A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by Charles Dunkley & Son, Wholesale Boot, Shoe, and Upper Manufacturers, Earls Barton, Northamptonshire, against J D THOMAS, 96 Main Street, Gorbals, Glasgow; and all the Creditors of the said J D Thomas are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Davidson, County Buildings, 70 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, upon the 23rd day of March next, at 10.15 A.M., when the said J D Thomas will appear for public Examination.

MACALISTER & GOLDIE, Solicitors, 299 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow. 5th March 1903.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross at Cupar, at the instance of James Donaldson & Sons, Timber Merchants, Tayport Saw Mills, Tayport, against ROBERT MATHEWSON, Joiner, Newport, Fife; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Robert Mathewson to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court Room, County Buildings, Cupar, upon the 17th day of March 1903, at eleven o'clock A.M., for Examination, at which Diet all Creditors of the said Robert Mathewson are required to attend.

KILGOUR, M'CRAE, & STBACHAN, Solicitors, 11 Murraygate, Dundee, Petitioners' Agents.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn, at the instance of James Mutch, Merchant, Elgin, against GEORGE SCOTT, Merchant, Burghead, presently residing at Cairnfield, Balgownie, Aberdeenshire; and the Sheriff-Substitute for Elginshire has ordained the said George Scott to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House at Elgin, on the 19th day of March 1903, at eleven o'clock, for Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

ALLAN & BLACK, Solicitors, Elgin, Agents for Pursuer.

Elgin, 5th March 1903.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Elinburgh, at the instance of Anderson & Gibb, Drysalters, Blackfriars Street, Edinburgh, Pursuers, against William FINDLAY, Coachbuilder, Back Street, Dalkeith, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said William Findlay to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 25th day of March 1903, at two o'clock afternoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

GREEN & MALLOCH, Agents.

56 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, 6th March 1903.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of William Munro, Grocer, Renton, in the County of Dumbarton, for Sequestration of the Estates of SINCLAIR & WIGHT, Drapers, 159 High Street, Dunbar, and of Robert Sinclair and Thomas Wight, Drapers there, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Sinclair & Wight and Robert Sinclair and Thomas Wight 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.

MACPHERSON & MACKAY, S.S.C., Agents.

16 Duke Street, Edinburgh, 3rd March 1903. A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark, at the instance of Alexander Currie Small, Bookbinder, 20 Union Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of ADAM M'KIM, Stationer, 136 Trongate, Glasgow, and 39 Renfield Street, Glasgow, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Adam M'Kim to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all of which Intimation is hereby given.

James Strang, Agent, 107 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

Glasgow, 2nd March 1903.

A PETITION having been presented in the Sheriff Court of Aberdeen, Kiucardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of George Bowman, Draper, St. Nicholas Street, Aberdeen, with the concurrence of John Grant, 110 Hamilton Place, Aberdeen, and others, the Testamentary Trustees of the deceased Peter Grant, of Stanley Cottage, Aboyne, Aberdeenshire, sole Partner of the Firm of Peter Grant & Co., who carried on business as General Merchants at Aboyne aforesaid, for Sequestration of the Estates of the said Deceased PETER GRANT, the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Honderson Begg) of this date granted Warrant for citing Peter Grant, Stark's Buildings, Eastgate, Haddington, heir-at-law, and the whole other children of the said deceased Peter Grant, to appear in Court on an inducin of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

F. J. Scott & Morrison, 129 Union Street, Aberdeen, Agents.

Aberdeen, 3rd March 1903.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banif at Banif, at the instance of Edzabeth Topp, residing at Elswick Toll Gete, Scotswood Road, in the City and County of Newcastre-upon-Tyne, the lawful widow and reliet of Jehn Topp, Sergeant of Police, who resided at Elswick Toll Gate aforesaid, Administratrix-at-law of the Estate of the said deceased John Topp, under Letters of Administratic in granted by His Majesty's High Court of Justice at the District Probate Registry thereof at Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, for Sequestration of the Estates of WILLIAM TOPP, Farmer, residing at Hill of Pirgair, in the Parish of Gamrie and County of Banif, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said William Topp to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next attation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

JOHN JAS. GEORGE, Solicitor, Maedulf, Agent.

Macduff, 3rd March 1903.

THE Estates of LEWIS MILLER, Boot and Shoe Maker, 140 Crown Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 3rd March 1903, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th February 1903. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 16th March 1903, within the Faculty Hall, 68 West George Street, in 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 3rd July 1903.

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

MACALISTER & GOLDIE, Solicitors, 299 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, Agents.