

DEAN OF GUILD COURT,

DORNOCH,.....19.....

PETITION

OF

Hector Mackay Ross, Hotelkeeper,

Sutherland Arms Hotel, Dornoch.

For Warrant to

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A.N. Macaulay & Co., Solicitors, *Petitioner's*
Golspie. *Agent.*

DEAN OF GUILD COURT,
DORNOCH, *4th March 1941.*

UNTO THE HONOURABLE THE DEAN OF GUILD OF THE CITY
AND ROYAL BURGH OF DORNOCH AND HIS COUNCIL,

THE PETITION

OF

Hector Mackay Ross, Hotelkeeper, Sutherland
Arms Hotel, Dornoch

Humbly Sheweth,

THAT the Petitioner, being desirous of executing the operations hereinafter detailed, finds it necessary to apply to your Honour and Council for warrant so to do.

*May it therefore please your Honour to grant warrant to serve a Copy
hereof, and of the deliverance to follow hereon, upon*

*and upon
The Provost, Magistrates, and Council of said City and Royal Burgh,
for the public interest,—Respondents,—and to appoint them to lodge
Answers thereto, if so advised within a certain short space: Thereafter,*

if considered necessary, to visit the premises, and on resuming consideration hereof, with or without Answers, to grant warrant to the Petitioner to convert small garage into a temporary bar parlour and bar, structural alterations required being closing up arched doorway to garage and fixing door and window and vestibule to bar parlour,

all as shewn on Plan herewith produced; and in the event of the Respondents, or any of them, opposing this Application, to find such Respondents or Respondent, liable in expenses; or to do further or otherwise in the premises as to your Honour and Council shall seem proper.

According to Justice, etc.

James Dwyer
Solicitor General
Agent for the New River

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

1. The Petitioner is proprietor of the area of ground on which the Sutherland Arms Hotel, Dornoch, recently stood. The main part of the Hotel was destroyed by fire, but the garage and store shown on the plan herewith were not destroyed. The Petitioner desires approval of alterations to enable him to carry on his Bar business (separately) in part of the garage premises.
2. The Petitioner's said property is bounded as follows, viz. :—
Church Street on west; Free Church property on south,
east and west by own property.
3. The said Respondents are the only parties who have any interest in the operations proposed to be executed under this application.

PLEAS IN LAW.

1. As the operations in question are confined to the Petitioner's own property, and can be executed without danger, the Petitioner is entitled to warrant as craved.
2. Any party or parties opposing this application ought to be found liable in expenses.

In respect whereof.

James Boyd

Dornoch, 19 .—Grants Warrant to Officers of Court to serve a copy of the foregoing Petition, and of this Deliverance, upon the Respondents therein named ; ordains them to lodge Answers thereto, if so advised, with the Town Clerk within four days after service, with certification ; assigns the day of at for visiting the premises ; fixes the day of at within the Court House, Dornoch, for hearing of parties ; and grants diligence against witnesses and havers.

Dean of Guild.

This Petition and Deliverance intimated by me
to

respondent, by posting on

between the hours of and at the Post Office of Dornoch, a copy of the same to him, with citation subjoined, in a registered letter, addressed as follows, viz. :—

Dean of Guild Officer [or Enrolled Law Agent].

DORNOCH,— *4th March 1941* —.—Having
 considered this Petition, with the —.— Plan therewith produced,
 and visited the Premises, no Answers having been lodged, Grants Warrant to the
 Petitioner in terms of the prayer of the Petition, and said —.—
 Plan , which *is* docquetted as relative hereto, subject to the pro-
 visions of Schedule IV. of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892 ; and Decerns,

Charles McHardy. D.L.