

GLASGOW POLICE COURT SENTENCE QUASHED.

—At the St Rollox Police Court of Glasgow, about three months' ago, Stipendiary Gemmel sentenced a boy named Thomas Irving, said to be somewhat weak-minded, to ten days' imprisonment and five years' detention in a reformatory on a charge of stealing from the money-drawer of a shop. According to the evidence, Irving was playing along with other boys, when one of them threw his bonnet behind the shop counter. Irving went into the place for his bonnet, and noticing the till open, he took out some money and ran off. Subsequently the matter was put into the hands of Mr Angus Campbell, writer, Glasgow, who prepared a memorial to the Home Secretary, which was presented by Mr James Campbell, M.P. After considerable negotiation, Mr Caldwell obtained the release of the boy, who, since the passing of the sentence, had been in Kibble Reformatory, Paisley.

ON Saturday night, Mrs Chambers (25), the wife of a slater, residing at 14 Main Street, Calton, Glasgow, committed suicide by hanging herself.

SUPPOSED LOSS OF A CAMPBELTOWN FISHING-BOAT AND FOUR MEN.—From information received in Inverness yesterday afternoon it is feared that a fishing-boat belonging to Campbelton, Ardersier, Davidson owner and skipper, has been lost, with her crew of four men. The boat left for the fishing on Friday forenoon, and no tidings have since been heard of it. It is feared the boat was caught in a squall and swamped.