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WHITEHALL, November 24, 1886.

YESTERDAY morning, at five o'clock, Her Royal Highness the Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenberg, was safely delivered of a Prince.

Her Majesty the Queen was present.

His Royal Highness Prince Henry of Battenberg and Viscount Cross, G.C.B., Secretary of State for India, in the absence of the Secretary of State for the Home Department, were also present.

Her Royal Highness and the Infant Prince are doing well.

The happy event was made known by the firing of the Park and Tower guns.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 25, 1886.

THE Earl of Iddesleigh, G.C.B., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received a Despatch, dated the 14th of October, from the British Vice-Consul at Santo Domingo, stating that the blockade of the Port of Monte Christi has been raised, since the 8th of October, by the Dominican Government.

ST. JAMES'S PALACE, November 24, 1886.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Francis Robert, Earl of Rosslyn, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the room of George William, Viscount Barrington, deceased.

CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT
MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE,

DOWNING STREET, November 24, 1886.

Erratum in the London Gazette of the 26th of October 1886:—

In the list of appointments to the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, for the words—

John Gordon Sprigg, Esq., Premier of the Cape of Good Hope,

Read the following:—

John Gordon Sprigg, Esq., formerly Premier of the Cape of Good Hope.

WAR OFFICE, November 25, 1886.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Francis Booth Norman, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Francis Wallace Greenfell, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, on Half-Pay List.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel William Francis Butler, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, on Half-Pay List.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel George Stewart White, V.C., C.B., having local rank of Major-General while commanding in Upper Burmah, on Half-Pay List.

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Philip Henry Farrell Harris, Bengal Staff Corps.

Colonel William Carey, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel George Edward Langham Somerset Sandford, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Harcourt Mortimer Bengough, on Half-Pay List, Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Andrew Alfred Le Mesurier, the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Deputy Surgeon-General John M'Neale Donnelly, M.D., Indian Medical Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Frederick Laughton, Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Graham Robert Douglas Macneill, Madras General List, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Madras.

The Queen has further been pleased to confer upon the undermentioned Officers the distinction of Companion of the 'Distinguished Service Order,' viz.:—

For Action at Ginniss.

Deputy Surgeon-General Stewart Aaron Lithgow, C.B., M.D., Medical Staff.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Henry Hungerford St. Ledger, Cameron Highlanders.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Edmund Rogers Coker, Durham Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Kenelm Digby Murray, Royal Irish Fusiliers.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Launoy Tweedie, Royal West Kent Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Bennett, Yorkshire Regiment.

Assistant Commissary General, with the honorary and relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, James Tierney Skinner, Commissariat and Transport Staff.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Everett, Cameron Highlanders.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Douglas Alexander Scott, Royal Engineers.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Thesiger Barrow, Scottish Rifles.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Morgan Samuel Crofton, South Staffordshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Pilcher Temple, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Major Albert James Hepper, Royal Engineers.

Major Gordon Lorn Campell Money, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.

Major John Owea Quirk, the Welsh Regiment.

Captain and Brevet Major Archibald Hunter, Royal Lancaster Regiment.

Captain and Brevet Major George Evan Lloyd, the King's Own Light Infantry (South Yorkshire Regiment).

Captain and Brevet Major Reginald Adams Marriott, Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain Horace Lockwood Smith-Dorrien, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).

Captain Andrew Charles Parker Haggard, the King's Own Borderers.

Captain Elmhirst Rhodes, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Captain James Archibald Ferrier, Royal Engineers.

Captain Edward Kaye Daubeney, the South Staffordshire Regiment.

Captain Frederick Ronald Borrow, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

Lieutenant Frederick William Romilly, Scots Guards.

Lieutenant John Grenfell Maxwell, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Lieutenant Henry de Beauvoir de Lisle, the Durham Light Infantry.

Lieutenant William Richard Norton Annesley, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Captain Page, Canadian Militia.

Major Hassan Radwan, Egyptian Artillery.

Lieutenant Said Radwan, Egyptian Camel Corps.

The late Honorary Major-General Alfred George Huyshe, C.B., would have been recommended for this distinction had he survived.

For Operations in Burmah.

Captain Bernard Channer, Bengal Staff Corps.

Captain William Aldworth, the Bedfordshire Regiment.

Captain Arthur Robert Ford Dorward, Royal Engineers.

Captain Ernest Charles Wace, Royal Artillery.

Captain Owen Stuart Smyth, Royal Artillery.

Captain Thomas Plunket Cather, Royal Engineers.

Captain Lawrence Charles Dundas, the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Captain Richard Louis Milne, the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Captain Richard Lloyd Payne, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).

Captain Jenico Edward Preston, Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant William Knox Downes, Bengal Staff Corps.

FOREIGN OFFICE, October 26, 1886.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Stewart Smith, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in the Dominions of the Sultan of Zanzibar, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Massowah.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 25, 1886.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Bell Irving, as Consul-General at Hong Kong, for the King of the Hawaiian Islands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Andrew A. Joseph as Consul at Quebec, with jurisdiction over that part of the Province of Quebec which comprises the judiciary districts of Arthabasca, Beauce, Chicoutimi, Gaspé, Kamouraska, Montmagny, Quebec, Rimouski, Saguenay, Saint François, and Three Rivers, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Eustathius Chronopoulos as Consul at Malta, for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William C. Hall as Consul at Prescott, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Leopold Hess as Vice-Consul at Port Alfred, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Lorenzo Rolland as Vice-Consul for Spain at Glasgow.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Jorje de Artola as Vice-Consul in London, for the Republic of Bolivia.

DOWNING STREET, November 25, 1886.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Luigi Ganado, Esq., LL.D., to be one of Her Majesty's Judges for the Island of Malta.

WHITEHALL, November 24, 1886.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for granting unto the Reverend Thomas Legh Cloughton, M.A., the place and dignity of a Canon in the Cathedral Church of Worcester, void by the death of the Reverend John Ryle Wood.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

November 26, 1886.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, with the concurrence of the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury, the undermentioned employment is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June 1870, viz. :—

The temporary employment of persons occasionally engaged by the day as Assistants to the Examiners.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

November 26, 1886.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for

the appointments set against their respective names :—

November 22, 1886.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, Dublin, Reginald Abbott Wells.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Board of Trade: Boy Clerk, Mercantile Marine Department, Arthur John Padfield.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Naval Store Yard, Deptford, Artificers, Richard Goodall, Charles Henry Howe, George Tutt.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I., Alexander Milne Smith.

Post Office: Postman, George Melrose (North Berwick)

November 23, 1886.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Lower Division: Man Clerk, Frederick William Emler.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Walter Frederick Percy Henry (Jersey).

House of Commons: Porter, Department of the Serjeant-at-Arms, Arthur Wilson.

Post Office: Suburban Postman, London, George Thomas Rendell Choat.

Postmen or Sorters, London, James Cooper, Walter Richard Measor.

Porters, London, Alfred Bourne, Harry Victor Burton, Ernest Augustus Harding.

Postmen, Robert Hamilton Bell (Newry), Richard Edward Fiford (Portsmouth), Charles Alfred Head (Kingston-on-Thames), William Horrobin, Jesse Albert Ramsden (Manchester).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY COPYIST.

Boy Copyists, Henry Richard Cornfield, Richard Samuel Kemp, Frederick John Silke.

November 24, 1886.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, Dublin, Joseph Michael Meara.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Suburban Postmen, London, John Sims, James Packham Wenham.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Henry William Cole (Worcester), Samuel Edward Cook (Wickham Market), Sarah Jane Evans (Cardigan), Reuben George Gower (Grimsby), Robert Ellis Roberts (Liverpool).

Postmen, George Chappell (Blatchley Station), George Mayo (Wantage), John Smith (Lincoln), William Smith (Preston).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY COPYIST.

Boy Copyists, Rowland Augustus Connock, Hedley de Putron Gauvain.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorised 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 13th day of November 1886.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorised 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	282569	631448	917017	642612	80873	723485
Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Royal Bank of Scotland.....	Edinburgh	216451	254140	534657	788797	613479	77687	691166
British Linen Company.....	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	198105	501828	699333	315640	83493	399133
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh	374880	229491	579952	809443	484720	66314	551034
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	297024	199776	468469	668345	427494	73022	500516
Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Union Bank of Scotland Limited.....	Edinburgh	454346	254428	555177	809605	442418	96294	538712
Town and County Bank Limited.....	Town and County Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	70133	85427	123501	208928	151350	18378	169728
North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	North of Scotland Bank Limited.....	Aberdeen	154319	169526	221219	390745	271397	19980	291377
Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Clydesdale Bank Limited.....	Glasgow	274321	200402	390102	590504	348942	63486	412428
Caledonian Banking Company Limited.....	Caledonian Banking Company Limited ...	Inverness	53434	35841	66865	102706	53528	13447	66975

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorised 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 25th day of November 1886.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Alfred Barnard (trading as Ferris & Co.), 49 Fleet Street, London, and residing at 13 Park Road, New Cross, Kent, advertising agent and contractor, and vendor of Ferris's Persian Food.

James Bassett, 1 St. Stephen's Villas, Coverdale Road, Uxbridge Road, Middlesex.

Luke Leo Durant, residing at 481 Old Kent Road, and trading at 84 and 86 Southwark Street, Southwark, both in Surrey, hardware merchant.

E. Frank (trading as E. Frank & Co.), 46 and 47 Redcross Street, London, and 18 Marquess Road, Canonbury, Middlesex, fancy goods importer.

Fabian Jacobowicz, 41 Milner Square, Islington, late 87 Lordship Park, Stoke Newington, both in Middlesex, diamond merchant.

Henry Law, residing at 5 Queen Anne's Gate, and carrying on business at 5 and 46 Queen Anne's Gate, Westminster, civil engineer, a partner in the firm of Law & Chatterton, of the same place, civil engineers.

Henry Cowley, Allington, near Chippenham, Wiltshire, agricultural machine proprietor.

Charles William Hurt (trading as Hurt & Son), residing at Overdale House, Birchfield, Handsworth, Staffordshire, and trading at the Masonic Buildings, New Street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, jeweller.

William Stone, residing at 1 Wortley Place, Beach Street, Ladywood, Birmingham, Warwickshire, trading at 105 Hospital Street, Birmingham, and recently also trading at 39 Icknield Port Road, Birmingham, grocer and provision dealer.

Jesse Stevens, Smarden, Kent, farmer.

Tom Holehouse and William Holehouse (trading as T. & W. Holehouse), 28 Packer's Row and 2 Knifesmith Gate, both in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, bootmakers and leather cutters.

John Walker, Priest Cliff, Taddington, Derbyshire, farmer.

Henry Clemerson, Ilkeston, Derbyshire, painter, paper-hanger, and furniture dealer.

William Henry Makepeace, 8 South Quay and 28 Broad Row, both in Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, tailor and outfitter, and smack and fishing boat owner.

John Richard Taylor, 3 Vanbrugh Park Road West, Blackheath, Kent, late manager of a newspaper.

C. H. Trevillion, 39 Lewisham Road, Kent, glass dealer.

John Coleman, Float Farm, Udimore, Sussex, farmer.

Wright Kershaw, 22 Somerset Street and lately 4 Beecroft Street, both in Kingston-upon-Hull, mineral water manufacturer.

George Eady, residing at 103 Granby Street, and trading at 103 Granby Street and 1 Richmond Street, Liverpool, Lancashire, boot and shoe dealer.

Green, Stewart, & Co. (also trading as Gilbert H. Green & Co.), 11 Rumford Street, Liverpool, Lancashire, also trading at New Orleans and Galveston, merchants.

Eliza Griffiths, lately residing at 88 White Rock Street, Liverpool, and trading separately from her husband at 19 Queen Square, Liverpool, Lancashire, fruit dealer, wife of William Griffiths.

Thomas Sharp, residing at 29 West Parade, and trading at 16 Clayton Street, both in Newcastle-on-Tyne, painter, decorator, and paperhanger.

James William Gellender, 14 Bellegrove West and 98 Grey Street, both in Newcastle-on-Tyne, florist, fruit, and Italian warehouseman.

Henry Cook, Alvington, near Carisbrooke, Isle of Wight, brickmaker and dairyman.

William James Dyer, 42 Upper St. James Street, Newport, Isle of Wight, lately 140 High Street, Newport, coachmaker, lately tobacconist and coachmaker.

Alfred Bayford, Westwick, Yorkshire, farmer.

William Brown, 12 Chapel Bar, Nottingham, fruiterer.

Herbert Dawson, 82 Leeming Street, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, saddler and harness maker.

Samuel Pembleton, Gedling Road, Arnold, Nottinghamshire, and 16 Albert Street, Nottingham, hosier.

John Gregory, Guthrie Street, Radford, recently 41 Dame Agnes Street, and formerly the Raven Inn, Rawson Street, New Basford, all in Nottingham, traveller, formerly licensed victualler.

Alfred Stocks, lately 29 Wilford Road, now 11 Sunny Terrace, Ryeland Crescent, The Meadows, both in Nottingham, formerly grocer and provision dealer, and Robert Hickingbotham, 20 Bathly Street, Nottingham (trading as Stocks & Hickingbotham), 4 Crocus Street, Nottingham, joiners and builders.

George Henry Taylor, 170 Arkwright Street, Nottingham, and Allen Taylor, Sherwood Villa, Loughborough Road, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire (trading as George Taylor & Sons), Arkwright Mills, Bell Street, Nottingham, spinners.

Walter Cooper, Little Whyte, Ramsey, Huntingdonshire, baker and confectioner.

John Morris Rouse and Edward Clarke (trading as Rouse & Clarke), High Street, Stamford, Lincolnshire, builders and contractors.

Enoch Evans, 177 High Street, Treorkey, Glamorgan-shire, grocer and draper.

George Edward Budden, 235 Lake Road, Landport, Hampshire, bootseller.

Henry Hopkins Fossbrooke, Bourne Valley, Dorsetshire, and Levi Hardy, Heatherland Village, Parkstone, Dorsetshire, trading at St. Michael's Rise, Bournemouth, Hampshire, builders.

William Thorne, 36 Holdenhurst Road, Bournemouth, Hampshire, ironmonger.

George Bradley, 54 Eccles New Road, Salford, Lancashire, auctioneer, tea dealer, and collector.

John Tanton, late Bessingby, Yorkshire, present address unknown, farmer.

George Frederick Littlewood, the Old Harrow Inn, Broad Street, and Milton Works, Milton Street, both in Sheffield, Yorkshire, licensed victualler and cutlery manufacturer.

David Parker, Jarvis Brook, Rotherfield, Sussex, grocer and draper.

John Joseph Cronin (otherwise John Cronin), 11 Causeway Head, Penzance, Cornwall, boot and shoe maker.

James Brawn, Ponesfields, St. Chad, Lichfield, farmer and timber dealer.

William Henry Peters, Cheddar, Somersetshire, coal merchant and road contractor.

William Shalden Smith, Overbury, Alton, Hampshire, a major in Her Majesty's 3d Battalion Hants Regiment.

William Henry Hodges, Rushall, Much Marele, Herefordshire, blacksmith.

Robert Pearson, Walton, Yorkshire, joiner, wheelwright, and farmer.

In Parliament—Session 1887.]

LAW LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Alteration of certain Provisions and removing doubts as to other Provisions of Deed of Settlement; Further Provisions as to Investment of Funds and Valuation of Assets, &c.; Interim Bonuses on Policies, and to Proprietors; Subdivision of Shares in Capital; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by or on behalf of the Law Life Assurance Society (hereinafter called 'the Society') for leave to bring in a Bill for effecting the purposes or some of the purposes following, that is to say:—

To alter, amend, extend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of the Deed of Settlement of the Society, dated the 22d day of March 1824 (hereinafter called 'the Settlement'), and of the Law

Life Assurance Society's Acts, 1863 and 1877, and of any other Act or Acts relating to the Society.

To make further and other provision with respect to the investment of the funds and moneys for the time being of the Society, including all or any part of their Proprietors' Guarantee Fund and Assurance Fund respectively, and to repeal or modify all or any restrictions upon the investments of such funds and moneys contained in the Settlement and in the said Acts or any or either of them.

To remove doubts as to the meaning and effect of the provisions of the Settlement as altered by resolutions of the Society with respect to reserving part of the surplus of the Assurance Fund of the Society before dividing such surplus as provided by the Settlement.

To make further provision as to the valuation of the property and assets and the claims on or liabilities of the Society or any of those matters, and with respect to any other matter to be taken into account in ascertaining the surplus of the Assurance Fund of the Society, and to enable the Directors or such number of them as the Bill may prescribe to determine the principles upon which such valuation shall be made or such matter determined, or upon which the share to be assigned in accordance with the settlement to the assured of the surplus or of the remainder of the surplus of the Assurance Fund of the Society shall be calculated or ascertained and distributed.

To confer the right to a bonus out of the profits or probable profits of the Society upon or in respect of policies granted with participation in profits becoming claims during any quinquennial or other period subsequent to any 31st day of December, up to which any account or statement mentioned in Clause LXXV. of the settlement has been or is made out.

To entitle the proprietors of the Society to interim bonuses in anticipation of the share of the profits to which proprietors would be entitled at the expiration of any current financial period.

To make provision for dividing the shares in the capital of the Society into five shares of smaller nominal amount, and to amend the settlement in that respect.

To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with or which would or might in any way interfere with the objects of the Bill, and to confer other rights or privileges.

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

Dated this 24th day of November 1886.

W. MELMOTH WALTERS,
9 New Square, Lincoln's Inn,
Solicitor for the Bill.

REES & FRERE,
13 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1887.

POTTER'S PATENT FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN FURNACES FOR MELTING GLASS.

(Confirmation of Patent).

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the session of 1887 for leave to bring in a Bill and pass an Act for the following purposes:—

To continue and confirm certain Letters Patent bearing date the 22nd day of June 1882, and numbered 2971, granted to Richard Potter, of Dearne-terrace, Stairfoot, in the county of York, for the term of fourteen years, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces for melting glass."

To authorise the said Letters Patent, or a duplicate thereof, to be stamped with a proper stamp, showing the payment of the stamp duty thereon of £100, and to be produced at the office of the Commissioners of Patents for the said Commissioners of Patents, or their clerk, to stamp such Letters Patent or duplicate, specifying the date of such production, and to endorse on such Letters Patent or duplicate a certificate of the production of the same duly stamped, and to endorse a like certificate upon the Warrant for such Letters Patent, filed in the said office.

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

Dated this 19th day of November 1886.

LEAROYD, PIERCY, & SIMPSON,
Huddersfield, Solicitors.

S. LEAROYD & JAMES,
12 Coleman Street, London, E.C.
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1887.

AYR AND DISTRICT TRAMWAYS

(EXTENSION OF TIME).

(Extension of Time for Purchase of Lands and Construction of Tramways; Amendment of Acts, &c.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session, by the Ayr and District Tramways Company (hereinafter called 'the Company'), for leave to bring in a Bill for all or some of the following purposes, that is to say:—

To extend the time limited by the Ayr and District Tramways Act, 1884 (hereinafter called 'the Act of 1884'), for the purchase of lands and for the construction and completion of the Tramways and works authorized by the Act of 1884, and, if expedient, to confer upon the Company further and additional powers with reference thereto.

To amend or repeal, so far as may be necessary or expedient for any of the purposes of the Bill, the provisions, or some of the provisions, of 'The Tramways Act, 1870;' the Act of 1884, and any other Acts relating to or affecting the Company.

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

Dated this 16th day of November, 1886.

THOMAS ANDREW,
9 Sandgate Street, Ayr,
Solicitor for the Bill.

A. BEVERIDGE,
18 Abingdon Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agent.

In Parliament—Session 1887.

SECURITIES INSURANCE AND DEPOSIT CORPORATION (LIMITED).

(Power to Issue Warrants or Certificates of Possession of Securities, &c., Transferable by Delivery or Endorsement, or Otherwise Power to Company to Undertake Office of Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Receiver, and Liquidator, and to Act in Other Fiduciary Characters. Powers to Chancery Division of High Court of Justice, and Paymaster-General, &c., and to Others Authorized to Appoint Trustees, &c.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session, by or on behalf of the Securities Insurance and Deposit Corporation, Limited, (in this Notice called 'the Company'), for leave to bring in a Bill for the purposes or some of the purposes following, that is to say:

To empower the Company to grant and issue Warrants or Certificates evidencing the possession by the Company of negotiable or other Securities, or of deeds, documents, or other property, or things, and entitling the holder of any such warrant or certificate to have the securities, deeds, documents, property, or things mentioned therein, and to make such warrants and certificates transferable by delivery or endorsement, or otherwise.

To enable the Company to accept and undertake the office of trustee, executor, administrator, receiver, and liquidator, and to perform through some officer or officers of the Company the duties of every or any such office, to make provision for the due performance of such duties by the Company and its officers, and (if so thought expedient) as to the security to be given by the Company or its officer or officers for the due performance of such duties, and to confer all necessary powers in relation to all or any of the matters aforesaid upon the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice and the officers thereof, and upon the Paymaster-General of the said Chancery Division.

To empower the Chancery Division aforesaid and any Court of Justice, or any person having authority or power to appoint any person as trustee or receiver or committee, to appoint the Company as such trustee, receiver, or committee.

To enable the Company to act under any power of attorney either alone or jointly with any person or persons or company, and generally to act in any fiduciary character.

To declare, define, and, if need be, extend the rights and remedies of persons having any claim or demand against the Company acting in any such capacity as aforesaid.

To amend or vary the memorandum and articles of association of the Company, so far as may be necessary or thought expedient for giving effect to the objects and provisions of the Bill.

And the Bill will vary or extinguish any rights and privileges inconsistent with any of its objects, and confer other rights and privileges.

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

Dated this 26th day of November, 1886.

BIRCHAM & CO.,

50 Old Broad Street, E.C., and
46 Parliament Street, S.W.,
Solicitors for the Bill.

REES & FRERE,

13 Great George Street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1887.

NATIONAL SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY LIMITED.

(Power to Company to Undertake Office of Trustee Executor Administrator Receiver and Liquidator and to Act in other Fiduciary Characters; Remuneration of Company; Powers to any Division of High Court of Justice or any other Court of Justice in England Scotland or Ireland and Paymaster-General &c. and to others Authorized to Appoint Trustees &c. and to Creditors or Persons having Claims against the Company or Interested in Property &c.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by or on behalf of the National Safe Deposit Company Limited (in this Notice called 'the Company') for leave to bring in a Bill for the purposes or some of the purposes following that is to say:—

To enable the Company to accept and undertake the Office of Trustee Executor Administrator with the Will annexed or otherwise Receiver and Liquidator and to perform through some Officer or Officers of the Company the duties of every or any such Office, to make provision for the due performance of such duties by the Company and its Officers and (if so thought expedient) as to the security to be given by the Company or its Officer or Officers for the due performance of such duties and to confer all necessary powers relative to all or any of the matters aforesaid upon all or any of the Divisions of the High Court of Justice or any other Court of Justice in England Scotland or Ireland and the Officers thereof and upon the Paymaster-General of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice.

To empower all or any of the Divisions of the High Court of Justice and any other Court of Justice as aforesaid or any person having authority or power to appoint any person as Trustee or Receiver or Committee to appoint the Company as such Trustee Receiver or Committee either alone or jointly with any person or persons or Company.

To enable the Company to act under any Power of Attorney either alone or jointly with any person or persons or Company, and generally to act in any fiduciary character.

To provide for the remuneration of the Company for any services rendered by them in the performances of any of the duties above mentioned or in any fiduciary character and to enable Trustees Executors Administrators next of kin or other persons under any disability in that behalf to agree with the Company as to the amount of such remuneration and the funds or monies out of which it shall be paid.

To define the cases in which, or the circumstances under which any legal business in relation to wills or testamentary writings or to Trusts may or shall be conducted by the Solicitor of or a Solicitor to be appointed by the Company and to empower the High Court of Justice or any other Court of Justice in England Scotland or Ireland or any Division or Judge, thereof to remove Solicitors appointed for the conduct of any such matters by any will or testamentary writing or Deed.

To declare define and if need be extend the rights and remedies against the Company, and the Directors and Officers thereof of persons having any claim or demand against the Company acting in any such capacity as aforesaid or being beneficially or otherwise entitled to or interested in any property.

To amend or vary the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company as far as may be necessary or thought expedient for giving effect to the objects and provisions of the Bill.

And the Bill will vary or extinguish any rights and privileges inconsistent with any of its objects, and confer other rights and privileges.

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

Dated this 27th day of November 1886.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP & CO.,
6 Old Jewry E.C.,
Solicitors for the Bill.

REES & FRERE,
13 Great George Street, Westminster, S.W.,
Parliamentary Agents.

Notice in terms of the Education (Scotland) Act, 1878, section 31, as to Land required for the purposes of the Education (Scotland) Acts.

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE BURGH OF EDINBURGH hereby give Notice that for the purpose of erecting a Public School, Janitor's House, and other Buildings connected therewith, they propose to take under the Compulsory Powers conferred by said Act a Piece of Land on the north side of East London Street, Edinburgh, in the Parish of St. Cuthberts and County of the City of Edinburgh, belonging to John Hope, Esq., W.S., Edinburgh, extending along said street 170 feet or thereby, and extending backwards at right angles to said street 230 feet or thereby, bounded on the south by East London Street, on the west partly by a tenement of houses forming No. 10 Cochran Place, and partly by ground belonging to the Governors of George Heriot's Hospital, and on the north and east by ground belonging to the said John Hope, as the same is delineated on a plan of the ground so proposed to be taken, which plan may be seen at the Office of the said School Board, No. 25 Castle Street, Edinburgh, between the hours of ten o'clock forenoon and four o'clock afternoon.

The quantity of Land required and proposed to be taken is 4344 square yards or thereby.

DAVID PHILIP, S.S.C.,
Agent for the said School Board.

41 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh,
29th November 1886.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880, has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of M'Kenzie Brothers, 17 Lombard Street, Inverness, Pursuers, against PETER DAVIDSON, 118 Eglinton Street, Glasgow, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Balfour) has ordained the said Peter Davidson to appear for public Examination within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, upon the 13th day of December next, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all the Creditors of the Defender are required to appear.

WM. C. JOHNSTON, Solicitor, Glasgow,
Agent.

Glasgow, 27th November 1886.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of Messrs. Samuel Smith & Company, Wholesale Shoe Warehousemen, 31 Great Eastern Street, London, Pursuers, against JAMES F. GORDON, Boot and Shoe Warehouseman, 5 Broad Street, Aberdeen, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James F. Gordon to appear in Court, within the Sheriff Court, County Buildings, Aberdeen, upon the 15th day of December 1886, at twelve o'clock noon, for public Examination, at which Diet his Creditors are required to appear.

W. CRAIG RAMSAY, S.S.C.,
163 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, having been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, at the instance of A. M'Lardie & Co., 25 Commerce Street, Glasgow, against A. F. HOWIE, Grocer, Cambuslang, the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said A. F. Howie to appear within his Chambers, County Buildings, Hamilton, upon the 14th day of December next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all her Creditors are required to appear.

W. T. HAY & CASSELS,
Silverwells, Cadzow Street, Hamilton,
Agents for Petitioners.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of John Robertson, 35 Broad Street, Aberdeen, against JAMES COWAN, sometime of No. 111 Nicolson Street, Edinburgh, now at No. 26 Crichton Place, Leith Walk, Edinburgh; and all Creditors of the said James Cowan are hereby required to appear in Court, within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 15th day of December next, at two o'clock afternoon, when the said James Cowan will appear for Examination.

WM. OFFICER, S.S.C.,
Agent for Petitioner.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen, at the instance of J. & J. S. Anderson, House Furnishers, Queen Street, Aberdeen, against JAMES BURR, Doctor of Medicine, Union Buildings, Aberdeen; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said James Burr to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Aberdeen, upon the 10th day of December 1886, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

J. STEWART WATT, Solicitor,
35A Union Street, Aberdeen,
Agent for Petitioners.

HENRY ANDREW GARDINER otherwise GARDINER COYNE, Comedian, 31 Queen Street, Dundee, has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of Forfarshire for Decree of Cessio bonorum; and all his Creditors are hereby required to appear within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, upon the 9th day of December 1886, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, when he will appear for Examination.

C. D. MITCHELL, Solicitor, Dundee,
Petitioner's Agent.

Dundee, 29th November 1886.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of Isaac Low, Plumber, Stirling Road, Glasgow, against JAMES MACALLAN, Joiner, Glasgow, one of the Partners of MACALLAN, M'CORKINDALE, & COMPANY, Joiners and Contractors, Glasgow, as such Partner, and as a Partner of MACALLAN, THAW, & COMPANY, Builders, Glasgow, and as an Individual; and the Sheriff-Substitute has fixed the 17th day of December next, at ten o'clock A.M., within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Balfour, County Buildings, Glasgow, for the Examination of the said James Macallan, when all his Creditors are required to appear.

THOMAS D. TORRANCE, Writer,
95 Bath Street, Glasgow, Agent.

26th November 1886.

THE Estates of CUNNINGHAM, THOMSON, & COMPANY, Fruit Brokers' Bazaar, Glasgow, and James M. Cunningham, Fruit Merchant, Bazaar, Glasgow, the sole Partner of said Firm of Cunningham, Thomson, & Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to William Barton, Accountant, 51 West Regent Street, Glasgow, as Trustee for behoof of their Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before the 28th day of December 1886. The Creditors will meet before the Sheriff (Balfour), within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on 18th January 1887, at ten o'clock forenoon.

WILSON & CHALMERS, Writers,
212 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
Agents for the Trustee.

TO THE CREDITORS ON

The Sequestrated Estates of WILLIAM PHILLIP,
Builder, 35 Haddington Place, Edinburgh.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of the Lothians and Peebles, William Phillip, above designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a Petition to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, to be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, in terms of the Statutes.

W. PHILLIP.

Edinburgh, November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of FREDERICK MUNSIE, Bank Teller, residing at Campfield House, Greenock.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the first General Meeting of Creditors in the above Sequestration, held on the 24th day of November 1886, it was unanimously resolved that the Estate should be wound up under a Deed of Arrangement, and such a Deed has now been lodged with the Sheriff-Clerk, signed by all the Creditors, whereby the said Frederick Munsie binds himself to pay a Composition of Eight Shillings and Ninepence per pound within two days after the approval of the said Deed of Arrangement; on considering which Deed the said Sheriff issued a Deliverance in the following terms:—*'Greenock, 29th November 1886.—The Sheriff-Substitute having seen the Deed of Arrangement produced, before answer appoints intimation of the production thereof, and of this Deliverance, to be made by Advertisement published in the Edinburgh Gazette, requiring all parties interested who desire to oppose the approval thereof to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Greenock a Notice of Appearance within six days from the date of such publication, reserving thereafter to appoint a Diet for hearing all parties interested, and to make any inquiries which may be deemed necessary; meantime appoints the said Deed and the Process to remain with the Clerk of Court, subject to inspection.'*

(Signed) 'ALEX. NICOLSON.'

Of all which Notice is hereby given.

A. J. MACDOUGALL & THOM, Solicitors,
13 Hamilton Street, Greenock.

Greenock, 29th November 1886.

THE Estates of ROBERT GEORGE ADAM, residing at Hollybank, Greenock, were Sequestrated on the 30th day of March 1886, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

The first Deliverance is dated the 30th day of March 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 9th day of December 1886, within the Tontine Hotel, Greenock.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of March 1887.

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

JAMES W. TURNER, Writer,
17 West Blackhall Street, Greenock, Agent.

THE Estates of JOHN TAIT, Fish Curer, Argyle Square, Pulteneytown, Wick, in the County of Caithness, were Sequestrated on the 23d day of November 1886, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland at Wick.

The first Deliverance is dated the 23d day of November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 9th day of December 1886, within Brims' Auction Rooms, Bridge Street, Wick.

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 23d day of March 1887.

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

ALEXANDER SUTHERLAND, S.S.C., Wick,
Agent.

THE Estates of JAMES FOOTE GORDON, Shoemaker, carrying on business at No. 37 Union Street and No. 3 Broad Street, Aberdeen, were Sequestrated on the 26th day of November 1886, by the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Aberdeen.

The first Deliverance is dated the 26th day of November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday the 11th day of December 1886, within the Douglas Hotel, Market Street, Aberdeen.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th day of March 1887.

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

ROBERT LAMB, Advocate,
29 Union Street, Aberdeen, Agent.

THE Estates of JAMES GOW, Farmer, Whitefold, Auchterarder, in the County of Perth, were Sequestrated on the 29th day of November 1886, by the Sheriff of Perthshire.

The first Deliverance is dated the 29th day of November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the 10th day of December 1886, within the Solicitors' Library, County Buildings, Perth.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 29th day of March 1887.

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

CONDIE & Co., Writers,
British Linen Bank House, Perth, Agents.

29th November 1886.

THE Estates of ALEXANDER ROY, Junior, Cabinetmaker, Bridge Street, Dunfermline, were Sequestrated on the 29th day of November 1886, by the Sheriff of Fife and Kinross.

The first Deliverance is dated the 29th day of November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock, on Friday the 10th day of December 1886, within St. Margaret's Hall, Dunfermline.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 29th day of March 1887.

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

GORRIE & HONEYMAN, Solicitors, Dunfermline, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN THORBURN, Plumber and Gasfitter, High Street, Dalkeith, were Sequestrated on the 29th day of November 1886, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated 29th November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday the 8th day of December 1886, 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 29th day of March 1887.

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.

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

THE Estates of GEORGE WILLIAMSON, Builder and Contractor in Glasgow, were Sequestrated on the 29th day of November 1886, by the Sheriff of the County of Lanark.

The first Deliverance is dated the 29th November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday the 9th day of December 1886, 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 29th day of March 1887.

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

W. BARRIE,
149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of the Deceased ROBERT BRYSON, Watchmaker in Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on 30th November 1886, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 30th November 1886.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 10th day of December 1886, 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 30th day of March 1887.

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.

HENDERSON & CLARK, W.S.,
4 York Place, Edinburgh, Agents.

NOTICE.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of The Scottish Provident Institution for Annuities and Assurances on Lives, incorporated by Act of Parliament 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 106, for Sequestration of the Estates of ARCHIBALD JOHN MACLEAN, Esquire of Pennycross and Carsaig, in the Island of Mull and County of Argyll, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Archibald John Maclean to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

MORTON, NEILSON, & SMART, W.S.,
19 York Place, Edinburgh, Agents.

Edinburgh, 26th November 1886.

NOTICE.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Perthshire, at the instance of Peter Brough, Merchant and Inspector of Poor, Comrie, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN CRERAR, Feuar, Dalginross, Comrie, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said John Crerar to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

CHAS. E. COLVILLE, Solicitor, Crieff,
Agent.

Crieff, 26th November 1886.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of The Union Heritable Securities Company Limited, registered under 'The Companies Act, 1862 and 1867,' for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN TAYLOR, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said John Taylor to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. & R. A. ROBERTSON, Agents.

18 Queen Street, Edinburgh,
25th November 1886.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Edmonston & Company, Manufacturers, No. 26 Exchange Street, Aberdeen, and Thomas Smith & Company, Manufacturers, Peterhead, for Sequestration of the Estates of GEORGE HAY INGLIS, Tailor and Clothier, Forres, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Hay Inglis to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the twenty-first day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

GORDON, PRINGLE, DALLAS, & Co., W.S.,
Petitioners' Agents,
3 Queen Street, Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, 26th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS BRISBANE ANDERSON, now or lately practising as a Solicitor in Dumfries.

JAMES CARMONT, Collector, Treasurer, and Clerk to the Nith Navigation Commissioners, Dumfries, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Johnston, Grocer and Baker in Dumfries, Andrew Patterson, Tailor and Clothier in Dumfries, and James

Maxwell, Bookseller in Dumfries, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dumfries, on Monday the 6th day of December next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. S. Adamson & J. Symons, Writers, Dumfries, on Thursday the 16th day of December 1886, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES CARMONT, Trustee.

Dumfries, 25th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM CAMPBELL,
Farmer, Fryster, in the Parish of Olrig and County of Caithness.

ALEXANDER MACKAY, Accountant in Thurso, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David Sutherland, Banker, Thurso, James M'Kidd, Ironfounder, Thurso, and James Shearer, Accountant in Thurso, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Wick, on Friday the 10th day of December next, at one o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Royal Hotel, Thurso, on Tuesday the 21st day of December next, at two o'clock afternoon, and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend, their oaths and claims will require to be lodged in the hands of the Trustee on or before the 3d day of March 1887.

ALEX. MACKAY, Trustee.

Thurso, 27th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN COCHRAN, of Mains,
in the Parish of Dunlop.

THE Trustee hereby calls a General Meeting of the Creditors, to be held in the George Hotel, Kilmarnock, on Friday the 10th day of December next, at half-past twelve o'clock afternoon, to take into consideration what steps should be adopted for the winding up of the Estate, and to give directions thereanent.

WM. S. N. PATRICK, Trustee.

Dalry, 29th November 1886.

THOMAS SMITH, Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ALEXANDER M'KAY, Boot and Shoe Maker, 124 High Street, Nairn, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Hodge & Smith, Accountants, 137 West George Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 8th day of December next, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in room of Mr. William Melvin, resigning.

THOMAS SMITH, Trustee.

Glasgow, 29th November 1886.

JAMES BURNS, Solicitor, Motherwell, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM TAYLOR PAUL, Medical Hall, Motherwell, carrying on business there and at Mossend as a Chemist and Druggist under the Style or Firm of PAUL & Co., hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within his Office, 11 Merry Street, Motherwell, on Thursday the 23d day of December 1886, at two o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

JAMES BURNS, Trustee.

Motherwell, 29th November 1886.

DAVID ROLLO, Accountant in Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of WILLIAM PHILLIP, Builder, 35 Haddington Place, Edinburgh, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Office of Messrs. Rollo & Stuart, C.A., 10 North Saint David Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 23d day of December 1886, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider as to an application to be made for the Trustee's discharge.

DAVID ROLLO, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 29th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER MACDONALD,
Grocer, Beaully, in the County of Inverness.

I, DUNCAN MACKINTOSH, Commission Agent, Inverness, Trustee on the above Estate, do hereby intimate that at the Second General Meeting of Creditors, held at Inverness on the 24th instant, the Bankrupt offered a Composition of Five Shillings per pound upon his debts as at the date of the Sequestration of his Estates, payable in three equal instalments at four, eight, and twelve months from the date of his final discharge, and also to pay or provide for payment of the expenses of the Sequestration and the Trustee's remuneration, with security for payment of the same, which offer was by the said Meeting unanimously entertained for consideration; and I also intimate that another Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Procurator's Rooms, The Castle, Inverness, on Thursday the 23d day of December next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to dispose of the said offer.

D. MACKINTOSH, Trustee.

Inverness, 27th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS NEILL, Draper,
Roslin Terrace, Coatbridge.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to the 13th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute, and that on and after Friday the 14th day of January 1887 there will be paid, within the Office of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, a third and final Dividend to those Creditors whose claims are admitted.

JAMES TAYLOR, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 29th November 1886.

SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS RANKIN, Boot and
Shoe Maker, No. 18 Commerce Street, Elgin.

AS Trustee in this Estate, I hereby intimate that my accounts, brought down to the 2d instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Office of Messrs. Hodge & Smith, Accountants, 137 West George Street, Glasgow, upon Monday the 3d day of January 1887.

J. R. HODGE, Trustee.

Glasgow, 27th November 1886.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of M'MILLAN & BATHGATE,** Carvers and Gilders, Greenock, and George Bathgate, Carver and Gilder there, the sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

JAMES NICOLL, Accountant in Greenock, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a first and final Dividend will be paid within his Chambers, 33 Cathcart Street, Greenock, upon Monday the 17th day of January 1887.

JAMES NICOLL, Trustee.

Greenock, 29th November 1886.

NOTICE.

In the **SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT CAMPBELL,**
Lochend, Carnoustie.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 15th current, have been audited by the Commissioners on the Estate in terms of the Statutes, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid within his Office, Bank of Scotland, Carnoustie, on the 16th day of January 1887.

D. A. M'CORQUODALE, Trustee.

Carnoustie, 27th November 1886.

I WILLIAM COUPER TAIT, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN HORN, Contractor, Motherwell, hereby intimate that the account of my intromissions, brought down to the 14th instant, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that I have examined the claims of the several Creditors who have lodged their oaths and grounds of debt on or before the said date; further, that a second Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, within the Chambers of Brown, junior, Davies, & Tait, C.A., 75 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on the 15th day of January 1887.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 29th November 1886.

C HARLES SIMON ROMANES, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN SWAN, Grocer, Wine and Spirit Merchant, 1 Bayton Terrace, Granton Road, Edinburgh, hereby intimates that the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles has accelerated payment of the first Dividend under the Sequestration, by authorising the same to be made on the expiration of four months from the date of the Deliverance actually awarding Sequestration, and that accordingly the claims of the Creditors must be duly lodged with the Subscriber on or before the 16th day of December 1886, in order to participate in said Dividend.

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

Chambers, 46 Hanover Street, Edinburgh.

G EORGE KYD, Auctioneer, Perth, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of DAVID MARTIN, Farmer, Culdeesland, in the Parish of Methven and County of Perth, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

GEO. KYD, Trustee.

Perth, 25th November 1886.

The SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE DOWNIE, Fish Curer in Fraserburgh.

J OHN FINLAYSON, Solicitor, Fraserburgh, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

JOHN FINLAYSON, Trustee.

Fraserburgh, 24th November 1886.

In the SEQUESTRATION of WILLIAM PATERSON HENDERSON, Contractor, Salen and Tobermory, both in the Island of Mull and County of Argyll.

A LEXANDER FINNIE YOUNG, Accountant, Glasgow, as Trustee on the above Estate, hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate for the statutory period ending 12th November 1886, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that they have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the next statutory period.

A. FINNIE YOUNG, Trustee.

Glasgow, 26th November 1886.

NOTICE

TO THE CREDITORS OF

JAMES GRANT, Wine Merchant, Forres.

T HE Commissioners on the above Estate have decided that the payment of the second Dividend is to be postponed to the next statutory period.

H. D. MURDOCH, Trustee.

Forres, 25th November 1886.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Glasgow, 21st October 1886.

T HE Subscribers, sole Partners of M'EWAN & MARSHALL, Engineers, Boilermakers, and Blacksmiths, 159 Finnieston Street, Glasgow, have of this date DISSOLVED PARTNERSHIP by mutual consent.

The Business will be carried on by the Subscriber Angus M'Ewan, who is authorised to receive all debts due to, and will pay all those due by, the Company.

ANGUS M'EWAN.

J. ROWLEY ORR, Writer, Glasgow,
J. A. LOVE TINDAL, Apprentice-at-Law, 93 West Regent Street, Glasgow,

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Angus M'Ewan.

JAMES MARSHALL.

WILL. VEITCH ORR, Writer, Glasgow,
JOHN AULD, Apprentice-at-Law, 93 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Witnesses to the Signature of the said James Marshall.

NOTICE.

T HE Copartnery Concern of R. & S. PATON, Potato Merchants, No. 46 Hanover Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscriber Robert Paton and the late Samuel Paton were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED as at 9th January 1886, by the death of the said Samuel Paton.

The Subscriber Robert Paton will continue to carry on the business in the same premises and under the same name as formerly, and will pay all debts due by, and uplift and discharge all debts due to, the said Copartnership.

JOHN GORDON,

CHAS. RUSSELL,

SAMUEL TODD,

Trustees and Executors of the late SAMUEL PATON,

WM. GEMMILL, Jr., Law-Clerk, 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

THOS. MACGREGOR, Law-Clerk, 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the Trustees of the late Samuel Paton.

ROBERT PATON.

GAVIN BROWN, Jr., Clerk, 46 Hanover Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JOHN KENNEDY, Law-Clerk, 150 Hope Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to the Signature of Robert Paton.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership of CLARKSON BROTHERS, Engineers and Machine Makers, Nos. 8 and 12 Little Hamilton Street and 95 High John Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED of mutual consent as at 9th September 1886.

The Subscribers Peter and William Clarkson will liquidate the affairs of the late Copartnership.

Glasgow, 27th November 1886.

PETER CLARKSON.

WILLIAM CLARKSON.

WM. J. ALEXANDER, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.

WM. JAMIESON, Clerk-at-Law, Glasgow,
Witness.

THOMAS CLARKSON.

T. C. YOUNG, Jr., Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.

ARCHD. PATERSON, Apprentice-at-Law,
Glasgow, Witness.

Selkirk, 22d November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Business of Tweed Manufacturer carried on at Bridgehaugh Mill or elsewhere by me, as sole Partner, under the Firm or Style of SELLAR & CO, has been terminated, and, except for the purpose of closing business transactions, the use of the said Firm or Style will be discontinued as from this date.

Outstanding debts will be paid, and accounts collected, by Messrs. Lang & Steedman, Solicitors, Selkirk, or John Steedman, Solicitor there, my Attorney.

ARTHUR SELLAR.

SELLAR & CO.

ROBT. HUNTER, Clerk, Selkirk, Witness.

JOHN MACAULAY, Clerk, Selkirk, Witness.

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