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FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, 10th April 1917.

THE Secretary for Scotland has been pleased to reconstitute the Board of Trustees for the National Galleries of Scotland by the reappointment for a further term of five years, from the 1st April 1917, of the existing members, viz. :-

David Erskine, Esq. (Chairman),

The Honourable Hew Hamilton Dalrymple. Sir John Maxwell Stirling-Maxwell, Baronet, Sir William Bilsland, Baronet, Sir James Guthrie, P.R.S.A.,

Sir James Murray

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John Ritchie Findlay, Esq.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George. Downing Street, 10th April 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, the appointment to date from 3rd June 1916 :-

To be an Additional Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order :---

Major-General George Vero Kemball, C.B., D.S.O., in recognition of his distinguished services in the Field of Mesopotamia.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 13th April, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, 52 Vic., cap. 6, and the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1916, to the amount of £50,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 17th April 1917, and will be payable at 3, 6 or 12 months after date, viz., on the 17th July 1917, 17th October 1917, and 17th April 1918, respectively.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. The Tenders must specify the currency of the Bills required and the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for. The Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same forthwith, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of cash or Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than two o'clock on Tuesday the 17th April.

6. In virtue of the provisions of Section 26 of the Finance Act, 1915, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 5th April 1917.

Whitehall, April 5, 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to grant the Imperial Service Medal to the following retired members of His Majesty's Civil Service as a recognition of long and meritorious service :-

HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

- Acheson, John, Superintendent of Field Revisers. Irish Division, Ordnance Survey, Dublin.
- Alderwood, George Henry, Postman, Liverpool.
- Allan, David, Overseer, Post Office, Edinburgh.
- Allwood, Joshua Henry, Chief Stoker (Yardcraft), Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Ashby, George Alfred, Sorter, London Postal Service.
- Ashby, George, Tracer Accountant-General's Department, General Post Office.
- Bailey, William Henry, Postman, Whitchurch, Basingstoke.
- Banks, James Henry, Postman, Brixham, Torquay.
- Barnes, Thomas, Postman, March.
- Barrell, Adolphus, Chief Warder, Borstal Institution, Borstal. Rochester.
- Bates, George Hare, Assistant (Old Establish-Returned Letter Section, London ment), Postal Service.
- Beare, Thomas, Inspector of Shipwrights, Devonport Dockyard.
- Beer, William, Overseer, London Postal Service.
- Binks, Thomas, Postman, Middleham, Bedale.
- Blades, James, Overseer, Post Office, Darlington.
- Bowes, Charles Parr, Smith, Devonport Dockyard.
- Bretherton, Thomas, Postman, Garstang S.O., Preston.
- Brown, William Gilbert, Overseer, London Postal Service.
- Broadway, Edward, Postman, Wallingford.
- Bryant, John George, Shipwright, Devonport Dockyard.
- Burgess, Frank Edward, Assistant Inspector of Postmen, Horsham.
- Carlin, James Richard, Sorter, London Postal Service.
- Chappell, William, Postman, St. Columb, Cornwall.
- Charman, Levi Adams, Shipwright, Chargeman, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Clift, Frederick William, Boilermaker, Chatham Dockyard.
- Climo, William Rendle, Shipwright, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Corke, Henry Reuben, First Class Storeman, Stores Department, General Post Office.
- Cottle, Richard, Postman, Malmesbury.
- Cousins, William Richard, Assistant Head Messenger, Accountant-General's Department, General Post Office.
- Crandal, Walter Henry, Sorter, London Postal Service
- Cundy, William James, Skilled Labourer (Hammerman), Devonport Dockyard.

- 7. The Lord Commissioners of H.M. Treasury | Davies, George, Shipwright, Portsmouth Dockyard.
 - Davies, William, Principal Warder, Shrewsbury Prison.
 - Douglas, Charles, Postman, Hounslow.
 - Dove, James, Postman, Bitterne S.O., Southampton. Duffy, Elizabeth, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist,
 - Killarnev. Dunkley, John Albert, Postman, London Postal
 - Service Dwyer, John, Assistant Inspector, Post Office,
 - Bristol.
 - Evans, Davies, Shipwright (Chargeman), Portsmouth Dockyard.
 - Fegan, Robert, Postman, Dublin.
 - Fryer, Daniel, Postman, Gloucester.
 - Gazey, William, Postman, Droitwich.
 - George, William, Chief Warder Class II, Derby Prison.
 - Giles, Thomas Rowland, Postman, London Postal Service.
 - Gillies, Walter, Hammerman, Pembroke Dockyard.
 - Hall, James, Warder, Class II, Irish Prisons Service
 - Harris, John Smith, Telegraphist, Central Telegraph Office.
 - Harrison, Arthur Edwin, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Shrewsbury
 - Hartnell, Henry Maud, Sorter, London Postal Service.
 - Haskell, Charles, Warder, Grade I, Lewes Priso .
 - Hearn, William Henry, Skilled Labourer, Devonport Dockyard.
 - Hearsey, Edmund, Postman, Crawley.
 - Hicks, Samuel John, Shipwright, Chatham Dockyard.
 - Hills, William Manners, Postman, Cambridge.
 - Hockett, Thomas James, Overseer, London Postal Service.
 - Holton, Edwin, Postman, Andover.
 - Hood, Fred, Overseer, London Postal Service.
 - Horne, Louisa, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Witney.
 - Hughes, David, Postman, Carnarvon.
 - Irvine, Lilian Mabel, Assistant Supervisor, Class II, Central Telegraph Office.
 - James, Edmund John Furner, Royal William Yard, Plymouth.
 - Jefferson, Louisa Mary, Sorting Assistant, Post Office Savings Bank, General Post Office.
 - Jenking, Richard, Shipwright, Portsmouth Dockyard.
 - Jones, Benjamin, Postman, Merthyr Tydvil.
 - Leach, George, Boilermaker, Portsmouth Dockyard.
 - Lees, Alvin, Assistant Inspector, Ashton-under-Lyne.
 - Luck, Henry Isaac, Chargeman of Fitters, Chatham Dockyard.
 - Lucks, Henry, Shipwright, Devonport Dockyard. M'Millan, William, Postman, Kelso.
 - Newcastle-on-M'Nabb, William, Postman, Tyne.
 - Mangold, Charles, Overseer, London Postal Service.
 - Thomas, Marfell, Postman, London Postal Service. Marshall, Edward Arthur, Overseer, London
 - Postal Service.
 - Mathias, Thomas, Smith, Pembroke Dockyard.
 - Mathieson, James, Shipwright, Chatham Dockyard.

- Matthews, John, Principal Warder, Dartmoor Prison.
- Mollis, Jessie Clementina Hay, Assistant Supervisor, Telegraph Office, Dublin.
- Michaelis, Philip, Head Porter, London Postal Service.
- Mileham, William, Postman, Stanmore S.O., Harrow.
- Milner, Arthur, Postman, Division II, London Postal Service.
- Newstead, James, Postman, Division II, London Postal Service.
- Nunn, Nathan, Postman, Enfield Wash, Enfield.
- O'Leary, Mary Ellen, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Liverpool.
- Pennycook, William, Postman, Currie, Edinburgh.
- Phenna, George, Principal Presskeeper, War Office.
- Powell, Benjamin, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Goole.
- Rabbetts, Gilbert Charles, Postman, Parkstone, Poole.
- Rentoul, William James, Skilled Labourer, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Robertson, John, Postman, Nairn.
- Robinson, Jesse Richard, Chief Warder, Class II, Borstal Institution, Borstal, Rochester.
- Rockett, Ralph, Postman, Leeds.
- Rogers, Harry George, Hammerman, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Roxburgh, George, Assistant Inspector, Kilmarnock.
- Savage, James, Hospital Principal Warder, Wakefield Prison.
- Silcock, Peter Joseph, Postman, Manchester.
- Sim, William Robert, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Birmingham.
- Sketch, Elizabeth Ann Chappell, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Newport, Mon.
- Skyrmes, William, Skilled Labourer, Pembroke Dockyard.
- Smethurst, John William, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist (Telegraphs), Birmingham.
- Smith, William, Postman, Nottingham.
- Staddon, Joseph William, Postman, Oxford.
- Stafford, Charles, Assistant Head Postman, London Postal Service.
- Stanfield, Joseph, Postman, Newark.
- Starrett, Samuel David, Postman, Drumahoe, Londonderry.
- Staton, James Clayton, Postman, Sandbach S.O., Crewe.
- Stubbs-Nelson, Clement Charles, Overseer, Post Office, Glasgow.
- Suter, Edward Gibson, Shipwright, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Taylor, Jonas, Postman, Luddendenfoot S.O., Sowerby Bridge.
- Thorneycroft, James, Postman, Birmingham.
- Titman, John Edward, Proof Examiner, Publication Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.
- Tough, Alexander, Postman, Corgarff, Aberdeen.
- Trench, Thomas John, Shipwright, Portsmouth Dockyard.
- Tucker, Anna Clara, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Cowes.
- Turner, Archibald Taylor, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Greenock.
- Wannell, Charles William, Head Porter, London Postal Service.
- Ward, John, Postman, Stafford.

- Whitcher, Alfred Ernest, Postman, London Postal Service.
- Willcocks, James, Postman, Bickington, Newton Abbott.
- Wyatt, Lewis Truscott, Shipwright, Devonport Dockyard.

Admiralty, 11th April 1917.

In addition to the honours notified in the Supplements to the London Gazette dated 14th March, 15th May (3rd Supplement), and 31st May 1916 (3rd Supplement), The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Distinguished Service Order and for the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned officers, in recognition of their services in the Eastern Mediterranean up to the 30th June 1916 :---

To be Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Captain Alexander V. Campbell, M.V.O., R.N.

Performed meritorious service whilst in command of H.M.S. "Prince George," which took part in the actions of 25th February and 18th March 1915. "Prince George" supported the Army from inside the Straits between 25th April and 10th May 1915, and also at Suvla for several weeks continuously under fire. Captain Campbell also did good service during the evacuation.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Kenneth Edwards, R.N.

Performed good service at the landing and at the evacuation of Helles. Set a fine example to his men whilst assisting at salvage operations on Monitor M. 30 under fire from enemy's guns.

Lieutenant Charles Leonard Fawell, R.N.V.R.,

For consistent good service often under heavy fire, whilst in command of motor gunboat in the Smyrna inner patrol.

The following awards have also been made :---

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

- Chief Petty Officer Arthur James, O.N. 142389 (Po.).
- Petty Officer Walter Alger, O.N. 162321 (Ch.).
- Leading Seaman Harry T. Coleman, O.N. 231247 (Ch.).
- Chief E.R.A. Samuel Fletcher, O.N. 269985 (Ch.).
- Armourer's Mate Charles H. Hazel, O.N. M. 4491 (Dev.).
- First Writer Walter J. V. Keeble, O.N. 231499 (Dev.).
- Ship's Steward William H. Bromidge, O.N. 345206 (Dev.)
- Chief Motor Mechanic T. Thurburn, O.N. M.B.369.
- Sergeant Albert V. Proctor, No. R.M.A. /5508.

The following officers and men have been mentioned in despatches : --

- Captain Michael H. Hodges, M.V.O., R.N.
- Captain Francis Clifton Brown, R.N.
 - Captain Edmund C. Carver, R.N.

Commander Morton Smart, R.N.V.R.

- Lieutenant-Commander (now Commander) Basil Piercy, R.N. Lieutenant-Commander Claude P. Champion de
- Crespigny, R.N.
- Lieutenant-Commander Henry C. Summers, R.N.V.R.
- Mr. Hugh F. Bevan, Gunner, R.N.
- Mr. Charles E. A. W. Cox, Gunner (now Mate), R.N.
- Mr. Leonard W. Brock, Gunner, R.N.
- Mr. Philip J. Jones, Signal Boatswain.
- Petty Officer Thomas Hoban, O.N. 192417 (Po.).
- Petty Officer James Mather, O.N. 213655 (Ch.).
- Petty Officer Lawrence V. Parsons, O.N. 191341 (Po.).
- Leading Seaman Thomas G. Maylor, O.N. 238210 (Dev.).
- Yeoman of Signals Samuel R. J. Hillier, O.N. 224951 (Ch.).
- Chief E.R.A., 2nd Class, David Thompson, O.N. 272337 (Ch.).
- Chief Stoker James W. French, O.N. 282587 (Ch.).

Chief Writer H. J. W. Gains, O.N. 343680 (Ch.). Private John Gollop, R.M.L.I., No. Ply. /12330.

Civil Service Commission,

April 10, 1917.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Female Learner in London in the Department of the Postmaster-General will be held in London on the 14th June 1917, under the Regulations dated the 10th December 1915, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than ten of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

ot marks and are duly qualified in other respects. No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretarry of the Civil Service Commission has not received on or before the 17th May, an application on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission,

April 10, 1917.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination of Candidates for registration as Temporary Boy Clerks will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Cardiff, Leeds, Liverpool, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Belfast, and Cork, commencing on the 26th June 1917, under the Regulations dated the 15th September 1916, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number to be registered will depend partly on the requirements of the service, and partly on the number of candidates who may show sufficient proficiency; but it is not likely to be less than 203, if so many shall be found competent, that is to say, 200 for service in London and 3 for service in Dublin.

No candidate will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or

before the 24th May, an application, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Ministry of Food,

11th April 1917.

THE INTOXICATING LIQUOR (OUTPUT AND DE-LIVERY) ORDER, 29th March 1917. Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 270,

price 1d. net, post free 1¹/₂d.

THE SUGAR (RESTRICTION) ORDER, 16th March 1917.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 252, as amended by No. 281,

price 1d. net, post free $1\frac{1}{2}$ d.

THE SEED POTATOES (PRICES) ORDER (No. 2), 3rd April 1917.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 295, price 1d. net, post free 1¹/₂d.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named Orders have been made by the Food Controller, and that copies of the Orders and of all other Orders made by the Food Controller, printed as Statutory Rules and Orders, and receivable in evidence under the Documentary Evidence Acts, can be purchased at the prices stated, through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:— Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. (2); 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh; or E. Ponsonby Ltd., 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

MINUTE OF APPOINTMENT OF THE CHAIN TRADE BOARD. (Great Britain.)

The term of office of the Trade Board for the Hammered and Dollied or Tommied Chain-making Trade, established on 14th February 1913, in accordance with the Regulations made by the Board of Trade, dated 25th November 1909, having expired, as provided by paragraph 8 of the said Regulations, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Trade Boards Act, 1909, and the New Ministries and Secretaries Act, 1916, I hereby establish a new Trade Board for the said trade in Great Britain, constituted in accordance with the Regulations dated 22nd September 1916, made by the Board of Trade in substitution for those dated 25th November 1909.

The Board shall consist of :---

(1) Three appointed members, namely,

Mr. Ernest Aves,

Mr. Alderman Thomas Smith, J.P.,

Mrs. Margrieta Beer,

who are hereby directed to act on the Trade Board.

(2) (a) Five members elected by employers in the trade who are occupiers of factories within the meaning of the Factory and Workshops Acts and are not habitually engaged in subcontracting, namely :—

Mr. Noah Bloomer, Messrs. N. Bloomer & Sons Limited, Oak Works, Quarry Bank, Cradley Heath ;

- Mr. John Fellows, Messrs. Fellows Brothers Limited, Clyde Works, Cradley Heath ;
- Mr. G. H. Green, Messrs. E. Tinsley & Company, Old Hill, Staffs ;
- Mr. W. Lashford Griffin, Messrs. William Griffin & Sons Limited, Triton Works, Cradley Heath ;
- Mr. Caleb Woodhouse, Messrs. Woodhouse Brothers, Newtown Lane, Cradley Heath.

(b) One member representing employers in the trade (other than those employers who are occupiers of factories within the meaning of the Factory and Workshop Acts and are not habitually engaged in sub-contracting), chosen by me after considering names supplied by such employers, namely :

Mr. Joseph Woodhouse, Foxoak Street, Cradley Heath.

(3) Six members representing workers in the trade, chosen by me after considering names supplied by such workers, namely :-

Mr. William Cooper, New Street, Quarry Bank, Cradley Heath;

- Mrs. Ada Garbett, 18 Holly Bush Street, Cradley Heath :
- Mr. Charles Homer, 15 Compton Road, Cradley Heath ; Mr. J. J. Mallon, 45 Mecklenburgh Square,
- London, W.C. 1;
- Mr. Thomas Sitch, Unity Villa, Sydney Road, Cradley Heath;

Miss Hannah J. Tromans, 13 Bowling Green Road, Old Hill, Staffs.

The term of office of the Trade Board shall be the period of four years commencing 3rd April 1917, and thereafter until dissolved by order of the Minister or Labour.

Mr. Ernest Aves is hereby appointed to be Chairman, Mr. Alderman Thomas Smith to be Deputy Chairman, and Mr. G. T. Reid to be Secretary of the Trade Board.

Dated this third day of April 1917.

(Signed) JOHN HODGE, Minister of Labour.

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 April 1917, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BR	BRITISH CORN.			QUANTITIES SOLD.	AVERAGE PRICE.		
Wheat				Qrs. Bus. 44,826 7	s. d. 84 4		
Barl ey	•••	•••		53,630 4	69 11		
Oats	•••	•••		17,500 3	55 1		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1910 to 1916.

Corresponding Week in		QU	ANTITIES SOL	AVERAGE PRICE.					
		WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.		
		Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
1910		70,453 0	17,383 6	13,591 1	33 7	23 5	18 3		
1911		46,063 7	7,866 4	13,339 5	30 3	$25 \ 2$	18 3		
1912		26,967 3	3,266 5	6,202 1	3 5 4	30 2	22 1		
1913		63,167 7	6.705 2	7,855 7	31 3	27 8	19 2		
1914		52,417 6	16,765 0	9,112 6	31 5	26 8	18 4		
1915		50,322 2	10.471 0	10,790 0	54 9	31 3	30 4		
1916		37,429 3	11,775 2	12,851 4	51 8	53 7	30 1		

* 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's Square, London, S.W., 7th April 1917.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 то 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th April 1917, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs) :---

County.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.	
		No.	No.
Ross and Cromasty	•••	 1	-
Total		 1	

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908 :---

- Aberdeenshire, &c.—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, Campbeltown, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kırkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, Falkirk, and Stirling (1st October 1911).—See also under Dumbartonshire, &c.
- Argyllshire.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c.
- Ayrshire .- An Area comprising the County of Ayr, and the Burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (1st October 1911).
- Banffshire.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c.
- Berwickshire, &c.-An Area comprising the Counties of Berwick, Roxburgh, and Selkirk, and the Burghs of Hawick and Galashiels, and also comprising the Parish of Stow, in the County of Midlothian (1st October 1911).
- Buteshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Caithness.— See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Clackmannan.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

- Dumbartonshire, &c.-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 (1st October 1911).-See also under Aberdeenshire, &c.
- Dumfriesshire, &c.-An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkeudbright, and the Burgh of Dumfries (1st October 1911).
- Elgin.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c. File.-See under Aberdeenshire, &o.

Fortarshire.- See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Haddingtonshire.-An Area comprising the County of Haddington (1st October 1911).

Inverness-shire.--See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Kincardineshire.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Kinross.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kirkcudbrightshire.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c. Lanarkshire.-See under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Linlithgow, &c. — An Area comprising the Counties of Linlithgow and Midlothian (except the Parish of Stow), the Burghs of Leith and Musselburgh, and the City of Edinburgh (1st October 1911).-See also under Berwickshire, &c.

Midlothian.-See under Linlithgow, &c., and also under Berwickshire, &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 (1st October 1911). Zetland.-See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

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RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 7th April 1917, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs) :-

ANTHRAX.

· · · · ·	ka ed.	Animals Attacked.						
County.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.			
1	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			
Aberdeen	1	1			_			
Banff Caithness		$\frac{2}{1}$						
Caltinness	1	1		_	_			
Elgin Forfar	i	i i	_	_				
Lanark	… î	1			—			
		<u> </u>						
TOTAL	6	7						

SHEEP SCAB.

		Outbreaks Reported.		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		 	 	No
Inverness	•••	 •••	 •••	3
TOTAL		 	 	3

PARASITIC MANGE.

Oo	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.		
			No.	No.
Aberdeen Forfar Lanark Midlothian (ex burgh Stirling	 	 din- 	1 1 2 1 2	1 3 2 1 3
Total	 	,	7	10

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 10th April 1917.

King's and Lord Treasurer's

Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 12th February 1917.

N OTICE is hereby given that the Estate of JOHN COPLAND, Scotston Farm, near Montrose, who died there on 9th September 1915, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus hares.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

EXECUTRY NOTICE.

A LL persons having claims against the late ALEX-ANDER DUNBAR, Solicitor, Forres, are re-quested to lodge the same with R. & R. Urquhart, Solicitors, Forres, Agents of the deceased's Executor, within fourteen days from this date; and all persons indebted to Mr. Dunbar are requested to make payment to the Agents within the like period.

> R. & R. URQUHART, Solicitors, Forres, Agents.

Forres, 12th April 1917.

SCOTTISH VARIETIES LIMITED.

A PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session (First Division,-Mr. Paton, Clerk) for the winding up of Scottish Varieties Limited, having its Registered Office at 38 Bath Street, Glasgow, at the instance of Ethel Brailsford, Variety Artiste, 41 Newport Street, Rusholme, Manchester; and the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has been pleased to pronounce the following Interlocutor :-

"Edinburgh, 10th April 1917.— The Lord Ordinary "officiating on the Bills appoints the Petition to be "intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in "common form; to be served upon the Scottish "Varieties Limited, mentioned in the Petition; to be "advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in "each of the Scotsman and Glasgow Herald news-"papers; and allows the said Company and all persons "having interest to lodge Answers within eight days

"after such intimation, service, and advertisement. (Signed) "DAVID DUNDAS."

Of which Intimation is hereby given.

E. ROLLAND M'NAB, 10 Queensferry Street, Edinburgh, Agent for the Petitioner.

THE ISER STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Iser Steamship Company Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company, 39 Dock Street, Dundee, on the 23rd day of March 1917, the Street, Dundee, on the 23rd day of March 1917, the following Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subse-quent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held within the said Registered Office on the 11th day of April 1917, the same was duly confirmed so as to become Special Resolutions of the Company, viz. :--

 That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
 That James Mitchell, Shipowner, 39 Dock Street, Dundee, be, and he hereby is appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets thereof, with every power which by the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, is conferred upon Liquidators.

JAMES MITCHELL, Liquidator.

39 Dock Street, Dundee, 12th April 1917.

THE ISER STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held within the Office of James Mitchell & Sons, 39 Dock Street, Dundee, on Tuesday the 24th day of April 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAMES MITCHELL, Liquidator.

39 Dock Street, Dundee, 12th April 1917.

THE "EARL OF FORFAR" STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-A named Company, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office, 68 Gordon Street, Glasgow, on the 16th day of March 1917, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, viz. :--

- (1) "That the 'Earl of Forfar' Steamship Company "Limited be wound up voluntarily, the Steamer "the steamer and the steamer
- "Limited be would up volument, and "having been lost."
 (2) "That William Love Dobbie, of Messrs. W. L. "Dobbie & Co., 68 Gordon Street, Glasgow, be, "and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to "conduct the winding up."

And at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 3rd day of April 1917, the above Special Resolutions were duly confirmed.

The Vessel owned by the above Company having The Vessel owned by the above Company having been lost and the Company having in consequence gone into Voluntary Liquidation, Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Liquidator, No. 68 Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the nine-teenth day of April 1917, at twelve o'clock noon. Any person claiming to be a Creditor and desiring to be present should at once inform the undersigned Liquidator. Liquidator.

Dated this 11th day of April 1917.

W. L. DOBBIE, Liquidator.

H. MACGREGOR & COMPANY LIMITED.

N terms of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, Section 188, Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held within my Office at 63a St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 24th April, at 11 a.M.

Any persons claiming to be Creditors are requested to lodge their claims in my hands before the Meeting.

E. H. STANLEY CRAIG, C.A., Liquidator.

THE CLIFTON SHIPPING CO. LTD. (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held within the Offices of Messrs. Wilson, Stirling, & Co., C.A.. 93 West George Street, Glasgow, on Monday, C.A., 93 West George Street, Glasgow, on Monday, 14th May 1917, at twelve o'clock noon, for the following purposes :-

- 1. To receive and consider the Liquidators' accounts, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of.
- 2. To determine by Extraordinary Resolution how the books and papers of the Company will be disposed of.

W. N. WYLIE, HUGH H. Ross, Joint Liquidators.

Glasgow, 11th April 1917.

PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of Thomas Barr Limited, incorporated under the Comof Thomas Barr Limited, incorporated under the Com-panies Acts, and having their Registered Office at number fifty-three Bothwell Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of CHARLES CAMPBELL DON, Wine and Spirit Merchant, carrying on business at forty Hutchison Street, Glasgow, and six hundred and eighty-eight Dumbarton Road, Dalmuir, and residing at number four Lusset Road, Old Kilpatrick, his Lordship of the state were for stime the said Charles number four Lusset Road, Old Klipatrick, his Lordsnip of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Charles Campbell Don to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the four-teenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

A. S. STODDART, Solicitor, Agent for Petitioner.

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34 Bernard Street, Leith, 10th April 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of Hyman Cohen, 35 Wellington Street, Stockton-on-Tees, for Sequestration of the Estates of Mrs. GLADYS EVA BLACKHURST or MACBETH, widow, residing at 00 Southing Thread Hillsond Charger in Lordsin 60 Sardinia Terrace, Hillhead, Glasgow, his Lordship on 7th April 1917 granted Warrant for citing the said Mrs. Gladys Eva Blackhurst or Macbeth to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

CLARK & MACDONALD, S.S.C., Agents. 24 Hill Street, Edinburgh,

13th April 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of Hyman Cohen, 35 Wellington Street, Stockton-on-Tees, for Sequestration of the Estates of MRS. RACHEL DABBS or BLACKHURST, widow, residing at 60 Sardinia Terrace, Hillhead, Glasgow, his Lordship on 7th April 1917 granted Warrant for citing the said Mrs. Bachel Dabbs or Blackburst to annear in Court on the Rachel Dabbs or Blackhurst to appear in Court on the soventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

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13th April 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of Hyman Cohen, 35 Wellington Street, Stockton-on-Tees, for Sequestration of the Estates of ARTHUR BLACKHURST, Accountant, 2 West Regent Street, Glasgow, his Lordship on 7th April 1917 granted Warrant for citing the said Arthur Blackhurst to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded ; of all which Intimation is hereby given. given.

CLARK & MACDONALD, S.S.C., Agents. 24 Hill Street, Edinburgh, 13th April 1917.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN FAGAN, 35 Coats Street, Coatbridge.

G EORGE HODGE, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Mary Appleyard or Fagan, 7 Coatbank Street, Coat-bridge, Catherine Fagan or Devlin, Hutton's Land, Langloan, and Mary Fagan or Austin, Dyke's Land, Coatbridge, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankmurt will take place in the Coatbridge, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Airdrie, on Tuesday the twenty-fourth day of April nineteen hundred and seventeen, at ten minutes past ten o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the Trustee at 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Friday the fourth day of May nineteen hundred and seventeen, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

GEO. HODGE, C.A., Trustee.

13th April 1917.

SEQUESTRATION of D. KREVITSKY, Eglinton Cabinet Works ,13-15 Ritchie Street, Glasgow.

JOSEPH WELLCOAT MACKINNON, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate. Thomas Kerr, of the Firm of Thomas Kerr & Co., Timber Merchants, Glasgow; Edward M'Ewan Galloway, Writer, Glasgow, and John Graham Woyka, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, have been elected Com-missioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in Sheriff Fyfe's Chambers, County Buildings, Clasgow on Friday the twenty-seventh day of Anril Glasgow, on Friday the twenty-seventh day of April 1917, at 11.30 o'clock forenoon.. The Creditors will

meet within the Trustee's Chambers at 132 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the fifth day of June 1917, at twelve o'clock noon; and that to entitle Creditors to participate in the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged with me on or before the 14th day of May 1917.

Jos. W. MACKINNON, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 12th April 1917.

Sheriffdom of Ayrshire at Ayr.

SEQUESTRATION of Mrs. MARGARET M'LEAN or STEWART, Grocer and Baker, Patna, Ayrshire, and trading also under the name of "THOMAS STEWART," Grocer and Baker, Patna aforesaid.

A RCHIBALD REID, Accountant, 64 Sandgate Estate; and Nicol Brown Lawrie, Merchant, 29 Sand-gate Street, Ayr, hugh Campbell Candlish, Solicitor, 74 High Street, Ayr, and Archibald Hamilton, Flour Importer, 70 Wellington Street, Glasgow, a Partner of Bruce & Wilson, Flour Importers, 70 Wellington Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Ex-amination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Ayr, upon Tuesday the 24th day of April 1917, at 10.30 o'clock forencon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of the Trustee, 64 Sandgate Street, Ayr, upon Tuesday of the Trustee, 64 Sandgate Street, Ayr, upon Tuesday the 29th day of May 1917, at twelve o'clock noon. Creditors are required to transmit their oaths and claims and grounds of debt to the Trustee on or before Tuesday the 8th day of May 1917.

ARCHIBALD REID, Trustee.

ROBERT Glass THOMAS DUNLOP, Accountant in ROBERT THOMAS DUNLOP, Accountant in Glasgow. Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of (1) GEORGE THOMSON RODGER, Saddler, 107 Great Eastern Road, Glasgow, and (2) NICOLSON & COMPANY, Warehousemen, 66 Oxford Street, S.S., Glasgow, and Angus Nicolson, Warehousemen, 66 Oxford Street, Glasgow, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors on the above Estates, to be held within his Chambers, 45 Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Monday. 7th of May 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, and on Monday, 7th of May 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, and 12.30 o'clock afternoon, respectively, to consider as to application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ROB. T. DUNLOP, Trustee.

45 Renfield Street, Glasgow, 13th April 1917.

To the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of DOUGLAS & COY., Whiskey Merchants, 47 West Nile Street, Glasgow, and Henry Cassell, Whiskey Merchant, 147 West Nile Street, Glasgow, and now residing at 118 Leith Street, Edinburgh, as a Partner of said Company, and as an Individual.

virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Lanarkshire, Henry Cassell, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he is liable as a Partner of the said Firm of Douglas & Company, and as an Individual, at the date of the Sequestration of his Peteters in terms of the Statute Estates, in terms of the Statute.

> J. JEFFREY HUNTER, Solicitor, 89 Bath Street, Glasgow, Petitioner's Agent.

11th April 1916.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of ROBERTSON & WATSON, who L carried on business as Photographers at Paterson's Studio, No. 346 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, was DISSOLVED of consent as at 10th May 1916. The Subscriber Mrs. Rebecca Hamilton Robertson or Davidson acquired the goodwill of the Firm and is

carrying on the Business at the same address under the name of REA H. ROBERTSON. Glasgow, 21st March 1917. 9

REA. H. DAVIDSON.

JAMES M. REID, Writer, Glasgow, RALPH JONES, 346 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, Photographer, Witnesses to the Signature of the said Mrs. Rebecca Hamilton Robertson or Davidson.

BESSIE A. WATSON. MARY S. C. SMITH, Witness, Clerk to

Mackay & M'Intosh, Writers, Glas-

gow, H. J. DONALDSON, Writer, Glasgow, Witnesses to the Signature of Bessie Alexander Watson.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

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Jack Solomon Lewe Levenson, residing at Bronheulog, St. David's Road, Aberystwyth, Cardiganshire, and carrying on business at 26 Terrace Road, Aberystwyth aforesaid, and 14 The Cross, Oswestry, Salop, tobacconist and hair-dresser.

Joseph Hayes, Mill Lane, Pinxton, in the county of Derby, grocer and beer dealer.

William Gilbert, residing and carrying on business at 42 Newcastle Street, Tuxford, in the county of Not-tingham, wheelwright.

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