OTICE is hereby given that the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has, on considering a Petition by R. Raphael & Sons, 25 Throgmorton Street, London, for Sequestration of the Estates of MÜLLER & COMPANY. Coal Exporters, 34 Bernard Street, Leith, as a Company, and of Charles H L Müller, residing at 7 Pitt Street, Bonnington, near Edinburgh, and Alexander M Duncan, residing at 2 Kew Terrace, Edinburgh, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, granted Warrant for citing the said Müller & Company and Charles H L Müller and Alexander M Duncan 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 their respective Estates should not be awarded.

MELVILLE & LINDESAY, W.S., 110 George Street, Edinburgh, Agents.

31st December 1887.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, at the instance of Charles Buchanan & Company, Merchants in Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of M'CORMACK & COUPAR, Wrights and Builders, Huntly Terrace, Kelvinside, Glasgow; and Hugh M'Cormack, Wright and Builder, residing at No. 42 St. Clair Street, Glasgow, and George Coupar, Wright and Builder, residing at No. 2 Glasgow Street, Hillhead, Glasgow, the Individual Partners of the said Firm of M'Cormack & Coupar, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said M'Cormack & Coupar and Hugh M'Cormack and George Coupar 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.

ANDERSON & MACKINNON, Agents.

140 Hope Street, Glasgow, 29th December 1887.

OTICE is hereby given that the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has, on considering a Petition by James Boucher, Architect in Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of ARTHUR MACARTHUR, Hosier, Glasgow, granted Warrant for citing him 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.

MACPHERSON & MACKAY, W.S., Petitioner's Agents.

44 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, 31st December 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES FORSYTHE, Farmer, Oust, in the County of Caithness.

LEXANDER MACKAY, Accountant, Thurso, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James M'Beath, Farmer, Thurso, James M'Kidd, Engineer, Millwright, and Founder, Thurso, and Donald Sutherland, Farmer, Bardnaclavan, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House at Wick, on Thursday the 12th day of January 1888, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Royal Hotel, Thurso, on Wednesday the 25th day of January 1888, 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 9th day of April 1888

ALEX. MACKAY, Trustee.

Thurso, 31st December 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN CORMACK, Fish Curer, Lybster, in the County of Caithness.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON ADAM, Accountant, Wick, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Mowat, Bank Agent. Lybster, James Grant-Duncan, Commission Agent, Wick, and William Auld Sinclair, Ropework Manager, Wick, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Wick, on Wednesday the 11th day of January next, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in Sinclair's Auction Rooms, Bridge Street, Wick, on Thursday the 19th day of January next, at twelve o'clock noon.

WILLIAM D. ADAM, Trustee.

Wick, 29th December 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of WALTER ROSS, Merchant, Kinbrace, Sutherland.

JOHN ROSS, Merchant, Portgower, Helmsdale, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Murray, Bank Accountant, Golspie, John Stuart, Writer, Golspie, and George William Sutherland, Writer, Golspie, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dornoch, on Tuesday the 10th day of January 1888, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in Mitchell's Hotel, Golspie, on Wednesday the 18th day of January 1888, at ten o'clock forenoon.

John Ross, Trustee.

30th December 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of the Estates of the Late JAMES-BROWN NISBET, Farmer at Bankrug, in the County of Haddington, and who sometime resided at No. 22 Alwyn Square, Canonbury, London.

WILLIAM DAVIE, Ironmonger and Merchant, Haddington, the Trustee, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Chambers of Mr. Andrew Wood, Solicitor, 13 Market Street, Haddington, on Friday the 27th day of January 1888, at 11.45 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application to be made by the Trustee for his discharge, and resolving thereanent.

W. DAVIE, Trustee.

Haddington, 31st December 1887.

JOHN MOWAT, Bank Agent in Lybster, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of GEORGE NEIL STEWART, Fish Curer, Lybster, hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within Sinclair's Auction Rooms, Bridge Street, Wick, on Wednesday the 11th day of January 1888, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in the room of John Cormack, Fish Curer, Lybster, who has resigned office.

JOHN MOWAT, Trustee.

Lybster, 31st December 1887.

SEQUESTRATION of A. & J. JOHNSTON, Merchants, Glasgow and Trinidad, and Archibald John Johnston and James Harvey Johnston, the Individual Partners thereof.

JAMES M'LAY, C.A., Glasgow, Trustee, hereby intimates that a first Dividend from the Company's Estate, and a first and final Dividend from James Harvey Johnston's Estate, will be paid within the Chambers of Bird & M'Lay, 30 Renfield Street, Glasgow, on and after 20th February 1888.

JAMES M'LAY, Trustec.

Glasgow, 29th December 1887.