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STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excoise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 23d November 1872.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	46,984	7	56	9
Barley	72,676	3	42	1
Oats	3,864	7	22	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1868 to 1871.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1868	64,060	6	81,916	6	3,989	2	51	0	47	0	27	4
1869	48,960	3	75,736	5	3,539	7	45	6	38	1	23	5
1870	77,637	3	88,554	5	5,038	4	0	5	36	2	23	7
1871	68,652	7	95,623	3	4,747	2	55	1	36	8	23	8

R. VALPY.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
November 25, 1872.

CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the Week ended the 23d November 1872.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO—				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Export.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheat	827,524	361,720	189,329	1,378,573	80	2,814	2,894
Barley	402,286	54,755	29,280	486,321	489	...	489
Oats	158,712	13,995	...	172,707	641	555	1,196
Rye	5,100	...	...	5,100	...	...	...
Pease	23,374	603	...	23,977	391	...	391
Beans	40,732	533	...	41,265	...	...	...
Indian Corn	348,523	27,301	191,435	567,259	...	...	...
Buckwheat	5	...	...	5	...	...	...
Bere or Bigg .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt)...	1,806,256	458,907	410,044	2,675,207	1,601	3,369	4,970
Wheatmeal or Flour	86,141	89,733	11,125	186,999	484	230	714
Barley Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal	6	222	...	228	312	...	312
Rye Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal	220	...	...	220	...	...	...
Bean Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal ...	18	...	...	18	...	...	...
Buckwheat Meal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal...	86,385	89,955	11,125	187,465	796	230	1,026
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt)	1,892,641	548,862	421,169	2,862,672	2,397	3,599	5,996
Malt (entered by the Quarter).....	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	808	...	808

Statistical Department, Custom-house, London,
November 25, 1872.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

Charles Thornley, of Nottingham, lace manufacturer.
Henry D'Aubigny Hatch, of West Shrubby, Redland, and 128, Whiteladies' Road, both in Bristol, draper.
William Aaron Bickle, of Gunnislake, Calstock, Cornwall, butcher.
William Morris, of Maindee, near Newport, Monmouth, Moderator and New Tredegar Wharves, Newport aforesaid, and of Moderator Wharf, Brecon, carrier and wharfinger.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Thomas Evers, builder, painter, and house decorator, of 78, Richmond Road, West Brompton, Middlesex.

John Sly, of Battersea Square, Battersea, and Balham Hill, Balham, both in Surrey, baker.

Samuel Afflick Hill, of Boston, Lincoln, draper.

Frederick Jacques, of Netherseal, Leicester, saddler and harness maker.

James Worton and Aaron Worton, of 80, High Street, Bilston, Stafford, boot and shoe manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of James Worton & Son.

Elias Elworthy, of South Molton, Devon, farmer.

Henry Mozart Bartlett, of Teignmouth, Devon, inn-keeper.

Joseph Lomas, of 7, Pavilion Place, Westborough, Scarborough, York, marble manufacturer.

William Fisher, of Ellerker, near Brough, York, of no occupation.

Edmund M'Nevin, of Cardiff, Glamorgan, pitwood and coal merchant.

RENFREWSHIRE POLLING PLACES.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Act 16 Victoria, cap. 28, sec. 2, that the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute, with the consent of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, proposes to increase and otherwise alter the numbers, situation, and arrangement of the existing Polling Districts and Polling Places in the County of Renfrew, so that at all future Parliamentary Elections for the said County of Renfrew the Electors shall respectively poll or vote at the places after specified, that is to say:—

1. The Electors for the Parishes of Abbey, Kilbarchan, Houston, Erskine, Inchinnan, and Renfrew, shall poll at PAISLEY.
2. The Electors for the Parish of Neilston, and the part of the Parish of Dunlop in Renfrewshire, shall poll at NEILSTON.
3. The Electors for the Parish of Lochwinnoch, and the part of the Parish of Beith in Renfrewshire, shall poll at LOCHWINNOCH.
4. The Electors for the Parishes of Eastwood, Mearns, and Eaglesham, shall poll at POLLOKSHAWS.
5. The Electors for the part of the Parish of Cathcart in Renfrewshire, shall poll at CROSSHILL.
6. The Electors for the part of the Parish of Govan in Renfrewshire, shall poll at KINNING PARK; and
7. The Electors for the Parishes of Greenock, Port-Glasgow, Inverkip, and Kilmalcolm, shall poll at GREENOCK.

PATRICK FRASER,
Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

By Order of the Sheriff.

WILLM. HECTOR,
Sheriff-Clerk of Renfrewshire.

October 31, 1872.

POLLING PLACES IN THE COUNTY OF CAITHNESS.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Act 16 Victoria, cap. 28, section 2, that the Sheriff of the County, with the consent of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, proposes to increase and otherwise alter the numbers, situation, and arrangement of the existing Polling Districts and Polling Places in the said County of Caithness, so that at Parliamentary Elections for the said County the Electors shall respectively poll or vote at the places after specified, that is to say:—

1. The Electors of and in the Parishes of Wick and Watten, shall poll at WICK.
2. The Electors of and in the Parish of Latheron shall poll at LYBSTER.
3. The Electors of and in the Parishes of Bower, Canisbay, Dunnet, and Olig, shall poll at CASTLE-TOWN; and
4. The Electors of and in the Parishes of Thurso, Halkirk, and Reay, shall poll at THURSO.

By Order of the Sheriff.

ROB. M'LACHLAN, Sheriff-Clerk.

Wick, November 4, 1872.

AYR HARBOUR.

Amendment of Acts; Alteration of Trust; Increase of Borrowing Powers of Trustees; Application of Funds; Alteration of Terms of

Contribution by Glasgow & South-Western Railway Company.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, That Application is intended to be made to Parliament, in the ensuing Session, for leave to bring in a Bill for all or some of the objects and purposes following; that is to say—

To amend and so far as necessary to repeal 'The Ayr Harbour Act, 1855,' and 'The Ayr Harbour Amendment Act, 1866;' to alter the constitution of the Trust created by those Acts; to continue or appoint certain persons to be Trustees *ex officio*, and to provide for the election or appointment of other Trustees by the following parties, or some of them; that is to say, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the Burgh of Ayr as now existing or as it may hereafter be extended, the Freemen of Newton-upon-Ayr, the owners of vessels belonging to the Port of Ayr qualified as may be prescribed by the Bill, the persons paying rates on goods at the Port of Ayr qualified as aforesaid, and the Glasgow & South-Western Railway Company; or to make such other provision for the appointment or election of Trustees as may be prescribed by the Bill; to continue the incorporation of the Trustees as reconstituted, or to dissolve the existing Trust and incorporate the Trustees as reconstituted by the Bill; to vest the undertaking of the existing Trustees in the body of Trustees as reconstituted or as incorporated by the Bill; to enable the existing or reconstituted Trustees to borrow additional sums of money for the purposes of the Harbour and of the said Acts as amended by the Bill, on mortgage or cash credit, on the security of the rates and dues authorised to be levied by the said Acts, or on the undertaking of the Trustees, or on such other security as may be prescribed by the Bill; to sanction and authorise the application heretofore and hereafter of the monies borrowed by the existing Trustees, and the monies which may be borrowed by them or by the reconstituted Trustees, to all or some or any of the purposes of the said Acts and of the Bill; to provide for the contribution by the Glasgow & South-Western Railway Company, by way of donation, of the sum which that Company are by the last mentioned Act required to contribute by way of postponed loan for the purposes of that Act.

To amend 'The Glasgow & South-Western Railway Consolidation Act, 1855,' and the several other Acts relating to the Glasgow & South-Western Railway Company and their undertaking.

To authorise the reconstituted Trustees to levy the rates and duties authorised, and to exercise all the powers conferred, by the two first mentioned Acts, as amended by the Bill.

To confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from payment of the rates and duties leviable under the authority of the two first mentioned Acts and of the Bill; to vary or extinguish all rights and privileges which would in any manner interfere with the execution of the objects and purposes of the Bill; and to confer all powers, rights, and privileges which may be necessary for carrying the same into effect.

Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December 1872.

Dated this 14th day of November 1872.

JOHN POLLOCK,
Secretary to the Harbour Trust, Ayr.
GRAHAMES & WARDLAW,
Westminster.

AYR BURGH.

Extension of Municipal and Police Boundaries to Parliamentary Boundaries; Regulation of Number of Magistrates and Councillors; Extension of Jurisdiction of Corporation, Magistrates, and Dean of Guild, over Districts Annexed; Division of Extended Burgh into Wards; Abolition of Burgh Customs and Dues; Reservation and Appropriation of Common Good; Provisions as to Municipal Government, Police, and Sanitary Matters; Transfer to Corporation of Sanitary Powers of Parochial Boards in Newton-upon-Ayr and Wallacetown; Application to Extended Burgh of General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Acts; Provisions with respect to Markets and Sale of Cattle, Butter, etc.; Dues in Respect Thereof; Widening and Improvement of Kyle Street and High Street; Compulsory Purchase of Lands in those Streets; Power to Acquire Undertakings of Ayr Water Company, Ayr Gas Company, and Ayr and Newton Consumers' Gas Company, and to Supply Water and Gas; Dissolution of those Companies; Rates, Duties, and Assessments throughout extended Burgh; Incorporation and Amendment of Acts.

NOTICE is Hereby Given, That Application is intended to be made to Parliament, in the ensuing Session, for leave to bring in a Bill to effect the purposes and objects following, or some of them; that is to say:—

To Extend for Municipal, Police, Sanitary, and other purposes, the Boundaries of the Burgh of Ayr, so as to include, within the Municipal Boundaries thereof, the entire area now within the Parliamentary Boundaries of the Burgh of Ayr, thereby annexing to and incorporating with the Burgh of Ayr, for such purposes, the Burgh of Newton-upon-Ayr and the part of the Parish of St. Quivox, in the County of Ayr, known as Wallacetown.

To regulate the number of the Magistrates and Town Councillors of the Burgh of Ayr, as extended by the Bill, and to make provision for their qualification and election, and for the qualification, registration, and voting of electors for Municipal purposes in the Burgh as proposed to be extended by the Bill; as also for the election or appointment of officers for carrying out the objects of the Bill, or any of them.

To extend to, and make co-extensive with, the extended Burgh, all or some of the municipal franchises and privileges existing within the present Burgh, and the powers, privileges, jurisdictions, authorities, and functions of the Corporation, Magistrates, Dean of Guild Court, and Dean of Guild thereof respectively, and of the persons holding office under them or any of them; to confer on the Corporation, Magistrates, Dean of Guild Court, and Dean of Guild of the extended Burgh, and the persons who may be appointed to hold offices under them or any of them, powers, privileges, jurisdictions, authorities, and functions within the extended Burgh, similar to those now possessed or exercisable within the present Burgh by the Corporation, Magistrates, Dean of Guild Court, and Dean of Guild thereof, and by the persons holding offices

under them or any of them, and to transfer to and vest in the Corporation, and Magistrates of the extended Burgh, the police and other jurisdictions presently possessed and exercisable in Newton-upon-Ayr and Wallacetown by the Justices of the Peace of the County of Ayr, and to provide that the persons holding offices under them shall, so far as regards Newton-upon-Ayr and Wallacetown, cease to hold such offices; and to vary, extinguish, and confer such other powers, privileges, jurisdictions, authorities, and functions as may be provided by the Bill; and to enable the Corporation or Magistrates or Town Councillors of the Burgh, as extended, to act by themselves respectively, or jointly with others as Trustees, Commissioners, or Managers of or in respect of any Trust, undertaking, or charity, in the same manner as they, as now constituted, have powers to act, or as the Bill may define.

To divide or to authorise the division of the extended Burgh into Wards for Municipal and Police purposes.

To abolish or provide for the abolition of all or some of the Customs and Dues leviable within the Burgh.

To provide for the regulation of the Common Good presently belonging to the Burgh, or some part thereof; and that such Common Good, and all rents, profits, and interests arising therefrom, shall continue to be held for the exclusive behoof and benefit of that portion of the extended Burgh comprised within the present Municipal Boundaries; and shall be applied solely within such portion, and to the same or similar purposes as heretofore, or to the payment or reduction of all or any of the rates and assessments leviable or payable within such portion, or to such other purposes as may be provided by the Bill.

To provide for the application and enforcement within the extended Burgh, subject to such modifications, if any, as shall be provided by the Bill, of all or some parts of 'The General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862;' 'The General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, Amendment Act;' 'The Nuisances Removal (Scotland) Act, 1856;' and 'The Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867;' and of all or any other public Acts relating to Police, Sanitary, and Improvement purposes, and to transfer to the Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors of the Burgh, as extended by the Bill, all or some of the powers and authorities exercisable within any portion thereof by the Parochial Boards of the Parishes of Newton and St. Quivox respectively, or by any other Local Authority or Public Officer, under or in pursuance of any of such Acts.

To authorise the establishment, or the continuance, extension, and maintenance, within the extended Burgh, of markets for the sale of cattle, butter, and other animals and commodities, and the levying of rates and dues in respect of the use of such markets and of sales therein; and to prohibit, to such extent as shall be provided by the Bill, the sale of cattle, butter, and other animals and commodities within the extended Burgh, elsewhere than within such markets.

To empower the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of the present Burgh, or of the Burgh as extended by the Bill, (hereinafter called 'the Corporation,') to execute the works hereinafter mentioned, or some of them—that is to say, to widen and improve Kyle Street in the Burgh of Ayr, from its junction with Smith's Road to its junction with High Street; and to widen and improve High

Street from a point in that Street at or near the northern side of the house and property now known as No. 141 in that Street, to a point in that Street at or near the southern side of the house and property now known as No. 189 in that Street; and to make and maintain the same, and all necessary sewers, drains, and other works, and conveniences, in connection therewith; to feu out, let, or sell, any lands which they may acquire for the purposes of such widening and improvement of the said Streets, or to hold the same and erect buildings thereon, and to hold, sell, or let, such buildings; as also to authorise the Corporation to acquire compulsorily or by agreement the land and houses or tenement situate on the south and west sides of High Street, nearly opposite Bridge Street, being Nos. 51, 53, and 55, in High Street aforesaid in the Burgh of Ayr; to hold or to remove the building forming such tenement; to erect other buildings in lieu thereof, either on the whole or on part only of the site of the existing building, and to hold, sell, or let such buildings; which widening and improvement of Streets hereinbefore specified, and the works connected therewith, and the lands, houses, and other property which may be taken for the purposes thereof, and the other land and houses or tenement, to be taken as aforesaid under the powers of the Bill will be and are situate in the Parish of Ayr, the Royal Burgh of Ayr, and County of Ayr.

To authorise the Corporation to enter upon, take and use, temporarily or permanently, and either compulsorily or by agreement, all such lands, houses, buildings, and other property, as may be necessary or convenient for the purpose of making and maintaining the said widening and improvement of the said Streets, and for the other purposes of the Bill; to deviate in executing such widening and improvement from the lines and levels delineated on the plans and sections, to be deposited as hereinafter mentioned, to such an extent as shall be defined thereon or provided by the Bill; to cross, stop up, appropriate, alter, and divert, temporarily or permanently, any highways, turnpike and other roads, railways, tramways, bridges, streets, lanes, paths, passages, sewers, drains, water-courses, telegraphic apparatus, and gas and water pipes, so far as may be necessary or expedient for the purpose of making and maintaining the said widening and improvement of the said Streets; and to vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges connected with such lands, houses, and other property, or other rights, privileges, and exemptions which may in any way interfere with the said widening and improvement of the said streets, or with any of the other objects or purposes of the Bill; and to confer all rights, privileges, and exemptions necessary or expedient for effecting the objects and purposes aforesaid or any of them, or in relation thereto; and to exercise and use all other usual and necessary powers.

To authorise the Corporation to purchase and hold the undertakings of the Companies known as 'The Ayr Water Company,' 'The Ayr Gas Company,' and 'The Ayr and Newton Consumers' Gas Company,' or any of them, including their respective works, lands, and property; and to use, exercise, and enjoy their respective powers, rights, privileges, and interests, upon such terms and conditions, and for such consideration in money, perpetual or redeemable annuities or otherwise, as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and those Companies respectively, or such majorities of the partners and shareholders thereof respectively

as shall be provided by the Bill; and to vest the said undertakings, or one or more of them, in the Corporation, and to enable the said Companies respectively, and the partners or shareholders thereof, to sell and transfer their respective undertakings, including their respective works, lands, property, powers, rights, privileges, and interests to the Corporation, and to provide for the winding up and dissolution of the said Companies or any of them, and to confirm with such variations, if any, as the Bill may provide, any agreement or agreements which may have been or may be entered into between the Corporation or others on their behalf and the said Companies, or any of them, and the partners or shareholders thereof or others on their behalf with reference to the purchase and transfer aforesaid, or incidental thereto, or to any of the matters hereinbefore mentioned.

To enable the Corporation from time to time to maintain, alter, improve, enlarge, extend, and renew or discontinue the existing gasworks of the said Gas Companies, or either of them, upon the lands on which the same are erected, or any part thereof.

To enable the Corporation to erect, lay down, provide, and from time to time maintain, alter, improve, enlarge, extend, and renew or discontinue retorts, gasometers, receivers, drains, sewers, mains, pipes, meters, lamps, lamp-posts, burners, stop-cocks, machinery, and other works and apparatus and conveniences, and to do all such acts as they may think proper for making and storing gas, and for supplying gas within the limits of gas supply to be defined by the Bill, and to make, store, and supply gas accordingly, and to manufacture, sell, provide, and supply and deal in coal, coke, tar, pitch, asphaltum, ammoniacal oil, and all other materials, or products, or residuum of any materials employed in or resulting from the manufacture of gas, and also meters, fittings, tubes, pipes, and other articles and things in any way connected with gasworks, or with the supply of gas, as they may from time to time think fit, and to acquire and hold patent rights and licences to use patent rights, in relation to the manufacture and distribution of gas and the utilization of residual products.

To authorise the Corporation to supply gas for lighting the public streets, thoroughfares, passages, and places in the extended Burgh, and in places adjacent within the Parish of Ayr, the parish of Alloway, the United parishes of Ayr and Alloway, the parishes of Newton, St. Quivox, Prestwick, and Monkton, and the united parishes of Monkton, Prestwick, and Crosbie, all in the county of Ayr, and to supply and sell gas to the inhabitants and occupiers of property within the extended Burgh and any part or parts of the said parishes, and for lighting public and private buildings, shops, warehouses, manufactories, railways, railway stations, piers, docks, quays, wharves, bridges, and works, and for any other purposes, and to lay down, maintain, and renew mains and pipes in, through, along, across, under, or upon, and, for that purpose, to break up and interfere with, streets, roads, lanes, and other passages and places, railways, tunnels, bridges, tramways, rivers, waters, sewers, drains, pipes, and telegraphic apparatus, and to place, maintain, and renew gas pipes, lamps, pillars, and posts in and along the same, and in, upon, or against any walls or buildings.

To enable the Corporation to maintain the Water Works of the Ayr Water Company, and to supply and sell water to the inhabitants and occupiers of property within the limits of the extended Burgh and other places within which the Ayr Water Com-

pany are authorised to supply water, and to provide that the boundaries of the Burgh as extended by the Bill, or such other boundaries as may be fixed thereby, shall be the limits of compulsory supply of water.

To make provision for regulating the supply, means of supply, use and consumption of gas and water, and the repair of meters; for preventing the waste, fraudulent use, or misuse of gas or water, and the contamination of water; for fixing, determining, and regulating the price and quality of the gas, the strength of the mains, pipes, cisterns, and relative apparatus for the supply of gas and water; and for making and maintaining public fountains and such additional works and conveniences as may be necessary for the distribution of water; and for closing and discontinuing all or some of the existing public wells.

To require that every house, or part of a house, separately occupied, within the limits of compulsory supply, shall be properly supplied with water, and to require the owners and occupiers of all such houses to take such supply and introduce the same into such houses, at their own cost.

To enable the Corporation and any local authorities or public departments to enter into contracts for the supply by the Corporation to such authorities or public departments of gas or water within the extended Burgh and the said Parishes, at the same price as, or at any higher or lower price than that at which they supply gas or water to other bodies or persons.

To enable the Corporation to levy, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of gas and of water, whether for public or private or domestic purposes, and for gas and water meters and fittings, and for all other matters and things supplied or sold by them; as also to levy and recover a general assessment, or public water rate, upon all lands and heritages within the extended Burgh for water supplied for public and sanitary purposes, and to confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from the payment of such rates, rents, charges, and assessments.

To authorise the Corporation to borrow, and from time to time to re-borrow, money for the several purposes hereinbefore mentioned, on mortgage, annuity, cash credit, or otherwise, upon the security of such property, rates, rents, charges, or assessments as may be defined by the Bill.

To make provision for the redemption of any annuities or other consideration to be paid in respect of the purchase and transfer of the undertakings of the said Companies or any of them to the Corporation; and for repayment of borrowed money; and for renewal of works, plant, and apparatus, and for meeting depreciation thereof; and for these and other purposes, or any of them, to create a sinking fund or sinking funds, and to fix the amount thereof and mode of application of the same, and to enable, and, if thought fit, to make it obligatory upon the Corporation from time to time to impose and levy rates or assessments on or from the owners and occupiers of all lands and heritages within the extended Burgh, for such sum or sums as may be necessary from time to time to meet or secure the payment of the said annuities, and of interest on borrowed money, sinking funds, and other annual obligations of the Corporation in respect to the purposes hereinbefore mentioned; and to confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from any such rates or assessments.

To enable the Corporation to impose and levy within the extended Burgh, or any part thereof,

assessments, rates, and duties for all or some of the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and any other purposes which may be thought expedient; to alter the existing assessments, rates, and duties leviable within any part of the area of the Burgh as proposed to be extended by the Bill; and to confer, vary, and extinguish exemptions from the payment of assessments, rates, and duties.

To enable the Corporation to make, alter, vary, and rescind byelaws, rules, orders, regulations, and resolutions for or with respect to any of the objects of the Bill, and to impose and enforce the payment of penalties for breach or non-observance of those byelaws, rules, orders, regulations, or resolutions, and to provide for the recovery and application of penalties.

To incorporate with and extend and apply to the purposes of the Bill, the Acts following, or some of them, or some parts thereof, and subject to such modifications as may be prescribed by the Bill, viz.:—The Gasworks Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1871; the Waterworks Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1863; the Commissioners Clauses Act, 1847; the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862; the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, Amendment Act; the Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845; the Lands Clauses Consolidation Amendment Acts, 1860 and 1869; the Railways Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845; and the Railways Clauses Act, 1863; and wholly or partially to exempt the Corporation from any of the provisions of those Acts with regard to liability to rates, assessments, and taxes, and with respect to claims for compensation, and to provide, if thought fit, other modes of settling such claims, and to provide for the sums of compensation remaining a charge on the Corporation, instead of being deposited in Bank.

To confer upon the Corporation, and upon the Magistrates and Town Councillors of the extended Burgh, and upon the officers under them, and upon the Dean of Guild, or other similar authority, all powers and authorities necessary or desirable for effecting the objects and purposes comprised in this notice, and to be comprised in the Bill; and to vary or extinguish all rights, powers, authorities, jurisdictions, privileges, and exemptions which might in any manner interfere with any of the objects and purposes aforesaid, or of the Bill; and to confer all rights, powers, authorities, jurisdictions, privileges, and exemptions necessary or expedient for effecting those objects, or in relation thereto.

To alter, amend, or repeal, so far as may be necessary for any of the purposes aforesaid, the whole or some of the provisions of the under-mentioned Local Acts of Parliament, viz.:—3 and 4 Vict., cap. 92; 28 and 29 Vict., cap. 112; and 30 Vict., cap. 37, relating to the Ayr Water Company; 25 George III., cap. 27; 56 George III., cap. 19; 5 George IV., cap. 27; and 7 and 8 Vict., cap. 101, relating to the Town or Burgh of Ayr; 18 and 19 Vict., cap. 119, and 29 and 30 Vict., cap. 208, relating to the Harbour of Ayr; 10 and 11 Vict., cap. 213, relating to Roads in the County of Ayr; and all other Acts recited in any of those Acts, or relating to the Ayr Water Company, the Town or Burgh of Ayr, the Harbour of Ayr, or Roads in the County of Ayr.

And Notice is Further Given, That duplicate plans and sections describing the lines, situation, and levels of the proposed widening and improvement of streets and relative works, and the lands, houses, and other property which may be taken for the purpose thereof, and plans describing the other

lands, houses, and property, in respect of which compulsory powers are proposed to be applied for as aforesaid, together with books of reference to such several plans, containing the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and occupiers of such lands, houses, and other property, and a copy of this notice as published in the Edinburgh Gazette will, on or before the thirtieth day of November instant, be deposited for public inspection in the Office at Ayr, of the principal Sheriff-Clerk of the County of Ayr, and with the Schoolmaster, or, if there be no Schoolmaster, with the Session-Clerk of the Parish of Ayr, at the usual place of abode of such Schoolmaster or Session-Clerk, and with the Town-Clerk of the Royal Burgh of Ayr, at his office in Ayr.

And Notice is Further Given, that printed copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the twenty-first day of December next.

Dated this 13th day of November 1872.

JOHN POLLOCK,

Town-Clerk, Ayr.

GRAHAMES & WARDLAW,

30, Great George Street, Westminster.

In Parliament.—Session 1873.

EUROPEAN ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Repeal or Amendment of Proviso to Section 7 of the European Assurance Society Arbitration Act, 1872, as to Reserved Fund—Provisions as to that Fund and its Application—Agreement with Lords of the Treasury and Public Departments—Interpretation of expression ‘absorbed Companies’ in Act of 1872—Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is Hereby Given, That Application, by the authority of the Right Honourable Richard, Baron Westbury, the Arbitrator appointed by the European Assurance Society Arbitration Act, 1872, is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session for leave to bring in a Bill for the following purposes, or some of them; that is to say:—

1. To repeal or amend so much of section 7 of the European Assurance Society Arbitration Act, 1872 (in this notice called ‘the Act of 1872’), as provides that nothing therein contained shall affect the Reserved Fund and the application thereof under the Act, in that section referred to as the recited Act, meaning the European Assurance Society Act, 1859 (in the Act of 1872 called by mistake ‘the European Assurance Society’s Act, 1869’); and to make other provision and confer further powers upon the Arbitrator under the Act of 1872, with reference to the Reserved Fund and the application thereof; and to authorize, sanction, and give effect to agreements made or to be made by or on behalf of the Joint Official Liquidator, or the Liquidator or Liquidators for the time being of the European Assurance Society, and the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty’s Treasury, or any Public Department, with reference to the said Reserved Fund or the application thereof.

2. To remove doubts as to the meaning and interpretation of the expression ‘the absorbed Companies’ in the Act of 1872; and to declare that the provisions of that Act extend and apply

to the Equitable Provident Institution, the Industrial and General Life Assurance and Friendly Society, the People’s Provident Assurance Society, the Commercial Life Assurance Company, and the Town and County Fire Insurance Company (although not expressly named in the Act of 1872), and their respective affairs, creditors, debtors, shareholders, and contributories; and to declare that the said three Companies or bodies are absorbed Companies within the meaning of the Act of 1872.

3. To declare and provide that the expression ‘absorbed Companies’ in the Act of 1872 further includes every Company, Association, Society or Partnership (whether legally constituted a Company or not) by or in the name or on behalf of which at any time any agreement or arrangement has been made and acted on for a transfer of business to, or amalgamation or union with, or absorption into, any of the Scheduled Companies, within the Act of 1872.

4. To amend in the above respects the Act of 1872, and, so far as may be necessary, the European Assurance Society’s Act, 1859, or some of the provisions thereof respectively.

5. Printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December 1872.

Dated this 26th day of November 1872.

By Order of the Arbitrator.

MERCER & MERCER,

1, Copthall Court, Throgmorton Street,
Solicitors for the Bill.

J. DORINGTON & CO.,

29, Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

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In Parliament.—Session 1873.

GAS WORKS CLAUSES ACTS, 1847 AND 1871, AMENDMENT BILL.

(Provisions for Alteration of Authorised Price and Illuminating Power; Amendments of Act.)

APPLICATION is intended to be made to Parliament, in the next session thereof, for leave to bring in a Bill to amend and extend the powers of the Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847 (Public Acts 10 Vict., cap. 71), and the Gas Works Clauses Act, 1871, (34 and 35 Vict., cap. 41), especially with respect to the fixing the illuminating power and the price of gas.

It is intended by the said Bill to extend to the various gas companies in the United Kingdom the provisions contained in sections 57 to 70 (both inclusive) of the City of London Gas Act, 1868 (31 and 32 Vict., cap. 125), with respect to the revision of the scale of the illuminating power and price of gas supplied, subject to such modification of those provisions as may be applicable to gas companies other than those within the City of London, and subject to such other modifications as the Bill shall define.

The Bill will enable any Gas Company in the United Kingdom, after such notices to the local authorities, and under such conditions as the Bill shall prescribe, to apply to the Local Government Board or to the Board of Trade for such revision, and it will enable one or the other of such Boards

to appoint Commissioners to inquire into the matter; and it will enable the Commissioners, or one or other of such Boards, upon the report of the Commissioners, to diminish the illuminating power of gas supplied by the Company seeking such revision, and to increase the price for gas charged by that Company below the power and beyond the price prescribed by the statutes relating to the Company, and it will enable the said Commissioners to fix the price to be charged by the Company seeking revision, either permanently or temporarily and conditionally.

The Bill will in other respects amend the said Acts.

The Bill will also enable any Municipal Corporation, Local Board, or other authority, to authorise any Gas Company to make such alteration as aforesaid in the illuminating power, and the price of gas supplied by such Company, whether for public or private purposes, within the jurisdiction of that local authority, and such alteration may be made accordingly, although it may be inconsistent with the restrictions imposed on the Company with respect to those matters by the Acts relating to that Company, and the authority may be either for a permanent or temporary, and either for an absolute or conditional alteration.

Printed copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 21st day of December next.

Dated this 25th day of November 1872.

BAXTER, ROSE, NORTON, & CO.,
6, Victoria Street, Westminster,
Solicitors for the Bill.

INTIMATION is hereby given that JOHN BURN MURDOCH, Institute of Entail, in possession of the Entailed Estate of GARTINCABER, in the County of Perth, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary—Mr. Robertson, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36; and 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94; and 31st and 32d Victoria, chapter 84; and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to charge the said Lands of Gartincaber, in the County of Perth, with the sum of £1000. Date of Interlocutor ordering Intimation, 26th day of November 1872.

HAGART & BURN MURDOCH, W.S.,
Agents of the Petitioner.
140, Princes Street,
Edinburgh, 28th November 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of HORNER WILKIE, Baker and Confectioner, No. 209, Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow.

JAMES HOGARTH BALGARNIE, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has presented an application to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark, for exoneration and discharge of his whole actings and intrusions as Trustee on the Estate; on which the said Sheriff pronounced the following interlocutor:—*Glasgow, 6th March 1872.*—Having considered the foregoing Petition, 'in respect of the great delay that has occurred since the Creditors authorized the Trustee to make application for his discharge, before answer appoints publication of the import of said Petition and of this Deliverance to be made by advertisement published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and by circular posted to each of the Creditors, calling upon any of them, to lodge a Notice of Appearance in the hands of the Clerk of Court within six days after such publication and posting, with Certification.' (Signed) 'HENRY GLASSFORD BELL.'

Of all which Intimation is hereby made to all concerned.

JAS. H. BALGARNIE, Trustee,
Edinburgh, November 29, 1872.

THE Estates of JAMES MACPHERSON, Tacksman of the Farm of Balvonie of Lushes, in the Parish of Croy and County of Inverness, were Sequestrated on the 28th day of November 1872, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 28th November 1872.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 11th day of December 1872, within the Faculty of Procurators' Chambers, Castle, Inverness.

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 28th day of March 1873.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the County of Inverness, and a Warrant of Protection granted to the Bankrupt.

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

DAVID COOK, S.S.C.,
3, North St. David Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MILNE, Draper, King Street, Kilmarnock.

WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Paton, Warehouseman, Glasgow, and Neil M'Eachran, Warehouseman, Glasgow, and James Foubister, Warehouseman, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Kilmarnock, on Thursday the 5th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. Thomson & Johnston, Accountants, 70, George Square, Glasgow, on Monday the 16th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon.

WM. JOHNSTON, Trustee.

70, George Square, Glasgow,
November 26, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of DICK BROTHERS & COMPANY, Ship Stores Merchants in Greenock, and John Dick, Ship Stores Merchant there, sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THOMAS FINLAYSON, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John M'Letchie, Merchant, Glasgow, Robert Rowland Stephen, Biscuit Manufacturer, Glasgow, and Archibald Parker Barclay, Biscuit Manufacturer there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Nelson Street (West), Greenock, on Friday the 6th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of Thomas Hart, Writer, 63, Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 16th day of said month of December, at twelve o'clock noon.

THOMAS FINLAYSON, Trustee.

63, Renfield Street,
Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN DRYSDALE, sometime JOHN DRYSDALE, Junior, Contractor in Glasgow, carrying on business there under the Firm of JOHN DRYSDALE & SON, of which Firm he is the sole Partner.

JAMES THOMSON, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Macnaughton, Contractor, Stewarton, Andrew Dewar Gibb, a Partner of the Firm of Speirs, Gibb & Young, of the Caledonia Fire Clay Works, Paisley, and James Broom, Quarry Master in Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within Sheriff Murray's Chambers, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 6th day of December next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Thomson & Johnston, Accountants, 70, George Square, Glasgow, on the 20th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES THOMSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

WILLIAM BROWN, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **HUGH ALLAN**, Brick Manufacturer, residing at No. 3, Argyle Terrace, Crosshill, hereby intimates that at a General Meeting of the Creditors, held on Monday the 18th instant, **John Hood**, Contractor, South Shamrock Street, Glasgow, and **Alexander M'Laren**, Partner of the Firm of **Fraser & M'Laren**, Warehousemen in Glasgow, were elected to be Commissioners on said Sequestrated Estate, in room of **Thomas Henderby**, Fisherman in Glasgow, who had not accepted office, and **Robert Hart**, Iron Founder, Glasgow, who had resigned; and that the said **John Hood** and **Alexander M'Laren** were, on the 19th instant, duly confirmed by the Sheriff-Substitute of Renfrewshire, as such Commissioners.

WM. BROWN, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Tailor and Clothier, High Street, Irvine.

JOHN WILSON, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and **Alexander Clapperton**, Warehouseman, Glasgow, **Matthew Whitelaw**, Warehouseman and Manufacturer, Glasgow, and **Robert Bland Clark**, Manufacturer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Ayr, on Thursday the 5th of December next, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of **Wilson & Rattray**, C.A., 59, St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday, 13th December next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN WILSON, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS ROBERTSON, Portioner, residing at 4, Willowbank Crescent, Glasgow.

JAMES HUTTON, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Estate, hereby intimates that a General Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of **W'Farlane & Hutton**, C.A., 163, West George Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 23d proximo, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for his discharge as Trustee.

JAMES HUTTON, C.A., Trustee.

163, West George Street, Glasgow,
November 28, 1872.

JAMES WYLLIE GUILD, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **W. & W. PATERSON & COMPANY**, Merchants and Commission Agents in Glasgow, and of **William Kirkwood Paterson** and **William Charles Paterson**, both Merchants and Commission Agents in Glasgow, the only Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, 65, Saint Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 23d day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

J. WYLLIE GUILD, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 27, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'DONALD, Grocer in Greenock.

JOHN WIGHT, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the above Estate, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors held upon the 25th of November current, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of Four Shillings per pound, payable by four equal instalments at two, four, six, and eight months respectively, from the date of his discharge, with security, and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Counting House of the Trustee, 150, Hope Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 23d December next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN WIGHT, Trustee.

Glasgow, November 27, 1872.

PATRICK HENDERSON CHALMERS, Advocate in Aberdeen, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **WILLIAM M'INTOSH**, Farmer, Ness Farm, in the Parish of Nigg and County of Kincardine, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 12th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that an equalizing Dividend to those Creditors who did not participate in the former Dividend will be paid within his Office, 13, Union Terrace, Aberdeen, on and after Monday, 13th January 1873.

PAT. HENDERSON CHALMERS.

Aberdeen, November 28, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS M'GLASSON, Innkeeper, Lockerbie.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts, postponed a Dividend, and dispensed with circulars to Creditors.

DANIEL MATHESON.

Lockerbie, November 28, 1872.

To the Creditors of **WILLIAM MURRAY**, Joiner, Carrington.

THOMAS STEVEN, Builder, Bonnyrigg, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the said **William Murray**, hereby intimates that his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, up to the 14th day of November 1872, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.—Of which Notice is hereby given in terms of the Statute.

THOS. STEVEN, Trustee.

Bonnyrigg, Lasswade,
November 25, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of DUNCAN, STARK, & COMPANY, lately Merchants, Leith.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts, brought down to 12th instant, postponed the declaration of a Dividend till next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to Creditors.

JAS. ALEX. MOLLESON, Trustee.

Chambers, 5, North Saint David Street,
Edinburgh, November 26, 1872.

To the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of **JOHN TEMPLETON**, formerly Innkeeper, Wheat Sheaf Inn, High Street, Irvine, and presently Confectioner in Irvine.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Ayrshire, **John Templeton**, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Ayrshire at Ayr, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

W. D. M'JANNET, Solicitor, Irvine,
Agent.

Irvine, November 28, 1872.

SEQUESTRATION of J. & W. SOMERVILLE, Glue Manufacturers, Bonnyrigg, and Individual Partners.

THE Bankrupts, **James Somerville** and **William Somerville**, have presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Edinburghshire, to be finally discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by them or for which they were liable at the date of their Sequestration,—of which Intimation is hereby given in terms of the Statute.

JAMES SOMERVILLE
WILLIAM SOMERVILLE

Edinburgh, November 28, 1872.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, John Somerville, 2, Walmer Crescent, Glasgow, sometime a Partner of the Firm of COOPER & COMPANY, Tea Merchants and Grocers, 12, Howard Court, 12, Howard Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates that on 26th March 1872 he ceased to be a Partner of said Company, and is not to be held responsible for the debts of the said Firm, in any way contracted from and after said date.

JOHN SOMERVILLE.

LAWR. THOMSON, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.
ARCHD. HASWELL, Law Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.
Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

THE Subscriber, Francis Pigott Cook, ceased upon the 26th November 1872, to be a Partner of WILLIS, NELSON & COMPANY, Straw Hat Manufacturers in Glasgow.

Glasgow, November 26, 1872.

FRANCIS PIGOTT COOK.

DAVID T. MACLAY, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.
ROB. BROWN, Law Clerk, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, Henry Tod, Coalmaster, Airdrie, ceased, on 23rd March 1872, to be a Partner of or have any interest in the Firm of COCHRANE & TOD, Coalmasters at Carnsiloch and Millburn, near Larkhall, and in Glasgow, of which the Subscriber, Neil Cochrane, Coalmaster, Glasgow, and the said Henry Tod, were the sole Partners, and the Business has since and will in future be carried on by Mr. Cochrane, under the original Firm of N. Cochrane & Co.

HENRY TOD.

ALEXANDER MUIR, Rawyards Colliery,
Witness.

ALEX. MEIKLE, Clerk, 69, Bath Street,
Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Henry Tod.

NEIL COCHRANE.

N. COCHRANE & CO.

JONATHAN ANDERSON, Writer, 33, Renfield
Street, Glasgow, Witness.

WM. ADAM, Law Clerk, 33, Renfield
Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Neil Cochrane and N. Cochrane & Co.

69, Bath Street,
Glasgow, November, 1872.

THE Company carrying on business in Glasgow, and at Kipphre Colliery near Airdrie, and sometime also at Mavisbank Colliery there, as Coalmasters, under the Firm of ROBERTSONS & EDDIE, was DISSOLVED on the 11th day of November 1872, of mutual consent of the Subscribers, sole Partners thereof.

GEORGE ROBERTSON.

J. ROBERTSON.

GAVIN ADDIE,
ROBERT ADDIE,

Two and a quorum of the Trustees of the late John Eddie.

Geo. RENNIE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

JAS. LOCKHART, of 33, West George Street,
Glasgow, Law Clerk, Witness.

Glasgow, November 28, 1872.

THE Subscriber hereby intimates, that on 24th June last, he ceased to be connected with Messrs Charles B. F. Borrón and John Little, as Partners in carrying on the Business of Glass Bottle Manufacturers in Glasgow, and at Newton-le-Willows, Lancashire, under the Firm of BORRÓN & CO.; that he continues to carry on the Glasgow Business for his own behoof, under that Firm, and that he has no interest in any Business carried on at Newton-le-Willows.

W. G. BORRÓN.

JOHN M'CLURE, Witness.

ALEX. HAMILTON, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Company carrying on business under the Firm of J. & W. MITCHELL & COMPANY, Distillers, Springbank Distillery, Campbeltown, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent by the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof. The debts due to the Company may be paid to either of the Subscribers.

November 18, 1872.

JOHN MITCHELL.

WILLIAM MITCHELL.

CHARLES MACAGGART, Witness.

DUN. FERGUSON, Witness.

WITH reference to the foregoing Notice, the Subscriber begs to intimate that, having purchased the Premises of Springbank Distillery, the Business will in future be carried on by him as formerly, under the Firm of J. & A. MITCHELL & COMPANY.

JOHN MITCHELL.

Campbeltown, November 21, 1872.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Company carrying on business as Dyers at Ann Street, Bridgeton, Glasgow, under the Firm of CAMERON & MITCHELL, was of this date DISSOLVED of mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof. The Subscriber, Hugh Cameron, will receive payment of all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the Company.

Glasgow, November 23, 1872.

HUGH CAMERON.

JOHN CAMERON.

THOS. CHAS. YOUNG, Jr., Writer, Glasgow,
Witness to the Signatures of Hugh and
John Cameron.

JOHN RYBURN, Jr., Law Clerk, Glasgow,
Witness to said Signatures.

WILLIAM MITCHELL.

WM. SHANKS, Witness,

JAMES M'ALPINE, Witness,

To the Signature of William Mitchell.

JAMES WOOD, Brewer, Annan, presently Prisoner in the Prison of Dumfries, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the County of Dumfries, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear at twelve o'clock noon, within the Sheriff Court House at Dumfries, on the 30th day of December next, when he will appear for Examination.

ROBERT WILSON, Solicitor, Dumfries,
Agent for Petitioner.

Dumfries, November 23, 1872.

N.B.—The Fees of all Notices must be paid in advance, and all Letters post-paid.

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