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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1885.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th. day of December 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Sir Henry Charles Lopes, Knight, Lord Justice of Appeal, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

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Whereas by the 'Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855,' it is enacted that it shall be

lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State that a copy of an Interlocutor of a Sheriff of a County of Scotland under certain provisions of the said Act has been received, in pursuance thereof, to order that no new Burial Ground shall be opened within certain limits specified in such Order, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, or (as the case may require) that after a time mentioned in such Order, Burials within certain limits, or in certain Burial Grounds or Places of Burial, shall be discontinued wholly or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and that such Order in Council shall thereupon have like force and effect as if the same were embodied in the said Act: Provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time it shall please Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be transmitted to the Crown Agent in Edinburgh, and the Sheriff-Clerk of the County in which such Burial Ground is situated; and that the same shall be by them respectively published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and fixed on the doors of the Church of, or on some conspicuous places within, the Parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered:

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has, under the provisions of the Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855, made a representation stating that he had received a copy of an Interlocutor of the Sheriff-Substitute of Berwickshire, finding proved the allegations contained in a Petition presented on behalf of the Parochial Board of the Parish of Eyemouth, in

the said County, that the Burial Ground of the said Parish is offensive and contrary to decency :

And whereas in the said representation it is recommended that Burials should be forthwith discontinued in the said Burial Ground, with the exceptions hereinafter specified :

And whereas notice of the said representation and of the time when it pleased Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of the Privy Council, has been duly published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and has been fixed as required by the said Act :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that Burials be forthwith discontinued in the said Burial Ground, except for the burial of widows and widowers of those already buried there, and for the burial of unmarried persons who were over fifty years of age at twelfth June eighteen hundred and eighty-five, being the date of the opening of the new Burial Ground now provided for said Parish, and whose parents are buried in said old Burial Ground, but the said exception shall not apply in the event of such unmarried persons becoming heads of families.

C. L. PEEL.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

December 15, 1885.

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Wednesday next, the 16th instant, for His late Majesty King Ferdinand, Father of His Majesty The King of Portugal and the Algarves, and First Cousin of Her Majesty The Queen, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Wednesday the 30th instant :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Wednesday the 13th January next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, December 15, 1885.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to act as Public Valuers in Great Britain and Ireland, for the year ending 31st December 1886, under the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act, 1875, 38 and 39 Vic. cap. 60, section 35, viz. :—

A. B. Adlard, Law Life Office, 187 Fleet Street, E.C.

Charles Ansell, National Life Assurance Society, 2 King William Street, E.C.

G. S. Crisford, West of England Assurance Company, Exeter.

Thomas Y. Strachan, 18 Granger Street West, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Reuben Watson, 7 Holborn Villas, Lower Talbot Street, Nottingham.

J. Heron Duncan, Scottish Imperial Company, 28 Lombard Street, E.C.

E. J. Farnworth, 12 Guildford Street, Preston.

J. J. W. Deuchar, City of Glasgow Assurance Company, 28 Renfield Street, Glasgow.

Harold Engelbach, National Assurance Company, 3 College Green, Dublin.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, December 15, 1885.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to act as Public Auditors for Great Britain and Ireland, under the Friendly Societies Act and the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, for the year ending 31st December 1886 :—

Thomas Bradley, 100 High Street, Stockton-on-Tees.

Alfred Hallam, 6 Exchange Place, Middlesborough.

Richard Crabtree, Hollins Place, Hebden Bridge, Yorks.

T. A. Riley, 9 Cheapside, Halifax.

W. Norbury, 3 Preston Terrace, Leeds.

Cornelius Wheawill, 1 Imperial Arcade, Huddersfield.

John Edey, 25 Change Alley, Sheffield.

J. Wallwork, 5 St. James' Square, Bradford.

G. S. Holmes, 1 Victoria Buildings, Wigan.

Wm. Rock, Widnes, Lancashire.

Thomas Wood, 1 Balloon Street, Manchester.

Eli Sowerbutts, Market Place, Manchester.

E. Smith, Breeze Hill, Walton-on-Hill, Liverpool.

Thomas Horabin, 66 Watergate Street, Chester.

Reuben Watson, Lower Talbot Street, Nottingham.

F. Q. Sowter, 7 Corn Market, Derby.

George Bacon, 10 Norman Street, Lincoln.

Wm. Thomas Nuttar, 63 High Street, Leicester.

E. A. Beaumont, 24 Queen Street, Huddersfield.

David Williams, Accountant, Clydach, Swansea Valley.

J. A. Findlay, North Street, Bishops Stortford.

E. J. Farnworth, 12 Guildhall Street, Preston.

Henry Teasdel, Junior, Municipal Buildings, Great Yarmouth.

Robert Barrett, Pulham Market, Harleston, Norfolk.

John Rust, 5 Blackfriar's Road, King's Lynn.

A. Green, Ixworth, Suffolk.

W. Ridley, 74 Cobden Road, Brighton.

G. W. Ayliffe, 24 Brighton Road, Surbiton.

T. Walton, St. Paul's Schools, Southampton.

W. J. Richards, Newport, Isle of Wight.

W. P. Strickland, Three Legged Cross, Wimbome.



George Pape, Marston Road, Sherborne, Dorset.
 Thomas J. Maunder, 3 Portland Street, Taunton.
 S. J. Dubridge, Gloucester Street, Stroud.
 Chas. Arthur Hicks, Victoria Square, Cotham, Bristol.
 G. H. Barlow, Eign Road, Hereford.
 E. J. Peirson, 46 Jordan Wall, Coventry.
 John Eggington, 150 Friar Street, Reading.
 Thomas Masters, Fonbridge, Stafford.
 C. Fitch Kemp, 8 Wallbrook, E.C.
 H. R. Jennings, 17 Great Ormond Street, W.C.
 C. E. Mason, 61 King William Street, E.C.
 Thomas Charles, Brymbo, Wrexham.
 David Edmunds, 5 Oakfield Street, Roath, Cardiff.
 D. E. Davies, Rhianfa, Pwllheli.
 J. Howell, 16 Commercial Place, Aberdare.
 David John, The Cottage, Pontycymmer, Bridgend, South Wales.
 W. L. Moore, 9 Chapel Street, Preston.
 J. Davies, Newport, Monmouthshire.
 James Meston, 75 Union Street, Aberdeen.
 R. Moody Stuart, 31 Bank Street, Dundee.
 D. S. Carson, 150 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.
 John M'Kean, 46 and 47 Dame Street, Dublin.
 David Bradish, Corn Exchange, Cork.
 George Pelan, 44 Donegal Street, Belfast.
 Henry J. Owens, 11 Rathgar Avenue, Rathgar, Dublin.

Sawyer Farralley, Keighley Road, Colne, Lancashire, and John Edmonson Harrison, Keighly Road, Colne (trading as Farralley & Harrison), Market Street, Colne, Lancashire, Keighley Road, Skipton, and Church Street, Barnoldswick, both in Yorkshire, grocers and provision dealers.
 Jacob Bigmore, Haverhill, Suffolk, clothier.
 Edward Avery Willis, Rectory House, West Wrattling, Cambridgeshire.
 William Henry Cole, St. Dunstan's, Canterbury, Kent, grocer's assistant.
 Howard Hinton Mackness, 9 Church Road, Canton, and 4 Bute Place, Bute Docks, both in Cardiff, Glamorganshire, grocer and ships' store dealer.
 Arthur Milner, 1 Moss Cottages, Albert Road, Romford, and Park Lane, Hornchurch, both in Essex, mineral water manufacturer.
 Frank Barnwell (trading as Frank Barnwell & Co.), Greville Villa, Gosford Green, and 44 Jordan Well, both in Coventry, Warwickshire, trimming manufacturer.
 Richard Green, Cromwell Street, Earlsdon, and Henry Thomas Hill, Earlsdon Street, Earlsdon, trading as Green & Hill, Cromwell Street, Earlsdon, near Coventry, Warwickshire, machinists.
 John Parkhouse, 3 Ash Grove, Bartholomew Street, and Queen Street Railway Station Yard, Exeter, coal and general merchant.
 William Radford, 12 Regent Square, Heavitree, Devonshire, builder.
 Herbert Lee Steele, 10 Upper North Street, Leeds, Yorkshire, cab proprietor.
 Richard Wray (trading as Wray Brothers), Block No. 1 Kirkgate Market, Leeds, Yorkshire, the Fish Market, Leeds, and Milgarth Street, Leeds, residing at 12 St. George Terrace, Leeds, fruit, game, and fish dealer, and herring curer.
 Nathaniel Cookson, Rose Hill Cottage, Broad Lane, Cheetwood, near Manchester, Lancashire, and trading at 73 Miller Street, Manchester, brushmaker.
 Samuel Vickers, Stoneley Green, near Nantwich, Cheshire, farmer.
 Edward Easam, 40 Lower Duke Street, Kettering, Northamptonshire, baker, grocer, and beer retailer.
 James H. Wood, 1 Bridge Street, Northampton, watchmaker and jeweller.
 Richard John Cobbald, 3 Castle Street, Norwich, tobacconist.
 William Partridge Cubitt, Upton, Norfolk, farmer.
 Frederick Cleaver, 253 Arkwright Street and Queen's Road, both in Nottingham, engineer and railway wagon builder.
 William Gilbert, Bargage Lodge, Southwell, formerly Caunton and Upton, all in Nottinghamshire, formerly publican, now journeyman joiner.
 John Leek, and Richard Leek (trading as Leek Brothers), Southwell, Nottinghamshire, dealers in coal, lime, salt, cake, corn, and beer.
 Thomas Jordan, Dorchester, Oxfordshire, builder and publican.
 Charles James Love, 49 Hannan Street, Porth, Glamorganshire, builder and wheelwright.
 George Thomas Polley, 4 Batter Market and 2 Abbot's Walk, Reading, Berkshire, also Duckett's Farm, Shinfield, Berkshire, ironmonger and farmer.
 Henry Burgin, late 32 Winter Street, now 179 Ecclesall Road, both in Sheffield, Yorkshire, late grocer and provision dealer, now saw smith.
 Henry Charles Ravenor, Gosport Street, Lymington, Hampshire, plumber.
 John Henry Doxford, 76 Lower Commercial Street, Middlesborough, nautical instrument maker.
 John Edward Sadler, Basford, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire, house decorator and builder.
 Thomas Godly, Forge Farm, Rotherfield, Sussex, farmer.
 Henry Sadler, 2 Shaftesbury Terrace, Kew Road, Richmond, Surrey, fishmonger and poultryer.
 The following amended Notice is substituted for that published in the Edinburgh Gazette of 15th December 1885:—John Jordan Fletcher, 100 High Street and West Villas, Oxbridge Lane, Stockton-on-Tees, tailor.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Nehemiah Learoyd (carrying on business as Learoyd & Co.), The Elms, Muswell Hill, Middlesex, and Albion Chambers, Moorgate Street, London, solicitor.
 Charles Macdonald (trading as Charles Macdonald & Co.), 17 Queen Victoria Street, London, and residing at 54 Addison Road, Kensington, Middlesex, merchant.
 Carl Mengel, 25 Compton Terrace, Highbury, Islington, Middlesex, schoolmaster.
 John Edward Shaw, 516 Mile End Road, Middlesex, boot and shoe manufacturer.
 William Digby Wentworth, 18 Clarges Street, Mayfair, Middlesex.
 Harry Barnard, The Great Western Inn, Devizes, Wiltshire, formerly trading at 56 Northgate Street, Devizes, with John Barnard, as H. & J. Barnard, licensed victualler, formerly fishmonger, poultryer, fruiterer, and dealer in game.
 Frank Cliffard, 5 Plevna Villas, Barendsfield Road, St. Margaret's, Twickenham, late the Prince of Wales, Elizabeth Street, Eaton Square, Middlesex, out of business, late licensed victualler.
 Edgar Everard Salmon, 50 Broad Street, Bristol, formerly residing at Broomwell Lodge, Westfield Park, Bristol, and now or lately residing at 4 Marlborough Street, Bath, Somersetshire, solicitor.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 58, 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 ended Saturday the 14th day of November 1885.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
Bank of Scotland.....	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	£ 343418	286219	643064	929283	658605	88212	746817
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	257228	543986	801214	667468	77402	744870
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	191031	497788	688819	298341	63829	362170
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	220107	585316	805423	520695	50994	571689
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	297024	198642	474636	673278	443221	69014	512335
Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Union Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	454346	261266	565672	826938	459011	91996	551007
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	89416	125020	214436	155559	16709	172268
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	178759	231799	410558	291787	17918	309705
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	204901	397975	602876	342779	78237	421016
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness	53434	29633	72816	102449	45433	14875	60308

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 _____), have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 26th day of November 1885.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 12th December 1885, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		Quantities.	
		1884.	1885.
Animals living :—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	Number	3,800	2,715
Sheep and Lambs	"	7,948	10,020
Swine	"	67	45
Dead Meat :—			
Bacon	cwts.	65,800	50,639
Beef, salted and fresh	"	27,279	21,000
Hams	"	15,267	11,578
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	1,164	1,071
" " preserved	"	9,592	3,910
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	"	8,199	5,920
Mutton, fresh	"	4,823	11,394
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	Value £	28,737	18,115
Butter and Butterine	cwts.	49,845	41,426*
Cheese	"	24,087	13,253
Eggs	Great Hundred	152,137	140,924
Lard	cwts.	10,794	13,062
Vegetables :—			
Onions, raw	Bushels	95,690	73,567
Potatoes	cwts.	9,186	17,608
Unenumerated	Value £	3,944	4,517
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—			
Wheat	cwts.	575,815	1,021,696
Barley	"	92,825	242,468
Oats	"	203,649	249,351
Pease	"	61,070	47,524
Beans	"	99,498	99,825
Maize	"	297,335	418,939
Wheat Meal and Flour	"	297,961	276,479

* Of this quantity, 16,716 cwts. were entered as Butterine.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
December 14, 1885.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

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 12th December 1885, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	50,864	3	30	5
Barley	126,332	0	29	8
Oats	9,269	6	18	2

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
December 12, 1885.

R. GIFFEN.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1881 to 1884.

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.
1881	43,655	5	75,774	7	5,404	2	44	9	31	8	20	6
1882	48,882	7	89,036	5	6,146	1	41	6	33	8	20	9
1883	70,130	1	143,193	1	11,641	1	39	5	31	7	19	4
1884	61,240	6	126,384	3	12,841	1	30	10	31	0	19	5

R. GIFFEN.

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
December 12, 1885.

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, have prepared the Drafts of Schemes for the future administration of the Endowments undernoted, whereof abstracts are appended:—

- No. 1. The John Neilson Endowment, the Duncan Wright Endowment, Hutcheson's Charity School, the Graham School, the Lawn Street Infant School, the William Cochrane Bequest, the Dickson School, the Thread Street School, the Maxwelltown School, the Glen Street School, the Park Endowment, and the Harvey Bequest, all in the County of Renfrew and Burgh of Paisley;
- No. 2. Cook's Trust, in the County of Fife and Parish of Wemyss;
- No. 3. Beaton's Trust, in the County of Renfrew and Burgh of Port-Glasgow.
- No. 4. The Miller Institution, the Innes Bequest, Brims' Trust, and the Swarelett Fund, in the County of Caithness and Parish of Thurso;
- No. 5. The Barclay Trust, in the County of Dumbarton and Parish of Old Kilpatrick;
- No. 6. The Lorne Campbell Bequest, in the County of Dumbarton and Parish of Roseneath;
- No. 7. The Miller Bequest, in the County of Caithness and Parish of Latheron;
- No. 8. The Gordon Educational Legacies, in the County of Kincardine and Parish of Maryculter;
- No. 9. The Spence Bequest, in the County of Orkney and Parish of Cross.

The Commissioners will, in terms of the Twenty-fourth Section of said Act, receive and consider any objection made to them in writing by any

public body or persons interested respecting such Schemes, and any amendments proposed thereon, provided that the same be delivered at their Office, at No. 46 George Street, Edinburgh, within two calendar months from the date hereof. Printed copies of the said Schemes may be had on application to Messrs. A. & C. Black, book-sellers, Edinburgh, Sale Agents for H.M. Stationery Office, at 4d. per copy for No. 1, 2d. per copy for Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, and 1d. per copy for Nos. 7, 8, and 9.

ALEX. GIBSON,
Secretary to Commissioners.

46 George Street, Edinburgh,
18th December 1885.

- No. 1.—Scheme under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowments in the Burgh of Paisley and County of Renfrew, known as the John Neilson Endowment, hitherto held and administered under Will by John Neilson, dated 8th August 1839, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session, 19th November 1839; the Duncan Wright Endowment, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition by Duncan Wright, dated 10th June 1864; Hutcheson's Charity School, hitherto held and administered under Deed of Settlement by Mrs. Margaret Hutcheson or Park, dated 22d August 1793, and registered in the Commissary Court Books of Glasgow, 2d March 1795; the Graham School, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition and Settlement of John Graham, dated 9th August 1861; the Lawn Street Infant School, presently held and administered by the Kirk-Session of the Abbey Church of Paisley, under Disposition by the Rev. James

Cameron Lees and others, dated 3d May 1876; the William Cochrane Bequest, hitherto held and administered under the Will of William Cochrane, dated 24th May 1849, and Scheme by the Charity Commissioners of England and Wales, dated 28th June 1878; the Dickson School, with the Endowment attached thereto, presently held and administered by the School Board of Paisley, under Disposition and Settlement and Codicil thereto, dated respectively 24th November 1840, and 29th April 1841; the Thread Street School, hitherto held by Trustees under Deed by Robert Corse, dated 14th January 1797, and Deed by Mrs. Elizabeth Corse, dated 10th June 1826; the Maxwelltown School; the Glen Street School; the Park Endowment, hitherto held and administered by the Kirk-Session of St. George's Church, Paisley; and the Harvey Bequest, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition and Settlement by James Harvey, dated 17th July, and registered in the Books of Council and Session 1st November 1855.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall be constituted as follows:—

Four shall be elected by the Town Council of Paisley;

Three shall be elected by the School Board of the Burgh of Paisley;

One shall be elected by the School Board of the Abbey Parish of Paisley;

One shall be elected by the Ministers of the Church of Scotland officiating within the Parliamentary Burgh of Paisley;

One shall be elected by the Town Council of Paisley from among the Ministers officiating within the Parliamentary Burgh of Paisley, not being Ministers of the Church of Scotland;

One shall be appointed by the Sheriff-Substitute for the district of Paisley, hereinafter called the Sheriff;

One shall be appointed by the Trustees of the Peter Brough Trust in Paisley; and

Robert Kerr, Esquire, Thomas Hodge, Esquire, Francis Martin, Esquire, and John Armour Brown, Esquire, presently directors of the John Neilson Institution, shall be governors for their lives.

The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by Town Council of Paisley, the School Board of the Abbey Parish of Paisley, the ministers of the Church of Scotland in Paisley, and the Peter Brough Trust shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors elected by the School Board of Paisley, by the Town Council of Paisley out of ministers not belonging to the Church of Scotland, and the governor appointed by the sheriff shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections or

appointments subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected or re-appointed. The first governors shall be elected or appointed as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the body or person entitled to elect or appoint, and said body or person shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, appoint or elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election or appointment not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

22. Discontinuance of Schools.—The governors shall, within twelve months after the date of this Scheme, discontinue the school known as Hutcheson's Charity School, and shall either sell or let the school buildings at a fair rent, as to them may seem best; but, notwithstanding the provisions hereof, they may, on obtaining the authority of the Scotch Education Department, continue the school until such time as may be fixed. They shall either sell or obtain a fair rent for any other building belonging to the Endowment, occupied as a school either by a School Board or by others.

23. Lawn Street School.—The governors shall allow the Kirk-Session of the Abbey Church of Paisley to retain the possession and management of the Lawn Street Infant School, so long as it is maintained by them as a school and obtains a grant from the Scotch Education Department, but if it ceases to be maintained as a school, or if it fails to obtain a grant either through the defective condition of the buildings or otherwise, the governors shall take possession of the school buildings and shall either sell the same or let them at a fair rent; provided always that it shall at any time be in the power of the Abbey Church Kirk-Session to obtain full right to the buildings on payment to the governors of the sum of £500; and on payment of said sum the said buildings shall revert and belong to said Kirk-Session, without the necessity of any new conveyance or instrument, free of all burdens or obligations as to their manner of use whether contained in this Scheme or in any Deed affecting them, and with full power to the said Kirk-Session to sell or dispose of the same in any manner they may think fit.

24. Vested Interests.—All vested interests of individuals holding any office, place, employment, pension, compensation, allowance, bursary, or emolument under or arising out of the said Endowment, in so far as the same were in existence at the passing of the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, are hereby saved and reserved. All bursars or scholars appointed before the date of this Scheme upon any Endowment embraced herein, shall continue to hold his bursary or scholarship in the same manner and under the same conditions as if this Scheme had not been passed.

Operative Clauses.

25. Application of Income.—The governors,

after paying the necessary expenses of management, and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free income of the Endowment in the manner hereinafter provided.

Free Scholarships and Bursaries.

26. Free Scholarships.—The governors, on the closing of Hutcheson's Charity School shall apply a sum not exceeding £100 yearly in paying, in whole or in part as they may think fit, the fees of scholars, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools in the Parliamentary Burgh of Paisley for elementary education as defined in the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882. The free scholars shall be children whose parents or guardians, not being in receipt of parochial relief, are in such circumstances as to require aid for providing elementary education, and are persons who, in the opinion of the governors, ought not to be required to apply to the Parochial Board for such aid.

In the case of children under ten years of age, the selection of free scholars shall be made with due regard to merit as ascertained by such examination, suited to the age of the candidates, as the governors may from time to time prescribe; or in the case of children for whom such examination is unsuitable, by evidence that the children possess such qualifications as to justify their selection; and in the case of children who have been in attendance at school during one or more school years, the governors shall, in making their selection, give special weight to good conduct, attendance, and progress at school during the previous year. The fees in respect of children under ten years of age shall not be paid for more than one school year without re-appointment, and the amount to be expended in paying fees for such children shall not exceed one-third of the amount to be applied under this section.

In the case of children of ten years of age and upwards, the free scholars shall be selected by competitive examinations, which shall be open to all of the same age who are eligible in terms hereof, whether they have or have not previously been beneficiaries; and for such children the school fees may continue to be paid for such period not exceeding three years as the governors may determine. If any scholar gain a school bursary his school fees shall no longer be paid under this section.

The governors, at the end of every school year, shall obtain from the teacher or teachers a special report as to the conduct, regularity of attendance, and progress of all scholars whose school fees are paid in whole or in part under this section, and the fees of no scholar shall continue to be paid in regard to whom such report is not satisfactory.

27. Bursaries.—The governors shall expend the annual sum of £450 on the bursaries established under the three immediately succeeding sections; provided always that they may make a proportional deduction from the sum directed to be spent under each section in the event of the income of the Endowment being in the first instance insufficient to pay the same income as that presently applied for the purposes of the Neilson Institution, and to discharge the claims of those holding bursaries and scholarships under the various Endowments embraced herein.

28. School Bursaries.—The governors shall apply an annual sum of not less than £100 in establishing school bursaries, which shall each be

of the yearly value of not less than £5 nor more than £10. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the Parliamentary Burgh of Paisley and the Abbey Parish of Paisley, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may from time to time be fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid for giving them higher education; these bursaries shall be tenable at the Neilson Institution or Paisley Grammar School for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine.

29. Bursaries for Higher Education.—The governors shall apply an annual sum of not less than £100 in establishing bursaries to be called the Duncan Wright Bursaries, to be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending the Paisley Grammar School and Neilson Institutions whose parents or guardians require aid in giving them higher education. These bursaries shall be of the annual value of not less than £10 nor more than £15, and shall be established by the governors under such conditions and regulations as they may think best fitted to encourage pupils of promise to complete the curriculum of the Grammar School or the Neilson Institution. They shall be tenable at the Grammar School or Neilson Institution for such period, not exceeding two years, as the governors may determine; provided always that with consent of the governors they may be held at any other school for higher or technical instruction approved by the governors. It shall be in the power of the governors to allocate these bursaries if they think fit for separate competition in the Grammar School and the Neilson Institution.

30. University or Technical School Bursaries.—The governors shall expend the annual sum of not less than £200 in establishing bursaries to be called the Duncan Wright Bursaries, each of the annual value of not less than £25. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils in public or State-aided schools in the Parliamentary Burgh or Abbey Parish of Paisley; they shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding four years, as the governors may determine, at a university or technical school to be approved by the governors.

31. Power to make Joint Arrangements with any Trust.—The governors shall have power to make joint arrangements for the management of all or any of the above bursaries, with any Trust awarding similar bursaries in Paisley, and may if they think fit commit the whole management of the bursaries or any of them to a joint committee, appointed partly by themselves and partly by the Trustees of such Trust or Trusts.

The John Neilson Institution.

32. The John Neilson Institution.—The governors shall apply the remainder of the free income in maintaining a school for boys and girls, to be called The John Neilson Institution, within the present buildings of the said institution, or any others they may subsequently acquire.

33. Management.—The institution shall be managed by directors, not more than seven in number, who shall be appointed annually by the governors, and the governors shall be bound to



appoint as directors all members of the governing body who are directors of the institution at the date of this Scheme. The directors shall have full control of the management of the school, and shall annually report their proceedings to the governors.

34. Subjects of Instruction.—The subjects to be taught in the school shall include reading, writing, arithmetic, book keeping and mensuration, geography and history, English grammar, composition and literature, Greek and Latin, at least one modern language, mathematics and drawing, the elements of at least one branch of physical science, and such other subjects as the directors may from time to time determine. The directors shall take especial care to secure thorough and advanced teaching in mathematics, drawing, and modern languages, and shall provide as far as possible that all teaching of scientific subjects shall be accompanied by experimental demonstration and practical teaching.

35. Admission to School.—Children shall, before admission to the school, pass an examination of such nature as shall be fixed by the directors. Subject to this condition, the school shall be open to all children of good health and character so far as there is room for them. If the number of applicants be greater than can be admitted, they shall be admitted in the order of their application.

36. School Fees.—The directors shall charge school fees, except as hereinafter provided. The fees shall not in any case be less than £1 for the school year for the lower class, and shall in the higher classes be fixed by the directors with reference to the comparative cost of such higher classes.

37. Appointment of Head Master.—The directors shall, as soon as conveniently may be, appoint a head master of the school, who shall be a graduate of some university of the United Kingdom. The directors shall appoint any head master at a meeting to be specially called for the purpose, after having taken such steps, by advertisement or otherwise, as they shall deem best calculated to obtain suitable candidates.

38. Dismissal of Head Master.—The directors may dismiss the head master at any time, without assigning cause, after three calendar months' written notice given to him in pursuance of a resolution passed at two consecutive special meetings, held at an interval of at least fourteen days, such resolution being affirmed by at least two-thirds of the directors present on each occasion. The directors, for what in their opinion is urgent cause, may, by a resolution passed at a special meeting, and affirmed by not less than two-thirds of the whole number of directors for the time being, declare that the head master ought to be dismissed from his office without notice, and in that case they may appoint another special meeting, to be held not less than seven days after the former one, and may then dismiss him by a like resolution, affirmed by not less than two-thirds of the directors for the time being. And if the directors assembled at the first of such special meetings think fit at once to suspend the said head master from his office until the next meeting, they may do so by resolution affirmed by not less than two-thirds of the whole number of directors for the time being. Due notice and opportunity for explanation and defence shall in each case be given to the head master.

39. Management of School.—Subject to the approval of the directors and to the rules pre-

scribed by or under the authority of this Scheme, the head master, when appointed, shall have under his control the choice of books, the methods of teaching, the arrangements of classes and school hours, and generally the whole organisation, discipline, and management of the school; and shall have the power of expelling children from the school or suspending their attendance thereat for any cause that appears to him sufficient, subject to an appeal to the directors.

40. Assistant Teachers.—The head master, when appointed, shall have the power of appointing and dismissing all assistant teachers; but no appointment or dismissal of an assistant teacher shall be final until approved by the directors, and in all such cases the approval or disapproval of the directors shall be entered in their minutes.

41. General Supervision.—Subject to the provisions of this Scheme, the directors shall, after due consultation with the head master, when appointed, prescribe the general subjects of instruction, the relative prominence and value to be assigned to each subject, the school terms, vacations, and holidays. They shall take the general supervision of the school buildings and arrangements. They shall determine the number of assistant teachers, and fix their salaries and mode of payment.

42. Inspection.—The school shall be periodically inspected in such manner as the Scotch Education Department may from time to time prescribe.

43. Fund for Repairs and Improvements.—The governors shall set aside and invest such annual sum as they may deem requisite for executing such repairs and improvements on the buildings belonging to the Endowment, as may not fall naturally or conveniently within the annual expenditure of each year. They may at any time use the capital of the sum so invested for executing such repairs and improvements as they may think fit, and shall use the income derived from the said fund as part of the ordinary annual income of the Endowment.

Foundationers at The John Neilson Institution.

44. Foundations.—The governors shall select and enter on the foundation not more than one hundred and twenty foundationers, who may be boys or girls who have resided within the Parliamentary Burgh of Paisley for at least three years, and whose parents are either from the want of means unable to give a suitable education to their children, or have died without leaving sufficient funds for that purpose. No child shall be admitted as a foundationer unless he has passed the standard suitable to his age or an equivalent examination; and if there be a greater number of candidates than vacancies, the governors shall, in selecting the children, pay special regard to the results of the examination and to previous good conduct and progress at school. In the case of children for whom such examination is unsuitable, the selection shall be made with due regard to merit as ascertained by evidence that the children possess such qualifications as to justify their selection. The foundationers shall receive free education at The John Neilson Institution, with books and stationery, for such period as the governors may determine.

45. Maintenance and Clothing for Foundationers.—The governors may expend an annual sum not exceeding £80 in providing maintenance and clothing for the most necessitous of the foundationers.

No. 2.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment known as Cook's Trust, in the Parish of Wemyss and County of Fife, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition and Settlement of Archibald Cook, dated 9th March 1831, and registered in the Books of Council and Session 24th May 1832.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall consist of seven persons, of whom

Two shall be elected by the Presbytery of Kirkcaldy, of whom at least one shall be resident in the parish of Wemyss;

Three shall be elected by the School Board of Wemyss; and

Two shall be elected by the Heritors of the parish of Wemyss.

The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the Presbytery of Kirkcaldy and the Heritors of the parish of Wemyss shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors elected by the School Board of the parish of Wemyss shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected. The first governors shall be elected as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the proper electing body, who shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

Operative Clauses.

23. Application of Income.—The governors, after paying the necessary expenses of management, and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free income of the Endowment in the manner hereinafter provided.

24. Free Scholarships at Public Schools.—The governors shall expend a sum not exceeding £40 yearly in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools in the parish of Wemyss who have passed in the third or higher standards of the Scotch Code, and whose parents or guardians, not being in receipt of parochial relief, are in such circumstances as to require aid in providing elementary education, and are persons who, in the opinion of the governors,

should not be required to apply to the Parochial Board for aid in paying school fees. These free scholarships shall be awarded on the result of a competitive examination, or as a reward for regularity of attendance, industry, general merit, and good conduct, all to be ascertained by the report of the teachers and otherwise as the governors may determine. Any payment under this clause shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at school.

25. Bursaries for Higher or Technical Education.—The governors shall establish one or more bursaries for higher education, to be called the Cook Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £10 nor more than £20. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Wemyss, whose parents or guardians require aid in giving them higher education, under such conditions and regulations as to age, or otherwise as the governors may determine; they shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine, at such schools for higher education or technical instruction as they may approve, or with the consent of the governors at a Scottish university.

26. School Bursaries.—The governors shall apply the remainder of the free income in establishing school bursaries, to be called the Cook School Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £5 nor the yearly value of not less than £10 nor more than £15. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Wemyss, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may from time to time be fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid for giving them higher education; these bursaries shall be tenable for two years at public or State-aided schools in which efficient instruction is given in the higher branches.

No. 3.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment known as Beaton's Trust, hitherto held and administered under the following Trust Deeds, viz.:—(1) Disposition of Archibald Henry, Comptroller of the Customs at Port-Glasgow, with consent of David Beaton, Tanner in Port-Glasgow, in favour of the Trustees therein mentioned, dated 13th September 1815, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session, at Edinburgh, on 21st January 1833; (2) Trust Settlement by the said David Beaton, dated 23d November 1815, and with Codicil annexed thereto, recorded in the said Books of Council and Session, 16th July 1819; (3) Assignment by the said David Beaton, and Deed of further Instructions, dated 6th February 1817, and recorded in the said



Books of Council and Session, 21st January 1833.

Operative Clauses.

10. Free Scholarships at Public Schools.—The governing body may expend a sum not exceeding £30 yearly in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools in the burgh of Port-Glasgow, who have passed in the fifth standard of the Scotch Code, and whose parents or guardians, not being in receipt of parochial relief, are in such circumstances as to require aid in providing elementary education, and are persons who, in the opinion of the governing body, should not be required to apply to the Parochial Board for aid in paying school fees. These free scholarships shall be awarded on the result of a competitive examination, or as a reward for regularity of attendance, industry, general merit, and good conduct, all to be ascertained by the report of the teachers, and otherwise as the governing body may determine. Any payment under this clause shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at school.

11. Bursaries for Higher or Technical Education.—The governors shall apply the remainder of the free annual income in establishing bursaries for higher education, to be called the Beaton Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £10 nor more than £15. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the burgh of Port-Glasgow, whose parents or guardians require aid in giving them higher education, under such regulations and conditions as to age or otherwise as the governors may determine; they shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine, at such schools for higher education or technical instruction as they may approve.

No. 4.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowments in the Parish of Thurso and County of Caithness, known as the Miller Institution, with the Endowments attached thereto, hitherto held and administered under Trust Conveyance by Alexander Miller, dated 22d August, and recorded 21st October 1861; the Innes Bequest, hitherto held and administered under Trust Deed by Miss Barbara Innes, dated 23d February 1859, and recorded in the Commissary Court Books at Aberdeen 19th July 1867; Brims' Trust, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition by William Brims, dated 6th February 1850, and recorded 27th October 1851; and the Swarclett Fund, so far as applicable to educational purposes, hitherto held and administered under Disposition and Deed of Mortification by Daniel Miller, dated 3d March 1826, and recorded in the Books of Council and Session 24th January 1828.

1. Transference of Property and Administration to New Governing Body.—From and after the date of this Scheme the said Endowments, in so far as applicable to educational purposes, shall be amalgamated. The trustees of the Swarclett Fund aforesaid shall pay to the School Board of the parish of Thurso one-half of the free income of the Trust, as the proportion thereof applicable to educational purposes; and the whole rights, funds, and estates, heritable and moveable, belonging to or vested in the present governing bodies of the other Endowments embraced herein, shall be transferred to, and vested in the School Board of the parish of Thurso without the necessity of any new conveyance or instrument, to be held and administered by them, along with the foresaid annual payment, under the conditions and provisions of this Scheme; and the said School Board shall be the governing body of the Endowment.

Operative Clauses.

10. Free Scholarships.—The governing body shall expend an annual sum not exceeding £30 for the same purposes and under the same conditions and regulations as those contained in the Scheme for the administration of the Benevolent Fund approved by the Scotch Education Department 18th November 1884.

11. School Bursaries.—The governing body shall apply an annual sum of not less than £30 in establishing school bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £5 nor more than £10. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Thurso, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may from time to time be fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid for giving them higher education. These bursaries shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governing body may determine, at any school in Thurso which the governing body may select for the purpose of giving higher instruction.

12. Annual Payment for Higher Instruction.—The governing body shall apply the remaining free income of the Endowment for the purposes of higher instruction, either in the Miller Institution or in any other school in Thurso which they may select, either by providing a sufficient salary to the head teacher of the school selected by them, who shall in the case of any appointment after the date of this scheme be a graduate of some university in the United Kingdom, or by supplying such assistance as may enable him to devote his attention chiefly to higher instruction, or by paying the salaries of other teachers for higher instruction.

13. Application of Annual Payment in event of not being properly applied to Higher Instruction.—If it appear either to any member of the governing body or to any number of ratepayers in the parish not being less than twenty that the remainder of the free annual income is not being applied solely to the purposes of higher instruction in the manner described in the immediately preceding section, it shall be in their power to make a representation to the Scotch Education Department, and it shall be in the power of the Department, whether any such representation is made or not, if they are satisfied that the free annual income

is not being so applied to direct that the free revenue shall no longer be applied in payment of salaries as aforesaid, and the governing body shall in that case apply the said free remaining income in establishing bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £10 nor of more than £20. These bursaries shall be tenable for a period not exceeding three years at such schools out of Thurso for higher education or technical instruction as the governing body may approve, and shall be awarded by competitive examination among the pupils attending public or State-aided schools in Thurso, whose age at the date of the competition shall not exceed fourteen years.

No. 5.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment known as the Barclay Trust, in the Parish of Old Kilpatrick, and County of Dumbarton, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition and Deed of Settlement, by the Rev. Matthew Barclay, dated 10th July 1860 and Registered in the Books of Council and Session 1st February 1865.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall consist of five persons, of whom

Three shall be elected by the Deacons' Court of the Free Church Congregation in Old Kilpatrick; and

Two shall be elected by the School Board of Old Kilpatrick.

The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the Deacons' Court of the Free Church Congregation of Old Kilpatrick shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors elected by the School Board of Old Kilpatrick shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected. The first governors shall be elected as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the proper electing body, who shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

Operative Clauses.

22. Application of Income.—The governors, after paying the necessary expenses of manage-

ment, and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free income of the Endowment in the manner hereinafter provided.

23. Bursaries for Higher or Technical Education.—The governors shall apply the free income in establishing bursaries for higher education, to be called the Barclay Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £10 nor more than £20. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Old Kilpatrick, whose parents or guardians require aid in giving them higher education, under such conditions and regulations as to age or otherwise as the governors may determine; they shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine, at such schools for higher education or technical instruction as they may approve.

24. Preference to Bursaries.—The governors, in the event of equality between candidates for any bursary in this Scheme, shall give the preference to the children of members or adherents of the Free Church congregation in Old Kilpatrick.

No. 6.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment in the Parish of Roseneath and County of Dumbarton, known as the Lorne Campbell Bequest, hitherto held and administered under Trust Disposition and Settlement, by Mrs. Margaret Anderson or Campbell, dated 1st April 1859.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall consist of five persons, of whom

Three shall be elected by the Kirk-session of the Free Church Congregation of Roseneath; and

Two shall be elected by the School Board of Roseneath.

The governors may be elected by the electing bodies either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the kirk-session of the Free Church congregation at Roseneath, shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors elected by the School Board of Roseneath shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected. The first governors shall be elected as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the proper electing body, who shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme,

or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

Operative Clauses.

15. Application of Income.—The governors shall apply the free income of the Endowment to either of the following objects as from time to time they may see fit:—(1) They may establish a bursary for higher education, to be called the Lorne Campbell Bursary, which shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Roseneath, whose parents or guardians require aid in giving them higher education, and whose age at the date of the competition shall not exceed fourteen years; the bursary shall be tenable for such period, not exceeding three years, as the governors may determine, at such schools for higher education or technical instruction as they may approve, or with the consent of the governors at a Scottish University; or, (2), They may establish school bursaries to be called the Lorne Campbell School Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £5 nor more than £10. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parish of Roseneath, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may from time to time be fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid for giving them higher education; these bursaries shall be tenable for two years at public or State-aided schools in which efficient instruction is given in the higher branches.

No. 7.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment in the Parish of Latheron and County of Caithness, known as the Miller Bequest, hitherto held and administered under Disposition and Assignment, by Donald Miller, dated 27th February 1845.

1. Transference of Property and Administration to New Governing Body.—From and after the date of this Scheme the whole rights, funds, and estates, belonging to, or vested in, the governing body of the said Endowment, shall be transferred to, and vested in, the Minister and Kirk-Session of the Free Church congregation in Latheron, without the necessity of any new conveyance or instrument, to be held and administered by them under the conditions and provisions of this Scheme, and the said Minister and Kirk-Session shall be the governing body of the Endowment.

Operative Clause.

5. Application of Income.—The governing body, after paying the necessary expenses of management and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free annual income in the following manner:—

They shall apply one-half of the free yearly income in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or

State-aided schools who are connected with the Free Church congregation in Latheron and who have passed in the fifth standard of the Scotch Code. These free scholarships shall be awarded on the result of a competitive examination, or as a reward for regularity of attendance, industry, general merit, and good conduct, all to be ascertained by the report of the teachers and otherwise as the governing body may determine. Any payment under this clause shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at school. The governing body shall pay one-fourth of the annual income to the Kirk-Session of the Free Church congregation at Lybster and one-fourth to the Kirk-Session of the Free Church congregation at Berriedale, to be applied in the same manner and under the same conditions as the foresaid one-half to be applied in Latheron.

No. 8.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment in the Parish of Maryculter and County of Kincardine, known as the Gordon Educational Legacies, hitherto held and administered under the Will of James Gordon, dated 11th December 1863, and recorded in the Commissary Court Books of Kincardineshire, 23d January 1869.

1. Transference of Property and Administration to New Governing Body.—From and after the date of this Scheme the whole rights, funds, and estates belonging to, or vested in, the governing body of the said Endowment, shall remain vested as hitherto in the Deacons' Court of the Free Church congregation of Maryculter, to be held and administered by them under the conditions and provisions of this Scheme, and the said Deacons' Court shall be the governing body of the Endowment.

5. Application of Income.—The governing body, after paying the necessary expenses of management and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free annual income in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools, who are connected with the Free Church congregation in Maryculter, and who have passed the fifth standard of the Scotch Code. These free scholarships shall be awarded on the result of a competitive examination, or as a reward for regularity of attendance, industry, general merit, and good conduct, all to be ascertained by the report of the teachers and otherwise as the governing body may determine. Any payment under this clause shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at school.

No. 9.—Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment in the Parish of Cross and County of Orkney, known as the Spence Bequest, hitherto administered under the Will of Mrs. Ann Reid or Spence.

1. Transference of Property and Administration to New Governing Body.—From and after the date of this Scheme, the whole funds belonging to, or

vested in, the governing body of the said Endowment, shall be vested as hitherto in the General Trustees of the Free Church of Scotland, who shall pay the free annual income to the minister and kirk-session of the Free Church congregation at Sanday, to be administered by them under the conditions and provisions of this Scheme, and the said minister and kirk-session shall be the governing body of the Endowment.

5. Application of Income.—The governing body shall apply the income to one or other of the following objects as from time to time they see fit:—(a) They may establish one or more bursaries of the annual value of not less than £3, to be awarded by competitive examination among children connected with the Free Church congregation at Sanday, who have passed the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, or such standard as may be from time to time fixed by the Scotch Education Department, pursuant to the Education (Scotland) Acts, as that entitling children to total exemption from the obligation to attend school, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid in giving them higher education. These bursaries shall be tenable for two years at public or State-aided schools to be approved by the governing body; or (b) They may apply the income in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools, who are connected with the Free Church congregation at Sanday, who have passed in the fifth standard of the present Scotch Code, and whose parents or guardians are in such circumstances as to require aid in giving them higher education. These free scholarships shall be awarded on the result of competitive examination, or as a reward for regularity of attendance, industry, general merit, and good conduct, all to be ascertained by the report of the teachers, and otherwise as the governing body may determine. Any payment under this sub-section shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at school.

NOTE.—In Scheme No. 3 the Endowment is transferred to the School Board. In all the Schemes, the usual clauses are inserted as to Investment, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of December 1885 a Deed, by DONALD MACKINNON, Spirit Dealer, No. 39 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, and residing at No. 2 Keir Street there, and MRS. ISABELLA STEWART or MACKINNON, his wife, has been registered in the Register of Deeds at Edinburgh, in terms of the Married Women's Property (Scotland) Act, 1881.

THOS. TEMPLE MUIR, S.S.C.

53 George Street, Edinburgh.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased AGNES BLYTH, who resided at No. 17 London Row, Leith.

A PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary, — Mr. Melville, Clerk), by Margaret Normand or Morton, Widow, residing at Kingskettle, in the County of Fife, having an interest in the Succession of the said deceased Agnes Blyth, the said deceased having left no Settlement appointing Trustees or other parties having power to manage her Estate, praying, under the Act 19 and 20 Vict., cap. 79, sec. 164, for the appointment of a Judicial

Factor upon said Estate, and which Petition will be again moved in Court on or after the 5th day of January 1886; of all which Notice is hereby given.

BOYD, JAMESON, & KELLY, W.S.,
Petitioner's Agents,
55 Constitution Street, Leith.

16th December 1885.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE Subscriber is now Trustee under the Trust Deed granted by WILLIAM RIDDELL, Farmer, Nether Hailes, Haddingtonshire, for behoof of his Creditors, and requests all parties having claims against the said William Riddell to lodge the same within one month from this date, and all persons indebted to the said William Riddell are requested to make payment to the Trustee within the same period.

A. M'LAREN, Trustee.

11 Assembly Street, Leith,
16th December 1885.

MARTIN & SONS, 729 and 731 Gallowgate, Glasgow, have presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, a Petition against WILLIAM M'INTOSH, 315 Dalmarnock Road, Glasgow, to have him decreed to execute a Disposition omnium bonorum for behoof of his Creditors, and to appoint a Trustee who shall take the management and disposal of his Estate for such behoof; and all his Creditors are required to appear within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour), County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 20th day of January next, at ten o'clock forenoon, the Diet for his public Examination.

SCOTT, LOW, & BIRD, Agents.
156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

Glasgow, 17th December 1885.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of Alexander Ward, Grocer, No. 46 North Fort Street, Leith, Pursuer, against JOHN SUTHERLAND, Greengrocer and Coal Merchant, lately of No. 10 Fort Place, Leith, now of No. 35 Trafalgar Lane, Leith, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said John Sutherland to appear within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 7th day of January 1886, at two o'clock afternoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

JAMES PHILIP, Solicitor,
Petitioner's Agent.

13 Bernard Street, Leith,
18th December 1885.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of Leroy & Bineau, Manufacturers, 61 and 62 Edgbaston Street, Birmingham, Pursuers, against ROBERT OGG, Basketmaker, Market Gallery, Aberdeen, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Robert Ogg to appear within the Sheriff Court House at Aberdeen on the 13th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

PETER CLARK, Advocate, Agent.

53 Union Street, Aberdeen,
16th December 1885.

A PETITION for Cessio of the Estates of WALTER SEMPLE, Bootmaker, Stonehouse, having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, by W. A. Gray, Outfitter, Douglas, the Creditors of the said Walter Semple are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, County Buildings, Hamilton, upon the 29th day of December current, at 10.30 A.M., when he will appear for Examination.

W. T. HAY & CASSELS, Writers, Hamilton,
Agents.

JOSEPH CHALMERS, Carter, residing at No. 3A High Street, Banff, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Banff, for the benefit of the Process of Cessio bonorum; and in terms of a Deliverance on said Petition, all his Creditors are required to appear on the 18th day of January next, at ten o'clock forenoon, within the ordinary Court House in Banff, when the Petitioner, the said Joseph Chalmers, will appear for Examination.

ALLAN & SOUTAR, Solicitors, Banff,
Agents.

Banff, 16th December 1885.

THE Estate of HUGH HAMILTON, Dyer, Bridge Street Dye Works, Bridge Street, Paisley, sole Partner of HUGH HAMILTON & COMPANY, Dyers, carrying on business there, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William Couper Tait, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 9th February 1886. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff of Renfrew, within the County Buildings, Paisley, on the 2d day of March 1886, at one o'clock afternoon.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 16th December 1885.

THE Estates of DUNCAN M'COLL, Joiner, Helensburgh, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Alexander Cumming Rutherford, Accountant, 145 Queen Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims on or before the 25th day of January 1886. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Court House at Dumbarton, on Tuesday the 16th day of February 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. C. RUTHERFORD, Trustee.

THE Estates of JOHN QUIN DONALD, 3 Lauder Road, Grange, Edinburgh, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William James Caesar, C.A., 4A St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 3d January 1886. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 25th day of January 1886, at two o'clock afternoon.

W. ADAM & WINCHESTER, S.S.C., Agents.

4 York Buildings, Edinburgh,
18th December 1885.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of THOMAS GRAHAM GREIG, Draper's Assistant, residing at No. 28 Watergate, Perth.

BY virtue of an Order of the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, Notice is hereby given that Thomas Graham Greig, above designed, has presented a

Petition to the said Lord Ordinary 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. HOWARD SMITH, Solicitor,
Agent for Petitioner.

36 Hanover Street, Edinburgh,
18th December 1885.

In the SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM MILLER, Tertius, Accountant in Wick, and Fish Curer at Boathaven, near Wick.

WILLIAM SMITTON, Accountant, Wick, hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 13th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of the next statutory period, and have dispensed with circulars to Creditors.

WM. SMITTON, Trustee.

Wick, 16th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATED ESTATE of MATTHEW GRAHAM COLTART, Chemical Manufacturer in Glasgow, carrying on business under the Name or Firm of M. G. COLTART & COMPANY, Chemical Manufacturers, Clyde Chemical Works, St. Rollox, Glasgow, and a Partner of the now dissolved Firm of MACALISTER & COLTART, Chemical Manufacturers, Glasgow, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

AS Trustee on this Estate, I hereby intimate that my account of intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 3d instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period, and authorised me to dispense with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JOHN WILSON, C.A., Trustee.

59 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
17th December 1885.

In the SEQUESTRATION of HENDRY, FERGUSON, & COMPANY, Shipowners in Greenock, and Alexander Ferguson, Shipowner and Sail Maker there, one of the Partners thereof, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

LOUSON WALKER, Accountant, Greenock, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a further Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

LOUSON WALKER, Trustee.

Greenock, 16th December 1885.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of HANNAY & SONS, Ironmasters in Glasgow, as a Firm or Company, and of Robert Hannay of Rusco, residing at Ulverston, Lancashire, and of Robert Hannay, Junior, Ironmaster in Glasgow, the Individual Partners of said Firm or Company of Hannay & Sons, as such Partners, and as Individuals, hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to the 28th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed the declaration of a further Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period.

WILLIAM MACKINNON, Trustee.

115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
16th December 1885.

THE Estates of JAMES GRANT, Wine Merchant in Forres, were Sequestrated on the 12th day of December 1885, by the Sheriff of Elginshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 12th December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, within Charleson's Hotel in Forres.

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 12th day of April 1886.

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

ARTHUR DUFFES, Solicitor, Forres,
Agent.

THE Estates of THOMAS MUIR, Contractor, carrying on business under the Firm of THOMAS MUIR & SONS, Contractors, West Scotland Street, Glasgow, of which he is the sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 15th day of December 1885, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 15th day of December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, 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 15th day of April 1886.

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

GAVIN HAMILTON, Writer,
65 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of the Deceased ROBERT ARNOLD, Spirit Merchant, Bellshill, were Sequestrated on the 15th day of December 1885, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 15th day of December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, within the Royal Hotel, Airdrie.

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 15th day of April 1886.

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

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

THE Estates of WILLIAM M'KERRROW, Auctioneer and Sheep Dealer, Caponaire, Old Cumnock, were Sequestrated on the 16th day of December 1885, by the Sheriff of the County of Ayr.

The first Deliverance is dated the 16th day of December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock, on Tuesday the 29th day of December 1885, within the King's Arms Hotel, Ayr.

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 16th day of April 1886.

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

THOMAS HARVEY, Solicitor, Mauchline,
Agent.

THE Estates of CHARLES FORSYTH LOFTUS, Ironmonger, 223 Argyll Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 16th December 1885, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 16th day of December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 29th December 1885, 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 16th day of April 1886.

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

THOMAS WEIR,
207 Ingram Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN SCOTT, formerly of the Royal Agricultural College, Cirencester, now residing at No. 25 Warrender Park Road, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on the 16th day of December 1885, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 16th December 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, 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 16th day of April 1886.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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

ANDREW NEWLANDS, S.S.C., Agent,
30 Hanover Street, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of WILLIAM DUNCAN, sometime Contractor, Kilbirnie, Ayrshire, and now or lately residing at Fort Street, Leith, were Sequestrated on 18th December 1885, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 16th October 1885.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday the 29th day of December 1885, within Dowell's Rooms, 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 18th April 1886.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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

D. HILL MURRAY, Solicitor,
13 Frederick Street, Edinburgh.

A PETITION for Sequestration of the Estates of J. BURCH & COMPANY, Pinafore and Costume Manufacturers, 45 Ingram Street, Glasgow, and Joseph Burch, Pinafore and Costume Manufacturer there, the sole Partner of that Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, at the instance of Stewart & M'Donald, Warehousemen, Glasgow, his Lordship, Mr. Sheriff Murray, has of this date pronounced a Deliverance granting Warrant to cite, in terms of the Statutes, the said J. Burch & Company and Joseph Burch, on an *induciv* of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration of their Estates should not be awarded; and has directed Intimation of his Warrant and of the Diet of Appearance on the said *induciv* to be forthwith made in the Edinburgh Gazette, in terms of the Statute; of all which Notice is hereby given.

JOHN S. GALBRAITH & M'GILL,
Agents for Petitioners.

69 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
15th December 1885.



SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM M. ORR, Tailor and Clothier, carrying on business at 228 St. George's Road, Glasgow, and residing at 76 Henderson Street there.

JAMES DUNLOP KIRKWOOD, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Orr, Contractor, 1 Magdala Place, Paisley Road West, Glasgow, James S. Williamson, Commission Agent, 11 Bothwell Street there, and William Anderson, Silk Manufacturer, Govan, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Guthrie, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 23d December current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 18 South Portland Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 5th January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon; and the said James Orr having declined to act as Commissioner foresaid, a new Commissioner will then fall to be appointed.

J. D. KIRKWOOD, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MACDONALD, Watchmaker and Jeweller, High Street, Forres.

WILLIAM DUNNINGHAM, Wholesale Watchmaker, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Peat, Solicitor, Forres, William Macdonald, Merchant, Forres, and Charles Alexander Mollyson, Secretary North of Scotland Bank, Limited, Aberdeen, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Elgin, on the 24th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Writing Chambers of William Paul, Solicitor, 274 High Street, Forres, upon the 2d day of January 1886, at one o'clock afternoon.

W. DUNNINGHAM, Trustee.

78 Union Street, Aberdeen,
16th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN RUSSELL, Farmer, Tirlfergus, Campbeltown, in the County of Argyll.

ALEXANDER DUNCAN, Banker, Campbeltown, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David Greig, residing in Chiscan House, Campbeltown, has been elected a Commissioner. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Campbeltown, on Monday the 28th day of December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Argyll Arms Hotel, Campbeltown, upon Thursday the 7th day of January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

A. DUNCAN, Trustee.

Campbeltown, 16th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of FRANCIS WILLIAM STEEL, Builder and Slater, residing at 5 Beechgrove Terrace, Aberdeen, and also carrying on business at 132 Union Street, Aberdeen, under the name of the NORTH OF SCOTLAND MARBLE, TILE, AND SLATE COMPANY.

ALEXANDER EDMOND, Junior, Advocate, 229 Union Street, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Gray Campbell Fraser, Advocate in Aberdeen, Charles M'Combie, Advocate in Aberdeen, and Alexander Marshall M'Kenzie, Architect in Aberdeen, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, on Thursday, 24th December current, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Trustee's Chambers, 229 Union Street, Aberdeen, on Monday the 4th day of January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

ALEX. EDMOND, Jun., Trustee.

Aberdeen, 17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT DICK, Farmer, Turnlaw, Cambuslang.

WILLIAM COUPER TAIT, Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Duncan C. Barr, Hamilton Estates Office, Hamilton, Robert Dunlop, Writer, Hamilton, and James Boyd, Farmer, Ferguslie, Paisley, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Hamilton, on Monday the 28th day of December current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, Chartered Accountants, 75 West Regent Street, Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 6th day of January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN CRAWFORD, now or lately Ironmonger in Alloa.

DAVID BIRD, Junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Gray, Junior, 24 George Square, William Hurry, Brush Manufacturer, Carlton Place, and William M'Culloch, Junior, 44 Robertson Street, all of Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House in Glasgow, on Monday the 28th day of December, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of the Trustee, 30 Renfield Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 9th day of January 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

DAVID BIRD, Jr., Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of MARTHA BOWMAN, otherwise called MADAME BOWMAN, carrying on business as a Dress and Mantle Maker at No. 115 Bath Street, Glasgow, and residing at No. 135 Wellington Street there.

JOHN MANN, Junior, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert More, Warehouseman, 59 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, Henry Duff, 23 Florence Place, Glasgow, and Alexander Duff, Agent, 101 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Guthrie, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Thursday the 24th day of December current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Mr. John Mann, C.A., 154 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 2d day of January 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JOHN MANN, Jr., C.A., Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of MASON BROTHERS & COMPANY, British and Foreign Agents and Electrical Engineers, 17 Hope Street, Glasgow, and John Mason, sometime British and Foreign Agent and Electrical Engineer there, presently furth of Scotland, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

JOHN GOURLAY, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Tait Meikle, Glass Merchant, Glasgow, John Fletcher, Glazier there, and James Landells Selkirk, Accountant there, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Murray, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 28th day of December current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 6th day of January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

JNO. GOURLAY, C.A., Trustee.

24 George Square, Glasgow,
17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of Mrs. MARGARET M'COUBREY or CAMPBELL, Music Seller, 77 Jamaica Street, Glasgow.

ROBERT REID, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, the Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Office of Reid & Mair, C.A., 40 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 12th January 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ROBERT REID, C.A.

40 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow,
17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT MAIR, Joiner, Darvel.

ROBERT REID, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, the Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Office of Reid & Mair, C.A., 40 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 12th January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ROBERT REID, C.A.

40 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow,
17th December 1885.

WILLIAM WITHERS M'DOWALL, Banker, Stranraer, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JAMES ALEXANDER SPOTT, Farmer, Mains of Douloch, in the Parish of Kirkcolm and County of Wigtown, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Hugh Adair, Writer in Stranraer, on Monday the 11th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

WM. W. M'DOWALL, Trustee.

Stranraer, 17th December 1885.

ALEXANDER WATSON STIVEN, Accountant, Dundee, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the Deceased WILLIAM IRELAND, Hardware Merchant and Jeweller in Dundee, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of W. & A. W. Stiven, Accountants, No. 61 Reform Street, Dundee, upon Saturday the 9th day of January 1886, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

ALEX. W. STIVEN, Trustee.

Dundee, 17th December 1885.

JAMES WHYTE, Agent at Kirkealdy for the National Bank of Scotland (Limited), Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN CRICHTON PHILLIP, Wholesale Hardware and Fancy Goods Merchant, Kirkealdy, hereby, with consent of the Commissioners on said Estate, call a Special General Meeting of the Creditors, within the Office of Harrow & Johnston, Solicitors, Kirkealdy, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider an offer of Composition by the Bankrupt.

JAMES WHYTE, Trustee.

Kirkealdy, 17th December 1885.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALPHONSE MOLLIERES, Medical Student, sometime residing at No. 35 Panmure Place, and thereafter at 35 Buccleuch Place, Edinburgh, I hereby intimate that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on the 2d February 1886.

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

Edinburgh, 16th December 1885.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ROBERT STEWART, sometime Grocer, No. 78 Canongate, Edinburgh, and thereafter residing at Banbridge, near Belfast, now deceased, I hereby intimate that the Creditors will receive full payment of their claims, and interest, within the Chambers of Romanes & Munro, C.A., 46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 8th February 1886.

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

46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh,
18th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM BURNS BROWN, sometime Hotel Keeper, Lochinver, Sutherlandshire, and now or lately residing at 1 Argyle Arcade, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 2d instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a second and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, at the Chambers of Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, Chartered Accountants, 75 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 3d day of February 1886.

JAS. M. DAVIES, Trustee.

Glasgow, 17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN T. ALLAWAY, residing at No. 63 Haymarket Terrace, Edinburgh, and carrying on business as a Stationer at No. 33 George Street, Edinburgh, under the name of John T. Allaway & Company.

JAMES M'CANKIE, Accountant, No. 10 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid, within his Chambers, No. 10 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on Monday the 28th day of December 1885, to those Creditors entitled thereto.

JAS. M'CANKIE, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 17th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of ADAM M'CLELLAND, Cabinet-maker, Watson Street, off Gallowgate, Glasgow.

JOHN WRIGHT ROBB, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the said Sequestrated Estate, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 1st instant, has been audited by the Commissioners; that he has examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before said date; further, that a first and final Dividend will be paid to all those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Chambers of J. W. Robb & Gunn, Accountants, 97 West George Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 2d February 1886.

J. WRIGHT ROBB, Trustee.

97 West George Street, Glasgow,
16th December 1885.

SEQUESTRATION of the Deceased ALEXANDER LIVINGSTON, Joiner and Builder in Edinburgh and Glasgow, and who resided at The Nest, Craighlea Drive, Edinburgh.

JAMES LANDELLS SELKIRK, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of the said deceased Alexander Livingston, hereby intimates that an account of his intrusions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 3d instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the

declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period, and have dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

JAMES L. SELKIRK, Trustee.

82 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
17th December 1885.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER FERGUSON & SON, Wholesale Confectioners, North Back of Canongate, Edinburgh, as a Company, and James Gall Ferguson and Alexander Ferguson, Junior, both Wholesale Confectioners there, the sole Partners of said Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

A MEETING of the Creditors in the above Sequestration will be held in Dowell's Rooms, 18 George Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 24th day of December current, at two o'clock afternoon, to elect a new Trustee or Trustees in succession on the said Sequestrated Estates, and to do the other acts provided by the Statute.

CUTHBERT & MARCHBANK, S.S.C.,
18 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, Agents.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of MEIKLEJOHN & JOHNSTON, Wrights and Builders, 36 Abercorn Street, Glasgow, was DISSOLVED as on 10th December 1885 by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

ANDREW MEIKLEJOHN.
JOHN JOHNSTON.

DANIEL HILL, Writer, 138 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JOHN FIFE CAMERON, 138 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Apprentice-at-Law, Witness.

Glasgow, 15th December 1885.

Note.—I, Andrew Meiklejohn, will continue to carry on the Business of Wright and Builder at 36 Abercorn Street foresaid, in my own name and for my own behoof.

ANDREW MEIKLEJOHN.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned William Parrel Butchart, Merchant and Manufacturer in Dundee, retired from and ceased to be a Partner of the Firm or Company of MORISON, ANDERSON & BUTCHART, Merchants and Manufacturers in Dundee, on 11th November 1885; the also undersigned William Roger Morison, Merchant and Manufacturer in Dundee, having since that date been, and now being, the sole Partner of the said Firm or Company, which he is now carrying on for his own indi-

vidual behoof. The said William Roger Morison has right to the whole assets of the said Firm, and will pay all its obligations.

Dated at Dundee this 15th day of December 1885 years.

W. P. BUTCHART.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mr. Butchart,—

JOHN P. KYD, Solicitor, Dundee, Witness.

DAV. S. COOPER, Clerk to Messrs. Shield & Kyd, Solicitors, Dundee, Witness.

W. R. MORISON.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mr. Morison,—

THOS. THORNTON, Solicitor, Dundee, Witness.

WM. ARTHUR BELL, Solicitor, No. 15 Albert Square, Dundee, Witness.

THE Copartnery of JAMES MUIR & SON, Upholsterers, Cabinetmakers, and Ship and House Furnishers, 5 Bothwell Circus, Bothwell Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED on the 5th day of December current, by the retiral of the Subscriber James Muir.

The Subscriber Robert Muir, who has arranged to continue the Business on his own account under the Firm of JAMES MUIR & SON, is authorised to receive and pay all debts due to and by the Copartnery.

JAMES MUIR.

ROBERT MUIR.

JAMES F. SINCLAIR, Writer, Glasgow, Witness.

ANDREW M. BRYSON, Upholsterer, 5 Bothwell Circus, Witness.

Glasgow, 17th December 1885.

NOTICE.

MRS. JANE MARY POOLEY or CRAMOND, formerly of Heriot Cottage, Brandon Street, Edinburgh, Laundress, hereby intimates that she ceased on 27th May 1884 to have any interest in said Business.

JANE CRAMOND.

JOHN WICKHAM, Witness.
DAVID BAIRD, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of MACQUEEN & MACKAY, Ship Carpenters and Boat Builders, Campbeltown, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED as from the 16th day of July 1877, and the Firm of MACQUEEN & MACKAY, Ship and Boat Owners and Traders, Campbeltown, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED as from the 14th day of December 1885.

Campbeltown, 14th December 1885.

ARCHIBALD M'QUEEN.

DONALD MACKAY.

THOMAS MACFADZEAN, Solicitor, Campbeltown, Witness.

DANIEL M'MURCHY, Clerk-at-Law, Campbeltown, Witness.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnery carrying on business at 51 Cadogan Street, Glasgow, as Oil Refiners and Paint Manufacturers, under the Firm of BAIN & BREMNER, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent as at the 25th day of November last, 1885.

The Business in future will be carried on by the Subscriber William Bremner, who will pay all debts due

by, and uplift and discharge all debts due to, the said Firm.

THOMAS J. BAIN.

WILLIAM BREMNER.

JOHN M'DONALD, Commercial Traveller,
51 Cadogan Street, Witness.

ROBERT BAIN, Clerk, 51 Cadogan Street,
Witness.

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