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CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE,

DOWNING STREET, January 29, 1887.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following promotion in the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:—

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Sir George Cumine Strahan, K.C.M.G., Governor of the Colony of Tasmania.

WAR OFFICE, January 29, 1887.

The Queen has been pleased to give orders for the appointment of the undermentioned Officer to be a Companion of the 'Distinguished Service Order,' viz.:—

For Operations in the Soudan.

Surgeon-Major John Godfrey Rogers, M.B., Medical Staff.

WHITEHALL, January 29, 1887.

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, granting unto Henry Farnham Burke, Esq., Rouge Croix Pursuivant of Arms, the Office of Somerset Herald, vacant by the decease of Stephen Isaacson Tucker, Esq.

WHITEHALL, January 31, 1887.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, dated the 25th January 1887, to appoint the Right Honourable Edward Macnaghten, Q.C., to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, under the provisions of 'The Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876,' and to grant him the dignity of a Baron for life, by the style and title of Baron Macnaghten, of Runkerry, in the County of Antrim.

WHITEHALL, January 31, 1887.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir William Hart Dyke, Bart., to be Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 29th January 1887, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

4	w					Quantities.			
	,					1886.	1887.		
Animals living:—	».)			***************************************					
Oxen, Bulls,		Calves			Number	4,389	3,725		
Sheep and La		•••	•••	•••	"	6,474	10,886		
Swine			•••	•••	"	23	42		
Dead Meat :		×			=				
Bacon		•••		•••	cwts.	66,555	84,882		
Beef, salted a	nd fresh	•••	•••	•••	,,	19,579	17,074		
Hams				•••	"	17,624	16,768		
Meat unenum			fresh	•••	"	522	280		
27 27	pre	eserved	•••	•••	"	8,173	6,684		
Mutton, fresh	ı				"	3,498	15,855		
Pork, salted	(not Hams) and fre	esh	•••	"	10,132	11,761		
Poultry and Game	e	***	•••	***	Value £	7,747	10,524		
Rabbits		5-4-4	***	•••	cwts.	6,372	2,190		
Butter			•••		,,	26,761	31,167		
Butterine		•••	•••	•••	,,	22,329	24,586		
Cheese		•••	•••	•••	,,	17,289	17,050		
Eggs		•••	•••		Great Hundred	89,470	97,504		
Lard		•••	•••		cwts.	11,667	15,211		
Vegetables:						374	•		
Onions, raw			• 10000		Bushels	67,702	70.000		
Potatoes .		•••	•••	•••	cwts.	34,693	70,998		
Unenumerate		•••	•••	•••	Value £	5,585	27,202 5,040		
Corn, Grain, Meal	, and Flou	ır :—					-,-20		
7771	•• •••	•••			cwts.	718,047	1,439,992		
D 1		•••	•••	•••		158,206	204,784		
Onto		•••	•••		"	164,164	187,944		
Pease .		•••	•••	•••	. "	18,699	42,125		
Beans .			•••	•••	"	79,360	84,105		
		•••	•••		,,	370,997	873,557		
Wheat Meal	and Flour	•••	•••	•••	"	312,547	401,702		
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STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 29th January 1887, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

			QUANTITIE	s soli	AVERAGE PRICE.				
Wheat		•••	 Qrs. 48,455	Bus.		s. 35	d. 5		
Barley	•••	•••	 105,467	4		26	7		
Oats	•••	,	 12,045	1		17	. 1		

Commercial Department, Board of Trade, January 29, 1887,

R. GIFFEN.

THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, FEBRUARY 4, 1887.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1883 to 1886.

Corresponding Week in			QUANTITIES SOLD.							AVERAGE PRICE.					
		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.			
1883 1884			Qrs. 59,900 61,317	Bus.	Qrs. 70,469 112,509	Bus. 7 5	Qrs. 11,519 14,489		s. 40 37	d. 6	s. 32	d. 9	s. 20	d. 11	
1885 1886		•••	72,778 73,600	2 3	82,827 97,652	1 6	13,393 12,651		34 29	9 6 7	32 32 28	6 1 8	19 20 18	6 10	

Commercial Department, Board of Trade, January 29, 1887.

R. GIFFEN.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, February 1, 1887.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for not fewer than 30 situations as Female Telegraph Learners in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London on the 4th March 1887, under the Regulations dated 8th June 1885.

No person will be admitted to examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 18th February, an 'application' in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, February 1, 1887.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 12th February 1876, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments, Transfer, and Promotion in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of January 1887:—

APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty—Thomas Dally to be Third Class Assistant Constructor.

Commons, House of—Frederick Rowland Williams-Wynn to be Junior Clerk.

Consular Service—George Gordon Wilson to be Vice-Consul, Callao.

Arthur Hyde Lay to be Student Interpreter.

Diplomatic Service—Lancelot Douglas Carnegie, Arthur Robert Peel, and John Francis Charles, Count de Salis, to be Attachés.

Lords, House of — Adolphus George Charles Liddell to be Chief Clerk, Crown Office.

National Education Office, Ireland—Sarah Frances Devine to be Assistant Superintendent in the Marlborough Street Training College.

Post Office—John Doubleday and George Joshua Reay Scott to be Junior Clerks in the Confidential Enquiry Branch. William Leckie Hogg to be Postmaster (Fraserburgh), Elizabeth Canter, Mary Amelia Dawson, Florence Fell, and Elizabeth Mary Nisbett to be Female Clerks.

Scotch Education Department—George Latimer Apperson, Henry Gurson Batley, and Thomas Hodgson to be Staff Clerks; Robert Small and William Whyte to be Sub-Inspectors; James Binnie, John Crombie, Thomas M'Vie, and John Wilson to be Inspectors' Assistants.

War Office—Charles Harris to be Clerk of the New Higher Division.

CLERKS AND BOY CLERKS OF THE LOWER DIVISION.

Admiralty—Arthur Cook to be Clerk (for temporary duty).

Army Clothing Depôt—Walter Hargreaves Waddington to be Boy Clerk.

Education Department—William Alfred Rogers to be Boy Clerk.

Friendly Societies' Registry—Ernest Bennett to be Clerk.

Irish Land Commission — William Connor and Samuel Rice to be Clerks (for temporary duty).

National Education Office, Ireland—James Mahon to be Clerk.

Post Office—Frank Grigg and James George Martin to be Clerks.

Patrick Branagan and John George Mellersh to be Boy Clerks.

Scotch Education Department — Attilio Regolo Setacci to be Boy Clerk.

TRANSFER,

with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

Chief Secretary's Office, Ireland—Richard Henry Wright to be Clerk, from National Education Office, Ireland.

PROMOTION

under Clause 18 of the Order in Council of 12th February 1876:—

Local Government Board, England—John Jordon to be Clerk in Charge of Accounts.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, February 1, 1887.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

January 27, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Out-Door Officer—James Buckle Wilson Johnston.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Consular Service of China, Japan, and Siam: Student Interpreter—Arthur Hyde Lay.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphists, London— Charles Montague Elliott Wilson, Catherine Ann Le Fevre.

Postman or Sorter, London—George Henry Warboys.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner — Arthur William Rayner (Barnsley).

January 28, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London
—Susannah Grace Hall.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Shields — William Hudson Gordon.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer,
Division I.—William Nancollas Hancock.

Post Office: Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners
—Francis Henry Bevan (Swansea), John Henry
Carr (Crewe), John Thomas Stables (Liverpool).

Postmen—John Gascoyne (Hinckley), William Wright (Scole).

January 29, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, London—Charles Oriel Viveash.

Female Telegraph Learners, London—Jessie Maria Knight, Celia Annie Mason, Annie Murison Scott.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I.—Benjamin Hunter.

Post Office: Postmen or Sorters, London—George Hilton Dunkley, Thomas Raynham.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—William Pimley (Birmingham), Alfred George Wickham Ricketts (Trowbridge), John Owen Sullivan (Rochester).

Postmen — Henry Alsibrook (Ashby-de-la-Zouch), Walter Willoughby Barker (Scarborough), Albert Carter (Glastonbury), Arthur Henry Dear (Andover), Joseph Harland (Doncaster), William Edley Hart (Ipswich), Samuel

Edward Hicks (Chatham), Harry Huxley (Manchester), Nicholas Keelan (Liverpool), John Henson Knighton (Peterborough), William Charles Lambeth (Windsor), John M'Cluskie (Liverpool), William Mitchell M'Intyre (Workington), John Francis Noble (York), Thomas Judson Poole (York), John Ring (Cork), Arthur Twinn (Cambridge).

Junior Town Postman, Manchester—James Wainwright.

For Registration as Temporary Messenger. Man—John Murray.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Charles Lewes Hamilton Cox, 11 Grove Hill, Dulwich, Surrey, lately residing at Aden, in the limits of the Bombay Presidency, in the Empire of India, but at present in England on leave, a lieutenant in the Bombay Staff Corps, an officer of the 4th Bombay Infantry, stationed at Mhow, in the Bombay Presidency, India.

John Kitching (trading as John Kitching & Company, and as Campbell & Co.), 2 Fountain Court, Aldermanbury, London, 75 Canonbury Road; Islington, and 50 Bartholomew Road, Kentish Town, Middlesex, 17 High Street, Kingsland, Middlesex, mantle manufacturer.

William Austin Metcalfe, 4 Plowden Buildings, Temple, Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law.

G. Opitz, 22 St. Mary Axe, London, commission agent.

H. Drummond Wolff, St. James's Club, Piccadilly, Middlesex, present residence the petitioning creditors are unable to ascertain.

Thomas Yoxen White, Keeley Farm, Wootton, Ashbrook Farm, Marston, and Langford, Bedfordshire, farmer.

Joshua Knight, 86 Hockley Hill, Birmingham, Warwickshire, fruiterer.

Isabella Hamer, Samuel Hamer, and William Hamer (trading as Mrs. Hamer & Sons), all residing and trading at 6 Ashburner Street, Bolton, Lancashire, and Wellington Street, Hull, Yorkshire, fruit and potato merchants.

John Hand, now residing at 107 Falcon Street, Oldham, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at 78 Brackley Street, Farnworth, Lancashire, now out of business, lately grocer and tea dealer.

Issac Pollard, Pollard Buildings, Tong Street, near Bradford, recently grocer and draper, now mason.

Elijah James Lewis, Victoria Mews, Sneyd Park, Gloucestershire, and also the King's Arms Mews, Blackboy Hill, Whiteladies' Road, Bristol, livery stables proprietor.

Albert Henry Rimmer, 46 Bridge Street and 3 Stuart Street, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, outfitter.

William Shepherd, Osborne Street, Colchester, baker and confectioner.

Warwick Alan Stevens, lately residing at 1 Saint Helen's Parade, Southsea, Hampshire, and lately trading at the Canada Works, Birkenhead, Cheshire, now residing at 14 Weighton Road, Anerley, Surrey, of no occupation, lately engineer and shipbuilder.

Charles Thomas Edwards, 41 Haddington Road, Morice Town, Devonport, Devonshire, builder.

David Dixon, The Excelsior Printing Works, 139 South Street, Greenwich, Kent, printer and stationer. John Medley Wood (trading as James Wood & Brothers), Clifton Common and Grove Mills, Clifton, both near Brighouse, Yorkshire, wire manufacturer.

Henry Abblitt White, Robert Thompson White, and Joseph Augustus White (trading as White Brothers), 1 and 15 The Pavement, West Green Road, and 15 and 16 Criterion Buildings, High Road, Tottenham, Middlesex, grocers, provision dealers, and wine and spirit merchants.

George Hemmings, 26 King's Road, St. Leonards, Sussex, furniture dealer.

John Curtis, Blenheim House, Sutton-on-Hull, Yorkshire, brick and tile manufacturer and builder.

George Henry Colmore, Hill House, Hathern, Leicestershire.

Robert Seddon, Lutterworth, Leicestershire, clerk in holy orders.

Robert P. Goodfellow, High Street, Wavertree, and 5 Quarry Street, Woolton, both in Lancashire, grocer and provision dealer.

Charles Robert Hand, 28 Wavertree Road, Liverpool, printer.

Eliza Zolki, 7 Park Street and 53 Lord Street, both in Southport, Lancashire, trading separately from her husband, as the Southport Stationery Stores, stationer and fancy goods dealer, wife of Abraham Zolki.

George Godsall (trading as Godsall & Co.), 96 Great King Street, Macclesfield, and trading at 1 Park Lane, Mill Street, Macclesfield, formerly trading with John Charles Crampin Read at Scholfield Street, Bloomsbury, Birmingham, as Godsall & Read, wholesale manufacturing school and commercial stationer, formerly lamp manufacturer.

John Snarr Hicks, residing at Harwood House, Sale, Cheshire, and trading at 50A Fountain Street and Allum Street, Manchester, manufacturer of domestics

and sheetings.

John Wild, 29 Blackfriars Street, and formerly 21 Hopwood Avenue, both in Manchester, residing at Thornham House, Castleton, near Manchester, estate broker.

William Jenkins, Summerhill House, Plough Terrace, Port Talbot, Glamorganshire, builder and contractor.

Robert Potts, 73 High Street, Feeling, Durham, merchant tailor and clothes dealer.

Matthew Stainton, 10 Logan Terrace, South Shields, Durham, ironfounder.

Robert Livesey, residing at 15 Paxton Street, and trading at 11 Popham Street, both in Nottingham, engineer, screw manufacturer, and steam tug owner.

George Harries, High Street, Neyland, builder and grocer.

John Narbett, Market Square, Narberth, Pembrokeshire, grocer.

James Rees Jones, Bridge Street, Tonypandy, Glamorganshire, builder.

Walter Boorman, Gillingham, Kent, lately Station Road, Rainham, Kent, builder.

George Henry Beard, Gloucester Street, New Swindon-Wiltshire, builder and house decorator.

Alfred Pritchard and Lydia Pritchard (his wife) (trading as Lydia Pritchard), 35 Merthyr Road, Abergavenny, Monmouthshire, grocers and bakers.

Aaron Church, Junction Inn, Methley, Yorkshire, inn-keeper.

James Harris, 2 Foxmore Street, Cambridge Road, Battersea, Surrey, builder.

John Cowern, jun., Saredon Mill, Shareshill, near Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, miller, butcher, and farmer.

John Heath, Twyning, Gloucestershire, beerhouse keeper and market gardener.

John Spiers, Upper Butts, Worcester, fruit and potato dealer.

James Lunn, Thorner, near Leeds, Yorkshire, and William Henry Lunn, the White Swan Inn, Tadcaster, Yorkshire (trading as Lunn & Son), Thorner, near Leeds, Yorkshire, wheelwrights.

ORDER RESCINDING RECEIVING ORDER.

Herbert Forge, late the New Ship Hotel, Ship Street, Brighton, Sussex.

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (SCOTLAND) ACT, 1882.

OTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, have prepared the Draft of a Scheme for the future administration of the Endowment known as Wood's School, in the County of Fife and Parish of Newburn, whereof an abstract is appended. 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 Scheme, 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 Scheme may be had on application to Messrs. A. & C. Black, Booksellers, Edinburgh, Sale Agents for H.M. Stationery Office, at 3d per copy.

ALEX. GIBSON, Secretary to Commissioners.

46 George Street, Edinburgh, 4th February 1887.

Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment, in the Parish of Newburn and County of Fife, known as Wood's School, hitherto held and administered under Deed of Mortification by John Wood of Orkie, dated 7th July 1659.

Preamble.

Whereas by said deed, John Wood of Orkie bequeathed certain funds and estates for educational purposes which fall within the provisions of the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882; and whereas it appears to the Commissioners under the said Act, after due examination and inquiry, that in order to extend the usefulness of the said Endowment the administration thereof should be amended and in some respects altered; therefore the said Endowments shall, from and after the date of this Scheme (being the day on which Her Majesty, by Order in Council, declares her approbation thereof), be held and administered for the purposes, with the powers, and under the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth.

1, 2. Future Administration; Transference of Property.

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

Two shall be appointed by the Minister and Kirk-Session of Newburn;

One shall be appointed by the School Board of Newburn;

One shall be appointed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife; and

One shall be elected by the Senatus of the University of St. Andrews.

The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the Minister and Kirk-Session of Newburn and the Senatus of the University of St. Andrews 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 Newburn and appointed by the Lord Lieutenant of Fife 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 proper electing body or to the Lord Lieutenant as the case may be, and the electing body or the Lord Lieutenant 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.

4-11. Vacancies; Meetings; Chairman; Quorum and Execution of Deeds; Minutes; and Power to

appoint Committees.

12-17. Accounts; Business Arrangements; Casual Profits; Powers of Sale and Investment; Audit.

18-21. Clauses relating to Transference of Administration.

22. Transference of School.—The whole property and interest in the school and schoolmaster's house at Newburn, presently vested in the governing body of the Endowment, shall be transferred to and vested in the School Board of Newburn from and after the date of this Scheme, without the necessity of any conveyance or instrument.

Application of Income.

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. Payment to present Schoolmaster and Scholars.—The governors shall pay to the present schoolmaster of Newburn, Frederick Roome Lumsden, the annual sum of £80 so long as he remains in office; and they shall further pay to him the annual sum of £40 for each scholar boarded with him under the terms and conditions made with him by the present governing body so long as they shall remain under his charge. In addition to the said annual sum of £80 the governors shall pay to the said Frederick Roome Lumsden the annual sum of £10 so long as he shall remain in office, for each year after the departure of each of the last four scholars remaining under his charge. The scholars appointed before the date of this Scheme shall be entitled to remain with the said Frederick Roome Lumsden, and receive the same advantages they would have enjoyed had this Scheme not been passed, until

the end of the School Session in which they attain the age of fifteen years complete. The governors shall expend the sum of £20 for the benefit of each of the said scholars on his leaving school, either for his further education or maintenance. No scholar shall be appointed after the date of this Scheme.

25. Grant to School Board for promoting Higher Instruction.—From and after the said Frederick Roome Lumsden ceasing to hold office the governors shall pay the annual sum of £80 to the School Board of Newburn, to be applied by them for the promotion of higher instruction by increasing the efficiency of the staff for the higher classes in the school of Newburn, either by adding to their number or otherwise as may be determined. The governors shall satisfy themselves from time to time that the funds are being efficiently applied for higher instruction in the manner prescribed, and not in relief of any expenditure which the School Board might reasonably be expected to incur out of the school fund; and if it appear to the governors that the funds are not being applied in manner foresaid, they shall cease to make such annual payment to the School Board, and shall apply the said sum to the purposes of the twenty-eighth section hereof, provided always that the School Board shall have the right to appeal to the Scotch Education Department against any such decision of the governors, and provided further that the Scotch Education Department, either on the application of any governor or member of the School Board, or on such information and after such inquiry as they themselves may deem necessary, shall have the power to intimate to the governors that the said payment is not being efficiently applied in manner foresaid, and the governors shall thereupon cease to make such payment, and shall apply the sum to the purposes of the twenty-eighth section hereof, until the School Board have satisfied the Department that they are prepared to comply with the conditions of said payment. In the event of the annual payment to the School Board being renewed under the provisions of the immediately preceding section, the governors shall, in the first place, make payment of any bursaries awarded under this section.

26. Free Scholarships at Public Schools.—The governing body shall expend a sum not exceeding £15 yearly in paying the fees of poor and deserving children, with books and stationery, at public or State-aided schools in the parish of Newburn, 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. payment under this clause shall be withdrawn in the case of children who fail to give regular attendance or make satisfactory progress at

27. School Bursaries.—The governors shall apply the annual sum of £30 in estab-

lishing school bursaries, to be called the Wood 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 Newburn, 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.

28. 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 Wood Bursaries, each of the yearly value of not less than £15 nor more than £20. These bursaries shall be awarded by competitive examination among pupils attending public or State-aided schools in the parishes of Newburn, Scoonie, Largo, Kennoway, Elie, and Largowood, 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.
29. Forfeiture of Bursaries.—If, in the judg-

ment of the governors, the holder of any bursary shall be guilty of serious misconduct, or fail to make reasonable progress, they may withdraw such bursary, and their determination in such case

shall be final.

30. Annual Distribution of Bursaries.—The governors shall establish the bursaries herein provided for in such manner as to secure that they shall be awarded in as nearly as possible equal

numbers in each year.
31. Sum for Repairs or Improvements.—The governors shall have power to set aside such annual sum not exceeding £20 to meet the cost of such repairs or improvements as may not fall naturally or conveniently within the annual expenditure of each year.

32-36. Future Administration; Power to apply to Court of Session for Alteration; Power to make Bye-Laws and receive Additional Dona-

tions. Scheme to be Printed.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT SOCIETIES ACT, 1876.

39 and 40 Vic. c. 45.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

OTICE is hereby given that the TARBRAX Co-operative Society Limited, Register No. 126, Lanarkshire, Scotland, held at Tarbrax, Auchengray, in the County of Lanark, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this Office the 2nd day of February 1887, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by

a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

> J. BALFOUR PAUL. Assistant-Registrar of Friendly Societies for Scotland.

43 New Register House, Edinburgh, the 2nd day of February 1887.

NTIMATION is hereby given that Hugh ROBERT WALLACE, Esquire of Busbie and Cloncaird, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Estates of Busbie and Cloncaird, in the County of Ayr, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Vict. cap. 36, 16th and 17th Vict. cap. 94, 31st and 32nd Vict. cap. 84, 38th and 39th Vict. cap. 61, and 45th and 46th Vict. cap. 53, and relative Acts of and 46th Vict. cap. 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to Disentail the said Entailed Estates. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 1st day of February 1887.

> A. & A. CAMPBELL, W.S., Agents of the Petitioner.

51 Castle Street, Edinburgh, 1st February 1887.

NTIMATION is hereby given that Lieutenant-Colonel James Ross Farquiarson of Invercauld, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estate of Invercauld and Others, in the County of Aberdeen, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary,—Mr. Melville, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and Meivine, Cierk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, 23rd and 24th Victoria, chapter 95, 31st and 32nd Victoria, chapter 84, 38th and 39th Victoria, chapter 61, and 45th and 46th Victoria, chapter 53, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for eatherity to Disortal contains marks of the marks. for authority to Disentail certain parts of the said Entailed Lands and Estate of Invercauld, lying in the united Parishes of Crathie and Braemar, and County of Aberdeen. Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, the 1st day of February 1887.

TODS, MURRAY, & JAMIESON, W.S., Agents for the Petitioner.

66 Queen Street, Edinburgh, 1st February 1887.

> Queen's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 30th November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that James Clinkskill, Engineer and Licensed Valuator of Machinery, No. 1 Holland Place, Glasgow, has applied to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for a Gift of the Estate of ALEXANDER MITCHELL, sometime Apprentice Draper in St. Andrews, thereafter Seaman, deceased, which has fallen to Her Majesty as ultimus harres. hæres.

INTIMATION is hereby given that Alexander Moore, C.A., Glasgow, has, as Liquidator of the WESTERN HERITABLE PROPERTY COMPANY WESTERN HERITABLE PROPERTY COMPANY LIMITED, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, presented a Note to the Court of Session (First Division, — Mr. Couper, Clerk) praying their Lordships (first) to authorise the Liquidator to convene a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, and also a Meeting of the Creditors of the Company, and to lay before them accounts showing the manner in which the Liquidation has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of said Meetings to be adverthe Company disposed of, said Meetings to be advertised in the Edinburgh Gazette, Scotsman, and Glasgow Herald one month at least previously to the Meetings; (second) to sanction the conveyance by the Liquidator of the reversion of the heritable property mentioned in the said Note belonging to the Company, after payment of the heritable bonds affecting the same, to the City of Aberdeen Land Association Limited, at the expense of of the heritable bonds affecting the same, to the City of Aberdeen Land Association Limited, at the expense of the said Association, and on payment of the sum of five guineas; (third) to approve of the Petitioner's accounts and whole intromissions in said Liquidation, including the sum of £210 for which credit is taken as the Liquidator's remuneration; (fourth) to approve of the final scheme of division lodged with said Note, and authorise the Petitioner to distribute the balance of the Company's assets in hand, in accordance therewith, and on payment of the said balance of the Company's assets, in accordance with the said final scheme of division, to exoner and discharge the Petitioner of his whole actings, intromissions, and management, and to make an order dissolving the said Company: in which Note the Lords of the First Division have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'Edinburgh, 3rd February 1887.—The Lords having considered the Note No. 27 of Process, 'appoint said Note to be intimated on the Walls and in 'the Minute-Book in common form, and to be advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in the Scotsman and Glasgow Herald Newspapers, and allow 'all parties having interest to lodge answers thereto 'within ten days after said intimation and advertisement has been made.

(Signed) 'John Inglis, I.P.D.' ' ment has been made.

'JOHN INGLIS, I.P.D.' (Signed)

Of all which Notice is hereby given.

CARMENT, WEDDERBURN, & WATSON, Agents of the Petitioner.

32 Albany Street, Edinburgh, 3rd February 1887.

A PETITION, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, at the instance of A. Trueman, Wholesale Jeweller and Watch Manufacturer, 13 Brougham Street, Birmingham, and Wallace & Wilson, Writers, Glasgow, his Mandatories, Pursuers, against ROBERT M. LOVE, 149 London Road, Glasgow, Defender; upon which Petition the Sheriff - Substitute (Mr. Balfour) has issued his Warrant requiring all the Creditors of the said Robert M. Love to appear in Court, within his Chambers, County Buildings, Wilson Street, Glasgow, upon the 17th day of February 1887, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet he has also ordained the said Robert M. Love to appear for public Examination.

WALLACE & WILSON, Writers, Glasgow,

Agents.

42 Bath Street, Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

NOTICE.

PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, at the instance of S. & J. Melross, 52 Maxwell Road, Pollockshields, Glasgow, Pursuers, against WALTER NEILSON, Park Foundry, Kinning Park, Defender; and all the Creditors of the said Defender are required to appear in Court, within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute, Mr. Cowan, Sheriff Court Buildings, Paisley, upon the 15th day of February current, at twelve o'clock noon, at which Diet the Defender is ordained to appear for public Examination. Examination.

J. F. M'LAREN & Co., Agents.

107 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' has been presented to the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Kirkeudbright, at the instance of Robert Blyth, Ironmonger, Dalbeattie, Pursuer, against THOMAS LITTLE, residing at Blackpark, in the Parish of Kirkpatrick - Durham, Kirkeudbrightshire, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Thomas Little to appear within the Court House at Kirkeudbright, on the 18th day of February 1887, at two o'clock P.M., for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear. required to appear.

A. Scott, Solicitor, Annan, Agent for Pursuer.

Annan, 3rd February 1887.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scot-Aland) Act, 1880,' has been presented to the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Kirkcudbright, at the instance of Robert Blyth, Ironmonger, Dalbeattie, Pursuer, against THOMAS PARKER, Quarrymaster, High Street, Dalbeattie, Defender: and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the said Thomas Parker to appear within the Court House at Kirkcudbright, on the 18th day of February 1887, at two o'clock P.M., for public Examination, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear. required to appear.

A. Scott, Solicitor, Annan, Agent for Pursuer.

Annan, 3rd February 1887.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, by JAMES EDWARD MACBEAN (late Glenalbyn Stables), now Merchant, Glenurquhart, Inverness shire, in terms of the Bankruptcy and Cessio Acts; and the Petitioner's Creditors are required to appear in the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, upon the 17th day of February current, at eleven o'clock foremoon, when the Petitioner is ordained to appear for Examination. Examination.

ALEX. MACGREGOR, Solicitor, Inverness, Agent for Petitioner.

22 Union Street, Inverness, 3rd February 1887.

A PETITION has been presented to the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at Inverness, at the instance of Messrs. William Smith & Son, Ness Iron Works, Hamilton Street, Inverness, against JOHN MACDONALD, Blacksmith, 57 Petty Street, Inverness, for Decree of Cessio against him; and the Sheriff Substitute has ordained the said John Macdonald to appear within the Sheriff Court House, The Castle, Inverness, upon the 17th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for public Examination, when all his Creditors are required to appear.

FRANCIS SQUAIR, 51 Church Street, Inverness, Procurator for Pursuers.

Inverness, 2nd February 1887.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' and Acts explaining and amending the same, has been presented to the Sheriff of Forfarshire at Forfar, at the instance of the British Linen Company, incorporated by Royal Charter, against DAVID ORAM, Fruiterer, West High Street, Forfar; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Debtor to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House, Forfar, upon Thursday the 17th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to attend. Creditors are required to attend.

> EDWARD COWAN, Solicitor, Forfar, Agent for Petitioners.

Forfar, 2nd February 1887.

NOTICE.

A PETITION for Cessio, under the 'Debtors (Scotland) Act, 1880,' and the 'Bankruptcy and Cessio (Scotland) Act, 1881,' has been presented to the Sheriff of the Counties of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley, at the instance of S. R. Owen, Boot Manufacturer, Olney, Pursuer, against Mrs. MARIA M LOGAN, sometime Boot and Shoe Dealer, 65 Main Street, Rutherglen, and now residing at 42 Albert Road, Crosshill, near Glasgow, Defender, praying that the said Mrs. Maria M Logan be decerned to execute a Disposition omnium bonorum for behoof of his Creditors, and that a Trustee be appointed to take the management and disposal of the said Mrs. Maria M Logan's Estates for such behoof; upon which Petition a Warrant has been granted ordaining all Creditors of the said Mrs. Maria M Logan to appear within the Chambers of the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Cowan), Sheriff Court Buildings, Paisley, on the 15th day of February 1887, at one o'clock afternoon, at which Diet the said Mrs. Maria M Logan is ordained to appear for public Examination. Examination.

WILSON & CHALMERS,

Agents for Petitioner.

133 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

A PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of William Scott & Son, Wine Merchants, Grocers, and Italian Warehousemen, 30 West Preston Street, Edinburgh, Pursuers, against THOMAS M. HOBDAY, Grange Laundry, 217 Causewayside, Edinburgh, Defender; and the Sheriff-Substitute has ordained the Defender to appear for public Examination within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday the 21st day of February current, at one o'clock afternoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear. Creditors are required to appear.

ROB. BROATCH, Solicitor, Agent.

117 George Street, Edinburgh, 4th February 1887.

PETITION for Cessio has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at the instance of Christina Crockatt, 43 Greenvale Street, Glasgow, against CHARLES MURRAY, 120 Bernard Street, Bridgeton, Glasgow; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Balfour) has ordained Defender to appear for public Examination within his Chambers, County Buildings, Glasgow, on 15th February current, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all his Creditors are required to appear.

JOHN S. GALBRAITH & M'GILL, Agents.

69 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 2nd February 1887.

PETITION for Cessio, under the Cessio Acts, has been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Hamilton, at the instance of S. Hamilton & Company, Flour and Grain Merchants, 69 Waterloo Street, Glasgow, against Miss A. F. HOWIE, Grocer, Cambuslang; and the Sheriff-Substitute (Mr. Birnie) has ordained the said A. F. Howie to appear for public Examination within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Hamilton, on 15th February 1887, at eleven o'clock forenoon, at which Diet all her Creditors are required to appear.

TODD & CAMPBELL, Petitioners' Agents.

170 Hope Street, Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

THE Estates of JOHN DOULL, Joiner, 7 Broughton Street, Edinburgh, have, in virtue of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to Walter Shaw, Writer, 35 Castle Street, Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 23rd May 1887. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday, 13th June 1887, at two o'clock afternoon. afternoon.

HUGH MARTIN, S.S.C., Agent for Trustee.

THE Estates of JOHN JOSEPH WILLIAMS, of and for the purposes of the Cessio Acts, been transferred to James M'Gregor Jack, Solicitor before the Supreme Courts of Scotland, 39 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, as Trustee for behoof of his Creditors. Creditors must lodge their claims with the Trustee on or before 13th March 1887. The Creditors meet before the Sheriff, within the Bankruptcy Court, Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Monday, 4th April next, at two o'clock afternoon.

CAIRNS, M'INTOSH, & MORTON, W.S., 31 Queen Street, Edinburgh, Agents for the Trustee.

4th February 1887.

THE Estates of JESSIE ROBERTSON, China and Earthenware Manufacturer, carrying on business at No. 20 Earl Grey Street, Edinburgh, under the name or style of the STAFFORDSHIRE POTTERY COMPANY, were Sequestrated on the 1st day of February 1887, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated 1st February 1887.

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The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Tuesday the 15th day of February current, at two o'clock afternoon, within Messrs. Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51 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 1st day of June 1887.

Mr. Thomas M'Naught, S.S.C., Edinburgh, has been nominated and appointed Judicial Factor on the said Sequestrated Estate in the meantime, and until a Trustee shall be elected and confirmed, with the usual powers, including the power to recover debts.

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

P. MORISON, S.S.C., Agent

P. Morison, S.S.C., Agent, 4 Bank Street, Edinburgh.

Millers, Ibrox Flour Mills, Glasgow, and James Marshall and Thomas Alexander Marshall, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1887, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first Deliverance is dated 3rd February 1887.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on the 11th day of February 1887, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's Place, Glasgow.

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

MACLAY, MURRAY, & SPENS, Agents.

169 West George Street, Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

THE Estates of JAMES HETHERWICK, Farmer, Mains of Auchnagatt, in the County of Aberdeen, were Sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1887, by the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff at Peterhead.
The first Deliverance is dated the 14th day of January

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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 3rd day of June 1887.

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

ROBERT GRAY, Solicitor, Peterhead,

Peterhead, 3rd February 1887.

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of June 1887.

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

ROBERT GRAY, Solicitor, Peterhead, Agent.

Peterhead, 3rd February 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN DOLAN, sometime of 116 Trongate, Glasgow, and now or lately of 15 George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of the said John Dolan were Sequestrated on the 1st day of February 1887, by the Court of Session. The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

> WINCHESTER & NICOLSON, S.S.C., 4 York Buildings, Edinburgh, Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN OLIPHANT, Family Grocer and Spirit Merchant, Hamilton Street, Salt-

THOMAS CAMPBELL ROBERTSON, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Brown, a Partner of the Firm of Robert Brown & Company, Merchants, Washington Street, Glasgow, Thomas Hood, junior, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Paisley, and David Pinkerton, Provision Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take vision Merchant, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Kilmarnock, on Thursday the 10th day of February next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Robertson & Gold, Accountants, 128 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Saturday the 19th day of February next, at twelve o'clock noon. An offer of Composition on behalf of the Bankrupt, with security for payment of the same, was submitted to the Meeting held for the election of the Trustee, and was by said Meeting unanimously entertained for consideration. The said offer of Composition will be decided upon at the foresaid Meeting, to be held on the 19th February next.

T. C. Robertson, Trustee.

Glasgow, 2nd February 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES HAY, Match Manufacturer, Napiershall Street, Glasgow, carrying on business there as Match Manufacturer under the Name or Firm of the GLASGOW MATCH COMPANY, of which Firm he was the sole Partner, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

JOHN GOURLAY, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and H. Alexander Finlay, Chemical Oil and Produce Broker, Glasgow, Archibald Kerr, Caledonia Foundry, Glasgow, and Thomas Scott Cree, Wholesale Stationer, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Spens, County Buildings, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 16th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Office of Messrs. Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Friday the 25th day of February current, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

JNO. GOURLAY, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 2nd February 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of PATRICK PEARSON, Hardware Merchant, late of 116 Trongate, now of 144 Queen Street, Glasgow.

Queen Street, Glasgow.

WILLIAM HART, JUNIOR, Chartered Accountant,
Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate;
and Peter Ferguson Macaulay, 28 St. Enoch Square,
Glasgow, William Bertram, Commission Agent, 33
Virginia Street, Glasgow, and James Jack, 62 Argyle
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 Friday the 11th day of February current,
at eleven o'clock A.M. The Creditors will meet in the
Trustee's Chambers, 80 Renfield Street, Glasgow, on
Thursday the 24th day of February current, at twelve
o'clock.

WM. HART, Jr., Trustee.

3rd February 1887.

WILLIAM COUPER TAIT, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of ROBERT DICK, Farmer, Turnlaw, Cambuslang, hereby intimates that a General Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Brown, jr., Davies, & Tait, Chartered Accountants, 75 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 28th day of February 1887, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider as to an application for the Trustee's discharge.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

AMES TAYLOR, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of THOMAS HAMMERSLEY, Manufacturers' Agent and Merchant, 62 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors, held upon the 24th day of January last, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of Five Shillings per pound, payable Two Shillings at two months, and the balance of Three Shillings at four months, after his final discharge, with security; and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors to be held within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, upon Tuesday the 15th day of February 1887, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

James Taylor, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER SMITH DICKSON, who resided at Kirkton, in the Parish of Kirkmahoe and County of Dumfries.

AMES WALTER WHITELAW, Solicitor in Dumfries, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first and final Dividend will be paid at his Office, Bank Street, Dumfries, on Saturday the 19th day of March 1887.

JAS. W. WHITELAW, Trustee.

Dumfries, 2nd February 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of SAMUEL BARNET, SON, & COMPANY, Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers in Kirkcaldy, and John Barnet, Cabinetmaker and Upholsterer there, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 18th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statutes, and that on and after Saturday the 19th day of March next, there will be paid within the Chambers of Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, Chartered Accountants, 24 George Square, Glasgow, a first and final Dividend to those Creditors whose claims have been duly lodged and admitted.

JNO. GOURLAY, Trustee.

Glasgow, 1st February 1887.

In the SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER MILLER, Farmer, Balglassie, in the Parish of Aberlemno.

A LEXANDER PAXTON, Farmer, Broomknowe, Trustee, hereby gives notice that a Dividend to the Creditors whose claims have been admitted, will be paid within the Office of William Whitson, Solicitor, 46 St. David Street, Brechin, upon the 16th day of March next.

ALEX. PAXTON, Trustee.

Broomknowe, by Brechin, 31st January 1887.

In the SEQUESTRATION of GEORGE FINNIE & COMPANY, Van and Lorry Builders, Leith, and of George Finnie, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that his accounts, brought down to the 18th ultimo, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted, within the Chambers of Messrs. Walker & Falkner, C.A., 30 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh, on and after 19th March next.

JOHN WALKER, C.A., Trustee.

3rd February 1887.

In the SEQUESTRATION of THOMAS MACKENZIE, Merchant, Beauly, in the County of Inverness.

JAMES MACKINTOSH, Ironmonger, 3 High Street, Inverness, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Com-missioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend, and have also dispensed with circulars to Creditors.

JAMES MACKINTOSH, Trustee.

Inverness, 1st February 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of the ROYAL BURGH of WHITHORN, as a Body Corporate and Politic.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed the declaration of a further Dividend until the next statutory period, and dispensed with sending circulars to the Creditors.

THO. DALGLEISH, Trustee.

Edinburgh, 3rd February 1887.

THOMAS HENDERSON CAMPBELL, Banker, Motherwell, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of DAVID DONALD, Spade Manufacturer, Holm Forge, Motherwell, and carrying on business there under the name or style of Robert Donald, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

THOS. H. CAMPBELL, Trustee.

Motherwell, 1st February 1887.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

WE, the Subscribers, sole Partners of the Firm of MONTEITH, CARLSON, & CO., 21 Hope Street, Glasgow, hereby intimate that the said Firm was DISSOLVED as of date 15th November 1886, and that Messrs. Strang & Weir, Writers, 103 West Regent Street, collect all debts due to the dissolved Firm.

JAMES MONTEITH. EDWARD CARLSON.

EUGENE BAEHNI, Clerk, 46 Gordon Street, Glasgow, Witness. ARCHD. CAMERON, Clerk-at-Law, 103 West Regent Street, Glasgow, Witness.

NOTICE.

E Firm of JOHN GLOAG & COMPANY, Tailors and Clothiers in Main Street Largs, of THE which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as at 31st January 1887, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Matthew

The other Subscribers, James Morrison and James Worley, continue the Business in the same premises under the same name, and will pay all debts due by, and are authorised to uplift all debts to, the dissolved Concern.

MATTHEW CRAIG. JAMES MORRISON. JAMES WORLEY.

THOMAS H. KIRK, of 175 West George Street, Glasgow, Writer, Witness. JOHN MORRIS, of Largs, Writer, Witness.

Largs, 1st February 1887.

NOTICE OF

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Firm of JAMES MELROSE & SONS, Engineers and Millwrights in Hawick, was DISSOLVED on 29th September 1876, by the retiral of the Subscriber John Melrose.

The remaining Partners, William Melrose and John Melrose, junior, continue to carry on the Business for their own behoof under the present Firm of JAMES MELROSE & SONS.

JOHN MELROSE. WILLIAM MELROSE. JOHN MELROSE, JUNIOR.

John Paton, Clerk-at-Law, Hawick, Witness. James Smith, Clerk-at-Law, Hawick, Witness.

Hawick, 1st February 1887.

Trimming Manufacturers and Upholsterry. Warehousemen in Glasgow, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of this date, by the retiral of the Subscriber James Young.

The Subscriber John Barnet will continue the Business as formerly, and he will pay the whole liabilities of the dissolved Firm, and he is authorised to receive and discharge all debts due to the said dissolved Firm.

BARNET & YOUNG. JAMES YOUNG. JOHN BARNET.

WILLIAM HARDIE, Warehouseman to Barnet & Young, Witness. JNO. GOURLAY, C.A., George Square, Glasgow, Witness.

Glasgow, 3rd February 1887.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership of M'FARLANE & FORSYTH, Ham Curers, 9 George Street, Paisley, has been DISSOLVED of this date by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof.

ALEXANDER M'FARLANE. JOHN FORSYTH.

ALEXR. COCHRAN, Solicitor, Paisley, Witness. Gavin Crawford, Law-Clerk, Paisley, Witness.

Paisley, 2nd February 1887.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership of BUCHANAN & DOWELL, Painters and Paperhangers, Murray Place, Stirling, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent; the Subscriber John Dowell having retired from the Business.

The other Subscriber, John Buchanan, will continue to parry on the Business on his own account and in his own name, and he is hereby authorised to receive and

discharge the debts due to, and he will pay the debts due by, the said dissolved Firm.

JOHN BUCHANAN.
JOHN DOWELL.

JOHN JENKINS, Writer, Stirling, Witness. ROBERT CARMICHAEL, LAW-Clerk, Stirling, Witness.

Stirling, 2nd February 1887.

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