

EXCHEQUER CHAMBERS, EDINBURGH,
1st February 1854.

THERE were this day laid before the Judges, Returns made by the several Sheriffs and Stewards in Scotland to the Queen's Remembrancer, under the 6th section of the Statute 43d Geo. III, cap. 54, intituled 'An Act for making better provision for the Parochial Schoolmasters, and for making further Regulations for the better government of the Parish Schools in Scotland;' of the average amount of the value or price of a Chalders of Oatmeal in the respective Counties and Stewartries for the twenty-five years preceding the 11th of June 1853. And their Lordships having considered the said Returns, do, in virtue of the powers conferred on them by the said Statute, strike the average price of a Chalders of Oatmeal for all Scotland, at Thirteen pounds six shillings and threepence three farthings, from the Returns made by the Sheriffs and Stewards as aforesaid.

By Order of the Judges,
JOHN HENDERSON,
Queen's Remembrancer.

THE Estates of A. & T. PATERSON, Builders, Hutchesontown, Glasgow, and Alexander Paterson and Thomas Paterson, Builders there, the Individual Partners of that Company, were sequestrated on the 4th day of February 1854.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of February 1854.

Mr Charles Gairdner, Accountant, Glasgow, has been appointed Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 22d day of February 1854, within the Crow Hotel, George's Square, 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 5th day of June 1854, provided the time fixed for payment of the first dividend shall not have been accelerated, or one month before the time fixed for payment of the first dividend where such time shall have been accelerated.

The Lord Ordinary, in granting sequestration, granted a Personal Protection to the said Alexander Paterson and Thomas Paterson against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

J. MONTGOMERIE STACEY, S. S. C., Agent,
2, Thistle Court, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of LEWIS ROSE, General Agent and Spirit Merchant, sometime in Philpot Lane, London, now in Tain, were sequestrated on the 6th day of February 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 6th February 1854.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 20th day of February 1854, within the Crown and Anchor Hotel, Tain.

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 6th June 1854, unless the period for payment of the first dividend shall be accelerated.

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LAURENCE M. MACARA, W. S., Agent,
14, South Charlotte Street, Edinburgh.

SEQUESTRATION of ALLAN RODGER, Farmer, sometime Tacksman of Middle and South Ledaig, now deceased.

ROBERT LAWRENCE, Writer in Oban, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Angus Gregorson, Writer, Oban, Lachlan Cameron, Writer, Fortwilliam, and Archibald Campbell, Saddler, Oban, have been elected Commissioners. The Creditors will meet in the Writing-Chambers of the Trustee in Oban, on Wednesday the 13th day of February current, at 10 o'clock noon.

ROBERT LAWRENCE, Trustee.
Oban, February 2, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM KING, Distiller at Glenpatrick, near Johnstone, in the County of Renfrew.

JAMES THOMSON, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and John Reid, Banker in Johnstone, John Bownas Crawhall, Corn and Flour Factor and Commission Agent in Glasgow, and Archibald Arrol, Merchant in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs Reid and Henderson, Writers, County Place, Paisley, on Thursday the 23d day of February current, at one o'clock.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun. Trustee.

Glasgow, February 4, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN HENDRIE, Builder in Inverness.

COLIN LYON MACKENZIE, Merchant in Inverness, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and Charles Stewart, Solicitor, Inverness, William Ross Grant, Solicitor there, and Andrew Black, Plumber there, have been elected Commissioners. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff's Chambers, Castle of Inverness, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Union Hotel, Inverness, on Monday the 27th day of February current, at 12 o'clock noon.

C. LYON M'KENZIE.

Inverness, February 2, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN AITKEN, now or lately Spirit-Dealer and Merchant, Gallowgate, Glasgow.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the estate; and William Houston Wood Merchant and House-Proprietor, Armour Street, Glasgow, has been elected Commissioner. The examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court-House, on Friday the 10th day of February current, at 12 o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of the said John Clark, 146, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 20th day of February also current, at 12 o'clock noon.

DAVID M'CUBBIN, Trustee.

In the Sequestration of **CHARLES HORSFALL WATSON, Commission Agent and Merchant, St Enoch's Square, Glasgow, and Manufacturer of Scotch Blankets and Plaidings, Dutch Mills, near Ayr, and now or lately residing at Cessnock Cottage, Govan Road, near Glasgow.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a meeting of Creditors held on Monday the 6th February, in the Chambers of the Trustee, No. 101, Miller Street, Glasgow, James Allan, Senior, Furnishing Ironmonger in Glasgow, was elected a Commissioner, vice John Reid, Grain Merchant there, resigned.

JAMES THOMSON, Jun. Trustee.

Glasgow, February 6, 1854.

JAMES NISBET, Solicitor, Supreme Courts, Edinburgh, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of **JAMES HOGG, Farmer and Cattle Dealer, residing at Southfield, by Lauder, hereby calls a general meeting of the Creditors on the said sequestrated estate to be held within Jamieson's Inn, Carfrae Mill, by Lauder, on Wednesday the 22d day of February current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in place of James Robertson, Juniperlee, by Blackshiells, resigned.**

JAMES NISBET, Trustee.

Edinburgh, February 7, 1854.

SEQUESTRATION of ANDREW JOHNSTON, Spirit Merchant in Banff.

WILLIAM BARCLAY, Solicitor in Banff, Trustee on the sequestrated estate of Andrew Johnston, Spirit Merchant in Banff, hereby calls a meeting of the Creditors on said estate to be held in his Office, No. 23, Low Street, Banff, on Wednesday the 15th day of February current, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a new Commissioner, in the room and stead of Alexander Lillie, Merchant in Banff, who has deceased.

W. BARCLAY, Trustee.

Banff, February 4, 1854.