

DEAN OF GUILD COURT,

DORNOCH, 15th *April* 19*30*.

PETITION

OF

*W. M. Sutherland*

*Rosebery, Fr. Dornoch*

For Warrant to *erect a new*  
*house in Sutherland Road*

*Visited site on Saturday*  
*19th @ 11.30 am &*

19*30*.

{ Petitioner's  
Agent.

DEAN OF GUILD COURT,  
DORNOCH, *15th April* 19 *30*

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

## THE PETITION

OF

*William M. Sutherland.*  
*Rosebery Avenue, 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*

*The Free Church Congregation*  
*per Mr William Ross, Session Clerk*  
*Dornoch.*

*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 erect a new house immediately to the west of the property known as the Free Church Manse.

all as shewn on the 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.

*A. M. Sutherland*

## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

1. The Petitioner *is to be* \_\_\_\_\_ proprietor of

*the proposed new house.*

2. The Petitioner's said property is bounded as follows, viz. :—

*On the north by the Suckford Road  
On the east by property known as the Free  
Church House.*

*On the south & west by lane occupied by  
Thomas Mackay, Sandy croft.*

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.*

X *McLure and.*



*Dornoch, 15th April* 19<sup>30</sup>.—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 *19th* day of *April* at *11.30 am.* for visiting the premises ; fixes the *19th* day of *April* at *noon*, within the Court House, Dornoch, for hearing of parties ; and grants diligence against witnesses and havers.

*Donald M. Culloch*  
 .....  
 Dean of Guild.

This Petition and Deliverance intimated by me *Donald M. Culloch, Dornoch,* to *The Free Church Congregation, per William Ross, Session Clerk, Dornoch*

respondent, by posting on *the 15th day of April* *Nineteen hundred & thirty* between the hours of *10 am* and *11 am.* at the Post Office of Dornoch, a copy of the same to him, with citation subjoined, in a registered letter, addressed as follows, viz. :—

*"The Free Church Congregation,  
 per William Ross.  
 Session Clerk  
 Dornoch"*

*Dean of Guild Officer [or Enrolled Law Agent]*

*x Donald M. Culloch*  
*Dean of Guild Officer*

DORNOCH,— *19th April 1930* —————.—Having  
 considered this Petition, with the *two* Plans 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 *two* —————  
 Plans, which *are* docquetted as relative hereto, subject to the pro-  
 visions of Schedule IV. of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892 ; and Decerns,

*Donald McLean JG*  
Dean of Guild.

*Borrowed by J.G. Buchanan 10/5/38.*