paid, to £70,000, divided in 12,000 preference shares of £5 each and 2000 ordinary shares, all fully paid up, praying their Lordships, *inter alia*, to pronounce an order confirming the reduction of capital resolved on by said Special Resolutions, and to approve of the Minute of Reduction, all as fully set forth in the said Petition; on which Petition their Lordships of the First Division have been pleased to pronounce the following Interlocutor:—

"*Edinburgh, 13th May 1904.*—The Lords appoint the "Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the "Minute-Book in common form, and to be advertised "once in the Scotsman, Glasgow Herald, and Edinburgh "Gazette; and ordain all parties interested to lodge "Answers thereto, if so advised, within eight days after "such intimation and advertisement; meantime, during "the dependence of the Petition, dispense with the "addition of the words 'and reduced' as part of the "name of the Company.

"KINROSS, *I.P.D.*"

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. & A. HASTIE, Solicitors.

43 York Place, Edinburgh,
17th May 1904.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

THE MERCEDES COMPANY LIMITED.

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS, passed 28th April 1904; confirmed 12th May 1904.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 34 Victoria Street, London, S.W., in the County of London, on the 28th day of April 1904, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 12th day of May 1904, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

(1) "That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Ernest Charles Parford, of 55 Gurney Street, London, S.E., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

(2) "That the Liquidator do consent to the registration in England of a new Company to be called 'The Mercedes Company Limited.'"

Dated the 13th day of May 1904.

JAS. LIKEMAN, Chairman.

H. H. SYMS, Solicitor, 70 Queen Victoria Street, E.C., Witness.

SHETLAND STEAM SHIPPING COMPANY LIMITED.

In the Matter of THE SHETLAND STEAM SHIPPING COMPANY LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's Registered Office, North End, Lerwick, on the 11th day of April 1904, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz.:—

1st. "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its Business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the Company be wound up accordingly."

2nd. "That Mr. David Williamson, Banker, of Lerwick, be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

G. HARRISON, Chairman.

Certified to be in accordance with the Minutes of the Company's Meeting held on 11th April 1904.

JOHN W. ROBERTSON, Secretary.

SHETLAND STEAM SHIPPING COMPANY LIMITED.

I HEREBY give notice that all persons having claims against the above Company must lodge them with me within twenty-one days from date hereof, and all persons indebted to the above Company must make payment of their debts to me within the like period.

D. WILLIAMSON, Liquidator.

109 Commercial Street, Lerwick,
11th May 1904.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, by John Drennan Wyllie, Solicitor, Glasgow and Kilmarnock, Pursuer, against ALEXANDER BREMNER, Slater, 6 Millbrae Road, Langside, Glasgow, and residing at 70 Ledard Road, Langside foresaid, Defender. The Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Defender to appear within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Davidson, County Buildings, 70 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, upon the 27th May current, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet the Creditors of the said Alexander Bremner are requested to attend.

B. CAUFIELD, Writer,
208 West George Street, Glasgow,
Agent for Pursuer.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of William Henry Kingsbury, residing at 39 Falkland Mansions, Glasgow, against WILLIAM STODDART sometime Cab Hirer, 32 Devon Street, Glasgow, and now residing at 6 Margaret Street, South Side, Glasgow; and the Sheriff has ordained the said William Stoddart to appear for public Examination within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Davidson), County Buildings, 70 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, upon the 1st day of June 1904, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

DAVID DALLAS,
96 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Agent for Petitioner.

Glasgow, 13th May 1904.

THE Estates of ANTHONY WHITE, Fishmonger, 23 High Street, Peebles, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Frank J. Trotter, Solicitor, 3 North St. Andrew Street, Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 25th June 1904. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House at Peebles, on 15th July 1904, at twelve o'clock noon.

F. J. TROTTER, Trustee.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Peter Ludewig, Proprietor of Milne's Hotel, 145 Leith Street, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of ROBERT BANNERMAN, sometime of the V. R. Motor Agencies, 21 Renfrew Street, Glasgow, and now residing at the Hotel Osborne, 106 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Robert Bannerman to appear in Court the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; all of which Intimation is hereby given.

JAS. MARCHBANK, S.S.C., Edinburgh,
Agent for Petitioner.

45 York Place, Edinburgh,
14th May 1904.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Menzies, Bruce-Low, & Thomson, W.S., 23 York Place, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of ALEXANDER HAMILTON GUNN, sometime residing at Marionville House, Restalrig, Edinburgh, and now or recently at 8 Bellevue Terrace there, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Alexander Hamilton Gunn 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