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PROPOSED ACT OF SEDERUNT Regulating the Fees Payable in the Sheriff Courts of Scotland, and Prescribing the Form of Books of Account to be kept by Sheriff Clerks.

EDINBURGH,

THE Lords of Council and Session, in pursuance of the power vested in them by section 2 of the Courts of Law Fees (Scotland) Act 1895, and section 40 of the Sheriff Courts (Scotland) Act 1907, do enact that on and after the first day of April 1908 the Act of Sederunt of 20th December 1898, and so much of the two Acts of Sederunt of 7th July 1904, and of the Act of Sederunt of 26th June 1907, as relates to fees payable in the Sheriff Courts of Scotland shall be and are by this Act repealed; and in lieu thereof it is hereby enacted:—

1. On and after the first day of April 1908 Sheriff Clerks shall be entitled to charge the fees specified in the tables hereto annexed in place of the fees hitherto chargeable by them, and no other or higher fees shall be charged by them, nor shall any addition be made thereto in respect of postage or otherwise.

2. Sheriff Clerks shall be responsible for the collection of all fees specified in the tables, and it shall be their duty to refuse to receive any paper chargeable with a fee, or to transmit any service or petition for completion of title for

extract, or to allow any marking of an appeal, or other marking to be made in respect of which a fee is payable, unless the appropriate fee has been paid; and it shall further be their duty, when a fee is declared payable prior to any particular step being taken in a process, and such fee has not been paid by either party, to call the attention of the sheriff to the matter, and the sheriff, unless the fee is thereupon paid, shall proceed with the case as if the party by whom the unpaid fee is payable were absent or in default.

3. The fee in section 1 of Part I. shall cover extract. The *ad valorem* fees in section 3 of Part I. shall cover all proceedings, including correspondence, but not including petitions for appointment of executor, for restriction of caution, or for special warrants. The fee in section 6 of Part II. shall cover all proceedings including extract, but not including appeal. The fees in sections 7 to 18 inclusive and 27 to 32 inclusive of Part II. shall cover all proceedings including, in bankruptcy cases, the necessary extracts and abbreviates for the Accountant of Court and other Government Departments. The fees in sections 19 and 20 of Part II. shall cover all proceedings including extract, but not including stated case. The fees in sections 21 to 26 inclusive of Part II. shall cover all proceedings, except appeal or stated case, in any action or proceeding for which special fees are not provided elsewhere. In criminal cases at the instance of a private pro-

secutor, when more persons than one are proceeded against in one complaint, the fee shall cover one extract conviction or order in respect of each person.

Any subsequent extracts or copies required shall be charged under section 4 of Part I., or section 1 of Part II. In litigated commissary, service of heirs, and bankruptcy cases, the same fees shall be charged as for similar business in the ordinary Sheriff Court.

When a small debt case is remitted to the ordinary roll, the parties shall pay fees as for an ordinary action, under deduction of any fees already paid.

4. No fees shall be payable in the first instance by any officer of the Crown in proceedings the expenses of which are payable by the Crown. When, however, such officer is found entitled to expenses, the Court fees shall be included and decerned for.

5. No fees shall be payable in cases of *cessio bonorum*; in cases under the Workmen's Compensation Act, except stated cases or applications for reference to a medical referee; on applications under section 5 of the Dogs Act 1906; on applications for relief under the Poor Laws; on petitions for leave to sue *in forma pauperis*; or on applications under the Acts for Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, except those for registration of irregular marriages, or for warrant to record legitimation *per subsequens matrimonium*.

Parties allowed to sue or defend *in forma pauperis* shall be exempted from payment of fees in the first instance; but when they are found entitled to expenses, the Court fees shall be included and decerned for. Any party or agent recovering any of the said expenses shall be bound to account therefor *pro rata* to the Sheriff Clerk.

At any time not exceeding six months after the close of the year of office of an agent for the poor, he shall prepare a list of the 'Poor' cases in which he acted, showing the amount recovered by him, or by the parties represented by him, in each case. He shall then sign said list as a certificate of its correctness, and shall send the same to the Sheriff Clerk, along with a remittance for the Court fees recovered. From time to time thereafter he shall remit to the Sheriff Clerk the proper proportion of any further expenses recovered by him.

6. The Books of Account to be kept by Sheriff Clerks shall be in the form of the schedules hereto annexed.

7. Bar Officers and the Macer of the Sheriff Court of Chancery shall be entitled to charge for their services the fees specified as 'Bar Officers' Fees' in the tables hereto annexed.

8. In this Act and relative tables the following words shall include the meanings under-mentioned:—

'Defender,' 'Compeerer,' and 'Party,' shall, respectively, include a set of Defenders, Compeerers, and Parties with the same interest, for whom one First Paper has been lodged.

'Writ' and 'Paper' shall include Inventory of Personal Estate, Summons, Petition, Application, Appeal bringing an Action

into the Sheriff Court, Precept of Arrestment on a Liquid Document of Debt, Note of Objections, Notice of Appearance, Answers, Defences, Statement in writing, or other written Pleading, in a cause or proceeding.

'Decree' in section 26 of Part II. shall include Licence, Appointment, Discharge, Certificate of Registration of a Club, or other written statement of the Sheriff's decision in any proceeding under section 21 of Part II.

'Appeal' shall include the transfer of an action to the Court of Session at the instance of a party.

'Sheet' shall mean 250 words or part thereof.

'Sheriff' shall include Sheriff-Substitute.

'Sheriff Clerk' shall include Commissary Clerk of Edinburgh, Sheriff Clerk of Chancery, and Sheriff Clerk Depute.

And the Lords APPOINT this Act and the annexed Tables and Schedules to be inserted in the Books of Sederunt, and to be printed and published in common form.

TABLE OF FEES FOR THE SHERIFF CLERKS OF SCOTLAND.

A.—Fees to be Collected by Sheriff Clerks and Accounted for to the King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer.

PART. I.—COMMISSARY PROCEEDINGS.

1. Petition for appointment of executor	£0 10 0
2. Petition for restriction of caution or for special warrant	0 5 0
3. Receiving and examining inventory of personal estate—	
a. Gross estate sworn not to exceed £500—	
When the amount of the estate which may be confirmed does not exceed £20	0 5 0
Exceeds £20, 5s. for the first £20, and 1s. for each £10 or part of £10 thereafter, maximum fee, 15s.	
b. Gross estate not sworn not to exceed £500—	
When the amount of the estate which may be confirmed—	
(1) Does not exceed £500	1 10 0
(2) Exceeds £500 and does not exceed £1000	2 10 0
(3) Exceeds £1000 and does not exceed £20,000, £2, 10s. for the first £1000, and 10s. for each £1000 or part of £1000 thereafter.	
(4) Exceeds £20,000 and does not exceed £100,000, £12 for the first £20,000, and 10s. for each £5000 or part of £5000 thereafter.	
(5) Exceeds £100,000, £20 for the first £100,000, and 10s. for each £10,000 or part of £10,000 thereafter.	
c. Additional and corrective inventories and eiks shall be charged at the above rates on the additional estate which may be confirmed.	
d. Where it is declared that confirmation is not required, fees at half the <i>ad valorem</i> rate shall be charged on receiving the inventory. If confirmation should subsequently be required, the remaining half of the fees shall then be charged.	

4. Extracting or copying, per sheet . . .	£0 1 0	22. First paper, reponing, or attendance to state a defence, each defender or com- peerer . . .	£0 5 0
5. Single search, to include inspection— Within five years from date of search . . .	0 1 0	23. Closing of the record, each party . . .	0 5 0
Beyond do. do. . .	0 2 6	24. Proof, each party . . .	0 5 0
6. a. Certifying English or Irish probates or letters of administration— Gross estate sworn not to exceed £500 . . .	0 2 6	25. Application for jury trial . . .	1 0 0
Other estates . . .	0 15 0	26. Extract of decree . . .	0 5 0
b. Sealing probates or letters of admini- stration under the Colonial Probates Act 1892— Gross estate sworn not to exceed £500 . . .	0 15 0	27. Caveat, to be in operation for one month . . .	0 2 0
Other estates, 15s., and fees at half the <i>ad valorem</i> rate in section 3 b.		28. Sealing up repositories or the like, per hour . . .	0 5 0
		29. Summary warrant for recovery of rates . . .	0 5 0
		30. Subscription of roll of law agents (each county) . . .	0 5 0
		31. Recording protest of a bill or promissory note . . .	0 5 0
		32. Lodging each set of plans or other Parliamentary deposit . . .	1 0 0

PART II.—SHERIFF COURT PROCEEDINGS.

*General (applicable to all business under
Part II.)*

1. Recording, extracting, or copying, per sheet . . .	0 1 0
2. Single search, to include inspection, per hour . . .	0 1 0
3. Inspection by a Trade Protection Society or Trade Publication, of Protests, Act books, and Court Rolls— Weekly for three months (payable in advance) . . .	0 10 0
Twice weekly for three months (do.) . . .	1 0 0
4. Appeal to Sheriff, Court of Session, or Court of Justiciary . . .	0 5 0
5. Stated case . . .	1 10 0

*Small Debt, and Summary Removings under
section 38 of the Sheriff Courts (Scotland)
Act 1907.*

6. Summons, petition, or sist for rehearing . . .	0 3 0
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Bankruptcy Proceedings.

7. Petition for sequestration of estates or conversion from a cessio . . .	1 0 0
8. Act and warrant of trustee . . .	0 15 0
9. Writing examination of bankrupt or minute of meeting, per sheet . . .	0 2 0
10. Petition for trustee's discharge . . .	0 10 0
11. Petition for bankrupt's discharge, or application for approval of composition or deed of arrangement . . .	0 15 0
12. Request to act in aid of English Court of Bankruptcy . . .	0 5 0

Service of Heirs.

13. Petition for general or special service or completion of title . . .	2 0 0
14. Proceedings for choosing curators, giving up inventories of minor's effects, or following on a brieve from Chancery . . .	1 0 0

*Proceedings under the Acts for Registration of
Births, Deaths, and Marriages.*

15. Petition for registration of an irregular marriage or for warrant to record legitimation <i>per subsequens matrimonium</i> . . .	0 5 0
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Summary Proceedings under the Poor Laws.

16. Any application or first paper except an application for relief . . .	0 5 0
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Proceedings under the Lunacy Acts.

17. Any petition or first paper except as otherwise chargeable under Table B . . .	0 5 0
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Inferior Courts Judgment Extension Act.

18. Any proceeding . . .	0 5 0
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Summary Jurisdiction Acts.

19. Complaint . . .	0 5 0
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Workmen's Compensation Act.

20. Application for reference to a medical referee . . .	0 5 0
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Ordinary and Miscellaneous.

21. Initial writ in any proceeding for which no special fee is provided elsewhere . . .	0 5 0
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*B.—Fees to be collected by Sheriff Clerks, and
accounted for as mentioned below.*INSPECTIONS OF PRINTED ABRIDGMENTS, ETC., SENT TO
SHERIFF CLERKS, UNDER 31 & 32 VICT. C. 64.(To be accounted for to the Lord Clerk Register's
Department.)*I.—For Inspection of the Printed Abridgments and Indexes
of the Registers of Sasines (General and Particular)
in County arrangement, and of the Printed Minutes
and Indexes of each County Division of the General
Register of Sasines, there shall be charged the
following Fees, viz. :—*

1. For any period of not more than one year, a fee of 2s.
2. For any period extending from one year to ten years
inclusive, a fee of 4s.
3. For any period extending from eleven to forty years
inclusive, a fee of 10s.
4. For periods exceeding forty years, a further fee at the
same rate as the preceding.

*II.—For Inspection of the Indexes of the Register of
Abbreviates of Adjudications and the Registers of
Inhibitions there shall be charged the following Fees,
viz. :—*

1. For any period of not more than one year, a fee of 2s.
2. For any period extending from one year to ten years
inclusive, a fee of 4s.
3. For any period extending from eleven to forty years
inclusive, a fee of 10s.
4. For periods exceeding forty years, a further fee at the
same rate as the preceding.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE LUNACY ACTS.

(To be accounted for to the General Board of Lunacy.)

1. For order of admission granted by the
Sheriff into a public or district asylum of
a lunatic not being a pauper . . . £0 5 0 |- 2. For similar order for a pauper lunatic . . . 0 2 6 |

CHANCERY EXTRACTS.

Sheriff Clerks shall as heretofore collect and account for
to the Director of Chancery the fees of Extracts coming
from his department.*C.—Bar Officers' Fees.*

1. For each summons and sist in the Small
Debt Court, and for each summary re-
moving and rehearing . . . £0 0 1 | - 2. For proceedings under the Summary Juris-
diction Acts 1864 and 1881—
For whole proceedings if proof led . . . 0 1 0 || For whole proceedings if proof not led . . . | 0 0 6 |
 - 3. For each leading writ initiating a civil
action or proceeding in any other depart-
ment of the Sheriff Court . . . 0 1 0 | - 4. For attending each examination of bank-
rupt or witnesses in bankruptcy . . . 0 2 6 | - 5. For attending proofs other than those
under the Small Debt and Summary
Jurisdiction Acts, per hour . . . 0 1 0 |
- (Payable in the first instance by the
parties equally.)
6. Fee to the Macer of the Sheriff Court of
Chancery for each petition carried
through therein . . . 0 2 0 |

SCHEDULE A.—COMMISSARY FEES.

SHERIFF-CLERK'S OFFICE

Date.	Description.	Name of Deceased.	Agent.	Fees.	Daily Totals.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.

SCHEDULE B.—SHERIFF COURT FEES.

SHERIFF-CLERK'S OFFICE

Date.	Paper, etc.	Register and Number.	Name of Case.	Agent.	Small Debt Fees.	Fees for Cases in 'A' Register.	Fees for other Business.	Daily Totals.	Remarks.
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

A. DOUGLAS FARMER,

Clerk to the Lord President of the Court of Session.

WHITEHALL, February 18, 1908.

The King has been pleased to issue a Commission under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the following effect:—

EDWARD, R. & I.

EDWARD THE SEVENTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, to—

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Henry, Baron James of Hereford, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order; and

Our trusty and well-beloved—

Laurence Nunns Guillemard, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Deputy Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue;

Walter Ernest Adeney, Esquire, Doctor of Science, Fellow of the Chemical Society;

John Rose Bradford, Esquire, Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Science, Fellow of the Royal Society;

Horace Tabberer Brown, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Fellow of the Royal Society;

George Seaton Buchanan, Esquire, Doctor of Medicine, Inspector of Foods to the Local Government Board of England;

John Young Buchanan, Esquire, Master of Arts, Fellow of the Royal Society; and

Arthur Robertson Cushny, Esquire, Doctor of Medicine, Master in Surgery, Fellow of the Royal Society; Greeting!

Whereas We have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to inquire and report:—

1. Whether, in the general interest of the consumer, or in the interest of the public health, or otherwise, it is desirable—

(a) To place restrictions upon the materials or the processes which may be used in the manufacture or preparation in the United Kingdom of Scotch Whiskey, Irish Whiskey,

or any spirit to which the term whiskey may be applied as a trade description;

(b) To require declarations to be made as to the materials, processes of manufacture or preparation, or age of any such spirit;

(c) To require a minimum period during which any such spirit should be matured in bond; and

(d) To extend any requirements of the kind mentioned in the two subdivisions immediately preceding, to any such spirit imported into the United Kingdom.

2. By what means, if it be found desirable that any such restrictions, declarations or period should be prescribed, a uniform practice in this respect may be satisfactorily secured, and to make the like inquiry and report as regards other kinds of potable spirits which are manufactured in or imported into the United Kingdom.

Now know ye that We, reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability, have authorised and appointed, and do by these Presents authorise and appoint you, the said Henry, Baron James of Hereford (Chairman); Laurence Nunns Guillemard; Walter Ernest Adeney; John Rose Bradford; Horace Tabberer Brown; George Seaton Buchanan; John Young Buchanan; and Arthur Robertson Cushny, to be Our Commissioners for the purposes of the said inquiry.

And for the better effecting the purposes of this Our Commission, We do by these Presents give and grant unto you, or any three or more of you, full power to call before you such persons as you shall judge likely to afford you any information upon the subject of this Our Commission; to call for information in writing; and also to call for, have access to and examine all such books, documents, registers and records as may afford you the fullest information on the subject, and to inquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever.

And We do by these Presents authorise and empower you, or any of you, to visit and person.

ally inspect such places as you may deem it expedient so to inspect for the more effectual carrying out of the purposes aforesaid, and to employ such persons as you may think fit to assist you in conducting any inquiry which you may hold.

And We do by these Presents will and ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

And We do further ordain that you, or any five or more of you, have liberty to report your proceedings under this Our Commission from time to time, if you shall judge it expedient so to do.

And Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us, under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any three or more of you, your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

And for the purpose of aiding you in your inquiries We hereby appoint Our trusty and well-beloved Aubrey Vere Symonds, Esquire, of the Local Government Board, to be Secretary to this Our Commission.

Given at Our Court at Saint James' the seventeenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

H. J. GLADSTONE.

Copy of Return, pursuant to 8 and 9 Vic. c. 38.

Name of Firm.

CHARING CROSS BANK.

PERSONS OF WHOM THE COMPANY OR PARTNERSHIP CONSISTS.

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.
Alfred William Carpenter	Hythe End House, 15 Egham Hythe, Staines, Middlesex.	Banker and Scrivener.

NAMES OF PLACES WHERE THE BUSINESS IS CARRIED ON.

Place.	County.
28 Bedford Street, Strand	London.
39 Bishopgate Street Within, E.C.	do.

PROVINCIAL BRANCHES OF THE CHARING CROSS BANK.

Street.	Place.	County.	Country.
220 Union Street	Aberdeen	Aberdeen	N.B.
75 Royal Avenue	Belfast	Antrim	Ireland
39 Paradise Street	Birmingham	Warwick	England.
19 Market Street	Bradford	Yorkshire	England.
54 Baldwin Street	Bristol	Gloucester	England.
73 St. Mary Street	Cardiff	Glamorgan	Wales.
48 Grafton Street	Dublin	Dublin	Ireland.
14 Reform Street	Dundee	Forfar	N.B.
8 South St. Andrew Street	Edinburgh	Edinburgh	N.B.
100 Sauchiehall Street	Glasgow	Lanark	N.B.
41 King Edward Street	Hull	Yorkshire	England.
10 East Parade	Leeds	Yorkshire	England.
23 Granby Street	Leicester	Leicester	England.
8 Dale Street	Liverpool	Lancashire	England.
30 Brown Street	Manchester	Lancashire	England.
52 Grainger Street	Newcastle	Northumberland	England.
91 High Street	Paisley	Renfrew	N.B.
78 Old Town Street	Plymouth	Devonshire	England.
84 Fargate	Sheffield	Yorkshire	England.
90 Above Bar	Southampton	Hants	England.
42 Palmerston Road	Southsea	Hants	England.

Inland Revenue Office,
11th February 1908.

H. F. BARTLETT, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Copy of Return, pursuant to 8 and 9 Vic. c. 38.

Name of Firm,
THOS. COOK & SON.

PERSONS OF WHOM THE COMPANY OR PARTNERSHIP CONSISTS.

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.
Frank Henry Cook	Barnett Hill, Womersh, Guildford ...	Banker.
Ernest Edward Cook	Porlock, Somerset	Banker.
Thomas Albert Cook	Russell Lodge, Elsworthy Road, Hampstead	Banker.

NAMES OF PLACES WHERE THE BUSINESS IS CARRIED ON.

Place.	County.
London, Ludgate Circus, E.C.	London.
99 Gracechurch Street, E.C.	
81 Cheapside, E.C.	
99 Leadenhall Street, E.C.	
117 High Street, Whitechapel, E.C.	
38 and 39 Piccadilly, W.	
13 Cockspur Street, S.W.	
82 Oxford Street, W.	
Forecourt, Charing Cross Terminus, W.C.	
378 Strand, W.C.	
21 High Street, Kensington, W.	Warwickshire. Yorkshire. Sussex. Gloucestershire. Glamorganshire. Gloucestershire. Kent. Mid-Lothian. Lanark. Gloucestershire. Yorkshire. Yorkshire. Leicestershire. Lancashire. Lancashire. Northumberland. Nottinghamshire. Yorkshire. Hampshire. Durham.
122 High Holborn, W.C.	
Birmingham, Stephenson Place	
Bradford, 21 Market Street	
Brighton, 81 King's Road	
Bristol, 49 Corn Street	
Cardiff, 2 Duke Street	
Cheltenham, 365 High Street	
Dover, 14 Esplanade	
Edinburgh, 120 Princes Street	
Glasgow, 83 Buchanan Street	
Gloucester, The Cross	
Hull, 5 Carr Lane	
Leeds, 55 Boar Lane	
Leicester, Gallowtree Gate	
Liverpool, 49 Lord Street	
Manchester, 61 Market Street	
Newcastle-on-Tyne, 2 Northumberland Street	
Nottingham, 16 Clumber Street	
Sheffield, 31 Fargate	
Southampton, 32 Oxford Street	
Sunderland, 13 Fawcett Street	

Inland Revenue Office,
11th February 1908.

H. F. BARTLETT, Registrar of Bank Returns.

DOWNING STREET, February 15, 1908.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Walter Sidney Shaw, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Chief Justice of the Island of St. Vincent.

WHITEHALL, February 17, 1908.

The King was pleased, this day, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Samuel Thomas Evans Esq., K.C., M.P. (Solicitor-General).

FACTORY DEPARTMENT, HOME OFFICE,
February 12, 1908.

DOWNING STREET, February 17, 1908.

The King has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of John Ferguson, Esq., C.M.G., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. D. G. Falconer, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Foyers, in the County of Inverness, is vacant.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 15th February 1908, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

				Quantities.	
				1907.	1908.
Animals living:—					
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves ...	...	...	Number	10,390	8,820
Sheep and Lambs ...	...	...	"	3,228	2,033
Swine ...	...	...	"	—	—
Horses ...	...	...	"	264	155
Fresh Meat:—					
Beef (including Refrigerated and Frozen) ...	...	...	Cwts.	113,282	102,277
Mutton " " " " ...	...	...	"	103,371	61,743
Pork " " " " ...	...	...	"	15,378	16,893
Salted or Preserved Meat:—					
Bacon ...	...	...	"	130,813	133,353
Beef ...	...	...	"	3,543	2,232
Hams ...	...	...	"	29,605	20,756
Pork ...	...	...	"	4,793	5,558
Meat unenumerated, Fresh ...	...	...	"	16,426	12,417
" " " " Salted ...	...	...	"	911	1,908
Meat, preserved, otherwise than by salting (including Tinned and Canned) ...	...	...	"	3,420	12,479
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—					
Butter ...	...	...	"	88,954	104,559
Margarine ...	...	...	"	20,895	20,709
Cheese ...	...	...	"	21,111	35,494
Milk, Fresh, in cans or drums ...	...	...	"	—	99
" Cream ...	...	...	"	119	171
" Condensed ...	...	...	"	16,867	20,322
" Preserved, other kinds ...	...	...	"	192	437
Eggs ...	...	...	Great Hundreds	209,461	247,002
Poultry ...	...	...	Value £	11,391	21,697
Game ...	...	...	"	4,436	2,302
Rabbits, dead (Fresh and Frozen) ...	...	...	Cwts.	2,401	4,568
Lard ...	...	...	"	66,480	66,251
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—					
Wheat ...	...	...	"	945,200	1,334,700
Wheat Meal and Flour ...	...	...	"	152,300	231,700
Barley ...	...	...	"	425,100	384,700
Oats ...	...	...	"	98,300	234,600
Pease ...	...	...	"	34,050	18,900
Beans ...	...	...	"	10,000	34,060
Maize or Indian Corn ...	...	...	"	817,800	757,500
Fruit, Raw:—					
Apples ...	...	...	"	104,554	53,929
Apricots and Peaches ...	...	...	"	—	79
Bananas ...	...	...	Bunches	96,778	113,333
Cherries ...	...	...	Cwts.	—	—
Currants ...	...	...	"	—	—
Gooseberries ...	...	...	"	—	—
Grapes ...	...	...	"	106	267
Lemons ...	...	...	"	8,761	16,591
Oranges ...	...	...	"	109,709	183,293
Pears ...	...	...	"	8	715
Plums ...	...	...	"	16	95
Strawberries ...	...	...	"	—	—
Unenumerated ...	...	...	"	1,985	147
Hay ...	...	...	Tons	1,965	2,110
Straw ...	...	...	"	1,687	1,158
Moss Litter ...	...	...	"	1,805	2,046
Hops ...	...	...	Cwts.	12,000	4,527
Locust Beans ...	...	...	"	9,780	2,181
Vegetables, Raw:—					
Onions ...	...	...	Bush.	153,454	194,611
Potatoes ...	...	...	Cwts.	13,310	11,0467
Tomatoes ...	...	...	"	10,488	27,880
Unenumerated ...	...	...	Value £	7,602	8,391
Dried ...	...	...	Cwts.	8,169	14,561
Preserved by canning ...	...	...	"	3,734	216

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 15th February 1908, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	54,555	6	33	1
Barley	...	...	...	73,296	1	26	9
Oats	...	...	...	37,388	0	18	0

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1901 to 1907.

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.
1901	...	68,159 4	65,514 3	23,418 2	26 1	25 0	17 7
1902	...	72,614 3	53,201 6	22,799 0	27 1	26 11	20 4
1903	...	59,880 7	73,000 0	34,824 0	25 4	23 4	17 1
1904	...	31,657 5	60,971 3	28,916 0	26 11	22 7	16 0
1905	...	44,495 4	51,753 4	36,643 2	30 5	25 2	16 9
1906	...	91,606 5	56,355 0	28,200 1	28 11	25 6	19 0
1907	...	84,514 2	69,221 1	38,725 7	26 7	24 1	17 7

* 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.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
3 St. James' Square, London, S.W.,
15th February 1908.

R. H. REW.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 TO 1903.

The following Areas are now subject to the provisions of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1903:—

Aberdeenshire, Argyllshire, Banffshire, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Elgin, Fife, Forfarshire, Inverness-shire, Kincardineshire, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perthshire, Ross and Cromarty, Stirlingshire, Sutherland, and Zetland.—An Area comprising the Counties of Aberdeen, Argyll, Banff, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Elgin, Fife, Forfar, Inverness, Kincardine, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Stirling, Sutherland, and Zetland, and the detached part of the County of Dumbarton; the Cities of Aberdeen, Dundee, and Perth; and the Burghs of Peterhead, Campbelltown, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, Falkirk, and Stirling (1st August 1906).

Argyllshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the County of Ayr, and the Burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (23rd June 1904).

Banffshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Berwickshire, Roxburghshire, and Selkirkshire.—An Area comprising the Counties of Berwick, Roxburgh, and Selkirk, and the Burghs of Hawick and Galashiels (17th June 1907).

Buteshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Caithness.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Clackmannan.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Dumbartonshire, Lanarkshire, Peebles, and Renfrew.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumbarton (except its detached part), Lanark, Peebles, and Renfrew, and the Burghs of Airdrie, Dumbarton, Greenock, Hamilton, Paisley, Port-Glasgow, and Rutherglen, and the City of Glasgow (12th April 1906).

Dumfriesshire and Kirkcudbrightshire.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkcudbright, and the Burgh of Dumfries (17th June 1907).

Elgin.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Fife.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Forfarshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Haddingtonshire.—An Area comprising the County of Haddington (17th June 1907).

Inverness-shire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Kincardineshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Kinross.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Kirkcubrightshire.—See under *Dumfriesshire, &c.*

Lanarkshire.—See under *Dumbartonshire, &c.*

Linlithgow and Midlothian.—An Area comprising the Counties of Linlithgow and Midlothian, the Burghs of Leith and Musselburgh, and the City of Edinburgh (17th June 1907).

Midlothian.—See under *Linlithgow, &c.*

Nairn.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Orkney.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Peebles.—See under *Dumbartonshire, &c.*

Perthshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Renfrew.—See under *Dumbartonshire, &c.*

Ross and Cromarty.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Roxburghshire.—See under *Berwickshire, &c.*

Selkirkshire.—See under *Berwickshire, &c.*

Stirlingshire.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Sutherland.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

Wigtownshire.—An Area comprising the County of Wigtown (5th May 1906).

Zetland.—See under *Aberdeenshire, &c.*

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,

1894 to 1903.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 15th February 1908, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs).

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
—	No.	No.
Aberdeen	8	8
Banff	1	1
Forfar	1	1
Haddington	1	1
Roxburgh	1	1
Stirling	2	2
Wigtown	1	1
TOTAL	15	15

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous Week.	Animals Reported during the Week as Attacked.
—	No.	No.	No.
Midlothian	—	68	—
TOTAL	—	68	—

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.
Ayr	—	1	—
Lanark	1	—	2
TOTAL	1	1	2

SHEEP SCAB.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.
—	No.
Inverness	2
Kincardine	1
TOTAL	3

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
18th February 1908.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Henry Thomas Doust (carrying on business as Henry Woodward Doust), residing at 90 Canterbury Road, West Kilburn, in the county of London, baker.

Charles Fisher, residing at 366 Green Lanes, Stamford Hill, and carrying on business at 548 Kingsland Road, and 88 High Street, Stoke Newington, all in Middlesex, house furnisher.

Heinrich Geissler, 14 Elgin Crescent and 690 Harrow Road, in the county of London, baker.

Arthur William Hembrey (trading as the Express Window Cleaning Co.), 354 Harrow Road, Paddington, Middlesex, proprietor of a window cleaning business.

Thomas Hughes Hewitt, lately residing at Audley, Woodridings Avenue, Pinner, Middlesex, but whose present residence the petitioner is unable to ascertain.

Simeon S. Jacobs, 4 Ranelagh Avenue, Hurlingham, Fulham, in the county of London, of no occupation.

Thomas Charles Stretton, 20 Copthall Avenue, Throgmorton Street, in the city of London.

Julian Adair Thunders, late of the Crown Hotel, Cookham, Berkshire, but whose present residence the petitioning creditor is unable to ascertain, gentleman.

Abraham Isaac Marks (having for the greater part of the last six months carried on business under the style or firm of Tower Wall Paper Company), lately residing at 39 Market Street, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at the same address and place, having for the greater part of the last six months resided and carried on business at 159 Dalton Road, Barrow-in-Furness, in the said county of Lancaster, within the district of the Court, wall paper dealer.

Henry Hall & Son, Soho Pool Wharf, Birmingham, coal merchants.

William Wright, 220 Firs Lane, Leigh, Lancashire, bricksetter.

Michael Rains & Company, 21 Turnham Green Terrace, in the county of London.

Nelson Berry, 1, 2, 3, and 4 Golf Villas, Sandown Road, Deal, in the county of Kent, boarding-house keeper.

Frederick Charles Williams, 16 Tydfil Place, and formerly of 183 Macintosh Place, both in the city of Cardiff, builder and contractor.

Charles Albert Wright, Great Cornard, in the county of Suffolk, commission agent.

Walter Raistrick, lately residing and carrying on business at The Babes in the Wood Inn, Soothill Upper, Dewsbury, in the county of York, but now of 31 Bismarck Street, Beeston Hill, in the city of Leeds, lately licensed victualler, now out of business.

Arthur William Britton, 8 Cross Street, Oakenshaw, county Durham, colliery overman.

Jesse Kemp, East Dean, Sussex, wheelwright.

Herbert Gibson, 60 and 62 Cleethorpe Road, Great Grimsby, refreshment house keeper and baker.

Charles Snell, 429 Wellington Street, and late of Railway Place, Great Grimsby, journeyman painter, late painter and decorator.

Ernest Brook Atherton, 47 King Street, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, plumber and decorator.

Samuel Edwards, 14, Row 40, lately 1 Harley Road, both in Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, general shop keeper.

Edward Austin, 48 Deptford Bridge and 104 South Street, Greenwich, Kent, bootmaker and leather merchant.

Alfred Andrews, 22 Station Road, Aldershot, in the county of Southampton, tailor and outfitter.

Thomas Southcombe, 4 Castle Hill Road, and carrying on business at 4 and 16 Castle Hill Road, Hastings, Sussex, ironmonger.

Joseph Mervyn Palframan, residing and carrying on business at Market Place, Howden, in the county of York, butcher.

Matthew Henry Verity, The Britannia Hotel, Pudsey, in the township of Bramley, in the city of Leeds, licensed victualler.

David Wood, residing and carrying on business at 8 Moorfield Terrace, Yeadon, in the county of York, hauling contractor.

William Curtis, Liddington, in the county of Rutland, saddler.

George Applewhite, Aubourn, Lincolnshire, farmer.

Tom Hyder, residing at 6 Midland Villas, Hitchin, in the county of Hertford, and carrying on business at 116 Nightingale Road, Hitchin aforesaid, ironmonger and oil merchant.

Frederick Spicer, The Jolly Tailor, St. Ippollitts, near Hitchin, in the county of Hertford, coal merchant and beerhouse keeper.

William Rosson, Moss Farm, Eaton, near Congleton, in the county of Chester, farmer.

John Rowe, Broseley, in the county of Salop, baker and confectioner.

William Henry Jones, 36 Hanbury Road, Bargoed, in the county of Glamorgan, newsagent and hairdresser.

Ralph Davison Laing, residing at Charing Cross, South Bank Road, Cargo Fleet, and previously residing at 17 Southfield Road, and formerly at 5 Acklam Terrace, both in Middlesbrough, all in the county of York, and now carrying on business at Cargo Fleet Ironworks, and previously at the North-Eastern Steel Works, and formerly at the Majestic Café, Newport Road, both in Middlesbrough, and all in the said county of York, refreshment-house keeper.

Anthony Robert Pettit, late of 108, but now of 74 Essex Street, Middlesbrough, in the county of York, tinsmith.

Jonathan Robert Wirdnam, High Street, Burford, in the county of Oxford, harness maker.

Charles Henry Jewell, 3 Burbidge Terrace, Wimborne, in the county of Dorset, boot dealer.

Thomas Brown, now residing at Larpit Lane, Whitwell, in the county of Derby, and carrying on business at Larpit Lane, Whitwell aforesaid, fruiterer and green-grocer.

Harold W. Mills & Co., 60 Fargate, in the city of Sheffield, ironmongers.

George Henry Jones, 7 Main Street, Greasborough, near Rotherham, in the county of York, carting contractor and bus proprietor.

Joseph Holloway, residing at 103 Broadwell Road, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, carrying on business at Lion Works, Birmingham Road, Oldbury aforesaid, painter and decorator.

Bernard Augustine Gibbons, residing and carrying on business at 56 Cricklade Road, Swindon, in the county of Wilts, grocer.

Frederick Long, The Square, Calne, in the county of Wilts, lately residing and carrying on business at Terrington-Saint-Clement, near King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, pork butcher's assistant, lately butcher.

Albert Fawcett, late of Pocklington, now of Copmanthorpe, both Yorkshire, corn merchant.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED, RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED, AND PETITION DISMISSED.

Thomas Hefferman, Courtlands, 148 Holland Road, Kensington, in the county of London.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased MURDO MACRAE, who carried on business as a Fish Factor at Kyle of Lochalsh and Badachro, in the County of Ross and Cromarty, and at Mallaig and Portree, in the County of Inverness, under the Firm name of MACRAE & Co., Fish Factors.

A PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session (First Division,—Mr. Paterson, Clerk) by the Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited, incorporated by Royal Charter and by Act of Parliament, and having their principal Office in George Street, Edinburgh, Creditors to the amount required,—the said deceased having left no settlement appointing Trustees or other parties having power to manage his Estates,—praying under the Act 19 and 20 Vict. cap. 79, sec. 164, for the appointment of a Judicial Factor upon said Estate; in which Petition the Court has nominated and appointed Thomas Sanderson Hepburn Burns, Solicitor, Dingwall, to be Judicial Factor *ad interim*, and which Petition will be again moved in Court on or after the sixth day of March 1908; of all which Notice is hereby given.

JOHN C. BRODIE & SONS, W.S., 5 Thistle Street, Edinburgh.

21st February 1908.

STIRLINGSHIRE YUKON SYNDICATE LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held within the Registered Office, 4 King's Court, Falkirk, on the 18th day of February 1908, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, viz. :—

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

At said Meeting following Resolution was also duly carried, viz. :—

"That George Inglis Watson, 4 King's Court, Falkirk, be appointed Liquidator of the Stirlingshire Yukon Syndicate Limited."

GEO. INGLIS WATSON, Liquidator.

21st February 1908.

In the Matter of THE WEST OF SCOTLAND CARRYING COMPANY LIMITED.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Registered Office of the Company, 116 Hope Street, Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, on the thirtieth day of January 1908, the following Special Resolution was 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 seventeenth day of February 1908, the following Resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Robert Henry Ballantine, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, be, and he is hereby

"appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

A. B. BIRKMYRE SCOTT, Chairman.

J. R. JOHNSTON, 160 West George Street,
Glasgow, Solicitor, Witness.

Dated 19th February 1908.

A PETITION has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division,—Mr. Adam, Clerk) at the instance of Matthew Wishart, Joiner, Kirkcaldy, praying their Lordships to order that The West Regent Investment Company Limited, registered and incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and having its Registered Office at No. 183 West George Street, Glasgow, be wound up by the Court, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1907, and to appoint an Official Liquidator of said Company; or, alternatively, to order the voluntary winding up of the said The West Regent Investment Company Limited, resolved on by the Special Resolution passed at the Ordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on 31st December 1907, and confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on 22nd January 1908, to be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and to remove the Liquidator appointed by said Special Resolution from the Office of Liquidator of said Company, and to appoint such other person as their Lordships may think fit to be Liquidator of said Company; in which Petition the following Interlocutor has been pronounced:—

"*Edinburgh, 20th February 1908.*—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 West Regent Investment Company Limited, and upon John Meikle, Accountant, Glasgow, the Liquidator of the said Company; and 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 the said John Meikle and all persons having interest to lodge Answers, if so advised, within eight days after such intimation, service, and advertisement. "DUNEDIN, I.P.D."

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

ADAMSON, GULLAND, & STUART, Agents for the Petitioner.

23 Castle Street, Edinburgh,
20th February 1908.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of William Gray, Builder, residing at 14 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, against DAVID LINDSAY, residing at 120 M'Donald Road, Edinburgh; and the Sheriff-Substitute has issued an Interlocutor requiring all the Creditors of the said David Lindsay to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 11th March 1908, at 1.30 o'clock afternoon, at which Diet the said David Lindsay is ordained to appear for public Examination.

HEB. L. WARDEN, S.S.C., Petitioner's Agent.

55 North Castle Street, Edinburgh,
21st February 1908.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Kilmarnock, at the instance of Matthew Young, Dealer in Horses, 109 Moore Street, Glasgow, Pursuer, against R. ALEXANDER, sometime Vegetable Merchant, 3 Bridgegate, Irvine, now Ostler, c/o Mr. Munn, Hotel Keeper, Dalry, Ayrshire, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute of Ayrshire at Kilmarnock has ordained the said R. Alexander to appear in Court for public Examination, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Kilmarnock, upon the 11th day of March 1908, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

JOHN BOYD, Solicitor, Ayr, Agent.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Counties of Renfrew and Bute at Greenock, at the instance of Robert Riddell, 210 Kennedy Street, Glasgow, against ROBERT SPIER, Gowk House, Kilmalcolm; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Robert Spier to appear within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Greenock, upon the sixth day of March next, at a quarter past eleven o'clock forenoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

J. GARTSHORE SCOTT, Agent.

58 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
17th February 1908.

IN terms of a Warrant of the Sheriff-Substitute of Fife and Kinross at Dunfermline, Notice is hereby given that an Initial Writ in an application for Decree of Cessio bonorum has been presented to the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross at Dunfermline, at the instance of Mrs. Margaret Gibb or M'Jannet, 5 Manse Street, Aberdeen, with the consent and concurrence of the said John M'Jannet as her Curator and Administrator-in-Law, and the said John M'Jannet as an Individual, against JOHN TODD, Grocer, sometime in East Port Street, now in Baldrighburn, Dunfermline; and all the Creditors of the said John Todd are required to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court Room, Dunfermline, upon 3rd March next, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet the said John Todd is ordained to appear for public Examination.

GEORGE CRICHTON, Solicitor, Pursuers' Agent.

1 Bonnar Street, Dunfermline,
20th February 1908.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of SIMON JELEN, Cabinetmaker, residing at 152 Berkeley Street, Glasgow, against his Creditors; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Simon Jelen to appear in Court, within his Chambers, Room No. 34, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 6th day of March 1908, at ten o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

ANDREW AITKEN, Solicitor, Glasgow,
Petitioner's Agent.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Linlithgow, at instance of George Kirkwood Johnston, Chartered Accountant, number eighteen Saint Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Trustee for behoof of Creditors of Frank Eyzi, Confectioner, Broxburn, under Trust Deed granted in his favour by said Frank Eyzi, against BATTISTA LENZINO, carrying on business as an Ice Cream Vendor and Confectioner at Station Road, Broxburn; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Battista Lenzino to appear within Sheriff Court House, Linlithgow, on 6th March 1908, at one o'clock afternoon, for Examination, at which all his Creditors are required to attend.

R. R. FORRESTER, Solicitor, Broxburn,
Agent.

Broxburn, 20th February 1908.

NOTICE.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Fife and Kinross at Cupar, at the instance of WILLIAM LATTO, Oil Merchant, Randolph Street, Buckhaven, for the benefit of Cessio bonorum, and for the appointment of a Trustee; and the Sheriff-Substitute at Cupar has ordained the Petitioner to appear within the Sheriff Court Room, Cupar, on Thursday the 5th day of March 1908, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend.

H. BUDDO MIDDLETON, Solicitor, Durie Street, Leven, Agent for Petitioner.

Leven, 18th February 1908.

THE Estates of CHARLES ALEXANDER PRESSLEY, Merchant, 35 High Street, Fraserburgh, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Andrew Tarras, Solicitor, Fraserburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 14th May 1908. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, Peterhead, on Friday the 5th day of June 1908, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

F. J. R. ANDERSON, Solicitor, Fraserburgh,
Agent for the Trustee.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of Dickson & Tannock, Warehousemen, 30 Gordon Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of GEORGE BATCHEN & COMPANY, Drapers, 2 Eastgate, Inverness, and George Batchen, Draper there, sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Batchen & Company and the said George Batchen to appear in Court on the eighth day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

ALEX. M. MAC EWEN, Solicitor, Inverness,
Agent.

National Bank Buildings, Inverness,
20th February 1908.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Counties of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of Andrew John Macritchie, Solicitor, Inverness, for Sequestration of the Estates of GEORGE BATCHEN, Draper, 2 Eastgate, Inverness, sole Partner of the Firm of Geo. Batchen & Co., Drapers, 2 Eastgate, Inverness, as such sole Partner, and as an Individual, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Batchen to appear in Court on an *inducia* of eight days from the date of said citation, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded, and ordered Intimation of his Warrant and of the Diet of Appearance on the said *inducia* to be forthwith made in the Edinburgh Gazette in terms of the Statutes; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

AND. J. & J. MACRITCHIE, Solicitors, Agents.

Inverness, 19th February 1908.

THE Estates of JOHN GRANT, Merchant, Shieldaig, Lochcarron, were Sequestrated on 17th February 1908, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland at Dingwall.

The first Deliverance is dated the 17th day of February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 2nd day of March 1908, within the National Hotel in Dingwall.

A Composition may be offered at this latter Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 17th day of June 1908.

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

JAMES STUART WATSON, W.S., Agent.

Inverness, 18th February 1908.

THE Estates of ROBERT FORREST, Butcher, 386 Dobbie's Loan, Port Dundas, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 18th day of February 1908, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated the 6th day of February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 28th day of February 1908, 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 18th day of June 1908.

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

ROBT. F. BARCLAY, Writer, 91 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of BRUNO EDWARDS, trading as EDWARDS & WILSON, Fancy Good Merchants, 22 Candleriggs, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 18th February 1908, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 18th February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 28th February 1908, 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 18th day of June 1908.

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

STEWART M'NICOLL, 83 West Regent Street,
Glasgow.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER BIRSE, Funeral Undertaker, number fifty-one Ann Street, Dundee, were Sequestrated on 19th February 1908, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first Deliverance is dated the tenth February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the second day of March 1908, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee.

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 nineteenth day of June 1908.

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

J. GRAFTON LAWSON, Solicitor, 30 Reform Street, Dundee, Agent.

20th February 1908.

THE Estates of WILLIAM ELDER, Cabinetmaker, Lochend Street, Motherwell, were Sequestrated on the 19th day of February 1908, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 19th day of February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 2nd day of March 1908, 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 19th day of June 1908.

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

HAY, CASSELS, & FRAME, Silverwells, Cadzow Street, Hamilton, Agents.

THE Estates of M. STEWART & COMPANY, Warehousemen, 145 Argyle Street, Glasgow, and James Alexander Macdiarmid, residing at 25 Trafalgar Place, Dalnair, and Margaret Stewart, residing at 5 Wallace Street, Clydebank, the sole Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on 20th February 1908, by the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan at Dumbarton.

The first Deliverance is dated the 20th of February 1908.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday, 2nd March 1908, within the Elephant Hotel, Dumbarton.

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 20th June 1908.

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

THOMAS STARK & Co., Writers, 180 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS SMELLIE, Carting Contractor, sometime of 173 Garngad Road, Glasgow, and now of 83 Wilkie Street, there.

HENRY MONCRIEFF STEELE, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Stirling, Saddler, Glasgow, John Stevenson, Draper, Cathcart, and Andrew Watt, Paisley Road West, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Mackenzie, County Buildings, 149 Ingram Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the third day of March next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Henry M. Steele, C.A., 199 West George Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the twelfth day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon.

HENRY M. STEELE, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th February 1908.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of M. BERNSTEIN & COMPANY, Wholesale Jewellers, 63 Main Street, Gorbals, S.S., Glasgow, as a Company, and Max Bernstein, sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner thereof, and as an Individual, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, 87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 17th day of March 1908 years, at 12.15 o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering and finally deciding on an offer of Composition and security therefor, which was entertained by Resolution of Meeting of Creditors on Wednesday the 19th day of February 1908.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 19th February 1908.

I GEORGE HODGE, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of HUBERT JOHN GRIMSHAW, Sherbrook, Creetown, hereby call a Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Galloway Arms Hotel, Newton-Stewart, on Friday, twenty-eighth February 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering an offer of Composition made by the Bankrupt. If the offer is entertained at this Meeting, a further Meeting will be called to finally decide upon it.

GEO. HODGE, Trustee.

17th February 1908.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of PETER A. FRASER & SONS, Plasterers, 12 Eglinton Lane, Eglinton Street, Glasgow, and Peter Fraser, an Individual Partner thereof, Merchant, residing in Lochleven Road, Langside, Glasgow, I hereby intimate that at the second General Meeting of Creditors, to be held in my Chambers, 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 3rd March 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, the Creditors will require to elect a Commissioner in room of Mr. Robert Rae, who declines to act.

T. L. SELKIRK, Trustee.

Glasgow, 20th February 1908.

In the SEQUESTRATION of MACKAY & MACKAY, Railway Contractors, Inverness, as a Company, and John Mackay, sometime Contractor, Thurso Harbour Works, Thurso, now residing in Inverness, and Charles Mackay, Carpenter and Contractor, Inverness, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

MRS. ELLEN SALZMANN or SCOTT, widow, residing at Clunebeg, Culduthel Road, Inverness, the Executrix of the deceased Roderick Scott, Solicitor, Inverness, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of Mackay & Mackay, and John Mackay and Charles Mackay, above designed, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Anderson & Shaw, Solicitors, 15 High Street, Inverness,

on Saturday the 21st day of March 1908, at eleven o'clock A.M., to consider as to an application to be made for the discharge of the said Roderick Scott as Trustee aforesaid.

DAVIDSON SCOTT & Co., Solicitors, Inverness,
Agents for the Executrix.

42 Union Street, Inverness,
18th February 1908,

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM LECKIE JOHNSTON, Dairyman, 12 Lamb Street, Hamilton, I hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of J. B. Soutter & Son, 63 Almada Street, Hamilton, on Tuesday, 17th March next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider an application to be made by me for my discharge.

P. E. SOUTTER, Solicitor, Trustee.

Hamilton, 19th February 1908.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN STORIE, sometime residing at Abbeyvale Cottage, Gattonside, Melrose, thereafter at Crosscleuch Farm, in the County of Selkirk, and now at number 15 Bruntsfield Avenue, Edinburgh.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A., Edinburgh, the Trustee, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of James Craig & Somerville, C.A., 27 York Place, Edinburgh, upon Monday the 16th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for his discharge as Trustee aforesaid.

JAMES CRAIG, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 21st February 1908.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES CAMPBELL, 354 Cumbernauld Road, Glasgow.

JAMES M'LAY, C.A., Glasgow, the Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid to the Creditors entitled thereto, within the Chambers of M'Lay, M'Alister, & M'Gibbon, C.A., 94 Hope Street, Glasgow, on 9th April next.

JAMES M'LAY, C.A., Trustee.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DAVID YOUNG (deceased), Farmer, Claylands, Kippen.

ROBERT BUCHANAN, Cross Keys Inn, Kippen, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Office of Messrs. A. & J. Jenkins, Solicitors, 80 Port Street, Stirling, on the 4th day of April next, 1908.

ROBERT BUCHANAN, Trustee.

Cross Keys Inn, Kippen,
19th February 1908.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HYSLOP MITCHELL, Draper, 345 Union Street, Aberdeen.

I JAMES ROBERT HODGE, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee in this Sequestration, hereby intimate that the account of my intromissions, brought down to 3rd February 1908, has been audited by the Commissioners; further, that a first Dividend of Five Shillings per pound will be paid within the Trustee's Chambers, 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on and after Saturday, fourth day of April 1908, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

J. R. HODGE, C.A., per HODGE & SMITH,
Trustee.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
18th February 1908.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE HERBERT YOUNG,
Shipowner and Shipbroker, nineteen Constitution
Street, Leith, and residing at Clarebank, Claremont
Park there.

GEORGE HENRY CARPHIN, Chartered Accountant,
Edinburgh, hereby intimates that the accounts of
his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought
down to 7th February 1908, have been audited by the
Commissioners, and that payment of a Dividend has been
postponed until the recurrence of the next statutory
period.

GEO. H. CARPHIN, C.A.

29 Stafford Street, Edinburgh,
20th February 1908.

NOTICE.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER BOLTON,**
Blacksmith and Coal Merchant, North Berwick.

WILLIAM GUTHRIE PATERSON, Trustee, hereby
intimates that the Commissioners have postponed
declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another
statutory period.

W. G. PATERSON, Trustee.

19 South Castle Street, Edinburgh,
6th December 1907.

THE Firm of ROBERT CHRISTIE & CO., Sausage
Skin and Spice Merchants, 415 Mathieson Street,
Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners,
has been **DISSOLVED** as at 17th February 1908, by the
retiral therefrom of the Subscriber James Edwin Rigby.

The Subscriber Robert Christie has acquired the whole
Business, and from and after said date the Business will
be carried on under the same Firm name of **ROBERT
CHRISTIE & Co.** by the said Robert Christie, who will
collect all outstanding debts and settle all liabilities.

JAMES E. RIGBY.

ROBERT CHRISTIE.

JOHN B. MACLACHLAN, Writer, Municipal
Buildings, Helensburgh, Witness.

JOHN YOUNGER, Jr., Writer, 19 Howard
Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of A. & J. MORRISON, carrying on busi-
ness as Fruit-growers at Rattray, Blairgowrie, has
been **DISSOLVED** as at this date, by mutual consent of
the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

The Subscriber Mrs. Ann Wilkie or Morrison will
continue to carry on the Business of Fruit-grower at South-
bank, Rattray, on her own account and under her own
name.

The Subscriber James Morrison will continue to carry
on the Business of Fruit-grower at The Glebe, Rattray, and
at St. Fink, by Blairgowrie, on his own account and
under his own name.

All claims against the Firm to be sent to John R. S.
Ritchie, S.S.C., 42 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, within
ten days from this date.

Dated at Blairgowrie this 19th day of February 1908.

ANN MORRISON.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said
Ann Wilkie or Morrison—

WILLIAM KEAY, Solicitor, Blairgowrie,
Witness.

BETSY DUFF, Forebank, New Rattray,
Witness.

JAMES MORRISON.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said
James Morrison—

JOHN B. BEGG, Solicitor, Blairgowrie,
Witness.

P. S. WEBSTER, Coal Merchant, Blair-
gowrie, Witness.

THE Firm of M'NEILL, MILLER, & SMITH, carrying
on business as Tailors and Clothiers at 34 George
Street, Edinburgh, has been **DISSOLVED** as at 20th
February 1908, by mutual consent.

The Business will continue to be carried on by the Sub-
scribers Walter Miller and John Smith on their own
account, under the name of **MILLER & SMITH,** and they
will uplift all the debts due to, and will discharge all the
liabilities of, the Firm.

Dated at Edinburgh this twentieth day of February
1908.

T. D. M'NEILL.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said
Thomas Day M'Neill—

W. MANUEL, Solicitor Supreme Courts,
Edinburgh, Witness.

JAMES MENZIES, Law-Clerk, 37 Frede-
rick Street, Edinburgh, Witness.

W. MILLER.

J. SMITH.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said

Walter Miller and John Smith—
R. N. RAMSAY, Solicitor, Edinburgh,
Witness.

JOHN M'LAREN, Solicitor, 27 Forrest
Road, Edinburgh, Witness.

THE Copartnership of CUNNINGHAM & WYLLIE,
Seed Merchants and Nurserymen, 98 Mitchell
Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were sole
Partners, was, on 1st February 1908, **DISSOLVED** of
mutual consent, by the retiral of the Subscriber Mr.
Andrew Cunningham, who will hereafter carry on business
as a Seedsman and Nurseryman in his own name and for
his own behoof at 55 Hope Street, Glasgow.

The other Subscriber, Mr. Thomas Wyllie, will continue to
carry on the Business at 98 Mitchell Street, Glasgow,
under the Firm name of **THOMAS WYLLIE & COMPANY,** but
for his own behoof alone, and he will uplift all debts due
to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

ANDREW CUNNINGHAM.

ROBERT BARR, Solicitor, Glasgow,
WILLIAM YOUNG, Law-Clerk, 82
West Nile Street, Glasgow,
Witnesses to the Signature of
Andrew Cunningham.

THOMAS WYLLIE.

WILLIAM S. BAIRD, Writer, Glas-
gow,

DONALD M'INNES, Law-Clerk, 185
St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Witnesses to the Signature of
Thomas Wyllie.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Firm of **EASTON &
CRUICKSHANKS,** carrying on business as Chartered
Accountants at one hundred and seventy Hope Street,
Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners,
was **DISSOLVED** of mutual consent, as at eleventh
November nineteen hundred and seven, by the retiral
therefrom of the Subscriber Alfred Neale Easton.

The Business will be carried on by the Subscriber James
Alexander Cruickshanks, who is authorised to uplift all
debts due to, and will discharge the whole debts and
liabilities of, the Firm.

Dated at Glasgow this twentieth day of February nine-
teen hundred and eight.

ALFRED N. EASTON.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said

Alfred Neale Easton—

E. COLEMAN (Merchant), 15 Grove
Avenue, Muswell Hill, London.

TREVOR J. MATTHEWS (Clerk), 196
Eaton Crescent, Swansea.

JAMES A. CRUICKSHANKS.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said
James Alexander Cruickshanks—

H. W. FYFE, Writer, 115 St. Vincent
Street, Glasgow.

D. P. ANDERSON, Accountant's Clerk,
170 Hope Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnery carried on under the Firm name of THE REGENT PARK MOTOR GARAGE COMPANY at numbers six, twelve, and thirty-nine Nithsdale Street, Strathbungo, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were at eighteenth February nineteen hundred and eight the sole Partners, was DIS-SOLVED by mutual consent as at said date.

The Subscribers have appointed John T. Rankin, C.A., 133 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, and James Anderson M'Chlery, Accountant, 157 St. Vincent Street there, as Trustees and Liquidators to wind up the Firm's affairs, and they have conveyed to them for that purpose the whole assets of the Firm, including book debts.

JOHN MURRAY, Jr.

J. H. WILSON.

R. G. ROSS, Writer, Glasgow,
M. R. M'EWEN, Solicitor, Glasgow,
Witnesses to the Signatures of
James Hay Wilson and John
Murray, junior.

With reference to the foregoing Notice, all parties having claims against the said Firm of The Regent Park Motor Garage Company are requested to lodge the same with either of the Subscribers within fourteen days from this date; and all parties indebted to the said Firm are requested to make payment to either of the Subscribers within the like period.

JOHN T. RANKIN.

J. ANDERSON M'CHLERY.

Glasgow, 20th February 1908.

THE Copartnership of MACORMACK & EWING, Licensed Weighers, Samplers, and Forwarding Agents, Princes Dock, Glasgow, was DISSOLVED on 19th instant, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Alexander Ewing.

The Subscribers Robert Macormack and George Fraser have taken over the whole assets and liabilities of the Copartnership, and will continue to carry on the same under the Firm name of MACORMACK & FRASER.

R. MACORMACK.

ALEX. EWING.

GEORGE FRASER.

HUGH S. MACLEAN, Law-Clerk, 128 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

WILLIAM DOUGLAS, Law-Clerk, 128 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

THE Business of Painter and Decorator carried on by the late MR. JOHN M'LEOD at 28 New Market Street, Ayr, has been acquired by Mr. Alexander Murray M'Leod, deceased's son, from Mrs. Mary M'Millan or M'Leod, Executrix-dative of the late Mr. M'Leod.

Mr. Alexander Murray M'Leod will continue to carry on said Business at the above address for his own behoof, and he will collect all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, said Business.

Dated this seventeenth day of February nineteen hundred and eight.

MARY M'LEOD.

ALEX. M. M'LEOD.

JESSIE GEMMELL, Ponsville, Irvine, Witness.

A. F. MATHIE MORTON, Solicitor, Alloway Chambers, Ayr, Witness.

THE Firm of CHALMERS & HUNTER, W.S., 13 Rutland Street, Edinburgh, of which the Subscribers Robert Scott Chalmers, S.S.C., and Hugh Blackburn Hunter, W.S., are the Partners, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent. Mr. Hunter is authorised to collect the assets of the Firm.

19th February 1908.

R. SCOTT CHALMERS.

HUGH B. HUNTER.

Signed in presence of—
JAMES WATT, W.S., Edinburgh.
HUGH MILLER, W.S., Edinburgh.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers, Hutchison Main & Company Limited, Golf Ball Manufacturers, Springvale Works, Cow-lairs, Glasgow, ceased, as at and from the thirtieth day of September nineteen hundred and seven, to have any right or interest in the business of the newspaper known as the "WORLD OF GOLF," three Tudor Street, Ludgate Circus, London, E.C.

HUTCHISON MAIN & COMPANY LIMITED.

ROBT. HUTCHISON, Director.

R. FRANK HUTCHISON, Director.

ALEXANDER TURNER, Secretary.

Springvale Works, Glasgow,

13th February 1908.

NOTICE.

JOHN GEORGESON, residing at No. 19 Burgh Road, Lerwick, carrying on business under the Firm name of GEORGESON & COMPANY as Drapers and Hosiers at North Roadside, Lerwick, has, as at 10th February current, sold the said Business to William Hall, Baker, Commercial Road, Lerwick, who will in future carry on the same for his own behoof under the same Firm name of GEORGESON & COMPANY, and in the same premises. Mr. Hall now has the sole right to sign the Firm name and to collect and discharge all debts due to, and will pay the liabilities of, the Firm.

JOHN GEORGESON.

WILLIAM HALL.

JNO. N. INKSTER, Bank Clerk, Lerwick,
ROBERT SINCLAIR, Shopman, Lerwick,
Witnesses to the Signatures of the said
John Georgeson and William Hall.

Lerwick, 17th February 1908.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of ROBERT AITKENHEAD & SONS, Builders and Contractors, High Blantyre, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent, as at 31st December 1907, by the retiral therefrom of John Aitkenhead.

The remaining Partner, Robert Aitkenhead, will continue the Business under the same Firm name, and will collect the accounts due to, and pay the debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

Dated 19th February 1908.

ROBERT AITKENHEAD.

JOHN AITKENHEAD.

ANDREW PATERSON, Lyon's Land, Blantyre, Mason,

JAMES MESSER, Broompark Road, Blantyre, Mason,

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said
Robert Aitkenhead and John Aitkenhead.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership carried on at 166 Ingram Street, Glasgow, by the Subscribers, under the Firm name of MACKIE, MACLEAN, & MACCRACKEN, Warehousemen, 166 Ingram Street, Glasgow, was DISSOLVED as at 31st December 1907, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber John MacCracken.

The Subscribers James Mackie and Archibald MacLean will continue to carry on the Business for their own behoof, and will collect the assets, and discharge the liabilities, of the said Firm.

JAMES MACKIE.

ARCHD. MACLEAN.

AND. C. BAIRD, Writer, 141 Bath Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JAMES M. MARTIN, Warehouseman, 166 Ingram Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JOHN M'CRACKEN.

AND. C. BAIRD, Writer, 141 Bath Street, Glasgow, Witness.

WILLIAM HOGG, Law-Apprentice, 141 Bath Street, Glasgow, Witness.

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