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Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners, to both Houses of Parliament, on Wednesday, March 24, 1880.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

S the time assigned by law for the termination of the present Parliament is near at hand, I am induced, by considerations of public policy and convenience, to select this period of the session for releasing you from your legislative duties, with a view to an immediate dissolution, and the issue of writs for a general election.

I cannot part from you without expressing my deep sense of the zeal and ability which, during more than six years, you have consistently displayed in exercising your important functions, nor without tendering to you my warm acknowledgments for the useful measures which you have submitted for my acceptance, and especially for the manner in which you have upheld a policy the object of which was at once to defend my Empire and to secure the general peace.

My relations with Foreign Powers are friendly, and favourable to the maintenance of tranquility

in Europe.

I entertain the confident hope that the measures adopted in Afghanistan will lead to a speedy settlement of that country.

I have had much satisfaction in assenting to the Acts you have passed for the relief of the distress unhappily prevalent in parts of Ireland; and trusting that these measures will be accepted by my Irish subjects as a proof of the ready sympathy of the Imperial Parliament, I look forward with

confidence to the restored prosperity of their country.

I rejoice to observe the indications of a general improvement in trade, and that the commercial depression which I have had to lament appears to be passing away.

I have witnessed with the greatest sympathy the heavy losses sustained by the various classes connected with the cultivation of the soil, and have viewed with admiration the patience and high spirit with which they have contended against an almost unprecedented series of disastrous seasons.

I trust that, with the blessing of Providence, a more favourable harvest may be looked for, and that, from the Commission which I issued to inquire into the causes of agricultural depression, suggestions may come which will lead to the more profitable use of agricultural land, and to a higher development of this branch of national industry.

The electors of the United Kingdom will be called upon forthwith to choose their Representatives in Parliament, and I fervently pray that the blessing of Almighty God may guide them to promote the object of my constant solicitude—the happiness of my people.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read; after which the Lord Chancellor said:

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to Her commands, prorogue this Parliament to Tuesday the thirteenth day of April next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Tuesday the thirteenth day of April next.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Parliament be prorogued from Wednesday the twenty-fourth day of March instant, to Tuesday the thirteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty; and that the Right Hon-ourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain do cause a Commission to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Parliament accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to Wednesday the fourteenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

By the QUEEN. A PROCLAMATION,

For Dissolving the present Parliament and Declaring the calling of another.

VICTORIA, R.

Whereas We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to dissolve this present Parliament which stands prorogued to Tuesday the thirteenth day of April next:
We do for that end publish this Our Royal
Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the said Parliament accordingly; and the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Kuights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for shires and burghs, of the House of Commons are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the said Tuesday the thirteenth day of April next; and We, being desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people, and to have

known to all Our loving subjects Our Royal will and pleasure to call a new Parliament; and do hereby further declare, that, with the advice of Our Privy Council, We have given order that Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, and Our Chancellor of Ireland, do, respectively, upon notice thereof, forthwith issue out Writs in due form, and according to law, for calling a new Parliament: and We do hereby also, by this Our Royal Proclamation under Our Great Seal of Our United Kingdom, require Writs forthwith to be issued accordingly by Our said Chancellors, respectively, for causing the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons, who are to serve in the said Parliament, to be duly returned to, and give their attendance in, Our said Parliament; which Writs are to be returnable on Thursday the twenty-ninth day of April next.

> Given at Our Court at Windsor, this twenty-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty-third year of Our Reign.

> > GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

By the QUEEN. A PROCLAMATION.

In order to the Electing and Summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland.

VICTORIA, R.

Whereas We have in Our Council thought fit to declare Our pleasure for summoning and holding a Parliament of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, on Thursday the twenty-ninth day of April next ensuing the date hereof; in order, therefore, to the electing and summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, who are to sit in the House of Peers in the said Parliament, We do, by the advice of Our Privy Council, issue forth this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood House, in Edinburgh, on Friday the sixteenth day of April next, between the hours of twelve and two in the afternoon, to nominate and choose the sixteen Peers, to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the said ensuing Parliament, by open election, and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent (such proxies proxies of such as snail be absent (such proxies being Peers, and producing a mandate in writing, duly signed before witnesses, and both the constituent and proxy being qualified according to law), and the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made and duly examined, to certify the names of the sixteen Peers so elected, and to sign and attest the same in the presence of the said Peers the Electors, and return such certificate into Our High soon as may be, to meet Our people, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby make do, by this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly



command and require the Provost of Edinburgh, and all other the Magistrates of the said city, to take especial care to preserve the peace thereof, during the time of the said election, and to prevent all manner of riots, tumults, disorders, and violence whatsoever. And We strictly charge and command that this Our Royal Proclamation be duly published at the Market-Cross at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns of Scotland, ten days, at least, before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed to such election.

Witness Ourselves at Windsor, this twentyfourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty-third year of Our reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty having been this day pleased by Her Royal Proclamation to dissolve the present Parliament and to declare the calling of another, is hereby further pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain, and the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor of Ireland, do, respectively, and upon notice of this Her Majesty's Order, forthwith cause Writs to be issued in due form and according to Law, for the calling of a new Parliament, to meet at the city of Westminster: which Writs are to be returnable on Thursday the twenty-ninth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the respective Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be forthwith dissolved: and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for that purpose.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the succession to Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain, do, upon notice of this Her Majesty's Order, forthwith cause Writs to be issued in due form of Law, for electing new Members of the Convocations of the Clergy, which Writs are to be returnable on Friday the thirtieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day, the Honourable David Robert Plunket, M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 24th day of March 1880.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day, George Cubbitt, Esquire, M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 24, 1880.

The Marquis of Salisbury, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from Her Majesty's Minister at Bucharest, a Despatch, with inclosures, from the Roumanian Government, pointing out the necessity for all persons intending to visit Roumania to be provided with passports which they must produce within twenty-four hours after their arrival to the local authorities, in order to obtain the Carte de libre Séjour, or ticket of residence, without which no foreigner is allowed to remain in the country.

WHITEHALL, March 24, 1880.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint Hugh Fife Ashley Brodie, of Brodie, Esq., to be Lieutenant of the Shire of Nairn, in the room of James Campbell John Brodie, Esq., deceased.

INDIA OFFICE, March 23, 1880.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Gibbs, Esq., C.S.I., late a Member of the Bombay Civil Service, to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, in succession to Sir Alexander John Arbuthnot, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

CROWN OFFICE, March 24, 1880.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the following Gentlemen of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, viz.:-

Henry George Allen, Esq., of Lincoln's Inn.
William Shaw, Esq., of Gray's Inn.
Frederick Bailey, Esq., of the Middle Temple.
Edgar Rodwell, Esq., of the Middle Temple.
James Jones Aston, Esq., of the Middle Temple.
Frederick Waymouth Gibbs, Esq., of Lincoln's Inn.

Edmund Swetenham, Esq., of Lincoln's Inn. George Browne, Esq., of the Inner Temple. William Cole Beasley, Esq., of the Inner Temple. Frederick Charles James Millar, Esq., of the Inner Temple.

Lumley Smith, Esq., of the Inner Temple. William Potter, Esq., of the Inner Temple. Joseph Underhill, Esq., of the Middle Temple. John Edmund Wentworth Addison, of the Inner Temple.

Arthur Richard Jelf, of the Inner Temple. John Thomas Crossley, of the Inner Temple. Edward George Clarke, of Lincoln's Inn. Sir William Thomas Charley, Knt., of the Inner Temple.

William Comer Petheram, Esq., of the Middle Temple.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, March 22, 1880.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, will be held on Thursday and Friday the 13th and 14th May 1880, in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Liverpool, Bristol, Plymouth, Leeds, Birmingham, Norwich, Glasgow, Dundee, Aberdeen, Cork, Galway, Belfast, Omagh, and Limerick, under the Regulations, dated 26th April 1875, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th April 1875.

Appointments will be given to the first 70 Candidates on the list, if duly qualified in respect of

age, health, and character.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st of May, an 'application' in the handwriting of the candidate on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once. .

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCY ANNULLED.

John Horman De Jersey, of 13A Gresham Street West, London, clerk to the Secondary of London.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

Andrew Althans and Francis Edward Cooper, of 13 John Street, Minories, London, trading under the style or firm of Althans & Cooper, as wine and brandy mer-

Cyril Horsford Padday, of 29 Great Saint Helens, London, merchant and commission agent, and residing at 65 Inverness Terrace, Bayswater, Middlesex.

H Wyndham Quin, a lieutenant in Her Majesty's 16th Regiment of Lancers, of the Barracks, Brighton, Sussex.

Francis Stanley, of 22 Brunswick Road, Hove, near Brighton, Sussex.

Thomas Moore, of 1 High Street and 11 Walter's Road, South Norwood, Surrey, auctioneer and dealer in

Harry Leonard Mort, of The Thorns, Lydiate, near Ormskirk, Lancaster, farmer and market gardener.

John Crocker, late of 47 Mansel Street, Swansea, Glamorgan, but now of 14 Page Street, Swansea aforesaid, formerly an accountant and commission agent, but now a foreman of a Copper Ore Yard.

John Welton the younger, of 4 High Swinburns Place, Newcastle-upon Tyne, builder.

Eli Hadley, of 1 Garratt's Lane, Old Hill, Stafford,

UNDER THE ENDOWED INSTITUTIONS (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1878.

In the Matter of 'THE GRAHAM FREE SCHOOL' TRUST.

Unto the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, M.P., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, the Petition of John Ebenezer Watson, Accountant, Glasgow; William Lochore Brown, Writer, Glasgow; William Nairn, residing at The Hermitage, Murrayfield, Edinburgh; Joseph Findlay, Mill Furnisher, Glasgow; William Clark, Thread Manufacturer, Glasgow; James Burns Kidston, Writer, Glasgow; and William Giffen Lindsay, Accountant, Glasgow,—the Trustees now acting under Trust Disposition and Settlement executed by Mrs. Janet Graham or Lindsay, spouse of James Lindsay, sometime Grain Merchant, thereafter residing in Glasgow, dated 31st July, and recorded in the Burgh Court Books of Glasgow 7th November, both in the year 1833; and Trust Conveyance in implement by the Rev. William Kidston, D.D., Glasgow, and others the Trustees named in the aforesaid Trust Disposition and Settlement in favour of themselves and others as Trustees for the Patrons and Guardians of The Graham Free School, dated the 8th, and recorded in the Burgh Court Books of Glasgow the 10th, both days of February 1838; and Alexander Nisbet, Ironmonger, Glasgow; William Graham, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow; William Graham of Lambhill, near Glasgow; James Graham, Wright, Glasgow; John Graham, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow; James Grahame, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow; Patrick Scotland, Agent, Glasgow; George Gilbert Ramsay, Professor of Humanity in the University of Glasgow; James Brown Fleming, Writer, Glasgow; and John Alexander, Merchant, Glasgow,-being the present Directors of the Graham Charitable Society of Glasgow, and the Reverend John Ker, D.D., and the Reverend James M'Ewen, M.A., being the present ministers of the congregation formerly in connection with the United Secession Church of Scotland, now incorporated with the Relief Church of Scotland, under the name of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland, and formerly worshipping in Campbell Street, Glasgow, now in Sydney Place United Presbyterian Church, Glasgow, being the whole of the Patrons and Guardians of the Endowed Institutions in Glasgow, named 'The Graham Free School.'

Humbly Sheweth,

Act, 1878 (sections 4 to 8 inclusive), provision is made for the governing body of any endowed Institution in Scotland obtaining from Parliament power and authority whereby changes may be made in the application of the endowments of such Institution, by applying to the Sccretary of State for a Provisional Order for that object.

That your Petitioners are the governing body of the Endowed Institution in Glasgow called 'The Graham Free School,' the endowments of which are held in trust for the establishment and support of a Free School in Glasgow for the benefit of poor children bearing the names of Graham, Norrie, or Norris, and of any children, not exceeding ten at a time, out of the poor families of the Congregation formerly in connection with the United Secession Church of Scotland, now incorporated with the Relief Church in Scotland under the name of the United Presbyterian Church in Scotland, and formerly worshipping in Campbell Street, Glasgow, now in Sydney Place United Presbyterian Church, Glasgow, recommended by the minister or ministers thereof.

That the said endowments were bequeathed for the objects aforesaid by the deceased Mrs. Janet Graham or Lindsay (hereinafter called 'the Testa-trix'), who died in the year 1833, but, for many years after her death, the endowments were inadequate to admit of the erection and maintenance of a school as contemplated by her; and in the year 1857 it was resolved, with a view in the meantime to carry out so far as possible the spirit of her instructions, to pay the school fees of a limited number of children of the specified names and qualifications, at whatever schools might happen to be most conveniently situated for the children; and this method has been continued ever since, and is, in the opinion-of your Petitioners, far more beneficial than any system whereby the children would be collected together in one school, to attend which many of them would have to travel great distances daily.

That the existence of the Institution is now well known, and, under the present system, all applicants falling within the terms of the bequest have been admitted to its benefits.

That the annual expense of the education thus afforded has hitherto amounted to less than £200 per annum; while for the last few years the average annual increase of the capital of the endowment funds has been £450, and the total capital at the close of the year 1879 was estimated at £15,543, 16s.

That, in these circumstances, your Petitioners consider that it would greatly increase the benefits arising from the Institution, and would carry out the true intention of the Testatrix if their powers were enlarged, and therefore, in terms of 'The Endowed Institutions (Scotland) Act, 1878,' your Petitioners, as the governing body of the Institution, at a meeting held on 27th January 1880 (specially called for the purpose in terms of that

Act), unanimously resolved that application should be made for a Provisional Order for the purpose of obtaining enlarged powers for the better application of the endowments of the Institution. A copy of the circular convening the meeting, with a certificate of posting the same, and a Duplicate of the Minute of the Special Meeting, accompany this Petition.

That there are no vested interests which will be altered or interfered with.

That the provisions for the better application of the endowments of the Institution which your Petitioners desire to have sanctioned are to the following effect, viz.:—

That the whole revenue of the endowment funds, after deduction of expenses, shall be expended—

(First.) In providing primary education on the system hitherto adopted, or on such other system as the Patrons and Guardians of the Institution may from time to time resolve upon for deserving poor children of the directed names of 'Graham,' 'Norrie,' or 'Norris,' and also for any children, not exceeding ten at a time, out of the poor families of the said Congregation, recommended by the minister or ministers thereof, and also in extending the benefits of such education to the children of any person bearing any of the above names.

(Second.) After satisfying the first purpose, then in providing or aiding in providing secondary education for such of said children as may appear specially deserving or in a position most to profit from the same.

(Third.) Concurrently with the second power, in applying such portion of the revenue, after satisfaction of the first purpose, in aiding the education, whether primary or secondary, of children of the above names and of the children recommended as aforesaid by a Bursary, Scholarship, Grant, or otherwise, as may appear desirable to the Patrons and Guardians.

That in exercising all these powers the Patrons and Guardians should be at liberty to depart from the direction of the Testatrix as to the age of children and period during which aid is to be given, and as to the education to be afforded, and shall from time to time be entitled to regulate the whole of these points according to their own discretion.

May it therefore please you to take this Petition into your consideration, and with or without publication thereof in the Edinburgh Gazette, and other newspapers circulating in the county of Lanark, with a view to inquiry, and with or without remit to, and report by the Commissioners acting under the said Act, to issue a Provisional Order in relation to the several things mentioned in this Petition, either in accordance herewith or with such alterations and modifications, not being inconsistent with the general principles hereof, as may appear to you to be requisite.

And your Petitioners will ever pray.

BROWN, DUNLOP, & LINDSAY,
Writers, Glasgow,
Solicitors for Petitioners.

The foregoing Petition is now, under the direction of the Secretary of State, published in terms of section 5 of the before-mentioned Act.

BROWN, DUNLOP, & LINDSAY.

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns,

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held, during the four Weeks ending Saturday the 13th day of March 1880.

Name and Title as set forth in	, M. 17 3	Head Office or	Circulation	Average Weel	nge Circulation during Weeks ending as above.	Average Circulation during four Average Amount of Coin held during Weeks ending as above.	Average Au four We	rage Amount of Coin held du four Weeks ending as above	held during as above.
Licence,	Name of the firm.	Place of Issue.	by Certificate.	£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
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Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	239076	489354	728430	483891	89267	573158
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	240160	455493	695653	569725	112917	682642
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	164251	406186	570437	225588	74591	300179
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	213827	502841	716668	464339	50172	514511
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	172192	414939	587131	457415	71670	529085
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	226623	456191	682814	326731	88845	415576
Aberdeen Town and County Banking \(\)	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	83099	103804	186903	150897	19644	170541
land Banking Comp	Nor	Aberdeen	154319	135539	159788	295327	182079	19847	201926
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	167674	308263	475937	253158	86025	339183
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	15762	37964	53726	21029	6341	27370
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, have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate, with the exception of

Dated this 25th day of March 1880.

which this Return relates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the MONGES IRON COMPANY, LIMITED, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, on the 22d day of March 1880 passed an Extraordinary Resolution for winding up the Company voluntarily; and John Campbell Maccall, Junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, was appointed Liquidator.

JOHN C. MACCALL, Jr., C.A., Liquidator.

JOHN K. LINDSAY, S.S.C., 16 Queen Street, Edinburgh, Agent for Liquidator.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE NEILLEAY, Horse Dealer, Beith.

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

GEORGE NEILLEAY.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JOHN HUGHES, Tailor and Clothier, 171 and 173 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, carrying on business there under the Firm of Hughes & Valdin, of which Firm he is the sole Partner, also carrying on business in Glasgow as a Cab Proprietor under the Style or Firm of James Hughes, of which he is also sole Partner, and also one of the Partners of P. & J. Hughes, Tailors and Clothiers, sometime carrying on business at 125 Main Street, Anderston, Glasgow, and afterwards at 380 Argyle Street, Glasgow, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

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

Angus Campbell, Writer, Glasgow, Agent.

Glasgow, 26th March 1880.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of JAMES SIMPSON, Tea, Coffee, and Spice Merchant, Edinburgh, and presently residing at No. 22 Lauriston Street, Edinburgh, sole Partner of the Firm of S. Banner & Co., Tea, Coffee, and Spice Merchants, Victoria Terrace, Edinburgh.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of Mid-Lothian, James Simpson, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him or for which he was liable, either as Partner of said Firm or as an Individual, before the Sequestration of his and the said Firm's Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

ROBERT A. ROBERTSON, S.S.C., Agent for the said James Simpson.

Edinburgh, 29th March 1880.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of GEORGE EADIE, Wright and Builder, 215 Caledonia Road, Glasgow, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down

to the 15th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

For Wm. Mackinnon, M'Clelland, Mackinnon, & Blyth.

115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 29th March 1880.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN CLARK & SON, Flour, Butter, and Lard Merchants, Maxwell Street, Glasgow, and John Clark and John Clark, Junior, Flour, Butter, and Lard Merchants there, sole Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions with the Estates, brought down to the 18th instant, have been made up and audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statute.

P. H. AIKMAN, C.A., Trustee.

101 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 26th March 1880.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES KNOX, Joiner, Annandale Street Lane, Leith Walk, Edinburgh.

THE Commissioners have audited my accounts, brought down to 13th March 1880, and postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the next statutory period.

W. B. ROBERTSON, Trustee.

Chambers, 53 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, 27th March 1880.

In the SEQUESTRATION of DONALD R. MAC-GREGOR & COMPANY, Merchants and Shipping Agents in Leith, as a Company, and of Donald Robert Macgregor and James Smith, both Merchants and Shipping Agents in Leith, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estates of the Company and Individual Partners, brought down to 12th current, have been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of any Dividend until next statutory period, and dispensed with circulars to the Creditors; of all which Intimation is hereby given, in terms of the Statute.

THOMAS S. LINDSAY, Trustee.

55 Castle Street, Edinburgh, 27th March 1880.

A LEXANDER STORRAR, Bank Agent, Stranraer, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM GUNION, Farmer in Barsolus, in the Parish of Inch and County of Wigtown, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

A. STORRAR, Trustec. Stranraer, 26th March 1880.

In the SEQUESTRATION of J. & J. LIGHTBODY, Slate, Marble, and Cement Merchants, Glasgow, as a Company, and James Lightbody and John Lightbody, both Slate, Marble, and Cement Merchants, Glasgow, the sole Partners of the said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

AVID SIMPSON CARSON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first Dividend from the Company Estate will be paid, within the Chambers of Carson & Mackenzic, 79 West Regent Street, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 15th day of May 1880, and that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend from the Individual Estates until the recurrence of another statutory period.

D. S. CARSON, C.A., Trustee.

HE Estates of ARTHUR MURPHY, Shipowner, Port-Dundas, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of March 1880, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire. The first Deliverance is dated 26th March 1880.

The first Deliverance is dated 26th March 1880.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Friday the 9th day of April next, 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 26th July 1880.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WM. PATERSON, Procurator, 44 Hutcheson Street, Glasgow, Agent.

HE Estates of JOHN BUCHANAN, Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Blantyre and Hamilton, were Sequestrated on the 27th day of March 1880, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 27th March 1880.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 9th day of April 1880, 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 27th

day of July 1880.

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.

Scott & Law, Writers, 156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agents for Petitioner.

THE Estates of HENRY FERGUSON, Wholesale Grocer, Seagate, Dundee, were Sequestrated on the 27th day of March 1880, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first Deliverance is dated the 27th March 1880. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the

8th day of April 1880, within Lamb's Hotel, 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 27th day of July 1880.

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 making to the Sequestra-

tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THOS. CONGLETON, Solicitor, 20 Castle Street, Dundee, Agent.

THE Estates of WILLIAM RALSTON, now or lately residing at Ardshealach, Strontian, Fort-William, were Sequestrated on the 29th day of March 1880, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 5th March 1880.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 9th day of April 1880, within the Mishniesh Hotel, Tober-

mory.

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 29th day of July 1880.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff

Court of Argylishire at Tobermory.

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

J. & A. HASTIE, S.S.C., Agents, 5 York Place, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of THOMAS CROW, Builder, Caledonian Crescent, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 30th day of March 1880, by the Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington.

The first Deliverance is dated 30th March 1880. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 7th day of April 1880, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 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 the 30th day of July 1880.

day of July 1880.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

All future Advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

CURROR & COWPER, Agents, India Buildings, Edinburgh.

NOTICE.

PETITION having been presented in the Sheriff Court of Forfarshire at Dundee, at the instance of Latta & Company, Warehousemen, Miller Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of JAMES C. SWAN, Clothier, Broughty Ferry, the Sheriff-Substitute at Dundee of this date granted Warrant to Messengersat-Arms and Officers of Court to cite the said James C. Swan, in terms of the Statute, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

THOS. LITTLEJOHN, Solicitor, 27 Bank Street, Dundee, Agent.

Dundee, 27th March 1880.

PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Thomas B. Campbell & Company, Metal Merchants, Picardy Place, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of the Deceased JOHN HENDERSON, sometime carrying on husiness as a Plumber in Kelso under time carrying on business as a Plumber in Kelso under the Company name of Henderson & Son, Plumbers in Kelso, of which Firm he was the sole Partner, his Lord-ship, on 27th March 1880, granted Warrant for citing Mrs. Caroline Louisa Allen or Henderson, residing in Kelso, widow, and James Henderson and Harriet Henderson, both residing in Kelso, children of the said deceased John Henderson, and their Tutors and Curators, if they any have, to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of the said John Henderson's Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> WATT & ANDERSON, S.S.C., 9 York Place, Edinburgh, Agents.

27th March 1880.

NOTICE.

PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of The City of Glasgow Bank, incorporated under 'The Companies Act, 1862,' now in Liquidation, and William Anderson, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, George Auldjo Jamieson, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, John Cameron, Banker, Glasgow, and James Haldane, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, the Liquidators appointed by an Extraordinary Resolution of the Company, passed on 22d October 1878, for the voluntary winding up thereof, for Sequestration of the Estates of DAVID SHIELDS, Stewart Villa, Old Cumnock, in the County of Ayr, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said David Shields to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> DAVIDSON & SYME, W.S., 22 Castle Street, Edinburgh, Agents.

Edinburgh, 29th March 1880.



SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MEIKLE, Dairyman, lately residing at East Seaton, Arbroath.

JOHN HERALD, Auctioneer, Arbroath, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Richard Proctor, Watchmaker, William Fyfe Brown, Flesher, and John Gauldie, Miller, all of Arbroath, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Forfar, on Monday the 5th day of April next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Webster & Littlejohn, Solicitors, 39 Commerce Street, Arbroath, on Wednesday the 14th day of April next, at twelve o'clock

JNO. HERALD, Trustee.

Arbroath, 27th March 1880.

SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE STENHOUSE, residing at Granton Lodge, Edinburgh.

PRANCIS DICKSON, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Whitson, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Adam Wardlaw, Accountant, Edinburgh, and John Anderson, Draper, 156 Canongate, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Bankruptcy Court Room, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 5th April next, at two o'clock P.M. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No. 38 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 16th April, at one o'clock P.M. one o'clock P.M.

FRANCIS DICKSON, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM HENRY SIM-MONDS, Commission Agent, residing at Lothian Bank, Eskbank, Dalkeith, in the County of Edinburgh.

Eskbank, Dalkeith, in the County of Edinburgh.

AMUEL NEIL, Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Charles Wood Brown, a Partner of the Firm of C. & J. Brown, Upholsterers, &c., Clerk Street, Edinburgh, Robert Roy Paterson, one of the Partners of the Firm of Paterson & Sons, Music Sellers, 27 George Street, Edinburgh, and James Finlayson, one of the Partners of D. Finlayson & Son, 21 George Street, Edinburgh, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George 1V. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 1st day of April 1880, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, No, 77 George Street, Edinburgh, upon Friday the 9th day of April 1880, at two o'clock afternoon.

The Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington has granted a Warrant of Protection to the Bankrupt for the space of twelve months from 15th March 1880.

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SAMUEL NEIL, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of WILLIAM BROADLAY, China Mcrchant and General Dealer, Eastgate, Peebles.

been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Petty, Wholesale Merchant, Holyrood Square, Edinburgh, and Alexander Gray, Partner of the Firm of Messrs. W. A. Gray & Son, Manufacturers, Portobello, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Bankruptcy Court Room, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 6th day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon. The second General Meeting of Creditors will be held within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 15th day of April next, at one o'clock afternoon, when a third Commissioner will fall to be elected.

JOHN HETHERTON, Trustee.

7 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, 30th March 1880.

JOHN BARTHOLOMEW, Farmer at Duntarvie, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN DUNCAN, Farmer, residing at East Philpstoun, in the Parish of Abercorn and County of Linlithgow, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Glen & Henderson, in Linlithgow, on Friday the 23d day of April 1880, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

JOHN BARTHOLOMEW, Trustee.

Duntarvie, 29th March 1880.

PETER GRANT MACKINTOSH, Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on Sequestrated Estate of ROBERT ALEXANDER, Draper, Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held in his Office, 125 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 21st April next, 1880, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering an application for the Trustee's discharge.

P. G. MACKINTOSH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 26th March 1880.

OHN WILSON BRUCE, Accountant in Glasgow,
Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of PETER
BENNIE, Grocer in Muirkirk, hereby calls a Meeting of
the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Messrs.
Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, Accountants, 65 West
Regent Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 22d day of
April 1880, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to
an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

JOHN WILSON BRUCE, Trustee.

Glasgow, 27th March 1880.

W ALTER CHALMERS, Merchant, 13 Yardheads, Leith, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of RUSSELL & CRESSER, Brushmakers, 345 High Street, Edinburgh, as a Company, and Robert Cresser, residing at No. 19 Marchmont Crescent, Edinburgh, and John Russell, residing at No. 18 Nelson Street, Edinburgh, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors, held upon the 24th day of March current, the Bankrupt, the said Robert Cresser, offered to the Creditors a Composition of Five Shillings per pound on the debts of the said Firm of Russell & Cresser, payable in equal instalments at three and six months from the date of his discharge, and a Composition of Sixpence per pound on his debts as Partner and as an Individual, payable three months from the date of his discharge, and offered security for the fulfilment of said offer, which was made on the footing that the Company Estate and his Individual Estate were to be made over to him on his discharge being granted, in terms of the 'Bankruptey (Scotland) Act, 1856,' section 140; and that the Creditors present entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Messrs. Boyd, Macdonald, & Co., S.S.C., No. 55 Constitution Street, Leith, upon Thursday the 15th day of April 1880, at one o'clock afternoon.

WALTER CHALMERS, Trustee.

Leith, 25th March 1880.

A LEXANDER WALKER, Grain Merchant, Peterhead, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM TAYLOR, Farmer, Newseat, in the Parish of Peterhead and County of Aberdeen, with consent of the Commissioners on said Estate, hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within Laing's Hotel, Peterhead, on Friday the 9th day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, to take into consideration (an offer of Composition to be made by the said William Taylor. Taylor.

ALEX. WALKER, Trustee.

Peterhead, 30th March 1880.

LEXANDER WILLIAMSON, Bank Agent, Inver-A ness, Trustee, hereby intimates that an equalizing Dividend will be paid to those Creditors who have not yet received a Dividend, within the Office of the British Linen Company at Inverness, on the 9th day of April 1880. The said Alexander Williamson also hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors on the above Estate, to be held within the Writing Chambers of James Ross, Solicitor, Inverness, on the 24th day of April 1880, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ALEX. WILLIAMSON, Trustee.

Inverness, 29th March 1880.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN TURNBULL, Draper, Jedburgh.

WALTER GALBRAITH, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee, hereby gives notice that an equalizing and second Dividend will be paid, within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, Accountants, No. 91 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, upon Saturday the 15th day of May 1880.

Walter Galbraith, Trustee.

Glasgow, 29th March 1880.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN JESSIMAN, Builder, Spa Street, Aberdeen.

GEORGE MILNE, Wood Merchant, Aberdeen, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within the Office, 83 Union Street, Aberdeen, of David Stewart, Advocate there, upon the 13th day of May next.

GEORGE MILNE, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 26th March 1880.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'CHEYNE & COM-PANY, Tailors and Clothiers, Dundee, and John M'Cheyne, Tailor and Clothier, Dundee, the sole Partner of the said Firm, as such Partner, and also as

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 14th March current, has been audited by the Commissioners, in terms of the Statutes; and that on and after Saturday the 15th day of May next, an equalizing and also a second and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and admitted by the Trustee.

THO. JACKSON, Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow, 29th March 1880.

CHARLES INNES, Solicitor, Inverness, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER CONACHER, Merchant, Pitlochry, and Partner of the Firm of Conacher & Harris, Farina Manufacturers, Nairn, hereby intimates that a Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at his Office, No. 74 Church Street, Inverness, on the 11th of May next. on the 11th of May next.

CHARLES INNES.

Inverness, 26th March 1880.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

Inverness, 24th March 1880.

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THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers at No. 17 Castle Street, Inverness, under the Firm of GUNN & GRANT, Drapers, Inverness, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent; and the Business

In the SEQUESTRATION of EVANDER CAMPBELL, is transferred to the Subscriber William Gunn, who is authorized to receive payment of all debts due to, and will pay all debts due by, the said Firm.

WILLIAM GUNN. ALEXR. GRANT.

WILLIAM FRASER, Draper's Assistant, Inverness, Witness. JOSEPH MACDONALD, Writer, Inverness, Witness.

NOTICE.

THE Company of GEORGE COWIE & SON, Steam.

Traction Engine Proprietors, Keith, Banffshire, of which the Subscribers George Cowie and John Wilson Cowie were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of mutual consent on the 24th February 1880.

The Business will be carried on by the said John Wilson Cowie, who will receive and pay all debts due to or by the Firm.

or by the Firm.

GEORGE COWIE. JOHN W. COWIE.

JAS. CARMICHAEL, Witness. JAMES LAWRENCE, Witness.

NOTICE.

A BRAHAM TITILAH, Shoemaker, Kelso, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk, for Interim Liberation, Protection, and Decreet of Cessio Bonorum; and his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Jedburgh, on the 3d day of May next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

JAMES RIDDOCH, Solicitor, Jedburgh, Petitioner's Agent.

Jedburgh, 27th March 1880.

JOHN FEARBY, Potato Merchant, Kelso, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Jedburgh, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Jedburgh, upon Monday the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination. Interim Protection has been granted mination. Interim Protection has been granted.

JOHN M'DOUGALL, Agent.

Jedburgh, 27th March 1880.

HENRY BROWN, Joiner, Calton Hill, Edinburgh, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditor, and Betree of Cessio Bondam; and an Institution of the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 3d day of May next, at twelve o'clock noon, when the Petitioner will appear for Examination.

D. K. SMITH, L.A., Agent for Petitioner. 74 George Street, Edinburgh.

NOTICE.

WILLIAM STEWART M'ARTHUR, Warehouseman and Portioner, residing at No. 6 Kilmailing Terrace, Cathcart, has presented a Petition in the Sheriff Court of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, for Interim Protection and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff's Chambers, County Buildings, Paisley, upon the 11th day of May next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, where he will appear for Examination. Interim Protection has been granted in favour of the said William Stewart M'Arthur against Imprisonment for Civil Debt.

44 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Law-Agent of Pursuer.

29th March 1880.

NOTICE.

A LEXANDER MILLER, Grocer, Main Street, Kilsyth, presently incarcerated in the Prison at Stirling, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Stirling and Dumbarton at Stirling, for Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the ordinary Sheriff Court House at Stirling, on Tuesday the 4th day of May next, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

JAS. BROWN, Writer, Stirling, Petitioner's Agent.

Stirling, 29th March 1880.

SAAC WILLIAMSON, Horse Dealer, residing at Bridgend of Alness, in the Parish of Rosskeen and County of Ross, and presently a Prisoner in the Prison of Dornoch, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Ross, Cromarty, and Sutherland, praying for Interim Liberation, Interim Protection, and Decree of Cessio Bonorum; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Dingwall, upon Friday the 30th day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, when he will appear for Examination.

GEORGE M LEAY, Solicitor, Agent for Petitioner.

Tain, 26th March 1880.

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

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