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At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of March 1903.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted as follows:—

“It shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to apply to a certified day industrial school the provisions of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, and the Acts amending the same, with such modifications as appear to Her Majesty to be necessary or proper for adapting such provisions to a day industrial school, and bringing them into conformity with this Act. * * * * *

“It shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to revoke and vary any Order in Council made under this section.

“Every such Order shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within one month after it is made, if Parliament be then sitting, or if not, within one month after the beginning of the then next session of Parliament, and while in force shall have effect as if it were enacted in this Act.”

And whereas sub-section nine of section three of the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act, 1893, contains similar enactments with respect to Scotland.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Acts, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Most Honourable Privy Council, to order that the following provisions, being modified provisions of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, and of Acts amending the

same, shall apply to certified day industrial schools.

Extent of Order.

1. This Order shall not apply to Ireland.

Provisions as to Orders of Detention, Attendance Orders, Contributions of Parents, &c.

2. Whereas it is enacted by section sixteen of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, as follows:—

“Where a Court of summary jurisdiction orders otherwise than by an attendance order under this Act a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, the Court shall also order the parent of such child, if liable to maintain him, to contribute to his industrial training, elementary education, and meals in the school such sum not exceeding two shillings per week as is named in the order; it shall be the duty of the Local Authority to obtain and enforce the said order, and every sum paid under the order shall be paid over to the Local Authority in aid of their expenses under this Act.”

And whereas by section three of the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act, 1873, it is enacted that:—

“(7.) Where a Court of summary jurisdiction orders a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, the Court shall also order the parent of such child, if liable to maintain him, to contribute to his industrial training, elementary education, and meals in the school such sum not exceeding two shillings per week as is named in the order: it shall be the duty of the School Board to obtain and enforce the said order, and every sum paid under the order shall be paid into the school fund.”

And whereas by section six of the Youthful Offenders Act, 1901, it is enacted that:—

“(1) Where a Court of summary jurisdiction makes an order that a child or young person be sent to a certified reformatory or industrial school, the Court may make at the same time such order for a contribution to his support and maintenance on his parent, or other person legally liable to maintain him, as may be made by justices or a magistrate under sections twenty-five and twenty-six of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1866, or under section forty of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, or under any local Act relating to reformatory or industrial schools, and thereupon, subject to the provisions of this Act, those enactments shall apply as if the order had been made on a complaint thereunder.

“(2) An order made on complaint under any of those enactments may be enforced as an order of affiliation.”

And whereas by section seven of the same Act it is enacted that:—

“(1) Where an order is made under this Act on a parent or other person liable to maintain a child or young person, the order shall be served in the prescribed manner on the person on whom it is made, and shall be binding on him unless he makes an application against it within the prescribed time to the Court on the ground either that he is not legally liable to maintain the child or young person, or that he is unable to contribute the sum specified in the order.

“(2) The Court may confirm the order with or without modifications, or may rescind it.

“(3) Any such order may be enforced as an order of affiliation.”

It is hereby declared and ordered that—

(1) Where a Court of summary jurisdiction orders a child to be sent to a certified day industrial school, the order which is to be made on the parent of such child, if liable to maintain him, in pursuance of section sixteen of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, or section three of the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act 1893, may be made at the same time as the order committing the child to the school.

(2) Where an order is made under this clause on a parent, the order shall be served on him by a Constable or School Attendance Officer, by delivering a copy of such order to the person on whom it is made, or by leaving the same at such person's last known place of abode with some other person for him; and it shall be binding on him unless he makes an application against it to the Court within one month after service of a copy of the Order, on the ground either that he is not legally liable to maintain the child, or that he is unable to contribute the sum specified in the order.

(3) The Court may confirm such order with or without modification, or may rescind it.

(4) Any order made under this clause, or any order made on complaint under the Elementary Education Act, 1876, or the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act, 1893, may be enforced in England as an order of affiliation and in Scotland as a decree for aliment.

Powers of County and Borough Councils and School Boards.

3. Whereas it is enacted by section sixteen of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, that a prison authority within the meaning of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, or a School Board, shall have the same powers in relation to a

certified day industrial school as they have in relation to a certified industrial school:

And whereas by subsection five of section three of the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act, 1893, it is enacted as follows:—

“The county council of any county or the magistrates of any burgh may contribute to any certified day industrial school on the same terms as they may contribute to any industrial school under section sixty-seven of the Prisons (Scotland) Act, 1877.”

And whereas by subsection three of section three of the same Act it is enacted as follows:—

“(a) A school board shall have the same power of establishing and maintaining certified day industrial schools as they have of establishing and maintaining certified industrial schools under section forty-one of the Education (Scotland) Act, 1872.”

And whereas by section nine of the Youthful Offenders Act, 1901, it is enacted as follows:—

“Where a local authority acting in pursuance of the Acts relating to reformatory or industrial schools, or the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 to 1900, agree to contribute a weekly payment towards the maintenance of any child in any reformatory or industrial school, the requirements of the first proviso to section twelve of the Industrial Schools Act, 1866, and section twenty-eight of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1866, and of section 14 of the Elementary Education Act, 1873 (relating to previous notice of intention to contribute) shall not apply to such contribution.”

It is hereby declared and ordered that where a county or borough council, or the Magistrates of any burgh in Scotland, or a school board, agree to contribute a weekly payment towards the maintenance of any child in any day industrial school, the requirements as to previous notice of intention to contribute in the first proviso to clauses nine and ten of the Order in Council relating to Day Industrial Schools of the twentieth March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to clauses nine and ten of the Order in Council relating to Day Industrial Schools in Scotland of the eleventh May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, shall not apply to such contribution.

Miscellaneous.

4. No summons, notice, or order made for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this Order shall be invalidated for want of form only.

5. In this Order—

The term “child” means a child between the ages of five years and fourteen years:

The term “parent” includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of a child.

6. Nothing in this Order shall be construed to be contrary to any of the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, the Day Industrial Schools (Scotland) Act, 1893, or the Youthful Offenders Act, 1901, and nothing in this Order shall in any way affect the provisions of the Order made by the Secretary of State on the ninth of August one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, under the provisions of the Glasgow Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Repression Act, 1878, or deprive the Glasgow Juvenile Delinquency Board of any powers given them by the Youthful Offenders Act, 1901.

A. W. FITZROY.

WHITEHALL, March 6, 1903.

THE King has been pleased to give and grant unto the Right Honourable Sir Ernest Joseph Cassel, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Grand Cordon of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorised by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him to His Highness.

WHITEHALL, March 6, 1903.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto William Woodward, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Sixth Class of the Imperial Japanese Order of the Rising Sun, conferred upon him by His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Japan, in recognition of services rendered to His Imperial Majesty.

WHITEHALL, March 6, 1903.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto John Alexander Summers, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class, Third Division, of the Imperial Chinese Order of the Double Dragon, conferred upon him by His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of China, in recognition of his services as Professor of English at the Chinese College at Shanghai.

BOARD OF TRADE, March 9, 1903.

The King has been graciously pleased to confer the decoration of the Albert Medal of the Second Class upon Captain Herbert C. French, Royal Army Medical Corps.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the decoration has been conferred:—

While His Majesty's transport "Wakool" was steaming, at the rate of about 12 knots an hour, through the Straits of Malacca, on the 17th November 1902, a native fireman jumped overboard. Captain French, who was a passenger on board, immediately dived off the promenade deck, a height of about 36 feet from the water, and swam to the place where he had observed the man. Before he reached the spot the man had disappeared, and Captain French was obliged to make for a lifebuoy, as he was exhausted with the weight of his clothing. Subsequently both were rescued by the ship's lifeboat.

Captain French incurred considerable risk, as a strong current was running at the time, and he might have been drawn under the propellers of the ship. He was also in danger of sharks and water snakes, which are known to frequent the Straits of Malacca.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 10, 1903.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships will be held in London, commencing on the 3rd August 1903, under the Regulations dated 10th March 1902.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st July, an application, in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 10, 1903.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships (Class I.) in the Civil Service will be held in London, commencing on the 3rd August 1903, under the Regulations dated the 14th March 1902, 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 1st July, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that, for Examinations to be held *after* the Examination referred to above, the following clause will be substituted for clause 1 of the above-mentioned Regulations, viz.:—

1. Candidates must have attained the age of 22 and must not have attained the age of 24 *on the first day of August* of the year in which the Examination is held.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

March 10, 1903.

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

March 5, 1903.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerk—Henry Newman Bride.

Post Office: Female Learner, London—Rose-Miriam Hayes.

Female Sorter, London—Bessie Gamble.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraphist, London — Emily Alice Duncombe.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Assistant Attendant—Thomas Pearce.

Post Office: Telegraphist, London—Alfred Henry Bartlett.

Skilled Lineman—Norman M'Leod.
Porter, London—Henry James Dodd.
Temporary Assistant Postmen, London—
Rowland Dixon Harnden, Alfred Walter
Stickland.

Learners—Arthur Geere (Sutton), Forbes
Mackenzie (Inverness), Hilda Benjafield Webb
(Llandudno).

Telephone Operators — Beatrice Margam
Phillips (Cardiff), Ada Beatrice Robinson
(London), Helen Sarah Tripp (London),
Beatrice Mary Turner (Oldham).

Postmen—Albert Brumfield Bath (Win-
chester), Edward Capelhorn (Newport, Isle of
Wight), Samuel Evans (Greystones), Percival
Henry Hardy (Sheffield), David Lawton (Fence
Houses), Henry Willans Schofield (Leeds).

Temporary Assistant Postman, Farnham—
Bruce Sidney Beagley.

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

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer,
Division I.—Godfrey Harrington.

Post Office: Postman, Glasgow—Samuel Lewis.

March 6, 1903.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise—Thomas
Hamilton.

Post Office: Female Learner—Mabel Prickett.

Male Learner, Belfast — William Forbes
MacDonald.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE
7 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE
1870.

Second Division: Clerk—William Henry Wood.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Haulbowline Dockyard, Fitters—
Martin Carney otherwise Kearney, Cornelius
Joseph Conran, David Coughlan, Edward
Patrick O'Rourke.

Boilermakers — William Henry Nicholls,
William John Rose.

Skilled Labourer—John Feehely.

Assistant Warder, Royal Naval Prison,
Lewes—Thomas Garford.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer,
Division I.—Horace Walter Karn.

Prison Department, Scotland: Warder—Peter
Smith.

Prison Service, Ireland: Warder—John Tierney.

Registrar-General's Office (England): Female
Typist—Kathleen Sarah Webb.

Post Office: Postman, London—Ernest William
Rickman.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London—
Henry James Raine.

Learners — Lambert Henry Summons
Baillieux (Haverfordwest), Percy Paskin
(Esher).

Postmen—Arthur Cook (Winchfield), Freder-
rick Charles Charlish (Windsor), William Edwin

Charles Davis (Cheltenham), William M'Grath
(Edinburgh), Edward Sheehan (Carlow),
Thomas George Williams (Pontypridd).

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

Prison Department, Scotland: Warder—Archibald
Mitchell Carstairs.

Post Office: Postmen—William Leathley Brown
(Cheltenham), Richard Keat (Bodmin).

March 7, 1903.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Assistants of Customs—William John
Grant.

Post Office: Female Learners, London—Gertrude
Mary Coulter, Florence Margaret Knowlden,
Hilda Mary Nicholls, Margaret Lily Ward.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Pembroke Dockyard, Shipwright—
Thomas Harries.

Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Assistant
Attendant—John Goddard.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer,
Division I.—Agnes, otherwise Bessie Johns.

Post Office: Telegraphist, London—Ernest Victor
Clope.

Temporary Assistant Postman, London—
John Alfred Garner, Thomas Charles Miller.

Learners — Wilfred Allen (Mansfield),
Alexander Spence Black (Hawick), William
Ainsworth Bland (Carnforth), Mabel Jory
(Helston), Charles Stuart Mackay (Inverness),
Samuel Pacey (Sheffield), Allau Scott Pratt
(Alton).

Telephone Operators — Alice Gwendoline
Blowen (Newport, Monmouthshire), Elizabeth
Phillips (Bridgend).

Postmen—George Henry Middlebrook (Hull),
Leonard Pound (Sheffield), Thomas William
Watkins (Shrewsbury).

Temporary Assistant Postmen—Sidney Ernest
Bishop (Cheltenham), John Alfred Phipps
(Liverpool), Thomas Charles Ratchiff (Rich-
mond, Surrey).

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

Board of Education: Technical Assistant in the
Victoria and Albert Museum—Henry George
Reid.

Post Office: Postmen, London—George Henry
Edwards, Joseph Thatcher.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 AND 1896.

The Board of Agriculture have appointed to be
Temporary Veterinary Inspectors for the purposes
of the above-mentioned Acts;—

Harry George Westgate, M.R.C.V.S.

Henry Hubert Vicars Mossman, M.R.C.V.S.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 7th March 1903, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1902.	1903.
Animals living:—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves ...	...	...	...	Number	6,121	7,716
Sheep and Lambs ...	...	...	...	"	3,564	5,601
Swine ...	...	...	...	"	—	—
Horses ...	...	...	...	"	798	360
Fresh Meat:—						
Beef ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	65,859	73,125
Mutton ...	...	...	...	"	60,081	73,502
Pork ...	...	...	...	"	12,971	14,893
Salted or Preserved Meat:—						
Bacon ...	...	...	...	"	70,758	101,138
Beef ...	...	...	...	"	1,890	2,686
Hams ...	...	...	...	"	21,461	21,550
Pork ...	...	...	...	"	3,201	3,346
Meat unenumerated, salted or fresh ...	...	...	...	"	14,808	14,367
Meat, preserved, otherwise than by salting ...	...	...	...	"	12,415	11,725
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—						
Butter ...	...	...	...	"	57,913	75,437
Margarine ...	...	...	...	"	22,132	17,305
Cheese ...	...	...	...	"	34,631	16,364
Milk, Fresh, in cans or drums ...	...	...	...	"	452	480
" Cream ...	...	...	...	"	124	184
" Condensed ...	...	...	...	"	16,671	14,963
" Preserved, other kinds ...	...	...	...	"	188	106
Eggs ...	...	...	...	Great Hundred	324,239	450,112
Poultry and Game ...	...	...	...	Value £	22,725	38,980
Rabbits, dead (not tinned) ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	4,160	3,043
Lard ...	...	...	...	"	32,164	34,394
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—						
Wheat ...	...	...	...	"	1,340,200	1,691,274
Wheat Meal and Flour ...	...	...	...	"	196,400	319,151
Barley ...	...	...	...	"	498,400	302,054
Oats ...	...	...	...	"	138,100	250,273
Pease ...	...	...	...	"	36,700	27,086
Beans ...	...	...	...	"	5,100	44,678
Maize or Indian Corn ...	...	...	...	"	709,400	549,808
Fruit, Raw:—						
Apples ...	...	...	...	"	39,268	106,414
Apricots and Peaches ...	...	...	...	"	12	25
Bananas ...	...	...	...	Bunches	53,687	78,072
Cherries ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	—	—
Currants ...	...	...	...	"	—	—
Gooseberries ...	...	...	...	"	—	—
Grapes ...	...	...	...	"	331	244
Lemons ...	...	...	...	"	7,498	24,111
Oranges ...	...	...	...	"	175,527	264,567
Pears ...	...	...	...	"	226	33
Plums ...	...	...	...	"	17	41
Strawberries ...	...	...	...	"	—	—
Unenumerated ...	...	...	...	"	431	47
Hay ...	...	...	...	Tons	6,359	3,959
Straw ...	...	...	...	"	1,415	1,739
Hops ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	192	753
Locust Beans ...	...	...	...	"	58,550	20,490
Vegetables, Raw:—						
Onions ...	...	...	...	Bush.	121,015	121,760
Potatoes ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	60,315	52,020
Tomatoes ...	...	...	...	"	7,805	17,183
Unenumerated ...	...	...	...	Value £	13,759	12,338
Dried ...	...	...	...	Cwts.	2,255	1,076
Preserved by canning ...	...	...	...	"	2,030	1,710

A. J. WOOD.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
March 9, 1903.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter, of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 7th March 1903, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	50,164	3	25	3
Barley	...	...	...	46,318	6	23	1
Oats	...	...	...	24,375	6	17	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1896 to 1902.

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.
1896	...	...	36,004 6	44,655 7	18,524 2	25 5	21 3	13 10
1897	...	...	48,630 3	34,894 2	15,913 7	27 11	22 11	16 2
1898	...	...	52,875 1	36,839 1	14,665 6	35 8	27 10	17 9
1899	...	...	79,274 6	44,196 0	20,436 2	25 10	26 7	16 11
1900	...	...	58,703 4	44,921 4	16,624 0	25 11	24 8	16 11
1901	...	...	63,714 5	51,125 5	19,410 5	25 9	25 4	17 7
1902	...	...	67,473 7	28,847 6	17,017 0	27 0	26 8	20 5

* 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.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

Board of Agriculture, 3 St. James' Square, London, S. W.,
March 7, 1903.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.			of Ladykirk, Swinton, Coldstream, Eccles, Hume, Nenthorn, Earlston, and Merton).		
RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th March 1903, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).			Board of Agriculture, 10th March 1903.		
			DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.		
			RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under- mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th March 1903, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).		
			ANTHRAX.		
COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.	COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
—	No.	No.	—	No.	No.
Wigtown	2	72	Aberdeen	3	3
			Forfar	1	1
			Kincardine	1	1
			Perth	1	1
TOTAL	2	72	TOTAL	6	6
SWINE FEVER INFECTED AREA.					
The following Area is now an Area Infected with Swine Fever under the above-mentioned Acts:—					
Haddingtonshire and Berwickshire.—An Area comprising the Administrative Counties of Haddington and Berwick (except the Parishes					

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	1	—	3
TOTAL	1	—	3

Board of Agriculture, 10th March 1903.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 AND 1896.

RETURN showing the Counties (including Burghs) in SCOTLAND wherein SHEEP SCAB existed during the Month of February 1903, with the number of Fresh Outbreaks reported during that Month.

Counties from whence Fresh Outbreaks of Sheep Scab were reported during the Month.	Number of such Outbreaks.	Counties wherein the Disease existed during the Month.
—	No.	—
Aberdeen	2	Aberdeen.
Argyll	1	Argyll.
Ayr	2	Ayr.
Caithness	1	Caithness.
Kinross	2	Dumfries.
Lanark	2	Elgin or Moray.
Linlithgow	1	Fife.
Nairn	5	Inverness.
Perth	2	Kinross.
Ross and Cromarty	4	Lanark.
Stirling	2	Linlithgow.
Wigtown	1	Nairn.
		Perth.
		Ross and Cromarty.
		Stirling.
		Wigtown.
TOTAL	25	

Board of Agriculture, 10th March 1903.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Gilbert Edward Townsend Farquhar, 53 Mortimer Street, Regent Street, in the county of London, of no occupation.

Rubin Horowitz, 255 Hoxton Street, in the county of London, draper.

James Sidney Robert Rowley, Crown Works, 22 Featherstone Street, City Road, in the county of London, James Rowley, residing at 216 Green Lanes, N., James Sidney Robert Rowley, residing at 181 West Green Road, N., Percy Brock Rowley, residing at 19 Wollaston Road, N., and Archer Stanley Rowley, residing at 216 Green Lanes, N., lately carrying on business under the style or firm of J. Rowley & Sons at Kimberley House, Redcross Street, in the city of London, manufacturers.

E. P. Ferguson, the Eccentric Club, Piccadilly, in the county of London, but whose present residence the petitioning creditor is unable to ascertain.

J. Rowley & Sons, carrying on business, or who recently carried on business at Eastern House, Redcross Street, in the city of London, hat manufacturers.

Percy Terry, 5 St. John Church Road, Hackney, in the county of London, formerly a butcher, now of no occupation.

Sir William Wasteneys, 6 Mazenod Avenue, Kilburn, Middlesex, Baronet.

Henry Heap Stafford, residing and carrying on business at 19 Water Street, Hyde, in the county of Chester, grocer and beerseller.

Abel Jones, Water Street, Abergale, in the county of Denbigh, butcher.

Frederick Bedford and Thomas Bedford (both now of lately trading in copartnership under the style or Bedford Brothers) at Clayton West, near Huddersfield, Yorkshire, twine and hearth rug manufacturers.

Edmund Demerell, now of Lower Ley Farm, Thornbury, near Brandis Corner, lately residing at St. Thomas, Exeter, both in Devonshire, mason and farmer.

George Clark, 19 Philip Street, and 4A Kingston Road, in the city of Bath, painter and plumber.

George William King (carrying on business under the style of King Brothers), residing and carrying on business at 67 High Street, King's Heath, in the county of Worcester, bootmaker.

Joseph Greenwood, 501 Leeds Road, in the city of Bradford, cabinetmaker.

John Ralph Horn, 159 Richardshaw Lane, Stanningley, Yorkshire, draper, dressmaker, and milliner.

G. Sibley, Pope's Grove, Twickenham, Middlesex, builder.

Thomas Pryce Jones, 35 Marlborough Street, Brighton, Sussex, furniture dealer.

Arthur Howard Russell, residing at 28 Oakfield Grove, Clifton, Bristol, and lately carrying on business at 185 Whiteladies Road, Clifton, Bristol, corn factor.

Seaman Breeds, premises adjoining 1 Edward Terrace, Avenue Road, Beckenham, Kent, and also of 1 The Avenue, Beckenham aforesaid, roundabout proprietor.

Joseph Richards, Brookhill Villa, Stapleford, Nottinghamshire, grocer's manager.

Thomas Burton, 13 Meadowfield Place, Brandon Colliery, formerly residing and carrying on business at Iveston, near Leadgate, all in the county of Durham, grocer, late innkeeper and yeast merchant.

Walter Gregory Buller, 8 Tillington Terrace, Hastings, Sussex, retired major in His Majesty's army.

John Jonathan Bray, formerly of 56 Russell Street, and Cromwell Street, now of 42 Russell Street, all in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, lately grocer and confectioner, now out of business.

William Edward Franklin, formerly of 68 Clumber Street, Princes Avenue, now of 5 Hinderwell Street, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, formerly insurance agent, now out of employment.

John Leach Kitchen, late of 11 Banstead Terrace, in the city of Leeds, now of 37 Dawlish Avenue, York Road, Leeds aforesaid, late builder, now bricklayer's foreman.

Joseph Lynn, late of 88A Kirkstall Road, in the city of Leeds, now of 19 Clifton Grove, Hudson Road, Burmanthorpe, Leeds aforesaid, late confectioner, now out of business.

Albert Edward Smith, Melrose Street, Leicester, baker.

Thomas Warden, 3 Beckingham Road, in the county borough of Leicester, builder.

Percy Dark (lately carrying on business under the style or name of the Agricultural Supply Co.), Strickley, Pensarn, Carmarthen, in the county of Carmarthen, lately residing and carrying on business at 61 Mausel Street, Port Talbot, in the county of Glamorgan, commission agent.

Bert Evans, 24 High Street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, and residing at Queen's Hill, Newport aforesaid, tailor.

William White Smith, 174 Kettering Road, Northampton, market gardener.

James Edward Barrett, residing at 89 High Street, Lees, near Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, formerly carrying on business at Raglan Road, Heysham, in the county of Lancaster, and now carrying on business at Catherine Street, Lees aforesaid, joiner and builder.

Charles James Howard, 17 Eye Bridge Street, in the city of Norwich, fish merchant.

Arthur Richard Mosley (also carrying on business as Alice Mosley), residing at 5 and 6 The Arcade, Boscombe, Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, and carrying on business at 6 The Arcade, Boscombe aforesaid, in his own name, and at 5 The Arcade, Boscombe aforesaid, in the name of Alice Mosley, hosier, outfitter, and milliner.

Thomas Edward Corkill, residing and carrying on business at 58 Penny Street, Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, baker and confectioner.

James William Rose, Durrington, Wiltshire, haulier.

George Brocklehurst, 49 Meadow Street, in the city of Sheffield, table knife hatter and glass and china dealer.

Frederick Farley, Sir John Falstaff Inn, Little Brick Kiln Street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, licensed victualler.

James Hull, Blue Bell Inn, Earl's Croome, Worcester-shire, innkeeper.

Joe Miles, 15 Chapel Street, Harrogate, Yorkshire, tobaccoist and newsagent.

RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

John Hughes Owen, formerly of 7 Holme Street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and now of 49 Vernon Street, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, insurance agent.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

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Scottish Office.—April 1903.

Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1899.

SCOTTISH ONTARIO AND MANITOBA LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

Reduction of Capital and Repayment of Capital to shareholders. Filing of Minute of Reduction. Notice to creditors. Repayment or deposit of debts. Application of deposits. Limitation of repayment. Alteration of Acts and of Memorandum and Articles of Association, and other purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the Secretary for Scotland in the ensuing month of April by Petition for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") under the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1899, for all or some of the following among other purposes, that is to say:—

1. To authorise the Scottish Ontario and Manitoba Land Company Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900 (hereinafter called "the Company") at any time and from time to time to repay to the Shareholders of the Company out of the paid-up capital or other funds of the Company for the time being, such proportion of the amount paid up on the shares of the Company, and in such manner and at such date or dates as the directors shall think expedient, and or as may be determined by a resolution passed at a General or other Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, or in such other manner as the Order may prescribe or as may be provided by the Order, and so far as necessary to provide for the passing of any such resolution.

2. To provide that upon any such repayment as aforesaid, the capital of the Company shall be

reduced or cancelled by the amount so repaid, and the nominal value of and amount paid up on each issued share of the capital of the Company shall be reduced by the amount repaid in respect of each such share, and in the case of each unissued share by the same amount as in the case of each issued share, and to make provision so far as necessary for carrying such reduction and cancellation into effect.

3. To provide that the Directors of the Company shall cause a minute, showing the particulars required by the Companies Act, 1867, in the case of a reduction of capital effected under that Act, to be filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and to provide for the registration of such minute.

4. To provide for notice in such manner and at such times as the Order may prescribe to the creditors of the Company of any repayment and reduction of the capital of the Company proposed to be made under the provisions of the Order, and to require repayment or deposit by the Company in bank or otherwise of the amount of any debts of or claims on the Company previous to such repayment or reduction.

5. To make provision for deciding the validity of any debt of or claim upon the Company, and for the application of any deposit made by the Company in bank or otherwise in respect thereof, or for the continued deposit thereof, or for the repayment thereof to the Company.

6. To provide that the total repayments to be made to the shareholders of the Company, under the provisions of the Order shall not exceed a sum per share to be specified in the Order.

7. To alter, repeal, or amend the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and to confer, vary, or extinguish certain rights and privileges.

8. To provide that all costs, charges, and expenses preliminary to and of, and incidental to the preparing, applying for, obtaining, passing, and confirmation of the Order or otherwise, in relation thereto, shall be paid by the Company.

The Petition and draft Order and printed copies thereof, will be deposited at the office of the Secretary for Scotland, Whitehall, London, on or before the seventeenth day of April next.

The subsequent procedure in respect of the said application will be by way of Provisional Order (unless it be otherwise decided in terms of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1899), in which case this Notice will, subject to the Standing Orders of Parliament, apply to such Bill.

Dated this 9th day of March 1903.

BAIRD, SMITHS, MUIRHEAD, & GUTHRIE SMITH,
Solicitors for the Order.

GRAHAMES, CUREY & SPENS,
30 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

NOTICE is hereby given that in a Petition presented to the Lords of Council and Session (Second Division, Junior Lord Ordinary, —Mr. Antonio, Clerk of the Bills), by CRAWFORD BROWN LOGAN, of Westmarch, in the County of Renfrew, residing at Westmarch, Torquay, for authority to uplift and acquire in fee simple the sum of £1498, 6s., deposited by the Caledonian

Railway Company with the Union Bank of Scotland (Paisley Branch) on 29th January 1903, as the price of 3.919 acres, part of the Entailed Estate of WESTMARCH, in the County of Renfrew, with accrued interest on said sum, the Right Honourable Lord Pearson has pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

"7th March 1903. — Lord Pearson — *Act.*
 "Cowan. — The Lord Ordinary appoints the
 "Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in
 "the Minute-Book in common form, and to be
 "advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and
 "once in the Paisley Daily Express newspaper;
 "grants Warrant for serving the same as craved,
 "with a copy of this Interlocutor, upon the
 "person, railway company, and bank men-
 "tioned in the prayer; and ordains them to lodge
 "Answers thereto, if so advised, within seven days
 "if within Scotland, and within fourteen days if
 "furth thereof, both after service."

"C. J. PEARSON."

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

1 North Charlotte Street, Edinburgh,
 10th March 1903.

THE DUNDEE TRAMWAYS. NOTICE.

THE Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors of the Burgh of Dundee, coming in place and stead of the Commissioners of Police for the Burgh of Dundee, and as such the Local Authority of the District, and also as the Promoters and Users of the Tramways within the Burgh of Dundee under and by virtue of the Acts of Parliament thereanent, hereby intimate that on the Fifth Day of February 1903 they made and enacted Bye-Laws and Regulations for Preventing the Commission of any Nuisance in or upon any Carriage or in or against any Premises belonging to them, and for Regulating the Travelling in or upon any Carriage belonging to them; the Distances at which Carriages using the Tramways shall be allowed to follow one after the other; the Stopping of Carriages using the Tramways, and the Traffic on the Roads in which the Tramways are laid, and for other purposes; and that they intend to apply to the Sheriff of the County of Forfar for confirmation or allowance of the said Bye-Laws and Regulations; and that the Sheriff has fixed Thursday, the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Sheriff Court House at Dundee, for hearing the said application; and further, that between this date and the said 7th May next Copies of the said Bye-Laws and Regulations will be kept at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town House, Dundee, for the inspection of all persons, without fee or reward, at all reasonable times; and that the Sheriff has allowed any persons or bodies corporate desiring to be heard in opposition to said confirmation and allowance or objecting to the Bye-Laws and Regulations proposed, in whole or in part, to be so heard on entering appearance with the Clerk of Court on or before 1st May 1903.

THOS. THORNTON,
 Town Clerk, Dundee, Agent.

Dundee, 11th March 1903.

BURGH OF MOTHERWELL.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by the Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors of the Burgh of Motherwell, praying the Court to revise, alter, and extend the Boundaries of the said Burgh for the purposes of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892, and the Town Councils (Scotland) Act, 1900, and to define in a written Deliverance the new Boundaries of the said Burgh; and the Sheriff has issued the following Deliverance thereon:—

"Glasgow, 12th March 1903.—The Sheriff of the
 "County of Lanark, having considered the foregoing
 "Petition, appoints a Copy thereof and of this Deliver-
 "ance to be served upon William Alston Dykes, Writer,

"Hamilton, County Clerk of Lanarkshire; ordains the
 "Petitioners to publish the import thereof, including
 "therein a description of the proposed new Boundaries
 "of the Burgh, along with a Copy of this De-
 "liverance, once in each of the Edinburgh Gazette,
 "Glasgow Herald, and Motherwell Times, and
 "also by bills posted throughout the Burgh of
 "Motherwell; and ordains any party having interest,
 "if they intend to show cause why the prayer of the
 "Petition should not be granted, to lodge in the hands
 "of the Clerk of Court at Glasgow a Notice of Appear-
 "ance within fourteen days from the date of the last of
 "said advertisements; further, appoints parties or their
 "agents to be heard before him within the Appeal
 "Court, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 29th day
 "of April 1903, at 11.15 o'clock A.M.

(Sgd.) "W. GUTHRIE."

The proposed new and extended Boundaries of the Burgh are described in said Petition as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the existing Burgh boundary at its intersection with the eastern boundary fence of the Lesmahagow Branch of the Caledonian Railway, thence southward along the eastern boundary fences of the said railway and the mineral railway siding leading to Dalzell and Broomside Collieries till it reaches the northern fence of the private road leading from Manse Road to the Camp Colliery; thence in an easterly direction along the said northern fence of said road to Camp Colliery and northward along the western boundary of said Manse Road till it reaches a point opposite the northern boundary of part of the plantation known as Fir Park; thence eastward across said road, and eastward, north, and north eastward along the fences of said Fir Park plantations till it reaches the Burgh boundary at its intersection with said fence; thence along the existing Burgh boundary to its intersection with the eastern boundary of the Old Wishaw Back Road at a point one hundred yards south from the centre of Windmillhill Street; thence generally in a south-easterly direction along the north-east fence of the Old Wishaw Back Road till it reaches a point two hundred and sixty-six yards or thereby south-east from the centre of Burngrange Bridge; thence north-eastward across the Whinny Burn and plantation thereat till it reaches the northern fence of said plantation; thence north-east and north along the north-west and western fences of the plantations lying to the south of Shields Colliery; thence west, north-west, north-east, north, and north-westwards along the enclosure fences of ground attached to the Shields Colliery, and along the line of the south-west boundary fence of the main line of the Caledonian Railway to Carlisle till it reaches the existing Burgh boundary at its junction with the said railway boundary fence, as shown on plan produced; thence along the existing Burgh boundary to its intersection with the western boundary fence of the mineral line of the Caledonian Railway Company leading from Flemington through the lands of Jerviston; thence northwards along the western boundary fence of said mineral line till it reaches the south-eastern fence of the public road leading from Motherwell to Cleckhinnin and Carfin; thence south-west along said south-eastern fence till it reaches the boundary between the Parishes of Dalziel and Bothwell; thence across said road and along the said parish boundary till it reaches the present Burgh boundary at a point near Jerviston Street; thence along the existing Burgh boundary till it reaches the before-mentioned point where this description commences; all as laid down and shown on plan produced herewith.

The plan referred to remains in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Glasgow, where parties interested may inspect same. Of all which Intimation is hereby made.

JAMES BURNS, Solicitor, Motherwell,
 Agent for Petitioners.

18 Clyde Street, Motherwell,
 12th March 1903.

BURGH OF PORT-GLASGOW.

Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME.

NOTICE is hereby given that Christopher Nicholson Johnston, Esquire, K.C., Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn, Commissioner appointed by the Right Honourable Alexander Hugh, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, K.T., His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, to hold the local inquiry into the Port-Glasgow (Housing of the Working Classes Act) Improvement Scheme pre-

scribed by section 8, sub-section (3) of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890, has appointed the said inquiry for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of the official representation made as to the areas, and the sufficiency of the scheme provided for their improvement, and of considering any local objection to be made to such scheme, to be held within the Lesser Hall of the Parish Church Halls, off R. pework Lane, Port-Glasgow, on Tuesday the 31st day of March 1903, at eleven o'clock forenoon, and has appointed the undersigned to be his clerk.

Any party or parties appearing, and who may be desirous of obtaining Warrants for the citation of witnesses, can obtain the same on application to the undersigned. No written Answers or Objections are required, but the Commissioner desires Agents who are to appear at the inquiry to communicate their names and the names of the parties for whom they are to appear to the undersigned not later than 24th March current.

JAMES LETHAM, Solicitor,
79 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Clerk to the Commissioner.

11th March 1903.

THE NEW HERMAND OIL COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE.

IN a Petition at the instance of E. Chalmers & Company Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, presented to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division,—Mr. Couper, Clerk), praying their Lordships for an Order for the winding up by the Court, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, of the New Hermand Oil Company Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and having its Registered Office at Breich, West Calder, their Lordships have been pleased to pronounce the following Interlocutor:—

"*Edinburgh, 10th March 1903.*—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form, and to be served upon the New Hermand Oil Company Limited, and upon John Oliver, 114 George Street, Edinburgh; also appoint a notice of the Petition to be advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in each of The Scotsman and Glasgow Herald newspapers, and allow the said Company and all persons having interest to lodge Answers within eight days after such intimation, service, and advertisement. "KINROSS, I.P.D."

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

F. H. LOCKHART THOMSON, W.S.,
Agent for Petitioner.

114 George Street, Edinburgh,
10th March 1903.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, at the instance of Joseph Atkinson, Wheelwright, &c., Leeds, Pursuer, against ALEXANDER M'GILL, Coal Merchant, 8 Kilnside Road, Paisley, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Alexander M'Gill to appear for public Examination in Court, within the Sheriff Court Buildings, Paisley, upon the 24th day of March 1903, at 10 30 o'clock A.M., at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

JOHN M'NISH, Writer, Paisley,
Petitioner's Agent.

9 Moss Street, Paisley,
12th March 1903.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, at the instance of JOHN GIBB ANDERSON, sometime Grocer in Paisley, now Spirit Salesman, and residing at 2 Bute Place, Paisley, against his Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said John Gibb Anderson to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, Paisley, upon the 24th day of March 1903, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

REIDS & CAMPBELL, Writers, Paisley,
Agents for Petitioner.

Paisley, 11th 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 DAVID THOMSON, Grocer, residing in Roland's Wynd, Tayport, and trading as THE SUPPLY STORES at 269 Hawkhill, Dundee, against his Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute for Fife and Kinross at Cupar has ordained the said David Thomson to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court Room at Cupar, upon the 26th day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

WILLIAM C. DICKSON,
Agent for Petitioner.

Dundee, 10th March 1903.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Renfrew and Bute at Greenock, at the instance of T. Allan & Company, 82-86 Candle-riggs, Glasgow, Pursuers, against A. RAE & COMPANY, Nurserymen, Seedsmen, and Fruiterers, 35-41 Brougham Street, Greenock, and Andrew Rae, residing at 7 Eldon Street, Greenock, and E. J. Millar, residing in Greenock, the Individual Partners of said Firm of A. Rae & Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, Defenders; and all the Creditors of the said A. Rae & Company and Andrew Rae and E. J. Millar are required to appear in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Greenock, upon the 27th day of March current, at 11.30 A.M., at which Diet the Bankrupts are ordained to appear for public Examination.

R. STEUART WALKER, Pursuer's Agent.

11 William Street, Greenock,
12th March 1903.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Kilmarnock, at the instance of John Mowat & Sons Limited, Wholesale Grocers, Howard Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of the Deceased JAMES CAMPBELL, Wholesale and Retail Grocer in Kilmarnock, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing Mrs. Mary Weatherstone or Campbell, the widow, and James Campbell, Isa Campbell, William Campbell, and Ian Campbell, the children of the said deceased James Campbell, all residing at 22 Thomson Street, Kilmarnock, and the tutors and curators (if they any have) of such of these children as may be in pupilarity or minority, to appear in Court on an *inducis* of ten days from the date of such citation if made personally at a dwelling-house or place of business, and of twenty-one days if made edictally, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

JOHN PATTISON, Writer, Paisley, Agent.

9th March 1903.

THE Estates of LAURENCE KELLY, Contractor, St. Fillans Terrace, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on 10th March 1903, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1903.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock P.M., on Friday the 20th day of March 1903, within Smith's Rooms, No. 79 George Street, Edinburgh.

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 10th July 1903.

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

JOHN BAIRD, Solicitor, Agent.

20 Albany Street, Edinburgh,
12th March 1903.

THE Estates of ROBERT M'DOWALL, Writer, Renfield Street, Glasgow, and residing at Jordanhill there, presently a prisoner in the Prison of Glasgow, were Sequestered on the 10th day of March 1903, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 10th day of March 1903.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 23rd day of March 1903, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 10th day of July 1903.

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

ANGUS CAMPBELL & MACKENZIE,
59 Bath Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of ALPINO SANTINI, Ice Cream Merchant, 134 Windmillhill Street, Motherwell, and Bellshill, were Sequestered on the 12th day of March 1903, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 24th day of February 1903.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 24th day of March 1903, within the Law Agents' Room, County Buildings, Hamilton.

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 12th day of July 1903.

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

WILL. R. HOBBS, Solicitor,
11 Merry Street, Motherwell, Agent.

THE Estates of ANDREW ROBERTSON, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Market Street, Lerwick, were Sequestered on the 12th day of March 1903, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 2nd day of March 1903, and the Deliverance awarding Sequestration is dated the 12th day of March 1903.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 20th day of March 1903, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh.

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 12th day of July 1903.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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

R. R. SIMPSON & LAWSON, W.S., Agents.
10 Albyn Place, Edinburgh,
12th March 1903.

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, were Sequestered on the 13th day of March 1903, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3rd day of March 1903.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 23rd day of March 1903, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 13th day of July 1903.

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

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

MACPHERSON & MACKAY, S.S.C., Agents.
16 Duke Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE LOW & SON, Grocers and Wine Merchants, Central Hotel Buildings, Montrose, and George Low, Grocer and Wine Merchant, Montrose, sole Partner of said Firm, as such, and as an Individual.

CHARLES JOHN MUNRO, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Preston Hardie, Wine Merchant, Edinburgh, William Greenhorn, Wholesale Provision Merchant, Edinburgh, and James Ainslie, Wine Merchant and Distiller, Leith, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 18th day of March 1903, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romates & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 26th day of March 1903, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

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

50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM M'MILLAN, Tobaccoist, 16 Stirling Street, Airdrie, and also trading as M'MILLAN & COMPANY, Cycle Dealers, 20 Stirling Street aforesaid, of which Company he is the sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

WILLIAM COUPER TAIT, Chartered Accountant, 163 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Robertson, Cycle Manufacturer, Glasgow, James Inglis, Cycle Manufacturer there, and George Fraser, Wholesale Tobaccoist, 23 Royal Exchange Square, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Airdrie, on Monday the 23rd day of March current, at three o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Davies, Tait, & Co., Chartered Accountants, 168 Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 1st day of April 1903 years, at two o'clock afternoon.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 13th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS WILLIAM CHRISTIE, residing at Whitehouse, Flemington Street, Springburn, Glasgow.

GEORGE HODGE, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas William Barran, Whitehouse, Springburn, Glasgow, William Bradburn, Manager, White Houses Limited, Springburn, Glasgow, and James Ballantine, Writer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, 40 Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 20th day of March current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Hodge & Smith, C.A., 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 30th day of March, at twelve o'clock noon.

GEO. HODGE, Trustee.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
12th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of MARSHALL & COCHRANE, Auctioneers and Valuers, 15 Drury Street, Glasgow, and Matthew Marshall and John Douglas Cochrane, both Auctioneers and Valuers there, the Individual Partners thereof, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

HUGH WYLIE AULD, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Hutton Robertson, Baker, 190 New City Road, William Barr, 47 Waterloo Street, and William Dow, Accountant, all Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts, Matthew Marshall and John Douglas Cochrane, will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Fyfe, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 20th day of March next, at ten o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the

Trustee's Chambers, 139 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 31st day of March next, at three o'clock afternoon.

H. WYLIE AULD, Trustee.

11th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MACKENZIE, Fish Curer, carrying on business at Helmsdale, Ronasvoe, Shetland, and Garloch, Ross-shire.

JOHN SUTHERLAND, Accountant, Dornoch, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James John Hill, Banker, Helmsdale, Donald M'Lean, Factor, Golspie, and John Hay Arthur, Solicitor, Dornoch, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dornoch, on Tuesday, 17th of March current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Alfred N. Macaulay, Solicitor, Golspie, on Wednesday, 25th March current, at three o'clock afternoon.

J. SUTHERLAND, Trustee.

9th March 1903.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of **ROBERT MIDDLETON**, 44 Maitland Street, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Taylor & Macintosh, C.A., 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 23rd day of March 1903, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in room of John Leitchman Taylor, junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, who has resigned office.

J. W. MACINTOSH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 11th March 1903.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS M'KENZIE**, late Innkeeper, Cairnrow, Argyllshire.

I. DUNCAN MACNIVEN, Solicitor, sometime in Inveraray, now in Fort-William, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the said Thomas M'Kenzie, hereby call a General Meeting of Creditors, to be held in my Office here, on Friday the 10th day of April 1903, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and resolving as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee foresaid.

DUN MACNIVEN, Trustee.

Fort-William, 11th March 1903.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of YOUNGSON, SONS, & COMPANY**, Engineers, Lossiewynd, Elgin, as a Company or Firm, and James Sherriffs Youngson, sole Partner of the said Company or Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

AS Trustee on the above, I hereby call a General Meeting of Creditors, to be held in the Chambers of Messrs. Grigor & Young, 1 North Street, Elgin, on Tuesday, 7th April 1903, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering as to an application for my discharge.

NORRIS MACKAY, W.S., Trustee.

High Street, Elgin,

11th March 1903.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **WALTER SCOTT & SONS**, Woollen and Worsted Cloth Manufacturers, Dumfries, and of Walter Henry Scott and Henry Scott, the Individual Partners thereof, I hereby give notice that a third and final Dividend will be paid to the Creditors of Walter Scott & Sons and of Walter Henry Scott in my Chambers, No. 8 York Place, Edinburgh, upon the 1st day of May next.

J. HAMILTON BUCHANAN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 12th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN PATERSON, Baker, Moray Place, Rutherglen.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 24th February 1903, has been examined by the Commissioners; further, that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Trustee's Chambers, 190 West George Street, Glasgow, on and after 25th April 1903, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

JOHN M'COSH, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 10th March 1903.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM FOWLIS**, Aerated Water Manufacturer, Sharon Street, Dalry.

MATTHEW MITCHELL, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 26th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners, who, having found the funds only sufficient to meet the preferable claims, have authorised such claims to be paid to those Creditors entitled thereto, within the Chambers of the Trustee, 59 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on 27th April next.

MATT. MITCHELL, Trustee.

59 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
10th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN WOODBURN, Contractor, Milngavie.

AS Trustee on this Estate, I hereby intimate that an account of my intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 6th March 1903, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

HENRY S. F. ALEXANDER, Trustee.

ALEXANDER DUFFUS, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **ALEXANDER BRANDER**, Merchant, Huntly, hereby intimates that the Commissioner has postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. DUFFUS, Trustee.

146 Union Street, Aberdeen,
9th March 1903.

ALEXANDER DUFFUS, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **JAMES BRANDER**, Merchant, Huntly, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

ALEX. DUFFUS, Trustee.

146 Union Street, Aberdeen,
9th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of JOSEPH HAMILTON FOWLER, Commission Agent in Glasgow, and residing at Thirlestane, Maxwell Park, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the account of his intromissions with the funds of the above Sequestrated Estate, brought down to 24th February 1903, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

WALTER NELSON, C.A., Trustee.

135 Wellington Street, Glasgow,
11th March 1903.

SEQUESTRATION of MRS. CATHERINE MANN or FOWLER, wife of Joseph Hamilton Fowler, Commission Agent in Glasgow, and residing at Thirlestane, Maxwell Park, Glasgow.

THE Trustees hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the above Sequestered Estate, brought down to 24th February 1903, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

WALTER NELSON, C.A., Trustee.

135 Wellington Street, Glasgow,
11th March 1903.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership of **BLACKLOCK & MACARTHUR**, Paint, Colour, and Varnish Manufacturers and Oil Merchants, Glasgow, London, Cardiff, and Luton, has been **DISSOLVED**, by mutual consent, as at the 31st day of December 1902, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Duncan Colquhoun Stewart Blacklock, both for himself and as acting on behalf of the Trustees of his father, the late Donald Blacklock, who died on the 3rd day of October 1898.

John Stewart Macarthur, junior, has been assumed a Partner. The Subscribers, other than the said Duncan Colquhoun Stewart Blacklock, will collect the Firm's accounts, and pay the Firm's liabilities, and continue the Business under the same name of **BLACKLOCK & MACARTHUR**.

Glasgow, 27th February 1903.

JOHN S. MACARTHUR.

W. G. REID.

D. C. STEWART BLACKLOCK.

J. S. MACARTHUR, Jr.

W. BARRIE, Writer, 149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JAS. R. DONALDSON, Law-Apprentice,
149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Witness.

THE Subscribers Mrs. Annie Wilson or Murray, James Brown, James Carmichael, and James Wallace Barrie, the Trustees of the late Alexander Murray, Saddler, Lanark, hereby give notice that they have sold the Business of Saddler carried on in Bloomgate, Lanark, by them under the name of **ALEXANDER MURRAY**, to Robert Murray, Saddler, Lanark, son of the said Alexander Murray, and have ceased to have any interest therein as at 7th March 1903.

The Subscriber the said Robert Murray will continue the Business under the name of **ALEXANDER MURRAY**, and is authorised to collect the debts due to, and will pay the debts due in connection with, the said Business.

ANNIE MURRAY.

JAMES BROWN.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the above-named Annie Wilson or Murray and James Brown—

JAMES SPENCE, Law-Clerk, Lanark.

ROBERT SPENCE, Law-Clerk, Lanark.

JAMES W. BARRIE.

JAMES CARMICHAEL.

THOS. HISLOP, Draper, 262 Crown Street, Glasgow,

ALEX. WATSON, Draper, 262 Crown Street, Glasgow,

Have witnessed the above Signatures of the said James Wallace Barrie and James Carmichael.

ROBERT MURRAY.

Witnesses to the Signature of the above-named Robert Murray—

JOHN HAMILTON, Writer, Lanark,
Witness.

WILL. LIGHTBODY, Writer, Lanark,
Witness.

EMPIRE OUTFITTING COMPANY, Hatters and Tailors, 3 Saint Nicholas Street, Aberdeen.

THIS is to intimate that the undersigned Adam Pratt has ceased to have any interest in the said Business, and that the same is now being carried on by Alexander Cook Pratt solely for his own behoof.

23rd February 1903.

ADAM PRATT.

ALEXANDER COOK PRATT.

WILLIAM E. RUDDER, Manager H. and C. Stores, 6 Pitstruan Place, Witness.

EDWARD DILLON, Hatter, 25 Holburn Street, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Testamentary Trustees of the Late Miss **GRACE PATON**, Melville Place, Bearsden, ceased as at 1st December 1902 to have any interest in the Millinery and Drapery Business formerly carried on by Miss Paton at said address, they having sold and transferred the same as at that date to Miss Christina Stewart, who continues the Business at same address for her own behoof.

W. COX,

ARCH. BROWNLIE,

JAMES F. FARMER,

Trustees of Miss PATON.

DAVID M'MILLAN, Apprentice-at-Law,
147 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Witness.

J. ALFRED MITCHELL, Law-Clerk, 147 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the Trustees.

CHRISTINA STEWART.

DAVID M'MILLAN, Apprentice-at-Law,
147 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Witness.

ANNIE FINDLAY, Dressmaker, Melville Place, Bearsden, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Miss Stewart.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of **MACKENZIE, GRAHAM, & COMPANY**, Ship Store and Export Merchants in Glasgow, and at Port Elizabeth, Cape Colony, and South Africa, of which the Subscribers Donald Mackenzie and Patrick Graham are the sole Partners, has been **DISSOLVED**, as at the 30th day of June 1902, of mutual consent.

Messrs. Grahams & Company, Chartered Accountants, 212 West George Street, Glasgow, have been appointed Liquidators, and are authorised to receive and recover all sums due to the Firm, and to pay its debts.

PATRICK GRAHAM.

Signed by the said Patrick Graham at Glasgow, 9th January 1903, in presence of—

JOHN M. CROSTHWAITE, Writer, 193 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JOSEPH BARNES, Law-Clerk, 193 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

D. MACKENZIE.

Signed by the said Donald Mackenzie at Kroonstad, O.R.C., 30th January 1903, in presence of—

BRUCE SMITH, Storekeeper, Kroonstad, O.R.C., Witness.

MURDOCH FERGUSON, Hotel Proprietor, Kroonstad, O.R.C., Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnery of J. & G. EWART, which carried on business as Ironmongers, Leather Merchants, Cycle Agents, &c., at No. 11 Chapel Street, Airdrie, and No. 54 Sunnyside Road, Coatbridge (of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners), was DISSOLVED, of mutual consent, on the 17th day of February 1903.

The Subscriber John Ewart will carry on under his own name and for his own behoof the Business at 11 Chapel Street, Airdrie, and will pay all debts due by, and collect all accounts due to, the dissolved Firm in connection with the Airdrie Business; and the Subscriber Gavin Gardner Ewart will carry on under his own name and for his own behoof the Business at 54

Sunnyside Road, Coatbridge, and will pay all debts due by, and collect all accounts due to, the dissolved Firm in connection with the Coatbridge Business.

Airdrie, 10th March 1903.

JOHN EWART.

GAVIN G. EWART.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said
John Ewart and Gavin Gardner
Ewart—

G. B. MOTHERWELL, Jun., Solicitor,
10 Bank Street, Airdrie.

JAMES A. HENDERSON, Apprentice-at-Law,
10 Bank Street, Airdrie.

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