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At the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of
June 1879.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Charles George Colson, Esquire, M.A., Clare College, Cambridge, and Charles Thomas Whitmell, Esquire, M.A., Trinity College, Cambridge, to be two of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

WINDSOR CASTLE, June 26, 1879.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Charles Syngé Christopher Bowen, Esq., one of the Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

WINDSOR CASTLE, June 26, 1879.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Henry Bessemer, Esq., of Denmark Hill.

WINDSOR CASTLE, June 26, 1879.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the

honour of Knighthood on Major-General Edward Landor Thuillier, Royal Artillery, C.S.I., F.R.S.

WINDSOR CASTLE, June 26, 1879.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Thomas Bouch, Esq., C.E., Chief Engineer of the Tay Bridge.

WAR OFFICE, June 23, 1879.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of General Henry Bates, C.B., to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

WAR OFFICE, June 23, 1879.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Colonel Herbert George Deedes, Assistant Under-Secretary of State, to be a Commissioner under the Army Regulation Act of 1871, vice General Henry Bates, C.B., retired.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 20, 1879.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Fox Frederick Adam, Esq.,

John Savile Lumley, Esq., and William Nelthorpe Beauclerk, Esq., now Third Secretaries, to be Second Secretaries in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 21, 1879.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Edmund John Monson, C.B., now Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Kingdom of Hungary, to be Her Majesty's Minister Resident and Consul-General to the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Christian William Lawrence, Esq., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Walter Baring, Esq., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Tehran.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 30, 1879.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Kohen as Consul-General at Cardiff for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Felix Dalmas as Consul at Sierra Leone for His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry C. Marston as Consul at Port Louis, and of Mr. George W. Roosevelt as Consul at St. Helena, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Pedro Obregon as Consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad; of Mr. Rosendo Blanco as Consul at Southampton; of Mr. James Rushby as Consul at Grimsby; and of Mr. John Duff as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for the United States of Venezuela.

WHITEHALL, June 30, 1879.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Nathaniel Westaway, Esq., the office and place of Advocate-General of the Island of Jersey, in the room of George Helier Horman, Esq., deceased.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

July 1, 1879.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 12th February 1876, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of June 1879 :—

APPOINTMENTS.

British Museum,—William Forsell Kirby, to be Assistant.

Colonial Office,—John Anderson, Charles Alexander Harris, and William Hepworth Mercer, to be Clerks.

Diplomatic Service,—William M'Pherson, to be Clerk and Assistant to Legation, Madrid.

Education Department,—Thomas Butt and Samuel Holliday, to be Inspector's Assistants.

High Court of Justice,—Sydenham Hall, to be Clerk in the Master's Office, Queen's Bench Division.

India Audit Office,—Francis Smith Hutchings, to be Lower Division Clerk.

Inland Revenue,—Ernest George Binckes, Reginald Holbert Edwin Burt, Alfred Denis Godley, and Charles Herbert Ross, to be Assistant Surveyors of Taxes.

Post Office,—Lydia M'Naull, to be Female Clerk in the Accountant's Office, Dublin.

George Brooks, to be Postmaster (Blackburn).

Prisons Department (England),—John Barlow, to be Foreman of Works.

William Hoskins, to be Clerk in the Commissioners' Office.

Record Office (England),—Hubert Hall, to be Clerk.

Science and Art Department,—Charles Bailey and John Saltmarsh, to be Stores Clerks.

Clerks and Boy Clerks of the Lower Division.

Admiralty,—George Cluffe Bateman, Patrick Bulfin, James Carter, and William Taylor, to be Clerks.

Army Clothing Department,—Henry Freeman Cornwell, George Prideaux Millett, Thomas Swift, and Edward Wilkinson, to be Boy Clerks.

Charity Commission,—Robert Muir, to be Clerk.

Chief Secretary's Office (Ireland),—Samuel John Murray Power, to be Clerk.

Home Office,—Stanhope William Simmonds, to be Clerk.

Local Government Board (England),—John Wilton Coles, Wesley Pettigrew Henry, James Langton, and John Wills Symons, to be Clerks.

Metropolitan Police Office (Dublin),—Thomas Edmund Lyons M'Clelland, to be Boy Clerk.

Post Office,—John Bowe Carter, Henry Dyer, Walter Thomas Edwards, and Frederic Wyborn, to be Boy Clerks.

Registrar General's Office (Scotland),—William M'Namara, to be Boy Clerk.

Science and Art Department,—Francis John Bull, Herbert William Etheridge, Joseph John Etherington, Arthur James Hamilton Kempt, Thomas Laidlaw, Michael Francis M'Evoy, Arthur Maslen, and Charles Alexander Patterson, to be Clerks.

Seamen's Registry Office,—Charles Frederick Mortimore, to be Clerk.

War Office,—George Henry Lovell, George M'Nabb, William Harry Nicoll, John O'Farrell, and Thomas Trees, to be Clerks.

Joseph Frederick Turner, to be Boy Clerk.

Woods, Office of,—William Varian, to be Clerk.

TENDERS FOR PRINTING FORMS FOR THE GOVERNMENT IN DUBLIN.

-The Controller of H.M. Stationery Office will be glad to receive Tenders for printing Forms, &c., for the Public Service in Ireland, and providing paper for the same.

Samples of the Paper and Printing, with relative particulars of Contract and descriptive Schedules, may be seen, and forms of Tender obtained, at the Stationery Offices, Princes Street, Storey's Gate, London, and Upper Merrion Street, Dublin, between the hours of ten and four, down to the 30th July next; and on the 31st July 1879, by twelve o'clock noon, Tenders must be delivered at this address,

H.M. Stationery Office, Princes Street, Storey's Gate, Westminster, 25th June 1879.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

Eliza Coppen, of Great Warley, near Romford, Essex, farmer.

William Archer Redmond, of 107 Warwick Street, Eccleston Square, Pimlico, Middlesex, Member of Parliament.

Saul Woolf and Benjamin Woolf, of 16 Wellclose Square, Middlesex.

Samuel Chudley, of the Coach and Horses, Silver Street, Golden Square, Middlesex, licensed victualler.

Isabella Dowey, of the Commercial Inn, Commercial Street, Middlesborough, York, innkeeper.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Benjamin Lyons, of 365 Edgware Road, Middlesex, tailor and outfitter.

Charles Cullen, of the Rosherville Engineering and Ship Building Works, Northfleet, Gravesend, Kent, ship builder.

James Taylor and Jonathan Dunning, both of Middlesborough, York, builders.

Henry Smith, late of Longmore Street, Balsall Heath, Worcester, tin plate worker.

William Fisher, of Manchester House, Worle, Somerset, draper and grocer.

Henry Hobson and Joseph Taylor, of Hogsthorpe, Lincoln, builders.

George Croft Parker, of 1 Cleethorpe Road, Great Grimsby, Lincoln, butcher.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF CORN, per Quarter (Imperial Measure), in England and Wales, for the Quarter ended Midsummer, 1879.

WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
41	2	29	6	21	8

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade.

R. GIFFEN,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 28th June 1879, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	36,280	6	42	6
Barley	833	0	28	1
Oats	1,681	2	22	1

R. GIFFEN,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
June 28, 1879.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1875 to 1878.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1875	34,097	2	90	3	483	1	43	6	35	5	30	4
1876	29,126	7	459	7	770	4	48	10	34	6	28	11
1877	21,584	4	550	7	1,032	0	62	6	33	11	28	9
1878	23,909	4	247	0	1,088	0	46	1	35	2	26	10

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
June 28, 1879.

R. GIFFEN,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

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 28th June 1879.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO—				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Exported.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheat	1,083,418	166,004	166,520	1,415,942	24,055	15,796	39,851
Barley	12,847	37,345	...	50,192	513	359	872
Oats	187,770	2,370	...	190,140	175	2,917	3,092
Rye .....	...	...	...	...	...	7	7
Pease	38,233	6,898	...	45,131	155	3,540	3,695
Beans	40,825	...	...	40,825	...	1,436	1,436
Indian Corn	1,081,290	144,690	878,810	2,104,790	...	11,875	11,875
Buckwheat	1,801	...	...	1,801	...	...	...
Bere or Bigg .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt) }	2,446,184	357,307	1,045,330	3,848,821	24,898	35,930	60,828
Wheatmeal or Flour	Cwt. 157,851	Cwt. 54,323	Cwt. 2,114	Cwt. 214,288	Cwt. 1,686	Cwt. 1,291	Cwt. 2,977
Barley Meal	440	...	...	440	60	...	60
Oat Meal	10,150	...	...	10,150	240	...	240
Rye Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal...	1,018	...	25	1,043	...	53	53
Buckwheat Meal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal...	169,459	54,323	2,139	225,921	1,986	1,344	3,330
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt) }	2,615,643	411,630	1,047,469	4,074,742	26,884	37,274	64,158
Malt (entered by the Quarter)..... }	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 1,350	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 1,350

Statistical Department, Custom-house, London,
June 30, 1879.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IN TERMS OF THE
ENDOWED INSTITUTIONS (SCOTLAND)
ACT, 1878, SECTION 5.**

In terms of an Order by the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, made under the provisions of The Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, 41 and 42 Victoria, c. 48, it is hereby intimated that a Petition, dated the 14th day of June 1879, has been presented to the aforesaid Secretary of State by the Trustees or Governors of James Schaw's Hospital, viz., George Syme, present Proprietor of the Estate of Northfield, Prestonpans; the Rev. John Struthers, LL.D., present Minister of the Parish of Prestonpans; the Rev. William Cæsar, D.D., present Minister of the Parish of Tranent; Thomas Jamieson Boyd, present Lord Provost of the City of Edinburgh, and present Treasurer of the Merchant Maiden Hospital, Edinburgh; Thomas Rowatt, present eldest Bailie of the City of Edinburgh; John Smith, present Lord Dean of Guild of the City of Edinburgh; George Harrison, present Treasurer of the City of Edinburgh; David Dickson, present Preses of the Merchant Maiden Hospital, Edinburgh, and present Preses of George Watson's Hospital; John Maclaren, present Treasurer of George Watson's Hospital, John Scott Moncrieff, present Treasurer of the Orphan Hospital; Sir Alexander Grant, Baronet, present Principal of the University of Edinburgh; the Rev. James MacGregor, D.D., and the Rev. James Barclay, M.A., the present Ministers of the Parish of West Church of Edinburgh, being (with the exception of the present Proprietor of the Estate of Prestongrange, who is a Pupil; Archibald Davidson, present Sheriff-Depute of Midlothian and Haddington, who declined to accept the Trust; and the Right Honourable Lord Moncreiff, Lord Justice-Clerk, present Preses of the Orphan Hospital, who being Chairman of the Commissioners under 'The Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878,' declines to take any part in the present Petition) the whole Trustees of the late JAMES SCHAW, Esq. of Preston, in the County of East Lothian, acting under (1) Trust-Disposition and Settlement by the said James Schaw, dated 4th December 1781, and recorded in the Books of Session (Office O.M.) 20th December 1784; (2) Deed of Divestment and Reconveyance by the Primary Trustees named in the foresaid original Deed of Settlement, in favour of the Residuary Trustees thereby appointed, dated 28th November 1787, and recorded in the Books of Session (Office O.M.) 30th November 1787; and (3) Royal Charter of Incorporation, dated

25th January, and written to the Seal and registered and sealed 5th April, all in the year 1830;—and said Petition is in the following terms:—

THAT the Petitioners, incorporated as aforesaid by Royal Charter, under the Name and Title of 'JAMES SCHAW'S HOSPITAL,' are desirous of availing themselves of the 'Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878,' 41 and 42 Victoria, Chapter 48, in order that provision may be made for the better government and administration of the Hospital under their charge.

That it is by the fourth Section of the said Act enacted, that 'It shall be lawful for the governing body of any endowed Institution in Scotland, at a meeting specially called for the purpose at a month's notice, to resolve, by a majority of those present at the meeting, that it is expedient that provision should be made for the better government and administration of such Institution, or for the better application of the endowments thereof, or for the transference of such Institution and the endowments thereof, and that an application should be made to the Secretary of State for a provisional order.'

That it is by the Fifth Section enacted, that 'On the foresaid resolution being carried, it shall be lawful for the said governing body to present a petition to the Secretary of State, setting out such resolution, and stating the provisions for the better government and administration of such Institution, or the better application of the endowments thereof, which they desire to have sanctioned. Upon receipt of any such petition as aforesaid, the Secretary of State may, if he shall think fit, direct such petition to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, in two consecutive numbers thereof, and in one or more Newspapers circulating in the county or counties where such Institution is situated, with a view to further inquiry.'

That it is by the Sixth Section enacted, that 'The Secretary of State may, if he shall think fit, by writing under his hand, remit to the Commissioners hereinafter mentioned to inquire into the said petition, and report thereon to the said Secretary of State; and for the purposes of such inquiry, which shall be held in public, the said Commissioners shall have power, after such public notice as they may think sufficient, to examine witnesses on oath and to call for such information from, and to require the production of such documents by, the governing body or any other persons as they may consider necessary, and to do all such matters and things as may seem to them expedient for the purposes of the inquiry. After the holding of such inquiry the Commissioners shall report to the Secretary of State as to whether, in their opinion, the provisional order prayed for should be made, and if so, with what, if any, alterations or modifications therein.'

That it is by the Seventh Section enacted, that 'It shall be lawful for the Secretary of State to issue a provisional order in relation to the several things mentioned in the foresaid petition, either in accordance therewith, or with such alterations or modifications, not being inconsistent with the general principles thereof, as may appear to him to be requisite, or otherwise to refuse to issue such provisional order.'

'Provided always, that in every such provisional order provision shall be made for saving or making due compensation for the vested interests to which any teacher, master, officer, scholar, bursar, exhibi-

tioner, pensioner, or other, shall be entitled at the date of such order.

'Provided also, that if the provisional order shall contain any alterations or modifications as aforesaid, the Secretary of State shall, before signing the order, cause a copy of it to be sent to the governing body, who may, if they think fit, state in writing to the Secretary of State any objections or suggestions respecting such order within one month after the copy thereof was sent to the governing body; and the Secretary of State shall, if he think fit, remit to the Commissioners to report on such objections and suggestions, and shall consider the same, together with the report of the Commissioners.'

That it is by the Eighth Section enacted, that 'The provisional order aforesaid shall not have any effect or operation unless and until the same has been laid before both Houses of Parliament; and it shall be lawful for the Secretary of State, and he is hereby required, as soon as conveniently may be, to cause such provisional order to be laid before both Houses of Parliament; and after such provisional order has lain forty days before Parliament, then, unless within such forty days a resolution has been adopted by one or other of the said Houses disapproving of the said order, such provisional order shall come into operation.'

That it is by the Tenth Section enacted, that 'It shall be lawful for the governing body of an endowed Institution to apply for a provisional order, and such order may provide for the transference of the Institution, and the endowments of such Institution, or part thereof, to the governing body of one or more other endowed Institutions, or to one or more School Boards, subject to the provisions contained in such order.'

That it is by the Fourteenth Section enacted, that 'Nothing herein contained shall be held to limit any of the powers presently enjoyed by any governing body under any Act of Parliament, or provisional order, or charter, or by the foundation grant of the endowed Institution under their government.'

The Petitioners are of opinion that the interests of 'James Schaw's Hospital' would be greatly promoted by their availing themselves of the provisions of the Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, and that the efficiency of the Hospital would not only be increased, but its usefulness very considerably extended, by their taking advantage of the said Act.

With the view of ascertaining the opinions of the Trustees as to whether any action should be taken by Schaw's Hospital in regard to said Act, a Committee, consisting of the Rev. Dr. Struthers, the Rev. Dr. Cæsar, Mr. David Dickson, Mr. John Scott Moncrieff, and Mr. John Maclaren, was appointed at the Quarterly General Meeting of Trustees on 18th October 1878, to consider the matter and to report.

The Committee presented their report to the Quarterly General Meeting of Trustees on 31st January 1879, when the following Resolution was unanimously agreed to, viz.:—'The Meeting approved of the Committee's Report, and recommended the whole matter to the same Committee, with the addition of Mr. Harrison, Treasurer of the City, in order that a Scheme might be prepared embodying the changes in the Institution suggested in the Report, with the view of being submitted to a Special Meeting of the Trustees in terms of the Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, for their approval.'

The following explanations relative to the Foundation, Management, and Benefits of the Hospital are humbly submitted:—

The late Dr. James Schaw of Preston, in the county of East Lothian (the founder of the Hospital), died on 3d November 1784, leaving a Trust-Disposition and Settlement dated 4th December 1781, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session 20th December 1784.

By that settlement Dr. Schaw assigned, conveyed, and disposed 'to and in favour of Alexander Alison, Esq., Deputy-Cashier of Excise, James Balmain, Esq., Solicitor of Excise, George Fairholme of Greenhill, Alexander Thomson, Accountant in Excise, and Robert Boswell, Writer to the Signet, and to such of them as shall accept hereof, and to the survivors and last survivor of those accepting, as trustees or trustee, and to their assignees, declaring any three of said trustees to be a quorum, so long as three or more shall remain in life, in trust, always to the ends, uses, and purposes after mentioned, and with and under the burdens, provisions, and reservations after specified, All and whatsoever lands, tenements, heritages, debts, and sums of money, heritable and moveable, household furniture, bed and table linen, silver plate, lying money, bank-notes, horses, carriages, cattle and stocking of every kind, goods, gear, and other heritable and moveable means and effects, of whatever nature, denomination, or designation the same be, resting and pertaining, or that shall be resting and pertaining to me, at the time of my death; together with all and sundry charters, dispositions, procuratories, and instruments of resignation, precepts and instruments of sasine, adjudications, heritable and moveable bonds, backbonds, reversions, tacks, contracts, assignations, bills, decreets, promissory-notes, accompts, and other writs, rights, evidents, and securities whatsoever, heritable and moveable, made, granted, and conceived, or which may be anywise interpreted in my favour, with all claims of every kind which I have or may have against any person or persons, and all action, diligence, and execution competent, or that may be competent upon the premises, and all that has followed or may follow thereupon: And particularly, I do hereby convey and dispoise to and in favour of my said trustees, and the survivor of them, and to their assignees, as said is, the subjects heritable and moveable after specified, viz., All and Whole my lands and barony of Preston and Prestonpans, with the free burgh of barony of Preston, and free sea-port and harbour for ships of the same, with the whole privileges, liberties, casualties, and commodities whatever, pertaining and belonging to the said free burgh of barony, and free port and harbour aforesaid, with the manor-place of Preston, houses, biggings, yards, orchards, mills, multurens, kains, customs, casualties and duties, salt pans, coals, coal-heughs, tenants, tenandries, and services of free tenants, and all privileges, liberties, parts, pendicles, and pertinents of the same whatsoever; as also, all and sundry the teind-sheaves of the said lands and barony of Preston and Prestonpans, with tofts, crofts, outsets, parts, pendicles, and whole pertinents thereof: with the privilege and liberty of a market weekly upon Thursday, and of a free fair yearly, beginning on the first day of October, and continuing for the first, second, and third days of that month, being the fair commonly called St. Jerome's Fair, with the whole tolls and customs of the said weekly market and yearly free fair, all united, erected, annexed, and incorporated

by the ancient rights and infeftments thereof, into one free barony called the barony of Preston, of which the manor-place of Preston is declared to be the principal messuage; and that one sasine to be taken at the said manor-place, or upon any other part of the ground of the said lands, by delivery of earth and stone of the ground of said lands only, without any other symbol, is and shall be sufficient for the said whole lands and barony, all lying within the constabulary of Haddington, and shire of Edinburgh; together with all right, title or interest, claim of right, property and possession petitory or possessory, which I, my predecessors or authors, heirs or successors, had, have, or anywise may have, claim, or pretend to the aforesaid lands and barony, with the pertinents, or to any part or portion of the same: And also certain other subjects particularly described in the said Trust-Disposition and Settlement.

The purposes of the Trust were by said Settlement declared to be the following:—

‘ In the first place, for payment and discharge of my funeral expenses, and of all my just and lawful debts and obligations, which shall be resting-owing and undischarged by me at the time of my death, together with the expense of executing the present trust, and denuding themselves thereof.—In the second place, for payment to Jean Schaw, my daughter, presently residing with me at Preston House, the sum of One Thousand Pounds Sterling, and that three days after my death, with interest from the said term of payment until payment thereof; together with sundry other Bequests and Legacies in her favour.—In the third place, for payment and security to the several persons hereinafter named, of the respective sums of money and annuities, which the Truster thereby appointed to be paid to them. ‘ And, in like manner, for payment and security of the other yearly annuities following, which I hereby appoint to be paid and secured for the use of the Charitable Institutions after-specified, to wit, To the minister and kirk-session of the parish of Prestonpans, for the use of the poor of that parish, an yearly annuity of Forty Shillings Sterling: To the minister and kirk-session of the parish of Tranent, for the use of the poor of that parish, the like yearly annuity of Forty Shillings Sterling: To the ministers and kirk-session of the West Church Parish of Edinburgh, within which parish I was born, an yearly annuity of Five Pounds Sterling, for the use of the poor of that parish: To the Governors and Managers of the Charity Workhouse in Edinburgh, for the use of the poor under their care, an yearly annuity of Ten Pounds Sterling: To the Governors of the Merchant Maiden Hospital, for the use of the objects of that institution, an yearly annuity of Five Pounds Sterling: To the Governors of Watson’s Hospital, a like yearly annuity of Five Pounds Sterling: and to the Governors of the Orphan’s Hospital, a like yearly annuity of Five Pounds Sterling; payable, the said whole annuities last mentioned, at the term of Whitsunday yearly, beginning the first term’s payment at the first term of Whitsunday which shall happen after my death, and so to continue yearly thereafter forever; but declaring always, that the annuities last mentioned granted to the several charities before specified, are granted by me in the faith and confidence that the Directors of these charities, at least such of them hereafter nominated by me among the number of my trustees, for the purpose after specified, shall accept and attend to the execution of said trust, and that the non-accept-

ance or non-attendance of such Directors to the execution of said trust, shall be a sufficient reason for my other trustees accepting and acting, to withhold and refuse payment of said annuities to the charities or charity, from among the Governors of which the said non-accepting or non-officiating trustees are chosen: And lastly, the foresaid lands and barony of Preston, together with the free residue and remainder of my said whole other heritable and moveable estate before disposed, after fulfilment, or securing the fulfilment of the other purposes of this trust, to be re-disposed and conveyed, as my said trustees, and their quorum, or survivor of them aforesaid, are and shall be, by acceptance of these presents, expressly bound and obliged to denude themselves of, and to re-convey and dispose the same to and in favour of themselves during their lives, and to the other persons following, to wit, the Right Honourable John, Earl of Hyndford, present proprietor of the estate of Prestongrange, or any other the proprietor of the said estate of Prestongrange for the time; Syme, present proprietor of the estate of Northfield, in the neighbourhood of Preston, or any other the proprietor of the said estate of Northfield for the time; the minister of the parish of Prestonpans, and the minister of the parish of Tranent, for the time; the Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Edinburgh, and the Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Haddington, for the time; the Lord Provost, the Eldest Bailie, the Dean of Guild, and Treasurer of the city of Edinburgh, for the time; the Preses and Treasurer of the Merchant Maiden Hospital before mentioned, for the time; the Preses and Treasurer of George Watson’s Hospital, and the Preses and Treasurer of the Orphan’s Hospital, also both before mentioned, for the time; the Principal of the University of Edinburgh, for the time; and the Ministers of the aforesaid parish of West Church of Edinburgh, for the time; and to any other person or persons whom I shall appoint by any writing or note under my hand at any time during my life; declaring any seven of the said persons to be a quorum, the said Alexander Alison, James Balmain, George Fairholme, Alexander Thomson, and Robert Boswell, or at least three of them, while so many are alive, and the last survivors and survivor of them, while able to officiate, being always members of said quorum, and to such of the aforesaid whole persons as shall accept, and to their assignees; and that also, as trustees, and for the special intent and purpose of founding and endowing an hospital or charitable institution for the aliment, clothing, and education of poor boys, and also for binding said boys apprentices, or otherwise setting them out to business, all in the most frugal and sober manner; to be formed the said institution upon such plan, and to be put under such permanent management and regulations, as my said trustees last appointed, or quorum of them aforesaid, shall, after due deliberation and advice, judge best for accomplishing the above purposes. For the establishment and foundation of which institution, and of all regulations and arrangements necessary and proper for communicating and perpetuating the benefit thereof, I do hereby vest my said trustees last mentioned, and their quorum aforesaid, with the most ample and unlimited powers; ratifying hereby and approving of the whole plan, regulations, and arrangements so to be made and established by them, and declaring the same to be as valid, binding, and effectual in every respect, as if made and established by my-

self, and herein particularly engrossed. Provided only, as it is hereby, and shall be by my said trustees or their quorum, expressly provided and declared, as among the fundamental and unalterable rules to be established and observed with respect to said proposed institution: First, That the objects of said charity shall, as above mentioned, be poor boys, and such only. Secondly, That, in the choice of the children to be admitted to the benefit of said institution, there shall uniformly and perpetually be given a preference to those of the surname of Schaw and Macneil; and, next after them, to those of the surname of Cunningham and Stewart. Thirdly, That the children of these surnames so to be admitted shall be truly in poor and indigent circumstances, so as to stand in need of this charity, and shall, by certificates of unquestionable truth and authority, be attested as proper objects in these respects, before admission. Fourthly, That said children shall not be admitted under the age of four years, nor above the age of seven years, and shall be free of the king's evil, and of all contagious diseases; nor shall any boy be allowed to remain in the hospital after attaining to the age of fourteen years. And, fifthly, That the foresaid lands and barony of Preston, and residue of my other estates, herein before appointed to be applied for the purpose of founding and endowing the aforesaid hospital or charitable institution, shall be considered, and is hereby declared to be the stock or capital of said foundation, never to be diminished or encroached on; nor shall the said lands and barony of Preston ever be sold or alienated, under any pretext whatever, but shall be let out in lease from time to time, by the directors of the aforesaid institution, appointed or to be appointed in manner before specified: the house of Preston itself shall be fitted up, under direction of my said trustees, to receive as many boys as can be conveniently accommodated in it, until the institution shall be put upon a more mature and perfect establishment, when my said trustees may judge it proper to cause erect a suitable building for the purpose, which I recommend to them in that case to cause be done in a neat, plain, frugal manner, studying therein use more than ornament, and keeping always in their eye the meaning of this institution, and the diffusing the benefits thereof as extensively as the funds will admit, to the poor boys who are the objects thereof; and the yearly rents and produce of the said lands and barony of Preston, with the yearly interest and produce of my said other funds, destined for the purposes of founding, supporting, and perpetuating the said institution, shall be applied solely to these purposes, and to no other use or purpose whatsoever. Under which conditions, provisions, and declarations, these presents are granted, and shall be accepted by my said trustees allenerly, as the said Trust-Deed and Settlement, containing sundry other clauses, in itself more fully bears.

The said Dr. James Schaw, by deed of nomination relative to the said Trust-Deed and Settlement, and of even date therewith, and in order to reader said Trust-Deed more complete and effectual, nominated and appointed James Balmain, Esq., one of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Board of Excise in Scotland; Alexander Alison, Esq., Deputy-Cashier of Excise; George Fairholme of Greenhill, Esq.; Alexander Thomson, Accountant of Excise, and Robert Boswell, Writer to the Signet, and such of them as should accept, and the survivors and last survivor of those accepting,

to be his executors, universal legators, and intruders with his whole moveable means and estate, which should pertain and belong to him at the time of his death, but in trust always for the uses, intents, and purposes specified in the foresaid Deed of Trust, and with and under the burdens, conditions, and provisions therein expressed, as the said Deed of Nomination, recorded in the Books of Council and Session as aforesaid, the 20th day of December 1784, in itself also more fully bears; which last-mentioned Deed of Appointment of executors, together with the said Deed of Trust to which it relates, was also duly proved in the Prerogative Court of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and administration granted to the parties therein named, conform to Probate of the same, under seal of the said Prerogative Court, dated the 7th day of June 1785.

The parties named by the above Trust-Disposition and Settlement, and Deed of Nomination of executors relative thereto, having all accepted of the offices of trustees and executors thereby conferred upon them, entered upon the possession and management of the whole estate, and made payment of the Truster's funeral expenses, and of his just and lawful debts, and of the legacies and other bequests in favour of Jean Schaw, his daughter, and of the various other legacies specified in said Trust-Deed and Settlement; and, having been advised by Counsel, with the view of carrying out the ultimate purpose of the Trust-Deed, viz., the founding and establishing of the Hospital therein mentioned, that they might legally, properly, and effectually denude themselves of the trust vested in them by said Trust-Deed and Settlement, in favour of the second set of Trustees named in said settlement, executed a Deed of Divestment and Reconveyance in favour of the said second set of Trustees, dated the 28th, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session the 30th days of November, both in the year 1787, whereby, in terms of the Trust-Deed before mentioned, they reconveyed and disposed to and in favour of themselves during their lives, and to the other persons therein before and after mentioned, viz.:—'The Right Honourable John Earl of Hyndford, present proprietor of the estate of Prestongrange, or any other the proprietor of the said estate of Prestongrange for the time; James Syme, Esq., present proprietor of the estate of Northfield, in the neighbourhood of Preston, or any other the proprietor of the said estate of Northfield for the time; the Minister of the parish of Prestonpans, and the Minister of the Parish of Tranent, for the time; the Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Edinburgh, and the Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Haddington, for the time; the Lord Provost, the Eldest Bailie, the Dean of Guild, and Treasurer of the city of Edinburgh, for the time; the Preses and Treasurer of the Merchant Maiden Hospital, for the time; the Preses and Treasurer of George Watson's Hospital, for the time; and the Preses and Treasurer of the Orphans' Hospital, for the time; the Principal of the University of Edinburgh, for the time; and the Ministers of the aforesaid parish of West Church, for the time; declaring any seven of the said persons to be a quorum,' and to such of the aforesaid whole persons as should accept, and to their assignees: in trust always to the ends, uses, and purposes therein after mentioned, and with and under the burdens, provisions, and declarations thereafter specified: All and whatsoever estates, lands, tenements,

heritages, debts, and sums, goods, gear, and other heritable and moveable means and effects of whatever nature, denomination, or designation the same be, either in Great Britain, the West Indies, or elsewhere, which belonged to the said deceased James Schaw at the time of his death, and to which the said original Trustees acquired or might have acquired right, as his trustees or executors, in virtue of the deeds before recited: Excepting only in so far as the state of the subjects conveyed by the said Trust-Deed had been altered or innovated, in consequence of the intrusions and management of said original Trustees under the sanction of the said Deed. And particularly, the said original Trustees thereby conveyed and disposed to and in favour of themselves, and the other persons before named, and to such of them as should accept, and their quorum, as said is, and to their assignees, the special subjects, heritable and moveable, thereafter specified, viz., All and whole the aforesaid lands and barony of Preston and Prestonpans, etc.,— [Follows a particular description and enumeration of the subjects disposed.]—But which whole subjects, heritable and moveable, before conveyed should be held by said original Trustees and the persons before named, and their quorum, as aforesaid, in trust, and should be applied as they and said original Trustees were thereby expressly bound and obliged to apply the same to and for the ends, uses, and purposes following, viz., In the first place, for payment and discharge of any debts and obligations, if any such there be, yet resting-owing, and undischarged by the said deceased James Schaw, at the time of his death, and the other purposes mentioned in said Deed of Divestment and Reconveyance; 'And Lastly, The foresaid lands and barony of Preston, together with the free residue of the whole other heritable and moveable estate before disposed, after fulfilment of the other purposes of the trust, to be employed for the special intent and purpose of founding and endowing an Hospital, or charitable institution, for the aliment, clothing, and education of poor boys, and also for binding said boys apprentices, or otherwise setting them out to business, all in the manner, and with the powers particularly specified in the aforesaid deed of trust; but always with and under the fundamental and unalterable rules and provisions in the said deed, and herein particularly before expressed; under which burdens, conditions, provisions, and declarations, these presents are granted, and shall be accepted of allanarly: And under which burdens, provisions, and declarations we do hereby denude and divest ourselves of the aforesaid trust committed to us, and declare the same to be fully terminated and extinguished, and all the powers hitherto vested in us by ourselves, along with the other and further powers before mentioned, to be all now vested in us conjunctly with the other trustees before named; declaring always, that the said trustees hereby named, shall, by acceptation hereof, be, as they are hereby bound and obliged to ratify, homologate, and approve of our whole transactions and management, during the period of our officiating as trustees aforesaid; and to warrant us against all the effects and consequences of the same, and all the other consequences of every kind, of our accepting and acting under the said trust, in manner before specified; and that no claim or demand shall, under any pretext whatsoever, be made against us, or any of us, or our heirs, on account of our said management or

intrusions; but that the said trustees hereby named shall be understood, before acceptance of the trust hereby committed to them, to have satisfied themselves of our faithful execution of the trust reposed in us, and of our having fairly and fully accounted for the whole of the trust-funds under our charge; under which declaration also these presents are granted, and shall be accepted of allanarly; but it is hereby provided and declared, that nothing contained in the above declaration and obligation, or any part of this deed, shall be construed to bind the said residuary trustees personally, or subject their own private means or estate to any action, claim, or demand whatever, but that the same is granted by them merely as trustees, under the settlement of the said deceased James Schaw; declaring also, as it is, by the aforesaid deed of trust, expressly provided and declared, that the trustees hereby named, shall not be liable for omissions, neglects, or insolvency of debtors or tenants, nor for the intrusions of any factors or attorneys, whom they shall find it necessary to appoint to act under them, in the management of the trust hereby committed to them, nor shall they be liable *in solidum* or each for others, but each of the said trustees for his own actual and personal intrusions only,' as the said Deed of Divestment and Reconveyance, containing sundry other clauses, in itself more fully bears.

All the persons named as Residuary Trustees in the Deed of Divestment and Reconveyance before mentioned, accepted of the trust thereby committed to them, except the late Earl of Hyndford, Mr. James Syme of Northfield, the then Sheriff-Depute of Edinburgh, and the then Sheriff-Depute of Haddington; and a Charter under the Great Seal, of the Estate of Preston, was passed in their favour, dated 20th December 1787, on which they were infeft the 21st, and the sasine thereon recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the shire of Edinburgh, etc., the 22d January 1788.

The Residuary Trustees were incorporated under the name and title of 'James Schaw's Hospital' in the year 1830, conform to Royal Charter of Incorporation in their favour dated 25th January, and written to the Seal and registered and sealed 5th April 1830.

In pursuance of the Truster's object and directions, the Mansion-House of Preston was fitted up as an Hospital in the year 1789, when 20 boys were admitted as Foundationers. The Mansion-House continued to be occupied as an Hospital till the year 1831, when the present Hospital Building was erected.

In the year 1864 the Trustees, with the view of promoting the better education and upbringing of the Foundationers, resolved to admit a limited number of Boys as Day-Scholars, under certain regulations, and in 1868 they further agreed to admit a limited number of Boys as Boarders. Both these changes have been fraught with much benefit, and a very marked improvement has been observed in the Foundationers by the introduction of Day-Scholars and Boarders.

The average number of Boys maintained, clothed, and educated in the Institution during the eighty-nine years of its existence has been twenty-two per annum.

The Residue of the personal Estate of Dr. Schaw, after Payment of Debts and Lega-

cies, etc., and exclusive of the Estate of Preston, was about	£6400 0 0
At Dr. Schaw's death (1784), the annual Rental of Preston Estate was about	£360 0 0
And Feu-duties in Preston pans,	17 0 0
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	377 0 0
While the annual Public Burdens at the commencement of the Trust, exclusive of Annuities and expenses of Management, amounted to	32 0 0
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Clear Annual Rental,	£345 0 0
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Coal having been found upon the Estate, the same was let on lease in the year 1833, at the fixed rent of £200 per annum, and several subsequent Leases have been entered into, but latterly at reduced rents and royalties, owing to the coal seams dimishing in extent as the mineral came to be gradually worked out. The average annual Return from coal for the last ten years has been about £173, and the Trustees are given to understand that in a very few years the coal will be exhausted, so that, when that period arrives, a diminution in the Rental of about £173 per annum will take place.	
The present Funds belonging to the Trust consist of—	
1. £3690, 11s. 2d. New three per cent. Consols, say at £96,	£3542 0 0
2. Sums in Bank, about	1800 0 0
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The gross average annual income of Schaw's Trust over the last ten years, including £173 of precarious Return from Coal has been about	£900 0 0
The Annual Preferable Claims which may be reckoned permanent deductions are:—	
Annuities payable to certain Charities named by Truster,	£34 0 0
Repairs, say	40 0 0
Public Burdens, say	200 0 0
Factor Fee £42, and Expenses connected with Management of Estate, say £10,	52 0 0
Accountant £2, 2s., Baron - Bailie and Officer £6,	8 2 0
Expenses connected with Trustees' meetings in managing Trust, say	20 0 0
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	354 2 0
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Leaving for Educational and other purposes of the Trust, Less Coal Rent now merged in Capital,	£545 18 0
	173 0 0
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Remains for principal purposes of the Trust, only	£372 18 0
Were the Institution to be maintained as a Boarding Educational Establishment for	

the maintenance as well as instruction of poor children, under a suitable staff of Officials, the annual cost would be as at present:—	
Master's Salary	£77,
10s., Matron's Salary	£35,
Wages for Three Servants	£40, allow-
ance to Surgeon, £5,	45 0 0
Keep of Master, Matron, and Servants, say	115 0 0
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	272 10 0

Leaving net sum applicable to Maintenance, Clothing, Educational requisites, and Apprenticeship of Poor Boys,	£100 8 0
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Looking to the limited number of Boys which this sum will be able to maintain and educate, the Trustees have lately been giving their anxious consideration to the subject of altering and improving the present administration of the Hospital, in virtue of 'The Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878.' A Committee having been appointed, as before stated, the following propositions were submitted by them to the Trustees:—

1. That to economise and utilise more than at present the Funds of the Institution, it would be desirable to substitute the system of Boarding out Pupils (under due supervision) for that of receiving inmates into the Hospital—the average annual cost for the last four years being, per Boy, about £36, of which for maintenance and clothing alone above £20; while, by adopting the system of Boarding out each Boy might be satisfactorily maintained and clothed at a rate of a little over from £10 to £15, if the present ages for entry to and removal from the Hospital were to be continued, or at a slightly higher rate in the event of the ages for entry or removal being increased.
2. That the funds gained by this change of system might be applied—
 - (a.) In providing maintenance for a larger number of Boys, if thought expedient.
 - (b.) In opening a large Day-School, at very moderate fees, for Children, both Boys and Girls.
 - (c.) In providing Apprentice Fees, Exhibitions, or Gifts in money for Boys of merit and promise.
3. That it would be desirable, in electing Boys to the benefits of the Foundation, to have respect to merit shown by Applicants who are attending the Day-School, as well as to the circumstance of Applicants being of the names to which the Testator directed that a certain preference should uniformly and perpetually be given.

The gross Annual Income of Schaw's Hospital Trust on an average of the last ten years has amounted, as before stated, to	£900 0 0
Deduct Coal Rent (included in above) now capitalised,	173 0 0
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Gross Permanent Revenue	£727 0 0

From this deduct Annual Permanent and Preferable Claims on the Trust Estate, as stated on p. 12,	354 2 0
Estimated Annual Income permanently available for the purposes of the Trust,	<u>£372 18 0</u>

Under and in terms of the said Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, a Meeting of the Trustees was called in due form, and was held in Edinburgh on Wednesday, 12th March 1879. The Trustees present at said Meeting resolved as follows:—

'First, That it is expedient that provision should be made for the better government and administration of James Schaw's Hospital, and the better application of the Endowments thereof, whereby the usefulness and efficiency of the Hospital may be increased, and the benefits thereof extended, in terms of the Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878.

'Second, That a petition be presented to the Secretary of State, setting out such Resolution, and stating, under distinct heads or articles, all facts or circumstances pertinent to such Petition, and stating also the provisions for the better government and administration of James Schaw's Hospital and the better application of the Endowments thereof, which they desire to have sanctioned, and the reasons for which the said provisions are considered necessary or expedient for the purposes mentioned in the said Resolution.'

In terms of the said Resolutions come to at that Meeting, this Petition and relative proposed Provisional Order or Scheme is presented.

May it therefore please The Right Honourable Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, to take this Petition into his consideration, and after taking such steps as he may think proper, to issue, in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by the said Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878, a Provisional Order under his hand and seal of office in relation to the several things mentioned in the foresaid Petition, in the terms or to the effect set forth in the Document entitled 'Proposed Provisional Order or Scheme for the future Administration of James Schaw's Hospital,' lodged herewith.

And your Petitioners will ever pray.

Signed in name and by appointment of the Trustees of James Schaw's Hospital by the Reverend John Struthers, LL.D., present Minister of the Parish of Prestonpans; The Reverend William Caesar, D.D., present Minister of the Parish of Tranent; David Dickson, present Preses of the Merchant Maiden Hospital, Edinburgh, and present Preses of George Watson's Hospital; John Scott Moncrieff, present Treasurer of the Orphan Hospital; and John Maclaren, present Treasurer of George Watson's Hospital, five of the Trustees and Administrators of said James Schaw's Hospital for the time, being a quorum appointed by Act of Parliament 57

George III. cap. 24, and in terms of the Charter of Incorporation, at Edinburgh, the 14th day of June 1879.

J. STRUTHERS.
WILLIAM CESAR.
DAV. DICKSON.
JOHN SCOTT MONCRIEFF.
JOHN MACLAREN.

GEORGE BRUCE, W.S.,
1 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh,
Agent for said Trustees.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice that, in accordance with the conditions specified in the advertisements under which India 5 per cent. Stock and India 5 per cent. Stock Certificates have been issued, it is his intention to redeem those Securities at par on the 5th July 1880.

A further advertisement will be hereafter issued as to the terms on which holders of the above-mentioned Stock and Certificates may be allowed to convert them into Securities of the Secretary of State in Council at a lower rate of interest.

EDWARD STANHOPE.

India Office, 2d July 1879.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Miss ELIZA HELEN LOGAN, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estate of NEWMAINS, situated in the Parish of Carnwath and County of Lanark, and of the Entailed Estate of LOGANLEE, consisting of the Lands and Estate of Muirhousesdykes, Nether Longford, and Others, in the Parish of West Calder and County of Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary, —Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, 31st and 32d Victoria, chapter 84, and 38th and 39th Victoria, chapter 61, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to charge Entailed Estates with £1300. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, advertisement, and service, 28th day of June 1879.

GIBSON-CRAIG, DALZIEL, & BRODIES, W.S.;
Agents of the Petitioner.

5 Thistle Street, Edinburgh,
3d July 1879.

INTIMATION is hereby given that the Right Honourable HENRY JAMES BAILLIE, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of REDCASTLE and TARRADALE, situated in the County of Ross, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (Second Division, Junior Lord Ordinary, —Mr. Melville, Clerk), under and in terms of the Acts 38 and 39 Victoria, cap. 61, and 41 and 42 Victoria, cap. 28, and relative Statutes and Acts of Sederunt, for authority to substitute for the unpaid principal sums of £3853, 11s. 10d. and £552, 17s. 8d., in two improvement loan charges under the 'Scottish Drainage and Improvement Company's Acts,' a Bond and Disposition in security in ordinary form over the said Entailed Estates of Redcastle and Tarradale, other than the Mansion House, Offices, and

Policies thereof. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, Twenty-eighth June Eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

HORNE, HORNE, & LYELL, W.S.,
Agents of the Petitioner.

39 Castle Street, Edinburgh,
2d July 1879.

Queen's and Lord Treasurer's
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,
Edinburgh, 30th April 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that James Taylor, Journeyman Baker, Montrose, has applied to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for a Gift of the Estate of ANN TAYLOR, deceased, who resided at No. 1 Market Street, Brechin, which has fallen to Her Majesty as *ultima hæres*.

Queen's and Lord Treasurer's
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,
Edinburgh, 1st July 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Wilson, Shoemaker, Fetter-Angus, in the County of Aberdeen, has applied to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for a Gift of the Estate of CHRISTIAN NOBLE or CHIVAS, widow of Alexander Chivas, Stuartfield, County of Aberdeen, deceased, which has fallen to Her Majesty as *ultima hæres*.

In the Matter of the HIGHLANDER NEWSPAPER
AND PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY,
LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) the affairs of the Company are fully wound up; (2) an account, showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, has been made up by the Liquidator; (3) a General Meeting of the Company is hereby called, to hold within the Queen's Hotel, Church Street, Inverness, upon Monday the 11th day of August next, at eleven of the clock forenoon, for the purpose of having the account laid before them, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

R. F. CAMERON, Liquidator.

1 Exchange Place, Inverness,
2d July 1879.

In the Court of Session.]

NOTICE.

IN the Petition given in and presented to the Court of Session (Second Division—Mr. Inglis, Clerk) for and in name of the Royal Bank of Scotland, Incorporated by Royal Charter, for judicial winding up of the BINNEND OIL COMPANY (LIMITED), their Lordships of the Second Division have been pleased to pronounce this Deliverance:—'Edinburgh, 2d July 1879.—The Lords appoint this Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book for eight days, and to be served on the Binnend Oil Company (Limited) by delivering a printed copy of the same at the Registered Office of the said Company, and also to advertise the same once in each of the Edinburgh Gazette, and Scotsman and Courant Newspapers; and ordain all parties interested to lodge Answers, if so advised, within eight days after such intimation, service, and notice. 'MONCREIFF, J.P.D.'

Of all which Advertisement is hereby made.

DUNDAS & WILSON, C.S.,
Agents for the Petitioners.

16 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
2d July 1879.

THE UNITED KINGDOM HERITABLE SECURITIES COMPANY, LIMITED.

Registered Office,
No. 178 Buchanan Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held in the above Office, on Monday the 14th instant, at two o'clock afternoon, to confirm the Special Resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily, in terms of the Acts, passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on Friday the 27th ultimo, and in the event of such Resolution being confirmed, to appoint a Liquidator.

By order of the Board.

J. C. KERR, Secretary.

3d July 1879.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

JOHN TAYLOR, Ironmonger, No. 151 Stockwell Street, Glasgow, having executed a Trust Disposition of his whole Means and Estate for behoof of his Creditors in favour of William Giffen Lindsay, Accountant, 30 George Square, Glasgow, Creditors are requested to lodge their claims with, and Debtors to pay their debts to, the Trustee, within fourteen days from this date.

BROWN, DUNLOP, & LINDSAY, Agents.

57 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
1st July 1879.

NOTICE.

MR. HECTOR INNES, Cabinetmaker, Nairn, having executed a Trust Deed for behoof of his Creditors in favour of Mr. David Ross, Cabinetmaker and Upholsterer, Forres, all parties having claims are requested to lodge the same with the Subscribers, within fourteen days from this date.

BROWN & CAMPBELL, Solicitors, Nairn.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of T., J., & D. HOGG, Builders in Dundee and Forfar, and Thomas Hogg, James Hogg, and David Hogg, all Builders in Dundee and Forfar, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Forfarshire, James Hogg, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Dundee, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable, either as Partner foresaid, or as an Individual, before the date of the Sequestration, in terms of the Statutes.

JAMES HOGG.

Dundee, 2d July 1879.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of ALEXANDER CHISHOLM, Farmer, Migovie, Gorthleck, in the County of Inverness.

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

D. J. MACKAY, Solicitor,
22 Union Street, Inverness,
Agent for Petitioner.

Inverness, 2d July 1879.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of ABRAHAM BROWN, sometime Painter and Glazier, Newhaven, in the County of Edinburgh, now residing in Leith.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Midlothian, Abraham Brown, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington to be finally discharged of all debts and obligations contracted by him or for which he was liable at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates.

BEVERIDGE, SUTHERLAND, & SMITH, Agents.

Leith, 4th July 1879.

DAVID BIRD, Junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES HARPER, Cabinetmaker, Glasgow, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

DAVID BIRD, Jr., C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN PATTERSON, lately Farmer at Clerkington Acredales, near Haddington.

ANDREW WOOD, Solicitor, Haddington, formerly the Trustee, hereby intimates that his resignation of the office of Trustee has been duly tendered and accepted; that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 16th ultimo, with relative state of funds, have been audited and approved of by the Commissioners; and lastly, that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a further Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

ANDW. WOOD.

Haddington, 4th July 1879.

JOHN RORRISON, Merchant, Dumfries, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of JOSEPH KIRKPATRICK ROGERSON, residing in Church Place, Lochmaben, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions, brought down to the end of the third statutory period, has been examined by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JOHN RORRISON, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM RAMSAY JOLLY, residing at No. 11 Rosehall Terrace, Dalkeith Road, Edinburgh.

THE Commissioners have postponed payment of a Dividend until recurrence of the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

J. CAMPBELL PENNEY, Trustee.

130 George Street, Edinburgh,
2d July 1879.

THOMAS MARTIN, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of HENRY MOORE WALLACE M'VITIE, Doctor of Medicine, sometime of Sydney, New South Wales, afterwards residing at No. 20 Albany Street, Edinburgh, now deceased, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 20th ultimo, and state of the funds, have been examined by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the next statutory period.

THOS. MARTIN, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 2d July 1879.

THE Estates of HENRY HANGER, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, 74 Trongate, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 1st day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Tuesday the 15th day of July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

MONCRIEFF, PATERSON, FORBES, & BARR,
Solicitors, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of WILLIAM GRAY, Tailor and Clothier, Hawkhill, Dundee, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first Deliverance is dated the 1st day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 11th day of July 1879, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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GEO. HAGGART, Solicitor,
11 Ward Road, Dundee, Agent.

THE Estates of GEORGE SPENCE, Wright and Builder, residing at No. 3 Buckingham Road, Govan, in the County of Lanark, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 1st day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Monday the 14th day of July current, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

JAMES W. KNOX, Writer,
132 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of PATRICK M'GEE, Pawnbroker, No. 130 South Wellington Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 1st day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 15th day of July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for the election of the Trustee.

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

WILSON, CALDWELL, & FYFE, Writers, Glasgow,
Agents.

79 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
2d July 1879.

THE Estates of DAVID STEWART & COMPANY, Manufacturers, 18 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, and of David Stewart, the sole Individual Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 1st day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, the said David Stewart, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

BORLAND & KING,
64 Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of ROBERT AITKEN, Yarn Agent, Glassford Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 2d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 2d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday, 14th July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 2d November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till said Meeting.

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

M'CLURE, NAISMITH, BRODIE, & MACFARLANE,
87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of THOMAS WINGATE & COMPANY, Ship Builders, Whiteinch, near Glasgow, and Charles Maclean, residing at Glenearu, Perthshire, and Wilson Wingate, residing at Whiteinch aforesaid, the only Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on the 2d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 2d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3d day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupts, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

BANNATYNES, KIRKWOOD, & M'JANNET,
Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN ROBERTS M'KENZIE, Writer, residing at 32 Lorne Street, Leith, were Sequestrated by the Sheriff of Midlothian on, and the first Deliverance is dated, 3d July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock P.M., on Tuesday, 15th July 1879, within Dowell's Rooms, 26 George Street, Edinburgh.

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 3d November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

DAVID FORSYTH, S.S.C., Agent.
3 North St. David Street, Edinburgh,
3d July 1879.

THE Estates of WILLIAM CAMPBELL, Wine and Spirit Merchant, 399 Govan Road, Govan, were Sequestrated on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 15th July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3d day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

BORLAND & KING,
64 Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of PETER BENNIE, Grocer in Muirkirk, were Sequestrated on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 16th day of July 1879, within Blackwood's Masons' Arms Hotel, Muirkirk.

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 3d day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

ROB. M. BEVERIDGE, Solicitor, Ayr,
Agent.

THE Estates of DAVID FORRESTER, Merchant in Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3d day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

A. GEMMILL & MACLACHLAN, Writers,
183 West George Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of THOMAS BAILLIE, Cabinetmaker, Motherwell, were Sequestrated on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 3d day of July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday the 15th day of July current, within Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 3d day of November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

JOS. SHAUGHNESSY,
170 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of DAVID KILPATRICK, Farmer, Smithycroft, Cumbernauld Road, near Glasgow, were Sequestered on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 3d July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 14th day of July current, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 3d November 1879.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

GRIEVE & WILSON, Writers,
208 West George Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN GULLAN, Joiner and House Carpenter in Haddington, were Sequestered on the 3d day of July 1879, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 3d July 1879.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Friday the 11th day of July 1879, within the George Hotel, Haddington.

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 4th day of November 1879.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington at Haddington; and a Warrant of Protection granted to the Bankrupt, till the Meeting for election of Trustee.

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

D. HOWARD SMITH, Solicitor,
36 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

A PETITION has been presented at the instance of Thomas Elliot, Tenant in Hindhope, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN TURNBULL, Draper in Jedburgh, on which Petition the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk was pleased to pronounce the following Deliverance:—'*Jedburgh, 2d July 1879.*—The Sheriff-Substitute having considered this Petition with the Writs produced, grants Warrant to Messengers-at-Arms and Officers of Court to cite the said John Turnbull, in terms of the Statute, to appear in Court within ten days after citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estate should not be awarded; and appoints intimation of this Petition of the Diet of Appearance to be made in the Edinburgh Gazette; and grants Warrant for Letters of Diligence to recover evidence of the Notour Bankruptcy of the said John Turnbull. (Signed) 'JAMES CUMMING, S.S.'

ADAM TURNBULL, Law-Agent, Jedburgh,
Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of ELIZABETH BURT, Druggist, Dundee, residing in Monifieth, and Executor of the late William Laird, Druggist, Dundee, and intromitter with his moveable Estate.

RICHARD CLARK, Druggist, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and W. S. Lang, Partner of Sang & Barker, Druggists, Edinburgh, James Russell, Partner of David Russell & Son, Chemists, Dundee, and Thomas Leith, Partner of T. & A. Leith, Drapers, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, on Wednesday the 9th day of July current, at half-past eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in Lamb's Hotel, Reform Street, Dundee, on Tuesday the 22d day of July current, at one o'clock afternoon.

RICHD. CLARK, Trustee.

17 Greenside Place, Edinburgh,
July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'ARTHUR, Timber Merchant and Sawmiller, Bishop Garden Saw Mills, Glasgow.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Hunter, Merchant, 156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Robert Henderson, 27 Union Street, Glasgow, and Robert Gilchrist, Brickbuilder, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Guthrie, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Monday the 14th day of July current, at twelve o'clock. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. M'Clelland, Mackinnon, & Blyth, Chartered Accountants, 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 23d day of July current, at twelve o'clock.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee.
Glasgow, 2d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of MRS. ELIZA or ELIZABETH SHEARER BROWN, formerly residing at The Cottage, Gilmerton, in the County of Edinburgh, and now at No. 13 West End Place, Dalry Road, Edinburgh.

JOHN WALKER, C.A., 5 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Goodlet, 25 George Street, Edinburgh, William Sutherland, Wine Merchant, 142 George Street, and James Walker, Linen Draper, George Street, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, at two o'clock. The Creditors will meet in Dowell's Rooms, No. 26 George Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 23d day of July 1879, at two o'clock.

JOHN WALKER, Trustee.
Edinburgh, 3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM FENTON, Wholesale Jeweller, Gordon Street, Glasgow.

ROBERT GALT, Junior, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Porter, Jeweller, Glasgow, William Smith, Silversmith there, and Henry Schuler, Wholesale Jeweller there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Galbraith, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 15th day of July current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Galt & Kennedy, Public Accountants, 62 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 25th day of July current, at one o'clock afternoon.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the second General Meeting of Creditors.

ROBERT GALT, Junr., Trustee.
62 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of AXEL EDWARD GRANFELT, Ship Broker and Commission Merchant, No. 53 Marischal Street, Aberdeen, presently carrying on business under the name of A. E. GRANFELT & COMPANY, Ship Brokers and Commission Merchants there.

ALEXANDER FORBES WIGHT, Advocate in Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Donald, Ship Store Merchant, Theatre Lane, and Oswald Prosser and Horace Filder, both Solicitors, Aberdeen, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, on Wednesday the 9th day of July current, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of A. Forbes Wight, Advocate, 11 Union Buildings, Aberdeen, on Monday the 21st day of July current, at two o'clock afternoon.

A. FORBES WIGHT, Trustee.
Aberdeen, 2d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES HASTIE, Pawnbroker, Cambuslang.

CHARLES PROVAN, Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Daniel Eadie Hill, Pawnbroker, Elderslie Street, Glasgow, Andrew Peacock, 18 Newton Street, Glasgow, and Matthew Golder, Bank of Scotland, Hamilton, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Hamilton, on Thursday the 10th day of July next, at three o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 154 George Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 21st day of July next, at twelve o'clock noon.

CHAS. PROVAN, Trustee.

Glasgow, 3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER RUSSELL GRANT, Commission Merchant, 24 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow.

JAMES TAYLOR, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Henry Murray, 33 Virginia Street, Glasgow, James Selkirk, Warehouseman, 175 Trongate Street, Glasgow, and Robert Miller, Causewayside, Paisley, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within Mr. Sheriff Spens' Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 9th day of July 1879, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, Chartered Accountants, 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Thursday the 7th day of July current, at twelve o'clock noon.

At the Meeting for election of Trustee, the Bankrupt made an offer of Composition of Ten Shillings in the pound, with security, and the Creditors present at said Meeting unanimously entertained for consideration said offer. The Trustee has further to intimate that the offer of Composition so made by the Bankrupt will be decided upon at the Meeting to be held after the Examination of Bankrupt on the 17th day of July current, as above intimated.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 1st July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM TOUGH, Builder in Edinburgh.

HUGH MILLER, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee; and Thomas Falconer, Blacksmith, Edinburgh, and R. Fleming Johnston, W.S., Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 15th day of July, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in Messrs. Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51 George Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 25th day of July 1879, at two o'clock afternoon, when they will fall to elect a Commissioner, as only two were elected at the first Meeting.

HUGH MILLER, Trustee.

53 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,
4th July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS EVANS, Cattle Dealer, Harbour Street, Kirkwall, Orkney.

JAMES PETRIE, Writer, Queen Street, Kirkwall, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Williamson, Grain Merchant, Queen Street, Kirkwall, James Cumming, Merchant, Albert Street, Kirkwall, and Peter Sinclair Heddle, Solicitor, Albert Street, Kirkwall, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff-Court House, Kirkwall, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Town Hall, Kirkwall, on Tuesday the 22d day of July 1879, at two o'clock P.M.

JAMES PETRIE, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of MESSRS. A. GULSTAD & COMPANY, Shipbrokers and Commission Merchants in Borrowstounness, and Anton Gulstad, Shipbroker and Commission Merchant there, the only Partner of that Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

PETER LIDDLE FORGAN, Bank Agent, Borrowstounness, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and William Donaldson, Shipping Agent in Borrowstounness, George Cadell Stewart, Merchant, of No. 33 Renfield Street, Glasgow, a Partner of Love & Stewart, Merchants there, and Robert Smith, Solicitor before the Supreme Courts, Leith, a Partner of the Firm of Messrs. Beveridge, Sutherland, & Smith, S.S.C., Leith, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Linlithgow, on Tuesday the 15th day of July 1879, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, Clydesdale Bank, Bo'ness, on Thursday the 24th day of July 1879, at two o'clock afternoon.

At the Meeting of Creditors for the election of a Trustee, the Bankrupts made an offer of a Composition on all debts due by them at the date of their Sequestration, with security to an extent for payment of the same; which offer and security the Creditors unanimously resolved should be entertained for consideration; and the same will be decided upon at a Meeting of Creditors to be held after the Examination of the Bankrupt, place, day, and hour above mentioned.

P. L. FORGAN, Trustee.

Bo'ness, 3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of M'KENZIE & SON, Potato Merchants, Cupar, and James M'Kenzie and William M'Kenzie, the Individual Partners of that Firm.

THOMAS IRELAND, Accountant, Dundee, Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of David Osborne, Writer, Cupar-Fife, on Monday the 14th day of July current, at twelve o'clock noon, to sanction the sale of heritable property belonging to the Estates.

THOS. IRELAND, Trustee.

2d July 1879.

JAMES MACKENNA, Writer in Girvan, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of SAMUEL M'KEE, Cattle Dealer, Dailly, as a Company, and Samuel M'Kee, Farmer at Largan, County Sligo, Ireland, and also Cattle Dealer, Dailly, and William M'Kee, Cattle Dealer, Dailly, the Individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the King's Arms Hotel, Girvan, on Monday the 14th day of July 1879, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider what action should be taken for recovery of the stock on the Irish farms lately tenanted by the Bankrupt Samuel M'Kee, and handed over by him to Robert Mair, Sheep Dealer, Lanark; and, if so resolved, to instruct the Trustee to proceed with an action against the said Robert Mair for recovery of said stock.

JAS. MACKENNA, Trustee.

Girvan, 2d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN WATT, Builder and Joiner, Canning Place, Edinburgh.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 19th ultimo, has been audited by the Commissioners on the Estate, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period; further, that a General Meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, No. 11 York Buildings, Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 28th day of July current, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made to the Sheriff for his discharge as Trustee.

JAMES DRUMMOND, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 4th July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of the REVEREND ALEXANDER GUTHRIE, Minister of the *quoad sacra* Parish of Tomintoul, in the County of Banff.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Fife Arms Hotel, Dufftown, on Saturday the 12th day of July current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of appointing two Commissioners in the room and place of John Craig, Writer in Banff, and Donald Grant, Solicitor in Grantown, who have declined to act.

CHARLES ROLES, Trustee.

Grantown, 2d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of RICHARD FYFE, Hotel Keeper, Ardenadam Hotel, Sandbank, Argyleshire (now deceased).

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Monday the 28th day of July 1879, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made to the Court for my discharge, and to resolve thereanent.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
3d July 1879.

DAVID MARTIN, Solicitor in Peterhead, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of STEWART & LEASK, Shipbrokers and Commission Agents, Peterhead, and George Rennie Stewart and William Hutchison Leask, both Shipbrokers and Commission Agents there, the Individual Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within Laing's Hotel, Peterhead, on Saturday the 26th day of July current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

DAVID MARTIN, Trustee.

Peterhead, 2d July 1879.

DAVID NOBLE, Ironmonger, Stranraer, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE DALLAS, Joiner, Stranraer, with consent of John Mackie Adair, Solicitor, Stranraer, James Thorburn, Wood Merchant, Stranraer, and Robert Hannay, Sheuchan Mills, Stranraer, the Commissioners on said Sequestrated Estates, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Hugh Todd, Solicitor, Stranraer, on Tuesday the 15th day of July current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to take into consideration an offer of Composition to be made by the said George Dallas.

D. NOBLE, Trustee.

JNO. M. ADAIR, Commissioner.

JAMES THORBURN, Commissioner.

ROBERT HANNAY, Commissioner.

Stranraer, 2d July 1879.

ADAM DAVIDSON SMITH, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES HAMILTON TAYLOR, Builder, 9 Gordon Street, Leith, with the consent of the Commissioners, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers, No. 29 St. Andrew Square, on Tuesday the 15th instant, at two o'clock P.M., to take into consideration an offer of Composition to be made by the said James Hamilton Taylor.

ADAM D. SMITH, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 3d July 1879.

A Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of MATTHEW FORREST, Joiner and House Agent, 19 Waverley Terrace, I hereby intimate that a Dividend, which has been accelerated, will be paid, at my Chambers here, on Monday the 28th instant, to those Creditors whose claims, lodged with me prior to 27th ultimo, have been admitted.

JOHN WALKER, C.A., Trustee.

Chambers, 5 St. Andrew Square,
Edinburgh, 3d July 1879.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JAMES ORR of Highfield, in the Parish of Dalry, and Farmer at Gree, in the Parish of Beith.

DANIEL STIRRAT LOVE, Writer in Beith, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first Dividend will be paid, within his Writing Chambers, Beith, upon the 18th day of August 1879.

D. S. LOVE, Trustee.

Beith, 1st July 1879.

In the SEQUESTRATION of MESSRS. WILLIAM SMITH & SON, Manufacturers, Cupar, and Thomas Smith, residing in Cupar, the only Partner of that Firm.

DAVID OSBORNE, Writer, Cupar, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within his Chambers at 14 St. Catherine Street, Cupar, upon the 19th day of August 1879.

DAV. OSBORNE, Trustee.

2d July 1879.

In the SEQUESTRATION of Mrs. MARION BARR or MURDOCH, Grocer and Spirit Dealer in Wishaw, carrying on business there under the name of Mrs. MARION MURDOCH.

THE Trustee intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 16th day of June last, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a second and equalizing Dividend will be paid, within his Office, Young Street, Wishaw, on and after the 16th day of August next.

W. THOMSON, Trustee.

Wishaw, 2d July 1879.

JAMES MITCHELL ROSS, Brewer, Montrose, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE VALENTINE, Grocer, Baltic Street, Montrose, hereby intimate that the Commissioners have examined my accounts to 17th June 1879, and have postponed the declaration of any further Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period; further, that the Commissioners have authorized an equalizing Dividend to be paid to Creditors who have been ranked on the Estate since the date of payment of the first Dividend, such equalizing Dividend to be payable on Friday, 18th July next.

JAMES M. ROSS, Trustee.

Montrose, 3d July 1879.

In the SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of JAMES BAILLIE, Merchant, Lasswade.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited his accounts, and that a first Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, at the Chambers of Messrs. Dall & Miller, C.A., Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 19th day of August next.

HUGH MILLER, Trustee.

53 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,
4th July 1879.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DUGALD M'CALLUM, sometime Wine and Spirit Merchant in Greenock, now residing at No. 14 Brisbane Street, Greenock.

JOHN AGNEW, Accountant in Greenock, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within his Counting House, 27 West Burn Street, Greenock, upon the 20th day of August 1879.

JOHN AGNEW, Trustee.

Greenock, 2d July 1879.

JAMES HENDERSON FERGUSON, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of **ARCHIBALD M'DOUGALL**, Ironmonger in Johnstone, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have audited my account of intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 1st ultimo, and that a second and final Dividend will be paid, at the Counting House of John Miller & James H. Ferguson, Accountants, No. 71 Queen Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 18th day of August next, to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged with and sustained by me, in terms of the Statute.

JAS. H. FERGUSON, Trustee.

71 Queen Street, Glasgow,
3d July 1879.

JOHN ROXBURGH STRONG, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **JOHN EWING**, Merchant and Packing Box Maker, Glasgow, carrying on business there under the Firm of **EWING & COMPANY**, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, hereby intimates that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the said Estates, brought down to the 19th ultimo, have been made up and examined by the Commissioners; that on and after Wednesday the 20th day of August next, the following Dividends will be payable, within his Chambers, 110 West George Street, Glasgow:—(1) An equalizing Dividend of Ninepence per pound to those Creditors whose claims have been sustained but who did not participate in the first division; and (2) a second and final Dividend of One Halfpenny per pound to all those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and admitted to a ranking.

J. ROXBURGH STRONG, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 3d July 1879.

SEQUESTRATION of GRIERSON & PHILIPS, Printing Machine Manufacturers and Engineers, Broughton Market, Edinburgh, and John Siddons Grierson and Robert Philips, Printing Machine Manufacturers and Engineers there.

The Trustee hereby intimates that the accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to 10th June last, have been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute; and that a first Dividend on the Company's Estate will be paid, within my Chambers, 4 George Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 11th day of August 1879.

CHARLES S. ROMANES, C.A., Trustee.

Chambers, 4 George Street, Edinburgh,
3d July 1879.

NOTICE.

The Subscriber **William Dunn Black** retired, as at 30th November last, from the Concerns of **BLACK & WINGATE**, Merchants, Manufacturers, and Calico Printers, Glasgow, and **THE KELVINHAUGH SPINNING COMPANY**, Glasgow, of which he and the other Subscribers were the sole Partners, in terms of Contract of Copartnership.

Glasgow, 2d July 1879.

JAMES BLACK.

JOHN B. WINGATE.

WILLIAM DUNN BLACK.

ROBERT MACBRAYNE.

WILLIAM PETTIGREW.

J. R. MONTEATH, Writer, 88 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.
ARTHUR STURROCK, Law-Clerk, 88 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE.

The Business and Firm of **BROWN & LOWDEN**, Auctioneers and Valuers, carried on by the Subscribers, as sole Partners, at No. 14 Gordon Street, Glasgow, was of this date **DISSOLVED** of mutual consent.

The debts owing by the Concern shall be paid by the Subscriber **Matthew Lowden**, and to whom all debts due to the Concern are to be paid.

ALEXANDER HALL RAE BROWN.

G. FYFFE CHRISTIE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

THOS. YOUNG, Clerk to G. Fyffe Christie, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

MATTHEW LOWDEN.

G. FYFFE CHRISTIE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

THOS. YOUNG, Clerk to G. Fyffe Christie, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 3d July 1879.

NOTICE.

The Subscriber **James Marshall** retired, as at 30th June 1879, from the Copartnership Concern of **MARSHALL, BLAIRS, & NAISMITH**, Warehousemen, Ingram Street, Glasgow.

The Business will be continued by the other Subscribers under the Firm of **BLAIR, SON, & NAISMITH**; and they are authorized to collect all debts due to, and will pay all liabilities of, the said Copartnership Concern.

JAMES MARSHALL.

MALCOLM M'MURRICH, Witness.

WILLIAM M'LEOD, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of James Marshall.

THOMAS BLAIR.

SAMUEL C. BLAIR.

WILLIAM NAISMITH.

THOMAS G. HOEY, Witness.

WM. JARVIE, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Thomas Blair, Samuel C. Blair, and William Naismith.

NOTICE.

The Subscriber **William Barbour Morrison**, by agreement with his Copartners, ceased on 31st March 1879 to be a Partner and to have any interest in the Firm of **ROBERT BROWN & SON**, Manufacturers of Fire Clay Goods, &c., at Ferguslie and Shortroods, Paisley, and having places of business in Glasgow, Edinburgh, Dublin, and Belfast.

Paisley, 30th June 1879.

WM. B. MORRISON.

DAVID YOUNG, Writer, Paisley, Witness.

THOMAS ROWAND, Law-Clerk, Paisley, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Leith, 2d July 1879.

The Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof, as Merchants at 36 Water Street, Leith, under the Firm of **MEINERS & SCHUTHE**, has this day been **DISSOLVED** by mutual consent.

The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber **J. F. Meiners**, at the same address, in his own name and for his own behoof; and he will receive all open accounts due to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

J. F. MEINERS.

J. J. EMIL SCHUTHE.

A. W. BEDA, Merchant, Leith, Witness.
JAMES PHILP, Solicitor, Leith, Witness.

30th June 1879.

THE Copartnery Concern of MITCHELL, DAWSON, & SMITH, Shorthand Writers, 139 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers have been the sole Partners since the retiral of Mr. Robert Smith on 16th April 1878, was of this date DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

Mr. James MacRobbie, Accountant, 173 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, is authorized to pay all debts due by, and uplift all debts due to, the dissolved Firm.

W. MITCHELL.

GEORGE FORBES DAWSON.

WILL. GIBSON, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

R. BROWN RITCHIE, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

THE Copartnery carried on by the Subscribers as Manufacturers at Comely Bank Mill, Galashiels, under the Firm of BOGUE, LEES, & COMPANY, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

Galashiels, 1st July 1879.

GEO. BOGUE.

ROBERT LEES, Jr.

FRANK RUTHERFORD, Writer, Galashiels, Witness.

RO. STEWART, Writer, Galashiels, Witness.

THE Firm of SCOTT, SMEATON, & LAW, Writers, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.

Mr. Scott and Mr. Law will carry on business at the old address under the Firm of SCOTT & LAW, and will receive and discharge all debts due to and by the Firm.

Mr. Smeaton has entered into Partnership with Mr. John Wight, C.A., 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, under the Firm of WIGHT & SMEATON.

Glasgow, 30th June 1879.

ALEX. M. SCOTT.

JNO. C. SMEATON.

FRANCIS LAW.

JAMES DALL, Clerk to Scott & Law, Writers, Glasgow, Witness.

CLEMENT M. CAMPBELL, Clerk to Scott & Law, Writers, Glasgow, Witness.

THOMAS PATERSON, Baker, Coatbridge, presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Airdrie, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, Airdrie, upon the 4th day of August next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

W. G. JAMESON, County Buildings, Airdrie, Agent for Petitioner.

Airdrie, 3d July 1879.

ROBERT GREER, residing 39 M'Lean Street, Govan, near Glasgow, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Spens), County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 5th day of August next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

JAMES SMART,
160 Hope Street, Glasgow,
Petitioner's Procurator.

W. J. SHIELDS, Grocer, Coatbridge, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Airdrie against his Creditors, praying for Interim Protection against the Execution of Diligence, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, Airdrie, upon the 4th day of August next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for public Examination.

JOS. SHAUGHNESSY,
170 Hope Street, Glasgow,
Petitioner's Procurator.170 Hope Street, Glasgow,
3d July 1879.

WILLIAM EDMONDSON, Raeberry Street, Glasgow, now residing at Great Western Road there, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Spens), County Buildings, Glasgow, upon Thursday the 7th day of August next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

DOWNIE & AITON,
115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Petitioner's Agents.

Glasgow, 3d July 1879.

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

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