingham, lately residing at 49 Gregory Boulevard, Nottingham, branch bank manager.

Joseph John Knight, Sea View Terrace, Brixham, in the county of Devon, fisherman.

Ernest Albert Revell, Main Street, Alrewas, in the county of Stafford, lately residing at 2 Valletort Terrace, in the parish of Stoke Damerell, in the county of Devon, painter and glazier.

Henry Marsh, 1 Sackville Street, Southsea, in the county of Hants, wholesale fruiterer.

Harry Richards, 329 Commercial Road, Landport, county of Hants, tobacconist.

John Mackinson Wood, Whitefield House, Ingol, near Preston, and lately carrying on business at Four Lane Ends, Broughton, near Preston, in partnership with one John Kendal, under the style or firm of Kendal & Wood, corn merchant.

James Adam Woodward, Harrowside Lane, Lytham Road, Southshore, Blackpool, and lately residing at Norman Villas, Egerton Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, and carrying on business at Mauldeth Road, Fallowfield, Manchester, all in the county of Lancashire, surveyor.

Thomas Sinderson Stothard, Blyth, in the county of Nottingham, farmer.

John William Tagg Butler, residing at 20 Oak Street, Belle Vue, and carrying on business at 15 Claremont Street, both in Shrewsbury, Salop, leather merchant.

Zephaniah Matthew Brown, Abingdon House, Radford Road, Leamington Spa, Warwickshire, lately carrying on business at Fenny Compton, in the same county, of no occupation, lately brewery manager.

William John Evans, High Street, Bala, Merionethshire, watchmaker and jeweller.

Daniel Edwy Ring, 80 Park Street, Yeovil, Somersetshire, general grocer.

The following Amended Notices are substituted for those published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 31st December 1897:—Thomas Sherwood, now residing in lodgings at 238 Brunswick Street, Manchester, but formerly at 71 Burlington Street, Manchester, and now carrying on business at 55 Cross Street, Manchester, accountant and debt collector.

Oscar Wall (lately carrying on business under the style of Wall & Co.), residing in apartments at 61 Duke Street, Rusholme, in the city of Manchester, and lately residing and carrying on business at 35 Renshaw Street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, in the said city, lately chemist and druggist, now out of business.

**I**NTIMATION is hereby given that ALLAN GILMOUR, Esquire of Eaglesham, residing at Girgenti, near Irvine, in the County of Ayr, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands, Lordship, and Barony of EAGLESHAM and Others, in the County of Renfrew, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Antonio, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11 and 12 Vict. cap. 36; 16 and 17 Vict. cap. 94; 31 and 32 Vict. cap. 84; 38 and 39 Vict. cap. 61; and 45 and 46 Vict. cap. 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to disentail the said Lands, Lordship, and Barony of Eaglesham and others, in the said County of Renfrew. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 6th January 1898.

MACKENZIE & BLACK, W.S.,  
Agents of the Petitioner.

28 Castle Street, Edinburgh,  
6th January 1898.

#### NOTICE.

WILLIAM PETRIE, deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that an application has been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Perth by John Chalmers, Merchant, Lochee, to be called Executor *qua* Funerator to the deceased William Petrie, Weaver, New Alyth, who died at New Alyth on the 17th October 1895.

Dated at Perth this 5th day of January 1898.

J. REID, Solicitor, Alyth,  
Agent for Applicant.

**I**NTIMATION is hereby given that THE SCOTTISH TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CEYLON LIMITED AND REDUCED, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, has presented a Petition to the Court of Session (Second Division,—Mr. Campbell, Clerk), praying their Lordships, *inter alia*, to pronounce an order confirming the reduction of the capital of the said Company from £250,000, divided into 25,000 shares of £10 each, to £125,000, divided into 25,000 shares of £5 each, all in terms of the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company held on 17th November, and confirmed at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting held on 8th December 1897; upon which Petition an Interlocutor, dated 5th January 1898, has been pronounced, ordering intimation and advertisement in the Edinburgh Gazette and Scotsman newspaper, and allowing Answers to be lodged within eight days thereafter.

MURRAY, BEITH, & MURRAY, W.S.,  
Agents for Petitioners.

43 Castle Street, Edinburgh,  
6th January 1898.

#### NOTICE.

**A**PETITION having been presented to the Right Honourable the Lords of Council and Session, at the instance of The Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society Limited, having its Registered Office at 95 Morrison Street, Glasgow, and Robert John Smith, C.A., Glasgow, and Robert Macintosh, Accountant, Glasgow, Liquidators of THE SCOTTISH CO-OPERATIVE FARMING ASSOCIATION LIMITED, to have the voluntary winding up of the said The Scottish Co-operative Farming Association Limited placed under the supervision of the Court, the Lords of the First Division of the Court of Session (Mr. Couper, Clerk), have been pleased to pronounce the following Interlocutor:—

“*Edinburgh, 7th January 1898.*—The Lords having heard counsel on the Note for the Petitioners, No. 5 of Process, allow them to amend the Petition to the extent and in the terms set forth in the prayer of said Note, and of new appoint the Petition as so amended to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form; also appoint a notice of the Petition to be advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in the Scotsman and Glasgow Herald newspapers; and allow all parties having interest to lodge Answers, if so advised, within eight days after such intimation and advertisement.

“J. P. B. ROBERTSON, I.P.D.”

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

CLARK & MACDONALD, S.S.C.,  
Petitioners' Agents.

24 Hill Street, Edinburgh,  
7th January 1898.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that THE FREMANTLE SYNDICATE LIMITED, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and having their Registered Office at No. 12 Saint Vincent Place, Glasgow, and James Martin, Accountant, 183 West George Street, Glasgow, Liquidator thereof, have presented a Petition to the Court of Session (Second Division,—Mr. Campbell, Clerk), praying the Court to order the voluntary winding up of the said Fremantle Syndicate Limited, resolved on by an Extraordinary Resolution passed on the 29th December 1897, to be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and to direct all subsequent proceedings in the winding up to be taken before Lord Stormonth-Darling, Ordinary, and to remit the winding up to him accordingly; in which Petition the following Interlocutor has been pronounced:—“*Edinburgh, 5th January 1898.*—The Lords appoint intimation of the Petition to be made on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form, and by advertisement in each of the Edinburgh Gazette, Scotsman and Glasgow Herald newspapers, and allow all concerned to lodge Answers within six days thereafter.

(Signed) “J. H. A. MACDONALD, I.P.D.”

F. J. MARTIN, W.S.,  
Agent for the Petitioners.

1 North Charlotte Street, Edinburgh,  
5th January 1898

#### THE GLASGOW PEOPLE'S PALACE COMPANY LIMITED.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at 116 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 11th day of February next, at three o'clock afternoon precisely, to receive Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and to pass a Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and other documents of the Company.

Dated this 6th day of January 1898.

WILLM. MARTIN, Liquidator,  
116 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

J. WATSON PURVIS, Solicitor,  
22 Renfield Street, Glasgow.

**T**HOMAS MURRAY & COMPANY, Oil and Colour Merchants, 13 Back Wynd, 111 Trongate, Glasgow, and Thomas Buchanan Murray, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, having executed a Trust Deed for behoof of their Creditors in favour of Alexander Fleming, Chartered Accountant, 51 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, all parties having claims against the said Thomas Murray & Company or Thomas Buchanan Murray are requested to lodge the same with the Trustee within fourteen days from this date, and all parties indebted to the said Thomas Murray & Company or Thomas Buchanan Murray are required to make payment to the Trustee forthwith.

ALEX. FLEMING, C.A., Trustee.

51 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,  
6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of William-son, Morton, & Co., Paint Manufacturers, 97 Milton Street, Glasgow, against J. GRANT & CO., Painters, Victoria Road, Aberdeen, and MRS. SUSAN JANET GRANT, Victoria Road, Aberdeen; and the Sheriff-Substitute for Aberdeenshire has ordained the said J. Grant & Co. and Mrs. Susan Janet Grant to appear in Court, within the Court House of Aberdeen, on the 19th day of January current, at twelve o'clock noon, for Examination, at which all their Creditors are required to attend.

HUGH MACDONALD, Solicitor,  
Agent for Petitioners.

Aberdeen, January 1898.

**A** PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan at Dumbarton, by ALEXANDER POLLOCK, sometime carrying on business as JAMES POLLOCK & SON, Coal Merchants, Helensburgh, and now residing at 141 East King Street, Helensburgh, against his Creditors. All his Creditors are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, Dumbarton, on 21st January 1898, at twelve o'clock noon, when the said Alexander Pollock will appear for public Examination.

JOHN LOCKE ANDERSON,  
Petitioner's Agent.

163 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

**A** PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Ayr, at the instance of Kidd & Wilson, Ham Curers, sometime at 66 Wilson Street, Glasgow, now at 169 Govan Road there, Pursuers, against WILLIAM M'CAIRNS, Grocer, Fullarton Street, Irvine, in the County of Ayr, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute at Ayr has ordained the said William M' Cairns to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Ayr, upon the 18th day of January 1898, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

JOHN HAMPTON, Solicitor,  
Agent for the Pursuers.

217 West George Street, Glasgow,  
6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of C. D. Rutherford & Sons, 56 Nicolson Street, Edinburgh, Pursuers, against JOSEPH M'KAY, 15 Barclay Place, Edinburgh, now or lately trading as a Tobacconist at 56 High Street, Peebles, under the name or style of J. & J. M'KAY, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Defender to appear for public Examination in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 25th day of January 1898, at two o'clock P.M., at which Diet all the Debtor's Creditors are required to appear.

JAMES AYTON, S.S.C., Agent.  
50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,  
6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of William Gill, Eagles Nest, Busley in Wharfedale, York, and George Agars Walker, Danes Hill, Retford, Nottingham, Trustees nominate and acting under Trust Disposition and Settlement of the late Joseph Gill, Twine Manufacturer, Headingley Bleach Works, Leeds, and carrying on business there under the Name or Firm of Joseph Gills, Trustees, against J. C. THOMSON & COMPANY, Rope and Twine Manu-

facturers, 50 Queen Street, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said J. C. Thomson & Company, per J. C. Thomson, a Partner of said Company, to appear in Court for Examination, on Friday the 21st day of January 1898, at 10.15 A.M., within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, at which Diet their Creditors are all required to attend.

For WM. C. JOHNSTON,  
175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,  
Pursuers' Agent.

JAMES T. ORR, Procurator.

**A** PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Latch & Batchelor Limited, Wire Manufacturers, Hay Mills, Birmingham, against JAMES ANDERSON, Ironmonger, 107 Ingram Street, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James Anderson to appear in Court for Examination, on Friday the 21st day of January 1898, at ten o'clock forenoon, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, at which his Creditors are all required to attend.

For WM. C. JOHNSTON,  
175 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,  
Pursuers' Agent,

JAMES T. ORR, Procurator.

**A** PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of D. Dickson & Co., 19 Parnie Street, Glasgow, against DAVID BALLOCH, 31 Carfin Street, Govanhill, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said David Balloch to appear in Court, within the Sheriff's Chambers, (Mr. Boyd), County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 19th day of January 1898, at 10.15 A.M., at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

GEORGE F. HOWARTH, Writer,  
196 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,  
Petitioners' Agent.

**A** PETITION for Cessio, under the Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by Wylie & Lochhead Limited, Warehousemen, 45 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, against JOHN S. TAIT, 141 Elderslie Street, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Boyd) has ordained the said John S. Tait to appear for public Examination within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 21st day of January next, at ten o'clock forenoon, when all his Creditors are required to appear.

JOHN E. WILSON, Writer.  
107 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,  
5th January 1898.

**K** EITH F. SMITH, Licensed Grocer, 465 Govan Road, Govan, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, praying for Decree for Cessio bonorum, in terms of the Cessio Acts; and Notice is hereby given that all his Creditors are required to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff-Substitute Boyd, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon the 28th day of January next, at ten o'clock forenoon, when the Petitioner will appear for public Examination.

JOHN E. WILSON, Writer.  
107 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,  
5th January 1898.

**T**HE Estates of ALLAN M'COLM, Blacksmith, lately at Luthrie, Cupar-Fife, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William John Bond, Messenger-at-Arms, Cupar-Fife, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 27th January current, 1898. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court Room, Cupar-Fife, on Thursday the 17th day of February 1898, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

W. J. BOND, Trustee.

**T**HE Estates of THOMAS HOGG, Cattle Dealer, residing at 110 Hutcheon Street, Aberdeen, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to John Hart, Manager to the Stonehaven Auction Company, Stonehaven, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 3rd day of February next. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House, Aberdeen, on the 25th day of February next, at twelve o'clock noon.

P. STEWART WATT,  
Agent for the Trustee.

26 King Street, Aberdeen,  
6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark, at the instance of James Boyd, Drysalter, 64 Wellington Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of GEORGE JOHNSTON, Consulting Engineer, 94 Hope Street, Glasgow, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Johnston to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

MITCHELLS, JOHNSTON, & Co., Writers,  
Glasgow, Agents.

Glasgow, 6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Samuel Engel, 55 Great Marlborough Street, Regent Street, London, for Sequestration of the Estates of CHARLES GORDON, MARQUESS or HUNTLY, of Aboyne Castle, Aboyne, Aberdeenshire, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Charles Gordon, Marquess of Huntly, 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.

GEO. A. MUNRO, S.S.C.,  
37 Castle Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

Edinburgh, 6th January 1898.

**A** PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Arbroath, at the instance of Robert Kerr, Merchant, Edinburgh, and William Greenhorn, Merchant there, the Partners of the Firm of Wilson, Kerr, & Co., Merchants, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of MRS. BARBARA FYFFE TAYLOR or MILNE, wife of and residing with Alexander Bremner Milne, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Panmure Arms, Arbroath, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Mrs. Barbara Fyffe Taylor or Milne 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 should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

ADAM OLIVER, S.S.C., Arbroath,  
Agent.

Brothock Bank House Arbroath,  
5th January 1898.

**T**HE Estates of JAMES SIMPSON, Joiner, Kirkhill, Wick, were Sequestrated on 3rd January 1898, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland at Wick.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of January 1898.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 18th day of January 1898, within Sinclair's Auction Rooms, Bridge Street, Wick.

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 3rd day of May 1898.

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

P. L. MORRISON, Solicitor, Wick, Agent.

**T**HE Estates of WILLIAM M'KINLAY GRAY, Draper, Ayr Drapery Warehouse, Alloway Street, Ayr, were Sequestrated on 4th January 1898, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated 4th January 1898.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 14th day of January 1898, 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 4th day of May 1898.

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

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

**T**HE Estates of ALEXANDER BREMNER MILNE, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Panmure Arms, Arbroath, were Sequestrated on 5th January 1898, by the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Arbroath.

The first Deliverance is dated 29th December 1897.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12.30 o'clock afternoon, on Friday, 14th January 1898, within the Imperial Hotel, Arbroath.

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 29th April 1898.

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

ADAM OLIVER, S.S.C., Arbroath, Agent.

Brothock Bank House, Arbroath,  
5th January 1898.

**T**HE Estates of DAVID SCOTT, Publisher and Newspaper Proprietor, Saint Andrew Street, Peterhead, were Sequestrated on 7th January 1898, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 7th January 1898.

The Meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 18th day of January 1898, within the Royal Hotel, Peterhead.

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 7th day of May 1898.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Peterhead.

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

BOYD, JAMESON, & KELLY, W.S.,  
55 Constitution Street, Leith,  
Agents.



## ALEXANDER YOUNG'S SEQUESTRATION.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, by authority of the Second Division of the Court of Session in Scotland, that to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend in the Sequestration of Alexander Young, Pianoforte Seller, 12 Leith Street Terrace, Edinburgh, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 20th day of April 1898, and not on or before the 30th day of December 1897, as stated in the Notice inserted in this Gazette of 21st December 1897.

CAMPBELL & SMITH, S.S.C.,  
21 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Agents.

**SEQUESTRATION of JAMES SMITH, Coal Merchant,** lately carrying on business at Canal Station, Paisley, now at Terrace Buildings there, and residing at 6 Macintyre Place, Paisley.

**THOMSON M'LINTOCK,** Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Charles Fulton, Colliery Agent, Paisley, Hugh Harper, Coal Merchant, Paisley, and George W. Hamilton, Manager Bent Colliery Company Limited, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Paisley, on Tuesday the 11th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Trustee's Chambers, 88 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 21st day of January, at twelve o'clock noon.

THOMSON M'LINTOCK, Trustee.

**SEQUESTRATION of DONALD SUTHERLAND,** Hotel Keeper, Saint Catherine's, near Inveraray, Argyllshire.

**JOHN BUCHANAN,** General Merchant, Inveraray, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James M'Pherson, Farmer, Benbury, Inveraray, and William Jones, Hotel Keeper, Cairndow, near Inveraray, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Inveraray, on Friday the 14th day of January 1898, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of John Edward, Solicitor, County Buildings, Inveraray, on Tuesday the 25th day of January 1898, at twelve o'clock noon. At that Meeting the Creditors are hereby called upon to elect a Commissioner to complete the number required by Statute.

JOHN BUCHANAN, Trustee.

Inveraray, 5th January 1898.

**SEQUESTRATION of MURDO MACFARLANE & SON,** Builders, Portree, and Murdo Macfarlane and Thomas Macfarlane, both Builders there, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

**JAMES SIMPSON,** Bank Agent, Portree, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and Donald Craig, Ironmonger, 29 and 31 Oswald Street, Glasgow, James Alexander Hendrie Mackenzie, Architect, Portree, and Hector Cameron, Law-Clerk, Portree, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Portree, on Monday the 17th day of January 1898, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of James Simpson, Bank Agent, Portree, on Friday the 28th day of January 1898, at twelve o'clock noon.

J. SIMPSON, Trustee.

Portree, 4th January 1898.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, in terms of a Deliverance dated 7th January current, pronounced by the Sheriff-Substitute of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, a Meeting of the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of the Deceased **DAVID HAY WILSON, S.S.C.,** Edinburgh, will be held on Monday the 17th day of January 1898, at two o'clock afternoon, within Dowell's Rooms, 18 George Street, Edinburgh, to elect a new Trustee or Trustees in succession and Commissioners on the said Sequestrated Estates.

PATRICK & JAMES, S.S.C.,  
8A Abercromby Place, Edinburgh.

**ANDREW JOHN MACRITCHIE,** Solicitor, Inverness, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **JAMES MACKINTOSH,** Ironmonger, Petty Street, Inverness, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of W. Charles MacBean, Solicitor, Queensgate, Inverness, on Monday the 31st day of January current, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

AND. J. MACRITCHIE, Trustee.

Inverness, 4th January 1898.

**JAMES BOOTH GREIG,** Accountant, Laurencekirk, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **GEORGE PIRRIE KEIR,** Farmer, Balmanno, in the Parish of Marykirk and County of Kincardine, hereby intimates that his accounts and state of funds, as at 27th December 1897, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

JA. B. GREIG, Trustee.

Laurencekirk, 5th January 1898.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of the Deceased ROBERT FINDLAY ALSTON,** Merchant, who resided at 163 Bath Street, Glasgow.

**JAMES MUIR,** Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, hereby intimates that the Commissioner has postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

JAMES MUIR, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 31st December 1897.

## TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of **WILLIAM SHEPHERD,** Machine Agent, 25 West Blackhall Street, Greenock.

**B**y virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of the County of Renfrew, William Shepherd, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Renfrew at Greenock, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

THOMAS R. JACOBS, Solicitor, Agent.

35 Nicholson Street, Greenock,  
6th January 1898.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned John Richard Binney and Samuel Denton, carrying on business as Merchants and Manufacturers at Catherine Street (now called Henson Street), City Road, Middlesex, at 62 Queen Victoria Street, in the city of London, at 15 Trinity Street, Boar Lane, Leeds, at 280 Broad Street, Birmingham, at 3 Pudding Chase, Newcastle, at Smithford Street, Coventry, and at 50 Howard

Street, Glasgow, Scotland, under the Style or Firm of BINNEY & SON, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent, as and from the day of the date hereof.

The said Samuel Denton will continue to carry on the same Business alone under the same style as heretofore.

All debts due to, and owing by, the said late Firm will be received and paid by the said Samuel Denton.

Dated the 31st day of December 1897.

J. R. BINNEY.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said John

Richard Binney—

J. S. TAYLOR, No. 14 Old Jewry Chambers.

THOS. GUILLAUME, Solicitor, 9 Salisbury Square, E.C.

SAMUEL DENTON.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Samuel Denton—

J. S. TAYLOR, No. 14 Old Jewry Chambers, E.C.

GEORGE F. GRIMSTEAD, Clerk, 62 Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C.

#### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of GEDDES & YOUNG, Coal Merchants, 35 Paterson Street, S.S., Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on 25th October 1897.

JAMES GEDDES.

WILLIAM MORROW, Law-Clerk, 48 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JOHN FULTON, Law-Clerk, 48 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

PETER F. YOUNG.

JAS. STEVENSON, Solicitor, Glasgow, Witness.

WALTER ARROLL, Law-Clerk, 67 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Firm of OSWALD & HALL, Papermakers, Bonnybridge Paper Mills, Bonnybridge, of which the Subscribers John Oswald and James Hall were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED, as at the 30th day of September 1897, by mutual consent, by the retiral of the said John Oswald. The said James Hall having acquired the Business as at said date of Dissolution, will carry on the same under the Firm of OSWALD & HALL, and will receive and pay all accounts and other debts due to or by the said dissolved Firm.

JOHN OSWALD.

JAS. HALL.

J. H. BURNS, Solicitor, Falkirk, Witness.

JAMES W. BURNS, Solicitor, Falkirk, Witness.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership of CLARK BROTHERS, Scotch Tweed Manufacturers, &c., Galashiels, was DISSOLVED as at 25th March 1897, by the death of John Clark, 220 Magdala Terrace there, one of the Partners; that Aitken Welsh Clark, the surviving Partner, will continue to carry on business under the Firm's name on his own Individual

account, and that all accounts due to the Firm will be collected by him, and all debts due by the Firm will be paid by him.

Dated at Galashiels this 3rd January 1898.

ISABELLA CLARK,

Executrix of the late JOHN CLARK.

AITKEN WELSH CLARK.

JOHN BELL, Clerk, 27 St. John Street, Galashiels, Witness.

JAMES HALL, Clerk, 85 Channel Street, Galashiels, Witness.

#### NOTICE.

THE Copartnership carried on under the Firm name of SENIOR & BALLINGALL, Drapers and Milliners, Leven, Fife, of which the Subscribers Thomas Greig Senior and William Ballingall are the sole Partners is hereby DISSOLVED by mutual consent, on the 31st day of December 1897.

The Subscriber William Ballingall will collect the debts due to, and pay the obligations due by, the said dissolved Firm.

T. G. SENIOR.

JOHN HEARN, Gentleman, 9 Barton Villas, Dawlish, Witness.

GEORGINA WEBBER, Milliner, 5 Piermont Place, Dawlish, Witness.

WM. BALLINGALL.

LIZZIE BARNETSON, Cashier, High Street, Leven, Witness.

DAVID ROBB, Solicitor, Leven, Witness.

#### NOTICE OF

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Copartnership of WILLIAM ROBERTSON & LAIRD, Civil and Mining Engineers and Land Surveyors, 123 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the only Partners, was DISSOLVED on the 31st December 1897.

The Subscriber William Robertson will continue to carry on business at the same address assisted by his son, Mure Robertson, under the name of WILLIAM ROBERTSON, and will collect the whole outstanding debts, and discharge and be liable for the whole debts due by the late Firm.

The Subscriber Andrew Laird will carry on business on his own account at 121 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON.

ALEXANDER MACKAY, Apprentice Engineer, 123 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

ALEX. VIRTUE, Apprentice Engineer, 123 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

ANDREW LAIRD.

ALEXANDER MACKAY, Apprentice Engineer, 123 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

ALEX. VIRTUE, Apprentice Engineer, 123 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

MURE ROBERTSON.

CHAS. FINLAYSON, of 160 West George Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk, Witness.

WM. H. MURRAY, Jun., of 123 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Apprentice, M.E., Witness.

Glasgow, 31st December 1897.

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