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FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1857.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 13, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Drawing-Rooms at St. James's Palace, on the following days, at two o'clock :

Saturday, 6th June next.
Tuesday 23rd June next.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING-ROOMS, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Ladies, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing-Rooms, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Ladies who are to be presented are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the names of the Ladies who are to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office *before twelve o'clock*, on the *Thursday previous* to the Drawing-Room on the 6th of June, and *before twelve o'clock* on the *Saturday previous* to the Drawing-Room on the 23rd June, or upon any *earlier* day, between the hours of *eleven and four*, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall take place, unless the name of the Lady presenting, together with that of the Lady to be presented, shall appear on the card to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, which names shall correspond with those previously sent in to the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 13, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's Palace, on Thursday the 18th of June next, at two o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock*, on the *Tuesday previous* to the Levee, or upon any *earlier* day, between the hours of *eleven and four*, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having Addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come), to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock*, on the *Tuesday previous* to the Levee; and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee; one of the two cards to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to The Queen; and, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

Whitehall, May 15, 1857.

THE following Addresses of congratulation to the Queen, on the occasion of the Birth of another Princess, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Home Department for presentation, were presented accordingly to Her Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the borough of Portsmouth, in Council assembled, beg permission to approach your Majesty, with sincere and heartfelt congratulations on the Birth of a Royal Princess.

We desire to avail ourselves of the opportunity thus afforded to us to renew the expression of our unabated attachment to your Majesty's person, and to your Royal Consort and family, accompanied by our fervent prayer to Almighty God that your Majesty, blessed with every domestic happiness may long live in the hearts and affections of a grateful and loyal people.

Given under our Common Seal, the 4th day of May, 1857.

Chas. Crassweller, Mayor.

And the following on the same subject :

From the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Cambridge.

India Board, May 13, 1857.

THE following Despatches have been received this day :—

Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., Commanding Expeditionary Force in Persia, to His Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir H. Somerset, K.C.B., and K. H., Commander-in-Chief, Bombay.

Camp near Mohumra,

SIR,

March 27, 1857.

I HAVE the honor to report, for your Excellency's information, the successful result of the operations against Mohumra. The Persian Army evacuated their entrenched position and camp yesterday, about mid-day, leaving behind all their tents standing, with nearly the whole of their property, public and private, all their ammunition, and 17 guns. As far as I am able to learn, only 5* guns and a portion of the personal effects of the Shahzada have been carried away.

2. It was my intention to have proceeded against this place immediately upon my return from the Borazjoon expedition last month; but, owing to the non-arrival of the requisite reinforcements, caused by the tempestuous weather in the Gulf, together with unforeseen causes of delay, I was not able to leave Bushire until the 18th instant. In the meantime, however, I had despatched the transports into the Shat-ool Arab, from Bushire, as the troops were embarked, so that, upon my arrival in the steamer Ferooz, no further delay occurred beyond what was necessarily caused by the tides, and by towing so many large vessels up the river.

3. For some months past the Persians had been strengthening their position at Mohumra. Bat-

teries had been erected of great strength, of solid earth, 20 feet thick, 18 feet high, with case-mated embrasures, on the northern and southern points of the banks of the Karoon and Shat-ool Arab, where the two rivers join. These, with other earthworks armed with heavy ordnance, commanded the entire passage of the latter river, and were so skilfully and judiciously placed, and so scientifically formed, as to sweep the whole stream, to the extent of the range of the guns, up and down the river, and across the opposite shore; indeed, everything that science could suggest, and labour accomplish in the time, appeared to have been done by the enemy to effectually prevent any vessel passing up the river above their position: the banks, for many miles, were covered by dense date groves, affording the most perfect cover for riflemen; and the opposite shore, being neutral territory (Turkish), was not available for the erection of counter batteries.

4. The accompanying rough sketch will, I fear, give your Excellency but a faint idea of the great strength of the Persian position, and the difficulty of successfully attacking them in it without very considerable loss. I could have landed my troops on the island of Abadan, which was strongly occupied by the Persians; and there is no doubt that, after defeating them, the southern battery eventually would have fallen to us. But the several batteries on the northern bank of the Karoon commanded the entire southern bank, as well as the stream of the Shat-ool Arab; and it would have been a serious, and an extremely difficult, operation to have crossed the rapid current of the Karoon in the face of the enemy, had the means existed of doing so. But, until our small steamers and boats could round the southern point, and join us, we should have been helpless.

5. After mature deliberation, I resolved to attack the enemy's batteries with the armed steamers and sloops of war, and, so soon as the fire was nearly silenced, to pass up rapidly with the troops, in small steamers towing boats, land the force two miles above the northern point, and immediately advance upon, and attack, the entrenched camp.

6. I have now the very great satisfaction of announcing to your Excellency the complete success of the first two operations; the third, to the regret of the Army, being frustrated by the precipitate flight of the enemy.

7. The Persian army, ascertained from credible report to amount to 13,000* men of all arms, with 30 guns, was commanded by the Shahzada, Prince Khauler Mirza, in person. The British force, under my command, composed as follows,†

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| * Cavalry, Irregulars | ... | ... | 1,500 |
| 9 Regiments, Regulars, 700 each | ... | ... | 6,300 |
| Arabs and Bukharaees and Beloochees | ... | ... | 4,600 |
| Gunners | ... | ... | 600 |
| Total | ... | ... | 13,000 |

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| † Her Majesty's 14th Light Dragoons | 89 |
| Scinde Horse | 303 |
| | 392 sabres. |
| Her Majesty's 64th Foot | 704 |
| Her Majesty's 78th Highlanders | 830 |
| | 1,534 |
| 23rd Regiment Native Infantry | 749 |
| 26th Regiment Native Infantry | 716 |
| Light Battalion | 920 |
| | 2,385 |
| Bombay Sappers and Miners | 109 |
| Madras Sappers and Miners | 124 |
| | 233 |
| 12 Guns {3rd Troop Horse Artillery | 166 |
| {No. 2 Light Field Battery | 176 |
| | 342 |
| Total | 4,886 |

* The remainder supposed to have been thrown into the river.

was the utmost I deemed it prudent to withdraw from Bushire; but, with the aid of four armed steamers and two sloops of war to effect my landing, I felt confident of success, although I anticipated some loss from what I learnt of the determination expressed by the enemy to oppose our further advance to the utmost of their power, and their extreme confidence of succeeding, as evinced by the fact of their having sent away their baggage cattle.

8. On the 24th instant, the steamers, with transport ships in tow, moved up the river to within three miles of the Southern Battery, opposite the Arab village of Hurteh; but, as some of the large ships shoaled on the way, and did not reach the rendezvous until after dark, I was obliged to defer the attack for another day. During the night, a reconnoissance was made in a boat to ascertain the nature of the soil of an island west of, and immediately opposite, the Northern Battery, where I wished to erect a mortar battery; but, as it was found to be deep mud, I determined to place the mortars upon a raft: this was constructed the following day, under the superintendence of Captain Rennie, I.N., and being armed with two 8-inch and two 5½-inch mortars, with a party of artillery under Captain Worgan, was towed by the steamer Comet, and moored in position close to the island during the night, unobserved by the enemy, who, from our preparations at the rendezvous, and their confidence as to the impossibility of any vessel being able to pass above their batteries, apparently expected we should land on the southern island (Abadan). The horses and guns of the artillery, a portion of the cavalry, and the infantry, were transhipped into boats and small steamers during the day, in readiness for landing the following morning.

9. At break of day, on the 26th, the mortars opened their fire upon both the Northern and Southern Batteries. The range of the 5½ inch proved too short, but the 8 inch shells were very efficient, bursting immediately over and inside the enemy's works; whilst, from the position of the raft, but few of the Persian guns could be brought to bear upon the mortars. At seven o'clock, the several vessels of war moved up into the positions allotted them by Commodore Young, and, by nine o'clock, the fire of the heavy batteries was so reduced that the small steamers, with boats in tow, and one large steamer, the Pottinger, towing the transport Golden Era, were able to pass up and land the troops above the Northern Battery without a single casualty amongst the troops, although they had to run the gauntlet of both gun and musket fire; two or three native followers only were killed, in consequence of their unnecessarily exposing themselves.

10. By half-past one o'clock the troops were landed and formed, and advanced without delay through the date groves and across the plain, upon the entrenched camp of the enemy, who, without waiting for our approach, fled precipitately, after exploding their largest magazine, leaving, as I have before stated, their tents and baggage, public and private stores, with several magazines of ammunition and seventeen guns, behind. The want of cavalry* prevented my pursuing them as I could have wished; but I despatched a party of Scinde Irregular Horse, under Captain Malcolm Green, to follow them up for some distance. This officer reported that he came upon their rear guard, retiring in good order, but that the road in many places was strewn with property and equip-

ments. The loss of the Persians has been estimated at 200 killed, among whom was an officer of rank and estimation, Brigadier Agha Jan Khan, who fell in the Northern Battery.

11. I beg to annex a report received from Commodore Young, with a copy of a letter I had previously caused to be addressed to that officer, expressing my entire satisfaction with the naval operations; indeed, it was impossible for my instructions to have been more ably or more successfully carried out, and the Commodore and every officer and man under his command have nobly earned my warmest thanks. From Commodore Young, ably seconded by Captain Rennie and the other officers of the Fleet and masters of transports, I have throughout received every possible assistance.

12. With exception of the artillery, with the mortar battery, under Captain Worgan, no portion of the military force was actively engaged with the enemy, beyond some European riflemen sent on the war vessels; but I am not the less indebted to all for their exertions and zeal, and especially for the great order and despatch with which the landing of the troops was effected, under Brigadier-General Havelock, C.B.: the highest spirit prevailed, and had the large Persian army only waited our approach, out of the range of the ships' guns, I feel confident that it would have received a lasting lesson.

13. From recent information, I learn that the Persian force, in a very disorganized state, is still in full retreat; and I propose to despatch immediately, up the Karoon to Ahwaz, three small armed steamers, with 100 European infantry in each, for the purpose of making a reconnoissance, and, if practicable, effecting the destruction of the magazines at that place.

14. I take this opportunity of recommending to your Excellency's notice Colonel Lugard, C.B., the chief, and the several officers of my general and personal staff, the Brigadier-General, the Brigadiers, and their respective staff, as also the officers commanding the several regiments, batteries, and detachments of cavalry, and heads of departments, composing this force, upon whom much responsibility has devolved, and whose zeal and exertions throughout this expedition have been most praiseworthy.

15. To Captain Kemball, Bombay Artillery, Consul-General at Bagdad, I am much indebted for his very valuable assistance; also to Major Taylor, as well as to Lords Dunkellin, Seymour, and Schomberg Kerr, who volunteered their services on my staff.

I have, &c.,

J. OUTRAM, Lieutenant-General,
Commanding Expeditionary Force.

Acting Commodore J. W. Young, I.N., Commanding the Persian Gulf Squadron, to Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B.

H. C. S. F. Ferroz, off Mohumra, Sir,
March 27, 1857.

IN continuation of my letter, No. 5, of the 25th instant, I have the honor to inform you that, having observed the mortars placed on the raft, constructed under the superintendence of Commander Rennie, of the Ferroz, and anchored on the evening of the 25th instant, in the channel to the westward of the Dubber Island, had opened fire, the Indian naval squadron under my command, got under weigh, and ran up the river until opposite the forts defending the channel leading to

* Only one troop of Scinde Horse having been able to land in time.

Mohumra, in the following order : the Semiramis, with the Clive in tow, followed by the Ajdaha, proceeded up the western channel to support the mortar battery, the Ferooz, Assaye, and Victoria, the latter with the Falkland in tow, remaining in reserve until the fire of the forts was deranged.

This was soon accomplished, on which the vessels in reserve entered the Eastern Channel, the Ferooz opening her fire on the South Fort, at less than point blank range, as she passed to take up her position against the North Fort, and sufficiently in advance to receive support from the Assaye, immediately astern of her. The division of the ships in the Western Channel was then recalled, and joined in close attack; the Semiramis and Victoria, the latter with the Falkland in tow, engaging the South Fort, as well as the inland one on the north side. Besides the fire maintained on the forts, frequent discharges of shell and grape were made in the direction where it was supposed the enemy's entrenched camp was situated.

So effective was the fire from the ships that, in less than three-quarters of an hour from its commencement, the batteries were only able to reply from three or four guns. At this period (7.45 A.M.) of the engagement, the Ferooz, flying my pendant, hoisted the rendezvous flag at her mast head, which was repeated by the other vessels engaged, being the preconcerted signal for the troop ships to advance.

This movement on the part of the vessels in question not being made with such celerity as could be desired, Commander Rennie, of the Ferooz, volunteered to proceed through the fire to accelerate their advance, which was accomplished in admirable order, although at the time the fire from the batteries was far from being silenced.

From between nine and ten o'clock, five heavy explosions, in different parts of the fortifications, indicated the overwhelming nature of the attack, and led me to suppose that the resistance hitherto offered could not much longer continue. I was therefore anxious to have the troops landed as expeditiously as a due regard to their security would allow, so that a combined and simultaneous movement by the naval and military forces might be made with the certainty of a successful issue, and with this view passed up the river, until close to Jaber's Fort, where the disembarkation was effected easily, and without interruption.

After the batteries had ceased firing artillery, a fire of musketry was opened from them, as well as from breast-works in their vicinity, and maintained with great spirit for some time, when storming parties were landed from the Semiramis, Clive, Victoria, and Falkland, who drove before them the last of the enemy, and took possession of their works and guns.

Considering the strength of the fortifications, both as regards position and construction, with a numerous garrison, and the large number of guns which could be brought to bear on the ships, in consequence of their closeness to the enemy's defences, which were likewise strengthened by breastworks occupied by large bodies of small arm men, whose fire at times was annoying, I am thankful to say the casualties sustained by the squadron during the engagement amounted only to five killed and eighteen wounded.

Before concluding, I feel it to be the most pleasant part of my duty to bring to your notice the great gallantry and coolness displayed by every officer and seaman under my command, during the operations so successfully carried out.

The important services rendered by Commander Rennie, of the Ferooz, are a further and honorable addition to an already well established reputation.

Commander Selby, to whose local knowledge I am much indebted, elicited my warmest admiration by the dashing manner in which he carried the Semiramis into the channel leading to Mohumra, between the forts on either bank.

To the excellent way in which Commander Grieve, of the Clive, Acting Commander Manners, of the Victoria, and Lieutenants-Commanding Tronson, of the Falkland, and Worsley, of the Ajdaha, handled their respective ships, and to the closeness and precision of their fire, much of the success of the day is to be attributed. Special commendation is due to Commander Adams, of the Assaye, for the gallant and most efficient manner in which he seconded my attack on the northern forts. The conduct of Lieutenant Chitty, of the Berenice, also calls for my approval, for conducting his vessel, under shelter of the ships of war, past the batteries, with about fourteen hundred troops and followers on board.

Commander Nisbett, Agent for Transports, by the assiduity with which he had my arrangements carried into effect, was of material assistance.

To Acting Masters Commanding McLaurin, of the Napier, Holland, of the Comet, Fletcher, of the Planet, Neal, of the Assyria, Davies, of the Etherley Flat, and Mr. Dark, of the Hugh Lindsay, my warmest acknowledgments are due for the zeal and intelligence with which they acted on this occasion, and by all of whom my instructions were ably carried out.

The peculiar nature of the services required to be performed, rendered unavoidable the exposure of the steam transports to the effects of musketry fire. The able manner, however, in which the officers in command of these vessels brought them through the ordeal, with all but immunity, was highly creditable and praiseworthy.

To the commanders of the transports generally, too much praise cannot be accorded for the willing assistance they rendered throughout the day, both personally, and with earnestness of the means at their disposal, for the furtherance of the public service.

Finally, allow me personally to acknowledge the many obligations I owe you for the great assistance you afforded me in maturing and facilitating measures that appeared likely to conduce to the success of the enterprise. My thanks are also due to your staff for the completeness with which every arrangement was made for the immediate landing of the troops, in a state fit for active service.

I feel confident that, although the victory is a naval one, it would not have been so complete but for the sight of the imposing force with which the enemy felt he must soon come in hopeless contact, unless he made an immediate retreat.

I have, &c.,

J. W. YOUNG, Acting Commodore,
Commanding Persian Gulf Squadron.

P.S. The many matters of detail to be attended to at a period of such hurry has placed it out of my power to obtain an authenticated list of the casualties sustained during the action : you will, however, observe that, according to the numbers already given, they have been comparatively few. This is in a great measure to be attributed to the very efficient protection afforded the crews by a breastwork made of trusses of pressed hay, which were placed on the bulwarks round the several vessels. Neither have I an account of the damages inflicted on the ships by the enemy's fire. They have been, however, considerably cut up in the rigging, and injured in the hull, although rarely, if at all, below the water-line.

I had almost forgotten to mention the services of my Flag-Lieutenant Mr. Sweny, who, besides buoying off the channel across the bar of the river, was invaluable to me in communicating orders to the ships of war and transports. His coolness during the action, when performing the office of Flag-Lieutenant, was conspicuous.

Mr. Rogers, my Secretary, likewise deserves being brought to notice for his services on the occasion, which were such as to meet with my warm approval.

*Colonel E. Lugard, C.B., Chief of the Staff, to
Commodore J. A. Young, I.N.*

*Camp, near Mohumra,
March 27, 1857.*

SIR,

I AM instructed by Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., commanding the expeditionary force, to express to you in warm terms his appreciation of the great service rendered by the Indian Navy, yesterday, in reducing the strong batteries which the enemy had erected on the left bank of the Euphrates to defend their position at Mohumra, a service so ably planned and conducted by yourself, and so gallantly and effectually performed by the armed steamers and sloops of war, Ferroz, Semiramis, Assaye, Ajdaha, Victoria, Clive, and Falkland, with their brave crews, commanded by Captains Rennie, Selby, Grieve, Manners, Adams, and Lieutenants Tronson and Worsley, that nothing was left for the Army to do, after being conducted by the Navy past the silenced batteries, than to land and take possession of the enemy's entrenched camp, which they had abandoned so precipitately as to leave behind all their tents and property, public and private, with a vast amount of ordnance stores and 16 guns, having carried away only a small portion of the personal effects of the Shahzada and five guns.

The Lieutenant-General tenders to you, your officers and crew, his best thanks for your services and his hearty congratulations upon the successful issue of the undertaking: he further begs you will thank Lieutenant Chitty and Mr. Holland for the important services they rendered in the Berenice and Comet, and also the Masters commanding the several steamers and transport ships, for their zealous assistance throughout the expedition.

I have, &c.,

EDWARD LUGARD, Colonel,
Chief of the Staff.

*Return shewing the number and description of
Ordnance Stores abandoned by the Enemy at
Mohumra, on the 26th instant.*

Camp before Mohumra, March, 28, 1857.

16 Guns and 1 Mortar:—

- 1 12-pounder brass gun, Russian, requires bouching.
- 1 12-pounder brass gun, Persian, in good order.
- 1 12-pounder and 2 9-pounder brass guns, spiked.
- 1 9-pounder brass gun in good order.
- 2 brass guns, 12-pounders, taken by the Navy from the Southern Fort.
- 2 brass guns, calibre not known, being buried in the mud, but apparently 18-pounders.
- 1 8-inch brass mortar, unserviceable, mounted on a platform cart.
- 2 9-pounder and 4 6-pounder iron guns; these are old ship carronades, and are mounted on ship truck carriages, apparently made here: they are unserviceable.

132 tents of different sizes; 30 of these were found in the upper or Khauler Mirza's camp: 80 in the lower or Ebrahim Mirza's camp: 22 in the camp by the Northern Battery. They have all been distributed among the troops.

16 gun wheels (spare), found in the enemies magazines.

13 gun axletrees; some old iron work for guns; some incomplete sets of harness; found in the enemy's magazines.

100 cartridges attached to shot and shell, found in the enemy's magazines.

300 boxes, containing 36,000 of fixed or gun ammunition, 3,600 loose shot or shell, 14,400 lbs. of powder, found in the enemy's magazines.

4,000 loose shot and shell; these are being collected and brought in.

144,000 lbs.* of powder destroyed by the explosion.
14,400 lbs. of powder captured.

* During the morning of the 26th instant, there were, apparently, one very large and six smaller explosions, near the Northern Forts; in the afternoon, one very large and one small explosion, in Khauler Mirza's camp. Near this latter large one, I have found the remains of about 500 ammunition boxes. It may, therefore, be assumed that 6,000 cartridges, attached to shot and shell, were then destroyed. Estimating the large one in the morning at the same, and each of the eight (sic) smaller, at one-half, we have—

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| | lbs. powder. |
| In the two large magazines, $6,000 \times 2 =$ | |
| 12,000 \times 4 lbs. powder = | 48,000 |
| In eight small magazines, $3,000 \times 8 =$ | |
| 24,000 \times 4 lbs. powder = | 96,000 |
| Total destroyed | 144,000 |
| We have captured | 14,400 |
| These make the total loss to the enemy | 158,400 |

M. FINNIMORE, Captain,
Field Commissary of Ordnance.

*Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B.,
Commanding Expeditionary Force, to His Ex-
cellency Lieutenant-General Sir H. Somerset,
K.C.B., K.H., Commander-in-Chief, Bombay.*

Camp, Mohumra,

SIR,

April 4, 1857.

IN my Despatch, dated the 27th ultimo, I announced to your Excellency my intention of immediately, despatching up the Karoon River to Ahwaz, an armed flotilla, being the only means I had of effecting a distant reconnoissance, owing to the total want of baggage-cattle; but, as the steamers had to be coaled, and seven days' provisions for the troops put on board, whilst all were busily engaged disembarking tents and stores from the transports, some little delay occurred; and it was not until the afternoon of the 29th that the party could be despatched.

2. The flotilla I placed under the immediate command of Captain Rennie, Indian Navy, aided by Captain Kemball, Political Agent in Turkish Arabia, who zealously undertook the political conduct of the expedition: Captain Hunt, 78th Highlanders, commanded the military detachment: and Captain Wray, Deputy Quartermaster-General, and Captain M. Green, my Military Secretary, accompanied the expedition, for the purpose of reporting upon the country in the vicinity of Ahwaz.

My instructions to Captain Rennie were "to steam up to Ahwaz, and act with discretion according to circumstances." Should the Persian army have arrived, and apparently be prepared to make a determined stand, the party was to return, after effecting the reconnoissance; but, in the event of the enemy having proceeded beyond Ahwaz, or if they continued their flight on seeing our steamers (as I fully expected they would, under the impression that the flotilla was the advance guard of the British army), it was my desire that the party should land, and destroy the magazines and stores which the Persians had collected.

3. By the annexed reports from Captains Rennie and Wray, which I have the honor to submit, your Excellency will learn how admirably my instructions have been carried out, and the complete success which has attended the energetic and judicious measures adopted by all concerned: indeed, it is impossible to calculate upon the advantages which must ensue from the successful result of this expedition, in the effect it will have upon the Arab tribes, who, in crowds, witnessed the extraordinary scene of a large army of 7,000 infantry, with five or six guns,* and a host of cavalry, precipitately retreating before a detachment of 300 British infantry, three small river steamers, and three gun-boats.

4. I feel that I cannot sufficiently express to your Excellency the great obligation I am under to the several officers and men of the expedition.

5. Captain Rennie, Indian Navy, whose gallant conduct at the bombardment of Mohumra I so recently recorded, has again earned my highest praise and warmest thanks for the able manner in which he has conducted this expedition.

6. Captain Kemball, who on this, as on every occasion of difficulty and danger upon which I have required his services, has rendered me most valuable assistance, materially contributed to the success of the expedition by his counsel and energy. Great praise is also due to Captain Hunt, 78th Highlanders, who so successfully carried out the military operations; to Captain Wray, Deputy Quartermaster-General, and Captain M. Green, my Military Secretary, for the part they so ably performed; and to all the officers and men employed in the expedition. I have to thank them all, and beg to recommend those specially named to your Excellency's notice.

I have, &c.,

J. OUTRAM, Lieutenant General,
Commanding Expeditionary Force.

Acting Commodore J. Rennie, I.N., Commanding Squadron in the Persian Gulf, to Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., Commanding Expeditionary Force.

SIR, Ahwaz, April 3, 1857.

IT affords me much gratification to report the complete success that has attended the expedition you did me the honour to place under my command.

On arrival near Ahwaz, on the morning of the 1st instant, the Persian army was observed posted on a strong position on the right bank of the river; and, having reason to believe that whatever force there might be on the left bank, did not amount to such a number as would entail serious risk to our force, it was at once determined to carry Ahwaz.

Our arrangements for attack were speedily completed, and by 10-30, A.M., Captain Hunt, his advance flanked by the gun-boats, moved off with his gallant band of 300 men; and, in one hour and a half from the time of the gun-boats opening fire, he was in possession of Ahwaz; and the Persian army, consisting of 6,000 infantry, 5 guns, and a cloud of Bukhtiaree horsemen were in full retreat upon Dizful, leaving in our possession 1 gun (a brass 14-pounder field piece), 154 stand of arms, 56 mules, 230 sheep, besides an enormous quantity of grain, wheat, and barley.

Captain Kemball requested me to remain at Ahwaz for two days, to afford him time to communicate with the Arab tribes, as also to ensure the impossibility of the defeated Persians returning to Ahwaz. They retired so precipitately as to have been unable to carry with them means of subsistence for more than two days.

It would be presumptuous in me to offer a remark upon the gallantry and zeal of those serving with me. I shall, therefore, merely take the liberty of attaching a nominal list of the officers, with the number of men under their command, composing an expedition that penetrated over one hundred miles beyond Mohumra, and which, in so short a time, compelled the Persian army to abandon a depôt of provisions on which it almost entirely depended for subsistence.

In conclusion, I beg to add, that it is to Captain Kemball who planned, and to Captain Hunt who executed, this bold stroke, that thanks are more especially due. Further comments from me are unnecessary.

I have, &c.,

J. RENNIE, Commander, I. N.,
Acting Commodore, Commanding Squadron,
Persian Gulf.

Nominal Roll of Officers and Men comprising the Expedition to Ahwaz, under Commander James Rennie, I.N., Acting Commodore, Persian Gulf Squadron, Commanding the Expedition.

Lieutenants Crockett, Hag (*sic*), and Tozer,
Naval Aides-de-Camp.

Armed Steamer Comet.

Commander W. B. Selby, I.N.; Acting Master Holland; Acting 1st Class Quartermaster Salmon; Assistant-Surgeon W. Wood, M.D.; 21 seamen, and 16 Mussoolies.

River Steamer Planet.

Acting Master Fletcher, in charge; Acting Master Keen, 6 Europeans, and 13 Lascars.

River Steamer Assyria.

Acting Master Neale, in charge; Acting 1st Class Second Master Fivey, 5 Europeans, and 12 natives.

No. 6 Gun-boat.

Lieutenant Edwards, Midshipman Burn, and 16 seamen.

No. 5 Gun-boat.

Mate Hewett, Midshipman D'Arcy, and 14 seamen.

No. 9 Gun-boat.

Lieutenant Lakes, Midshipman Finnis, and 14 seamen.

Falkland Cutter.

Midshipman Law and 11 men.

* One or two guns said to have joined them at Ahwaz.

Ferooz Cutter.

Midshipman Booth and 11 men.

Assaye Cutter.

Midshipman Scamp and 9 men.

Assistant-Surgeon Asher in medical charge of gun-boats and cutters from Ferrooz.

Mr. Sims, 3rd Class Gunner of Ferrooz, temporarily attached for the expedition to steamer Planet.

W. B. SELBY, Commander, I.N.,
Commanding Comet, and Surveyor in
Mesopotamia.

Ahwaz, River Karoon, April 3, 1857.

*Nominal Roll of Officers of Detachment, under
the Command of Captain G. H. Hunt, 78th
Highlanders.*

Her Majesty's 64th Regiment.

Captain Goode, Lieutenant Haldane, Ensign
Pack, Assistant-Surgeon Lundy.

78th Highlanders.

Captain Hunt, Captain McAndrew, Lieutenant
Cassidy, Lieutenant Finlay, Lieutenant Barker.

Detachment consisting of 300 men, being 150
from each of the above regiments.

G. H. HUNT, Captain, 78th Highlanders,
Commanding Detachment.

*Nominal Roll of Political and Staff Officers
present with the Detachment under Captain
Hunt, 78th Highlanders, in the advance upon
Ahwaz, on the 1st of April, 1857.*

Captain Kembell, Bombay Artillery, Political
Agent in Turkish Arabia.

Lord Schomberg H. Kerr, attached to the
Persian Mission.

Captain Wray, Deputy Quartermaster-General,
P.F.F.

Captain Malcolm Green, Scinde Horse.

Lieutenant Baigrie, Commissariat Department.

J. WRAY, Dep. Quartermaster-General.

Ahwaz, 3rd April, 1857.

*Captain J. Wray, Deputy Quartermaster-General,
P.F.F., to Colonel Lugard, C.B., Chief of
the Staff.*

SIR, Camp, Mohumra, April 5, 1857.

ACCORDING to the instructions received from you, I have the honor to forward the following report upon Ahwaz and the country in its vicinity, with a brief account of the military operations of the expedition.

Ahwaz is situated on the left bank of the Karoon River, at about 100 miles from its mouth. The town is in ruins, and not more than one-third of the houses appear to be occupied. There is no fort, or defences of any kind, beyond an old ruinous stone wall round part of it. The inhabitants number about 1,200, chiefly Arabs of the Chab tribes. Close to the town are two old broken-down bunds across the river, through which the water rushes with great rapidity; one of these is just opposite to the town, the other

considerably below it. These bunds are impassable for boats drawing more than a few feet water, and the strength of the current renders the passage of any boats a matter of great difficulty. Indeed, we did not ascertain satisfactorily that boats could pass at all. The river here is from 90 to 140 yards wide, and there are several low islands in the middle covered with low tamarisk jungle. The banks of the river are generally high, and the water so deep that our small steamers could lie close alongside. The country on the town side of the river is a bare plain, with very slight patches of cultivation here and there, and on the south-east side of the town is a range of sandstone hills, perfectly bare. The country on the opposite side of the river is much the same, a barren plain without a tree, and the most desolate looking place imaginable. A few hundred yards above the bank is a ridge, which, when we approached Ahwaz, we found occupied by the Persian army. The river passes round this point, rendering the position very strong; but, at the same time, a force driven out of it by an enemy attacking at A, and being obliged to embark and retire down the river in boats or small steamers, would be exposed to the fire of batteries or musketry from the river banks, from any point which an active enemy might select. The advantages of this site for a cantonment, are, first, that our commissariat and stores coming by land from Mohumra could join our camp without having to cross the river; second, the strength of the position.

It is impossible to form any idea of the healthiness of this place. There had been a good deal of rain when we were there, and the surface of the ground was very heavy; but there is no reason to suppose that troops stationed here would be otherwise than healthy. At present the climate is very pleasant—the mornings delightful, and the days, though warm, quite bearable. The Arabs furnished us with sheep in abundance, milk, ghee, &c.

The Karoon river has already been reported on by Captain Selby, and I found the map drawn up by that officer perfectly correct. The river is generally from 90 to 180 yards wide, a fine stream with very rapid current; the banks for the first few miles after leaving Mohumra, covered with date trees, afterwards with cypress or dwarf poplar jungle, for a hundred yards or so from the water's edge—the interior a barren desert. We passed a few Arab villages on the left bank at long intervals, and anchored for the night at two of them to get supplies. Excepting here, we did not see a single soul the whole way; the country on the right bank appears to be an uninhabited wilderness.

The operations against the enemy were conducted as follows—under the orders of Captain Rennie, I.N.

At 3 A.M., 1 April, our little fleet left Kost Oonarra, an Arab village on the left bank, where we had remained during the night. Soon after daylight, we came in sight of Ahwaz, and found the Persian army collected behind a ridge on the right bank—crowds of horsemen, apparently some guns on the ridge, and infantry innumerable. Anchored at one and a half miles from the place. Some horsemen came down, but a rifle shot sent them off at full gallop, and no one attempted to come very near again. Heard from the Arabs that Ahwaz was not occupied, and that the troops that had been there had gone up the river the day before, frightened by the appearance of our steamers, and that nothing now remained but 80 horsemen;

that they had no means of crossing, excepting by two boats and two canoes. It was therefore determined to land all our party (300 men), advance up the left bank upon Ahwaz, and endeavour to destroy the enemy's depôt of grain and ammunition, and, in the event of our finding that we had been deceived, or that they were in force in the town, that we should turn our move into an armed reconnoissance, and return to our ships. Meanwhile we captured a bugla lying under the left bank, with a brass 12-pounder gun, which was taken on board. At 11 A.M., the troops commenced landing, and advanced at once in three columns, covered by skirmishers, the whole party being extended in such a way that they looked like a large body of men. Captain Hunt, of the 78th, commanded, and arranged it all. The left column consisted of the light company, 78th, divided into skirmishers and supports, both in one rank, the remainder of the company in columns of threes, also in single ranks. The 64th grenadiers, and the other company, 78th, formed centre and right columns in the same way. The two gun-boats were sent off in advance up the river, and took up positions within shell-range of the enemy's ridge, and opened fire. The enemy apparently had some guns in position on the ridge, but the moment the gunners made their appearance the gun-boats opened, and drove them away; they consequently did not return a single shot, though they attempted a little musketry, which did no harm. In the meantime the troops pushed on; the Persians still collected, though in reduced numbers, on the opposite bank of the river, at about 1000 yards from us. At twelve o'clock, the troops approached the town, when the Arab Sheik came out, tendered submission, and informed our party that the enemy were retreating, and with our glasses we saw a large army of 7000 men, with a perfect swarm of Bukhtiarree horsemen, and 5 or 6 guns, retiring from a very strong position, before a body of 300 infantry, 3 small steamers, and 3 gun-boats. The enemy retired in tolerable order, covered by their horse, the Shahzada himself travelling in a green palankeen carriage, the wheel marks of which we had seen in the several encamping grounds on the river.

The town was filled with flour, wheat, barley, &c.; 55 mules and a horse were also found, besides 14 boxes of new flint muskets, Tower mark, each containing ten. A party crossed the river, examined the enemy's camp, and set fire to the remains of their magazine. The Arabs had plundered it before we arrived, and had carried off the powder, ball, ammunition, and muskets, the cases of which we found, but the enemy had left a great quantity of loose shot on the ground, which could not be destroyed or carried away.

Thus ended a very successful day. It was expected that, when our troops reached the town, the enemy would open fire with their guns from the ridge on the opposite bank, but that we should be able to hold our ground under cover of the houses and wall until all the stores were destroyed or carried off; but in this little or no loss was anticipated; and as the enemy were unable to cross the river, and it was known that they never had more than 800 men in the town, there was no great risk incurred in the move. As it was, the enemy commenced their retreat at exactly one hour from the time the first shell was fired from the gun-boats.

I have, &c.

J. WRAY, Captain.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Pope, Deputy Commissary-General, to Colonel E. Lugard, C.B., Chief of the Staff.

Camp, Mohumra,

March 28, 1857.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to report, for the information of the Lieutenant-General Commanding, that large quantities of flour, grain, dates, chopped straw, &c., were found in the camps abandoned by the enemy, on the 26th instant, which were distributed to the troops and followers on the spot: no account of these articles could be taken, as none of the commissariat establishment had then been landed, but they have been, nevertheless, made available for the public service, by their issue diminishing the demand on the commissariat stock.

Very extensive magazines of flour, wheat, and barley, belonging to the enemy, have been found in the town of Mohumra, over which guards have been placed in the meantime, and an accurate report of the contents shall be furnished, as soon as it is found possible to weigh the same.

I have, &c.,

G. POPE, Lieut.-Colonel,
Deputy Commissary-General.

Captain A. B. Kemball, Political Agent, to Lieutenant-General, Sir James Outram, K.C.B.

Mohumra,

On board of the H. C. S. Comet,
4th April, 1857.

(Extract.)

I HAVE much satisfaction in announcing to you the complete success of the expedition, which left Mohumra about midday on the 29th ultimo, under the command of Captain (Acting Commodore) Rennie, I.N., and of which the political direction was committed to my charge.

After quitting Mohumra, the first traces we discovered of the enemy were at a point about 3 miles beyond Rawali Ali ibn Jacob, or 30 miles up the river, to which our attention was attracted by the remains of fires, shreds of clothing, &c., indicating a recent bivouack. There we anchored for the night, a little before sunset. On landing, however, we failed to obtain the desired clue to the number of guns accompanying the retreating army. Either their stay on the spot had been very temporary, or they had omitted to range their guns in line, and must have unhooked the horses in the order in which they advanced on the road.

About 2 P. M. on the following day, we again fell upon the track of the enemy at Labaort el Humeyrah, where they appeared to have bivouacked in comparative order, and, having packed their guns, we were enabled to determine their number to be *five*, with an additional wheeled conveyance, supposed to be the carriage of the Shahzada. In our further progress towards Ismailiyeh, where we came to an anchor at 8 P. M., we, for the first time, entered into communication with the inhabitants of the country, at an encampment of the Nuwasu tribe, about six miles below that place. It was evident from the movement amongst them that our approach created some consternation. Every precaution was, however, taken to remove their fears, and, on landing, I succeeded, I believe, by reading and explaining to them a notification under your signature, of which I enclose a copy, in completely reassuring them. From these people we learnt that the Persian army had passed up the opposite bank on their way

to Ahwaz, two days before; that, at Subant, they buried Agha Jan Khan wounded (or killed?) at Mohumra; and that, one of their guns being disabled, they had been compelled to ship it on board of a boat they found there for conveyance by water. They likewise confirmed our surmises with respect to the private carriage of the Shahzada. At Ismailiyeh we procured a sufficiency of fresh meat, &c., for the use of the force.

Leaving Ismailiyeh at five A.M. (31st), we reached Oomarra about three P.M., without any incident worthy of notice beyond the capture of a Persian straggler,* from whom, however, we failed to elicit any information whatever. This man, who, but for our timely arrival, must inevitably have perished, was received on board of the Comet, and having been fed and supplied with provisions, was released at Oomarra.

At Oomarra we ascertained positively that the Persian army had reached Ahwaz the previous morning, and that the boat containing the disabled gun had passed Oomarra the same day. It was likewise reported that, immediately on the receipt of intelligence of the fall of Mohumra, orders had been given to remove across the river the small force under the command of one of the Shahzada's sons, which formed the garrison of Ahwaz, as well as to withdraw the grain and provisions collected there.

Time being thus of importance, the vessels resumed their progress towards Ahwaz, now distant only fifteen miles, at three A.M. (Ap. 1). At seven, we first observed the enemy's cavalry videttes (who retired at our approach) stretching along the right bank; and, having made good our advance to within two and a half miles of their position, we could clearly discern their battalions of infantry, with a large body of horse on the right flank, crowning a low range of hills of sandstone formation which trended westward in a direction at right angles to the river. Here, in the view of the Persian force, we overtook the boat carrying the disabled gun,† and took possession.

Some time was now occupied in reconnoitring the country, as also in awaiting the return of spies I had despatched the previous evening to obtain information, and, there being reason to believe either that Ahwaz had been totally abandoned,‡ or was so weakly garrisoned as to be liable to a coup-de-main, an attack upon the town was speedily determined on. The details of the plan will doubtless be reported to you by the naval and military Commanders; but I may be permitted to observe that its adoption fully justified the previous reputation of Captain Rennie for daring and intrepidity, while the judicious disposition of the small force under the command of Captain Hunt, of H.M.'s 78th Highlanders, insured its successful execution. The gun-boats having taken up the position assigned to them under the shelter of an island within range of the enemy's camp, the troops landed, and were formed up in a manner to assume the appearance of 1500 men, rather than of 300, to which number they were in fact

* It is probable that throughout our course to Ahwaz we must have passed many stragglers who concealed themselves in the brushwood.

† The carriage had been shattered below the left trunnion. This boat was laden also with valuable property belonging to the Shahzada, which, from a distance, we observed the Arabs plundering and carrying into the interior; but time did not admit of our landing to recover it.

‡ Intelligence of our coming had, it seems, preceded us, and the last of the enemy had crossed that morning. We subsequently heard also that a small body of 200 or 300 men had a few days before been sent up the river, on the left bank,—on what errand was not known,—probably to escort provisions.

limited; and, at the same time, Captain Rennie proceeded in person in the Comet (Captain Selby commanding) to support the former, and, as far as possible, to cover the march of the latter.

As we advanced, the last of the enemy's pickets were seen to retire on the main body. The battalions on the heights gradually disappeared, and, one hour later, when the occupation of the town had been effected, we descried the whole Persian army, with their rear not 1,200 yards distant from us, in full retreat on Dizful. Among the wheeled vehicles, the private carriage of the Shahzada was clearly discernible. I must not omit to mention that twice, as the troops proceeded, the enemy endeavoured to bring a gun to bear upon them, and, as often, the steady and accurate fire of the gun-boats compelled him to relinquish the attempt.

On our approach to the town*, a number of the inhabitants came out to meet us, with proffers of entire submission and devotion to the British Government. I lost no time in allaying the alarm which so manifestly possessed them; and the assurance I conveyed to them that, provided they would honestly disclose all property belonging to the Persians, their private dwellings should be respected, seemed to have the desired effect. As soon as leisure permitted, they conducted us to the different stores of grain and flour, and further delivered up to us 230 sheep, some 50 mules, and 150 new stand of arms (in cases), which time had not been allowed the enemy to remove. The sheep, arms, and mules, Captain Rennie caused to be shipped on board of the steamers, but the grain, after removing so much as was required for the subsistence of the animals en route, and reserving two boat loads of wheat and barley, there being no other means of conveyance available, for transmission to Mohumra, I distributed among the inhabitants of the town and the outside Arabs.

While engaged in inspecting the stores of grain, information was brought to me that several stand of arms and a magazine of ammunition had been abandoned by the Persians on the ground they occupied.

Accordingly, a small detachment, under the superintendence of Major Wray and Captain Green, passed on to take possession; but, having been preceded by the Arabs†, whom from Ahwaz we could observe covering the ground immediately after the departure of the Persians, they were enabled to discern merely powder strewed over the ground, port-fires, shot, shell, &c., and empty and broken cases. The whole were collected in a heap and set on fire.‡

With advertence to the Arabs in question, I may here mention that, even before reaching the walls of Ahwaz, we could perceive crowds of these marauders gathering on the hills in the immediate neighbourhood, ready to attack the defeated party, and anxious of course to share in the Persian spoils collected in the town. The inhabitants did not conceal their apprehensions of indiscriminate plunder by these people, but, an injunction from me to retire under pain of coercion, coupled with my refusal to receive the visit

* Ahwaz, though formerly a place of some note, is now in a ruined condition, and its population does not probably exceed 3000 souls.

† These for the most part had crossed over from the left bank.

‡ The quantity of ammunition was estimated at 300 rounds of artillery. The glittering of arms at a distance shewed that the Arabs had possessed themselves of some of the new Persian muskets, but their number could not be ascertained.

of their chiefs then present among them, had the effect that day of inducing them to withdraw, while a voluntary contribution of grain on the morrow (when no doubt could be entertained of the character of the gift) sufficed to conciliate them. It encouraged the hope too that, under the general impression which prevails of the speedy approach of the British army, my final remonstrances against depredation would, after the departure of the steamers, continue to be respected.

I need hardly remind you, however, that the word of the Arab is only to be trusted when superior force, or some other equally strong motive, is present, to induce its observance.

Situated as they were in a position remarkably strong by nature, the precipitate retreat of the Persian army* before a mere handful of British troops, can only be explained by the panic inspired by the defeat at Mohumra, by their inability, from the want of boats, to effect the passage of the river, by the bold front assumed by the expedition, and, finally, by the fact, which would have weighed probably with better troops than themselves ignorant of our deficiency in field guns, that the occupation of Ahwaz enabled us to turn their flank, and thus effectually to rake their position. The advantages accruing to us cannot I think be overrated. Already had they commenced to entrench themselves, and had made arrangements for the arrival of reinforcements, and for the supply of stores and provisions from Shuster and Dizful: as it is, the loss of their grain at Ahwaz, which in the interim would have maintained the army for 15 or 20 days, will not only occasion much loss and suffering on their retreat, but, by driving them to a distance, will destroy their political status in the country, and, for the present at least, deprive them of any controul over the inhabitants. To enable you to judge of the feelings of the tribes towards them, I may mention that several men presented themselves wearing Persian clothes which it was said they had only yesterday stripped from the backs of stragglers. It was further added that bodies of Arabs from every side were hanging on the rear and flanks of the Persian army, and assuredly would lose no opportunity of harassing them. Their rancour may indeed be ascribed to a wish to retaliate the oppression and extortion practised by their late masters, but I believe it to have some foundation in the innate propensity of the Arab to plunder, and in a not unnatural desire perhaps to gain favour with the victorious party.

From the intelligence derived from natives it would seem that the line of retreat of the Persian army is on the direct road to Dizful; that they have with them seven guns, of which three were present at Ahwaz, or met them on their way thither from Mohumra; and that the Shahzada, attended by thirty horsemen, has quitted the army, and proceeded in advance.

In conclusion, I take the liberty to bring to your notice the steadiness and admirable behaviour of the military portion of the expedition while employed on shore: their presence in the town was regarded as a protection by the inhabitants of Ahwaz—men, women, and children; and, though for a time isolated in small bodies at different points, in no instance were they charged with any act of molestation or annoyance.

Nor can I close this despatch without acknowledging the assistance rendered to me by Lord Schomberg Kerr, Attaché to the Persian Mission,

* Estimated at 7000 men, including cavalry, of which the number seen by us certainly did not fall short of 1000.

who, as you are aware, volunteered his services for the occasion.

Intelligence having reached me at Ahwaz of the occurrence of disorder at Shuster, I beg to transmit herewith a translation of a letter I addressed to the elders of the latter town in consequence.

I have despatched emissaries to Shuster and Dizful, to bring me information with respect to the state of the Persian army, and to the state of affairs generally in that quarter.

NOTIFICATION.

BE it known to all whom it may concern, that the State of Great Britain being at war with the State of Persia, I, Lieutenant-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., have arrived in this quarter with the English forces, for the purpose of occupying Mohumra and the districts adjoining thereto.

Notice is hereby given accordingly, that the military operations of the English army, being directed only against the Persian Government, are not intended to affect the condition of the Arab tribes, to whom the British Government is disposed to extend its favor and good will. All, therefore, who may abstain from taking part against the English will be left in the enjoyment of peace and security, and need be apprehensive of no molestation. Themselves, their property, their families, and their religion, will be, in every sense, respected. The well known generosity of the British Government, and the discipline of its troops, furnish the best guarantee that this pledge will be scrupulously redeemed.

J. OUTRAM,
Lieutenant-General.

Captain A. B. Kemball, Political Agent, to the Chiefs of Shuster.

A. C. Dated April 3rd, 1857.

I HAVE heard with regret that, in consequence of the defeat and dispersion of the Persian army by the English, disorder has commenced to show itself at Shuster. In sending you, therefore, a copy of the Notification issued by the English General, Sir James Outram, K.C.B., I take occasion to advise you that, in the event of the march of the British army to Shuster, the General will expect all chiefs to maintain peace and good order among their followers; and that those who molest and commit depredation upon their neighbours must not look for favor at his hands.

A. B. KEMBALL.
Political Agent.

AT the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 6th day of May, 1857,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter seventy-nine, intituled "An Act to carry into effect a Convention between Her Majesty and the King of the French, concerning the Fisheries in the Seas between the British Islands and France," it is enacted, by section four, that it shall be lawful for the Lords of the Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council appointed for Trade and foreign Plantations, from time to time, as may become necessary, to make and ordain such

Rules and Bye-laws as to them shall seem expedient for the more effectual performance of the said Convention, and of the Articles set forth in the schedule annexed to the said Act, and, from time to time, to annul or alter the same, and substitute others instead thereof, provided always, that all such Rules and Bye-laws shall be approved by Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council :

And whereas, by the said Articles, numbered forty-five and forty-six respectively, it is provided (Art. 45), that oyster-fishing shall open on the first of September and shall close on the thirtieth of April, and (Art. 46) that from the first of May to the thirty-first of August, being what are commonly called the close months, no boat shall have on board any dredge or other implement whatsoever for catching oysters :

And whereas, by section nine of the said Act, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for such officers and petty officers of Her Majesty's Navy or Revenue Service and for such Officers and men of the Coast Guard stations as shall be thereunto authorized by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, and such persons as shall be appointed by the Lords of the said Committee, subject to such directions as the Lords of the said Committee shall from time to time think fit to prescribe, to go on board any British vessel employed in fishing, and examine the certificate of registry and nets, instruments, and implements of fishing belonging to or used with such vessel, and whether the regulations of this Act have been complied with, and whether the Master or other persons on board such vessel are carrying on the said fishery in the manner thereby required, and to seize any nets, instruments, or implements of fishing which are illegal, or used contrary to the provisions of the said Act :

And whereas, by section six of the said Act, with the view not to interfere further than is necessary for giving full effect to the said Convention and articles, with the provisions of an Act passed in the fifth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to regulate the Irish Fisheries," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Lords of the said Committee, by a Rule or Rules, to be made by them from time to time, and approved of by Her Majesty in Council, with the advice of Her Privy Council to suspend the operation of the said Act and Articles with respect to the fisheries on the coast of Ireland :

And whereas a Rule to that effect was accordingly made and duly approved of by Her Majesty in Council on the twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three :

And whereas, by another Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and one, intituled "An Act for the more effectual execution of the Convention between Her Majesty and the French Government concerning the Fisheries in the Seas between the British Islands and France," and which is directed to be read and construed together with the said recited Act of the sixth and seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty as one Act, it is enacted, by section one, that it shall be lawful for any officers or petty officers belonging to Her Majesty's Navy or Revenue Service, or such officers and men of the Coast Guard stations as may be thereunto authorized by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, or such persons as may be appointed under the provisions of the said Act, by the Lords of the Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council appointed for Trade

and foreign Plantations, when they go on board any British vessel employed in fishing, to examine whether the regulations of the said first-mentioned Act have been complied with, to seize and throw overboard or destroy any oysters found on board such vessel at any time from the first day of May to the thirty-first day of August in any year, as well as to seize and dispose of, in manner provided by the "Customs Consolidation Act, 1853," all dredges and other implements for catching oysters found on board such vessels, and also all dredges and other implements for catching oysters found sunk in or floating upon the seas at any such time as aforesaid ; and, by section two, it is enacted that no oysters, taken in the seas between the United Kingdom and France, shall be imported into or landed in any part of the United Kingdom at any time between the first day of May and the thirty-first day of August in any year ; and that any oysters imported in or landed between such days from any vessel employed in fishing in the said seas shall be deemed to be oysters taken and imported contrary to the provisions of the said Articles and of that Act, unless the contrary be proved ; and that it shall be lawful for any officer of the Customs, or any person who may be appointed, under the provisions of the said first-recited Act, by the Lords of the said Committee of Council, to seize and destroy or otherwise dispose of, as the Commissioners of the Customs or the Lords of the said Committee may direct, any oysters imported into or landed in any part of the United Kingdom contrary to the said last-mentioned provision :

And whereas the Lords of the said Committee have, in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the said recited Act of the sixth and seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, duly made and ordained, and have submitted for the approval of Her Majesty, the following Rules or Bye-laws, for the more effectual observance of the said Convention and Articles and of the said recited Acts ; that is to say :

RULE I. The several officers or persons who are or may be, from time to time, authorized, by or under the said recited Acts, to seize dredges or other implements used or employed in taking or catching oysters in the seas between the British Islands and France, or to seize oysters taken or brought into the United Kingdom during the said close months, that is to say from the first day of May to the last day of August in every year, are required to use all diligence in enforcing the observance of the provisions of the said Convention and Articles and of the said recited Acts, and for that purpose, during the said close months, to make seizure of all such dredges and other implements as aforesaid used for taking oysters, and of all oysters, oyster brood or spat taken and found on board any vessel in contravention of the said Convention, Articles, and Acts, and to proceed to the forfeiture thereof and the recovery of such penalties as shall or may have been incurred by the parties found using or having in their possession such dredges or other implements as aforesaid, but so, nevertheless, as not to interfere with the rights and interests of the owners of any private oyster beds or layings on the coasts of Great Britain, or in the bays, estuaries, and rivers thereof, within the British fishery limits, so far as regards the preservation and propagation of oysters therein, and the removal thereof from one bed or laying to another, or from one part of such bed or laying to another part of the same, under and subject to the following rules.

RULE II.—No person shall, during the said close months, be allowed to dredge for or in any manner take oysters, oyster brood, or spat on any part of the said coasts of Great Britain, or the bays, estuaries, or rivers thereof, within the British fishery limits, nor to use or have on board any dredge or implement for that purpose; nor to take or have on board any oysters, oyster brood, or spat, except for the preservation and propagation of oysters, or the working or replenishing of such beds or layings as may require the same, or for the removal of oysters, oyster brood, or spat to other beds more contiguous to, or convenient for the market, nor without a special licence, under the hand of the collector, comptroller, or other principal officer of the customs of the port or place within which such oyster beds or layings are situate, nor, in any case, for any longer time than shall be prescribed by such licence.

RULE III.—No person shall, during the said close months, be allowed to remove any oysters, oyster brood, or spat from the beds or layings in any port or place within the said British fishery limits, to any other beds or layings in any other port or place, without a licence or transire for that purpose, under the hand of the Collector, Comptroller, or other principal officer of the Customs of the port or place whence the same shall be so removed, addressed to the Collector or Comptroller, or other principal officer of the Customs of the port or place where the bed or laying at which the same are to be deposited is situate. Provided always, that no such licence or transire shall be granted for removal of such oysters, oyster brood, or spat, under this rule, until the person requiring to remove the same shall have given bond to Her Majesty for the due removal and deposit thereof at the place of destination, within such time, and in such penal sum, not being less than one hundred pounds, as the Collector, Comptroller, or other such principal officer as aforesaid, may require.

RULE IV.—The foregoing Rule shall be held to apply to the removal to oyster beds or layings on the coasts of Great Britain, within the British fishery limits, of oysters, oyster brood, or spat, taken or dredged during the said close months on the coasts of Ireland, under the authority of the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, by virtue of any Act or Acts to regulate the Irish fisheries.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the foregoing Rules or Bye-laws, and doth hereby order and direct that the same shall take effect and come into operation at the end of one week from and after the first publication thereof in the London Gazette.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and the Commissioners of the Customs, are to give the necessary directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 6th day of *May*, 1857.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty,

chapter one hundred and thirteen, section thirty-four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the words and figures following, that is to say :

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, section thirty-four, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for augmenting the income of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon, in the diocese of Ely.

"Whereas by an Order of your Majesty in Council, bearing date the nineteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, and duly published in the London Gazette of the twenty-ninth day of the same month, it was provided, inter alia, that an annual sum of thirty-six pounds should be paid by us out of the Common Fund, in the above-named Act mentioned, to the Venerable John Banks Hollingworth, the then archdeacon of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon so long as he should remain such archdeacon, but not to any future Archdeacon of Huntingdon.

"And whereas an avoidance of the said archdeaconry has since taken place, and it has been made to appear to us that the present average net annual income of the said dignity does not exceed the sum of forty pounds.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Thomas, Bishop of Ely, testified by his having signed and sealed this scheme, we humbly recommend and propose, that until the next vacancy of a canonry in the cathedral church of Ely not annexed to a Professorship in the University of Cambridge, there shall be paid by us, out of the Common Fund hereinbefore mentioned, to the Archdeacon of Huntingdon for the time being (provided that he shall duly reside in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or shall have obtained license of non-residence), the annual sum of one hundred and sixty pounds on the first day of January in every year, and that the first such payment shall be made on the first day of January next, and that every such payment shall be made only on production to us of a certificate from the bishop that the archdeacon claiming the same has duly resided within the diocese of Ely, according to the provisions of the said Act, or has been legally exempt from such residence.

"And we further recommend and propose, that if a vacancy in the said archdeaconry shall occur on any other day than the first day of January, the grant hereby recommended to be made payable, shall be duly apportioned between and paid to the archdeacon making the vacancy, or his representatives, and the archdeacon succeeding to the said archdeaconry.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order

shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Ely.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 6th day of *May*, 1857,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of Wolvey, in the cathedral church of Lichfield, and now vested in us.

"And whereas all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and endowments formerly belonging to the said prebend of Wolvey (except any right of ecclesiastical patronage), became vested in us on the passing of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, subject to any legally subsisting lease or leases thereof.

"And whereas application has been made to us for the purchase of all our estate and interest in certain portions of the said lands, tenements, and hereditaments; and after due consideration, it appears to us to be expedient that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us to be advisable:

"We, therefore, humbly recommend and propose, that we may be authorized and empowered, by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of, and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act, all or any of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments, or endowments heretofore belonging to the said prebend of Wolvey, and so vested in us as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, there-

fore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lichfield.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 6th day of *May*, 1857,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the second day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of Monmore, in the collegiate church of Wolverhampton, and now vested in us.

"And whereas all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and endowments formerly belonging to the said prebend of Monmore (except any right of ecclesiastical patronage), became vested in us on the vacancy of the said prebend, which occurred on or about the twenty-seventh day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, by the decease of the Reverend Thomas Cotton Fell, the then prebendary, subject to any legally subsisting lease or leases thereof.

"And whereas application has been made to us for the purchase of all our estate and interest in certain portions of the said lands, tenements, and hereditaments; and after due consideration it appears to us to be expedient that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us to be advisable:

"We, therefore, humbly recommend and propose, that we may be authorized and empowered, by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell, or dispose of, and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act, all or any of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments, or endowments heretofore belonging to the said prebend of Monmore, and so vested in us as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from

recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lichfield.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall
May 12, 1857.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Naples, reporting that a Royal Decree has been published permitting the exportation of the following articles from the Kingdom of the Two Sicilies, from the 30th of April last to the 31st July next, viz.:

Lupins, on payment of 25 grains per cantar, export duty.

Maccaroni, biscuit, and manufactured flour, on payment of 50 grains per cantar, export duty.

*War-Office, Pall-Mall,
15th May, 1857.*

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Lieutenant John Wyndham Billington to be Captain, by purchase, vice Francis Howard Vyse, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

6th Dragoons, William Henry Weldon, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Alfred Thompson, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

16th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Edward Tottenham Irvine, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Goff, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Cornet and Adjutant Edwin Cowtan to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Cornet Thomas Boyce to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Irvine. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Military Train. The appointment of Quartermaster Greenway has been antedated to 20th February, 1857, but such antedate is not to carry back pay.

Royal Artillery, Surgeon Philip Splane Warren, M.D., from the 50th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Staunton, retired on half-pay. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Augustus Henry Lane Fox to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Villiers Latouche Hatton, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Ensign and Lieutenant Francis Wheeler Viscount Hood to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Fox. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Alfred Molyneux Byng, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Viscount Hood. Dated 15th May, 1857.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Richard L. Williams to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Stewart, promoted, by purchase, to a Depôt Battalion. Dated 15th May, 1857.

4th Foot, Charles Edward Billing, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bastable, who retires. Dated the 15th May, 1857.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class John Gorrings, M.D., from half pay, to be Surgeon, vice Richard Francis Valpy de Lisle, who exchanges. Dated 15th May, 1857.

5th Foot, Lieutenant Edwin Fell Haig to be Adjutant, vice Adair, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 15th May, 1857.

7th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Sheehy, M.D., from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 15th May, 1857.

8th Foot, Ensign Alfred Downie Corfield to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice M'Dermott, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

21st Foot, Lieutenant Robert Crossman has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 15th May, 1857.

32nd Foot, Captain William Redman, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice Henry William Bace, who exchanges. Dated 15th May, 1857.

35th Foot, Captain Charles John Patterson, from the 95th Foot, to be Captain, vice Moore, who exchanges. Dated 15th May 1857.

Ensign Richard Parsons to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Warrand, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Timothy John Dillon, Gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Parsons. Dated 15th May, 1857.

36th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel, John Josiah Hort, from half-pay of the 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Charles Ashmore, who exchanges. Dated 15th May, 1857.

50th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class James Crerar, from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Warren, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 15th May, 1857.

75th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Milles to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hotham, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Ensign George C. Norris Faithfull to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Milles. Dated 15th May, 1857.

79th Foot, Lieutenant John Macdonald Leith to be Captain, by purchase, vice Murray, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

William James Kerr, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Leith, promoted. Dated 15th May, 1857.

85th Foot, Chaigneaux Colvill Parkinson, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Wilson, promoted. Dated 15th May, 1857.

88th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Copeland Knipe, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 15th May, 1857.

93rd Foot, Arthur Jolliffe Tuffnell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Vidler, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

95th Foot, Captain George H. L. Brooke, from half-pay 95th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Raines, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 1st May, 1857.

Captain Henry Edward Moore, from the 35th Foot, to be Captain, vice Patterson, who exchanges. Dated 15th May, 1857.

97th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Henry Browne to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brinkley, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

98th Foot, Ensign Thomas Francis Lloyd to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Twyford, promoted in the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Charles Edward Woodward, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lloyd. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Rifle Brigade, Assistant-Surgeon David Cullen, M.D., from the 4th Light Dragoons, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 15th May, 1857.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant Henry Robert Twyford, from the 98th Foot, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Wallinger, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign M. John Macnamara to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Ellis, appointed to the 18th Foot. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Lieutenant James Meaden to be Captain, by purchase, vice Oldfield, who retires. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Ensign John James Cahill Miller to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Meaden. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Fenton Josiah Hort, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Miller. Dated 15th May, 1857.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Ensign Edward Alexander Lynar to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Boyes, promoted. Dated 15th May, 1857.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Brevet-Major William Little Stewart, from the 1st Foot, to be Major, by purchase, vice Bruce, promoted by purchase, to an Unattached Lieutenant-Colonelcy. Dated 15th May, 1857.

GARRISONS.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Amelius Whimper, Unattached, to be Major of the Tower of London, vice Major John Henry Elrington, deceased. Dated 31st March, 1857.

STAFF.

The appointment of Brevet-Colonel Sir Thomas St. V. H. C. Troubridge, Bart., C.B., half-pay 22nd Foot, to be Deputy Adjutant-General at Head Quarters, to be dated the 2nd February, 1857, instead of the 13th March, 1857.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant William Rudman, from the 32nd Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 15th May, 1857.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Thomas Hall, upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 12th May, 1857.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer having completed three years' actual service on the 8th March, 1857, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be promoted to be Colonel in the Army, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854:

Lieutenant-Colonel John Hamilton Stewart, 29th Foot. Dated 8th March, 1857.

MEMORANDUM.

The Christian name of Adjutant Mitchell, upon half-pay of the Land Transport Corps as J. Mitchell, is Thomas.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

Captain John Davie Ferguson Davie to be Deputy Lieutenant, vice Major-General Sir Henry Ferguson Davie, Bart., resigned. Dated 9th March, 1857.

James Samuel Pitman, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1857.

George Soltau Symons, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant, vice Soltau, resigned. Dated 14th April, 1857.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Charles Bruce, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1857.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Hewitt Massy Dillon, Esq., to be Captain, vice Ellis, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1857.

Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

Ensign Arthur John Thistlethwayte to be Lieutenant, vice Monypenny, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1857.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

1st Durham Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Henry George Fielding to be Lieutenant, vice Egremont, deceased. Dated 30th March, 1857.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

Kent Militia Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant George Augustus Young to be First Lieutenant, vice Sommers, appointed to the 11th Hussars. Dated 8th May, 1857.

West Kent Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edmund Stracey Hardinge, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Offley, deceased. Dated 8th May, 1857.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 12th day of May, 1857,

Is Forty-three Shillings and Six Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Forty-five Shillings and Eight Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight,

No Return has been made of the Sale of BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR, the Produce of the EAST INDIES, in the Week ending as above.

The AVERAGE PRICE of the two foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Forty-four Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,

Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, May 15, 1857.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, in the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue of ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 2nd day of May, 1857.

The under-mentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday the 12th day of May, 1857.

| Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue. | | | | | | | | | | Average Amount. |
|--|-----|-----|-----|---------|-----|-----|------------------|-----|-----|-----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | £. |
| Farnham Bank | ... | ... | ... | Farnham | ... | ... | J. and J. Knight | ... | ... | 10,558 |

J. MICHAEL, Acting Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, May 14, 1857.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 9th day of May, 1857.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

| | | | | £. | | | | | £. |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|
| Notes issued | ... | ... | ... | 23,567,945 | Government Debt | ... | ... | ... | 11,015,100 |
| | | | | | Other Securities | ... | ... | ... | 3,459,900 |
| | | | | | Gold Coin and Bullion | ... | ... | ... | 9,092,945 |
| | | | | | Silver Bullion | ... | ... | ... | — |
| | | | | <u>£23,567,945</u> | | | | | <u>£23,567,945</u> |

Dated the 14th day of May, 1857.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

| | | | | £. | | | | | £. |
|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|
| Proprietors' Capital | ... | ... | ... | 14,553,000 | Government Securities (including | | | | |
| Rest | ... | ... | ... | 3,328,676 | Dead Weight Annuity) | ... | ... | ... | 10,303,838 |
| Public Deposits (including Ex- | | | | | Other Securities | ... | ... | ... | 18,630,357 |
| chequer, Savings' Banks, Com- | | | | | Notes | ... | ... | ... | 4,226,355 |
| missioners of National Debt, and | | | | | Gold and Silver Coin | ... | ... | ... | 715,182 |
| Dividend Accounts) | ... | ... | ... | 5,163,146 | | | | | |
| Other Deposits | ... | ... | ... | 10,081,864 | | | | | |
| Seven Day and other Bills | ... | ... | ... | 749,046 | | | | | |
| | | | | <u>£33,875,732</u> | | | | | <u>£33,875,732</u> |

Dated the 14th day of May, 1857.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

WESTERN BANK OF LONDON.

LIABILITIES and ASSETS on 30th of April, 1857, published pursuant to Act for regulating Joint Stock Banks.

| Dr. | | | | Liabilities. | | | | Assets. | | | | Cr. | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|----------|----------|--|-------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|----------|----------|--|
| | | | | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | |
| To Paid up Capital | ... | ... | ... | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | | By Government and other Se- | | | | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | |
| To Amount due by the Bank on | | | | | | | | curities | ... | ... | ... | | | | |
| current and other accounts | ... | ... | ... | 173,812 | 2 | 8 | | Bills discounted; Loans; Cash | | | | 273,812 | 2 | 8 | |
| | | | | | | | | in hand, &c. | ... | ... | ... | | | | |
| | | | | <u>£373,812</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>8</u> | | | | | | <u>£373,812</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>8</u> | |

21, Hanover-square

Henry T. Clack, General Manager.

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth), and the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, in the Week ended 6th May, 1857.

| SPECIES. | Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported). | | | Amount of Duty received thereon. | | | Rates of Duty (Foreign and Colonial). | |
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| | Foreign. | Colonial. | Total. | Foreign. | Colonial. | Total. | Corn and Grain of all sorts, per quarter. | Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt. |
| | Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Wheat & Wheat Flour | 21509 6 | 229 6 | 21739 4 | 1221 16 6 | 11 10 3 | 1233 6 9 | 1 0 | 0 4½ |
| Barley & Barley Meal | 25795 1 | — | 25795 1 | 1289 16 2 | — | 1289 16 2 | | |
| Oats and Oat Meal | 12801 1 | — | 12801 1 | 640 1 9 | — | 640 1 9 | | |
| Rye and Rye Meal | 952 7 | — | 952 7 | 47 12 11 | — | 47 12 11 | | |
| Pease and Pea Meal | 2897 1 | — | 2897 1 | 144 17 3 | — | 144 17 3 | | |
| Beans and Bean Meal | 4020 1 | — | 4020 1 | 201 0 4 | — | 201 0 4 | | |
| Indian Corn and Indian Meal | 8122 3 | — | 8122 3 | 406 4 4 | — | 406 4 4 | | |
| Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal | 5 6 | — | 5 6 | 0 5 9 | — | 0 5 9 | | |
| Beer or Bigg | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| | 76104 2 | 229 6 | 76334 0 | 3951 15 0 | 11 10 3 | 3963 5 3 | | |

NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported.

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-house, London, 13th May, 1857.

JOHN A. MESSENGER,
Inspector-General of Imports and Exports

WEEKLY RETURNS of the Quantities and Price of BRITISH CORN, IMPERIAL MEASURE, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the following Cities and Towns in ENGLAND and WALES, from which the Prices that govern Duty are calculated, conformably to the Act of the 5th Victoria, cap. 14.

| Received in the Week ended May 9, 1857. | WHEAT. | | | | | BARLEY. | | | | | OATS. | | | | | RYE. | | | | | BEANS. | | | | | PEAS. | | | | |
|--|----------|------|-------------|----|--------|-------------|-----|--------|----|----|-------------|-----|--------|----|----|-------------|-----|--------|----|-----|-------------|-----|--------|----|----|-------------|-----|--------|----|----|
| | MARKETS. | | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. | | | Quantities. | | Price. | | | Quantities. | | Price. | | | Quantities. | | Price. | | | Quantities. | | Price. | | |
| | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. | s. | d. |
| London | 4992 | 0 | 1457 | 15 | 7 | 209 | 0 | 488 | 15 | 3 | 3137 | 0 | 3406 | 10 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | 744 | 0 | 1452 | 15 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 116 | 3 | 0 |
| Uxbridge | 738 | 3 | 2347 | 7 | 9 | — | — | — | — | — | 223 | 0 | 302 | 2 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 5 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chelmsford | 1744 | 2 | 4860 | 6 | 8 | 82 | 0 | 191 | 16 | 0 | 58 | 4 | 70 | 15 | 6 | — | — | — | — | 350 | 2 | 622 | 6 | 6 | 34 | 0 | 67 | 13 | 0 | |
| Colchester | 2145 | 2 | 5979 | 15 | 6 | 93 | 7 | 212 | 5 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 25 | 0 | 47 | 10 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 30 | 9 | 0 | |
| Romford | 778 | 0 | 2156 | 18 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 11 | 11 | 0 | 32 | 0 | 36 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Chipping Ongar | 38 | 0 | 100 | 14 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Saffron Walden | 461 | 1 | 1230 | 17 | 6 | 35 | 4 | 72 | 11 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 44 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Braintree | 1339 | 6 | 3564 | 5 | 6 | 98 | 7 | 221 | 11 | 5 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 20 | 0 | 23 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Hertford | 344 | 2 | 944 | 11 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Royston | 323 | 6 | 854 | 14 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 160 | 18 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 20 | 5 | 40 | 2 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Bishop Stortford..... | 911 | 2 | 2452 | 2 | 0 | 83 | 3 | 169 | 15 | 3 | 130 | 0 | 144 | 19 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 10 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| St. Albans | 87 | 3 | 241 | 13 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 47 | 15 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Hemel Hempstead | 96 | 7 | 263 | 4 | 0 | 66 | 0 | 147 | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 4 | 3 | 8 | 15 | 0 | |
| Hitchin | 106 | 0 | 293 | 8 | 2 | 100 | 0 | 217 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 12 | 4 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 0 | |
| Aylesbury | 140 | 0 | 379 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 16 | 0 | 21 | 12 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 18 | 0 | 37 | 11 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Buckingham | 51 | 4 | 140 | 8 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| High Wycombe | 219 | 4 | 608 | 13 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 6 | 0 | 15 | 3 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Newport Pagnel | — | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Oxford | 287 | 0 | 786 | 7 | 0 | 126 | 0 | 258 | 5 | 0 | 148 | 0 | 187 | 13 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 25 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Banbury | — | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Henley | 132 | 6 | 374 | 2 | 9 | 14 | 4 | 27 | 18 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 72 | 15 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 33 | 0 | 73 | 17 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Witney | 64 | 4 | 174 | 19 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Chipping Norton..... | 75 | 0 | 179 | 0 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 82 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Warminster..... | 763 | 4 | 2132 | 17 | 6 | 195 | 4 | 432 | 19 | 6 | 15 | 0 | 17 | 5 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Swindon | 869 | 4 | 2305 | 14 | 0 | 132 | 0 | 303 | 19 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 20 | 0 | 44 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Devizes | 953 | 0 | 2556 | 18 | 6 | 126 | 4 | 290 | 3 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Salisbury | 536 | 4 | 1492 | 2 | 0 | 164 | 4 | 411 | 4 | 6 | 45 | 0 | 53 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 25 | 0 | 53 | 15 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Troubridge | — | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Chippenham | 116 | 4 | 303 | 2 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Windsor | 35 | 0 | 115 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 14 | 14 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 14 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Reading | 1438 | 5 | 4208 | 1 | 7 | 104 | 4 | 228 | 19 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 11 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | 66 | 0 | 135 | 12 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Abingdon | 256 | 4 | 740 | 11 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 85 | 13 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 10 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Maidenhead | 24 | 0 | 65 | 2 | 0 | 92 | 7 | 228 | 4 | 4 | 50 | 4 | 67 | 10 | 9 | — | — | — | — | 15 | 0 | 31 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |

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| Newbury | | 1404 | 3 | 4067 | 7 | 4 | 174 | 4 | 356 | 15 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 35 | 1 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Wallingford | | 474 | 0 | 1406 | 17 | 6 | 168 | 0 | 394 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 13 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Guildford | | 291 | 0 | 965 | 11 | 6 | 75 | 0 | 174 | 1 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Croydon | | 40 | 0 | 110 | 2 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Kingston | | 52 | 4 | 163 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Dorking | | 339 | 2 | 940 | 10 | 9 | — | — | — | — | — | 36 | 4 | 38 | 10 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Maidstone | | 978 | 0 | 2640 | 16 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 52 | 11 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Canterbury | | 1432 | 0 | 4049 | 6 | 0 | 278 | 0 | 588 | 4 | 0 | 411 | 0 | 503 | 19 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | 140 | 0 | 268 | 12 | 0 |
| Dartford | | 456 | 0 | 1279 | 14 | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | 15 | 0 | 18 | 7 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | 90 | 0 | 168 | 8 | 0 |
| Chatham & Rochester... | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 22 | 0 | 24 | 4 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 10 | 0 | 18 | 10 | 0 |
| Dover | | 102 | 0 | 296 | 8 | 9 | 74 | 4 | 159 | 14 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 19 | 11 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 30 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Gravesend | | 52 | 5 | 141 | 15 | 7 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 15 | 0 | 27 | 15 | 0 |
| Ashford | | 152 | 0 | 429 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chichester | | 465 | 7 | 1312 | 8 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 43 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 30 | 0 | 57 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewes | | 111 | 0 | 310 | 8 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 44 | 0 | 47 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 62 | 0 | 123 | 5 | 0 |
| Rye | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Brighton | | 261 | 0 | 724 | 12 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 11 | 5 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| East Grinstead | | 26 | 4 | 69 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Battle | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Arundel | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Hastings | | 110 | 0 | 250 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 30 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Midhurst | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Shoreham | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Winchester | | 316 | 0 | 930 | 3 | 6 | 45 | 0 | 98 | 15 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Andover | | 953 | 0 | 2776 | 1 | 0 | 57 | 0 | 126 | 1 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 28 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 15 | 0 | 31 | 10 | 0 |
| Basingstoke | | 637 | 0 | 1647 | 5 | 3 | 175 | 0 | 327 | 0 | 6 | 160 | 0 | 170 | 17 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 90 | 4 | 188 | 6 | 0 |
| Fareham | | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Havant | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Newport | | 152 | 2 | 425 | 11 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 56 | 12 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 22 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Ringwood | | 85 | 0 | 245 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 9 | 7 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Southampton | | 187 | 0 | 520 | 4 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 80 | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Portsmouth | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Christchurch | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Blandford | | 380 | 0 | 1135 | 10 | 0 | 52 | 0 | 119 | 12 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Bridport | | 185 | 0 | 498 | 14 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 44 | 17 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Dorchester | | 263 | 0 | 678 | 7 | 6 | 90 | 0 | 178 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Sherborne | | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Shaftesbury | | 113 | 0 | 321 | 18 | 0 | 121 | 0 | 247 | 11 | 6 | 50 | 0 | 62 | 4 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | 7 | 0 | 16 | 2 | 0 |

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| Wareham..... | 94 | 0 | 259 2 0 | 49 | 0 | 88 4 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Poole | 25 | 0 | 70 0 0 | 5 | 0 | 9 10 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 16 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Exeter | 278 | 7 | 819 18 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Barnstaple | 15 | 6 | 46 17 0 | 23 | 4 | 45 1 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Plymouth..... | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Totness | 41 | 0 | 121 17 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tavistock..... | 56 | 0 | 165 3 0 | 35 | 0 | 62 4 0 | 52 | 0 | 59 15 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Kingsbridge..... | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Oakhampton | 54 | 0 | 160 7 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tiverton ... | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Honiton | 53 | 6 | 147 2 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Truro | 19 | 4 | 58 19 0 | 137 | 5 | 238 11 0 | 20 | 0 | 22 13 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Bodmin | 108 | 4 | 311 2 6 | 32 | 3 | 58 11 5 | 18 | 4 | 21 16 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Launceston | 35 | 0 | 98 10 0 | — | — | — | 22 | 4 | 25 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Redruth | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Helstone | 43 | 1 | 126 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| St. Austell | 67 | 4 | 194 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Falmouth | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Callington | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Liskeard | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| St. Columb | 7 | 4 | 22 0 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Bristol | 517 | 2 | 1294 10 0 | 42 | 0 | 91 0 0 | 670 | 0 | 708 17 6 | — | — | — | 23 | 0 | 49 13 0 | — | — | — |
| Taunton | 297 | 2 | 872 18 0 | — | — | — | 30 | 0 | 34 0 0 | — | — | — | 18 | 6 | 37 10 0 | — | — | — |
| Wells | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Bridgewater..... | 206 | 2 | 573 12 11 | 42 | 4 | 92 11 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Frome | 50 | 0 | 140 18 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chard | 184 | 2 | 483 9 6 | 3 | 7 | 8 4 4 | 12 | 4 | 14 7 6 | — | — | — | 25 | 0 | 58 15 0 | — | — | — |
| Somerton..... | 180 | 0 | 487 16 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Shepton Mallett | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Wellington | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Wiveliscomb | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Monmouth | 149 | 6 | 395 19 3 | 15 | 5 | 37 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Abergavenny | 26 | 7 | 74 18 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Chepstow..... | 132 | 4 | 358 6 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pontipool..... | 30 | 4 | 79 0 11 | 21 | 0 | 48 6 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Newport | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Gloucester | 968 | 6 | 2664 16 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Cirencester | 687 | 0 | 1715 17 9 | 208 | 0 | 441 17 0 | 90 | 0 | 108 15 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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| Tetbury | 123 | 0 | 351 | 16 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Stow-on-the-Wold | 85 | 4 | 230 | 6 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Tewkesbury | 488 | 4 | 1368 | 8 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Cheltenham | 22 | 4 | 56 | 5 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Dursley | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Northleach | 15 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Stroud | 106 | 0 | 294 | 10 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Hereford | 198 | 6 | 501 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Leominster | 105 | 3 | 280 | 16 | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Kington | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Worcester | 569 | 5 | 1560 | 6 | 4 | 20 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Bromsgrove | 115 | 4 | 321 | 6 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Kidderminster | 18 | 6 | 51 | 11 | 3 | 44 | 0 | 95 | 11 | 4 | 75 | 0 | 94 | 3 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 20 | 0 | 45 | 6 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 21 | 2 | 0 |
| Stourbridge | 310 | 4 | 877 | 5 | 4 | 85 | 4 | 193 | 13 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 27 | 4 | 60 | 10 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Evesham | 143 | 7 | 398 | 9 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 77 | 4 | 167 | 10 | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Shrewsbury | 591 | 4 | 1637 | 4 | 9 | 41 | 7 | 83 | 19 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Ludlow | 60 | 4 | 170 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 1 | 78 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Newport | — | — | — | — | — | 59 | 3 | 131 | 17 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Oswestry .. | 315 | 3 | 934 | 9 | 7 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Wellington | 74 | 4 | 215 | 7 | 0 | 21 | 2 | 44 | 13 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Wenlock | 86 | 0 | 242 | 18 | 9 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Whitchurch | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Market Drayton .. | 36 | 7 | 114 | 10 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Stafford | 114 | 0 | 331 | 7 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Burton-on-Trent | 18 | 0 | 51 | 6 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 61 | 16 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Lichfield .. | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Newcastle-under-Lyne | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Stone | 44 | 7 | 125 | 10 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Uttoxeter | 52 | 0 | 148 | 7 | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Walsall | 75 | 0 | 225 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 0 | 109 | 9 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Wolverhampton | 655 | 0 | 1920 | 16 | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 10 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Chester | 62 | 4 | 180 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 9 | 0 | 19 | 19 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Nantwich | 59 | 4 | 162 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 7 | 13 | 12 | 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Middlewich | 66 | 5 | 189 | 17 | 7 | — | — | — | — | — | 70 | 4 | 91 | 18 | 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Four-Lane-ends | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Congleton .. | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Macclesfield | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |
| Stockport | None | | Sold. | | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | |

| Received in the Week ended May 9, 1857. | | WHEAT. | | | BARLEY. | | | OATS. | | | RYE. | | | BEANS. | | | PEAS. | | |
|--|----|-------------|-----|------------|-------------|-----|-----------|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|-----|----------|-------------|-----|----------|
| MARKETS. | | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. | Quantities. | | Price. |
| | | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. | Bs. | £. s. d. |
| Watton | | 53 | 0 | 137 13 6 | | 17 | 0 | 31 3 0 | 24 | 4 | 27 11 0 | | | | 5 | 0 | 10 10 0 | | |
| Diss | | 666 | 4 | 1758 1 6 | 480 | 1 | 1132 10 0 | | | | | | | 19 | 4 | 41 1 6 | | | |
| East Dereham | | 581 | 4 | 1554 3 3 | 106 | 4 | 237 1 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Harleston | | 437 | 4 | 1150 17 6 | | | | 10 | 0 | 13 0 0 | | | | 12 | 4 | 26 5 0 | | | |
| Holt | | 262 | 7 | 706 1 0 | 14 | 0 | 28 0 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aylesham | | 22 | 4 | 61 10 0 | 28 | 0 | 60 11 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fakenham | | 1550 | 0 | 4165 8 1 | 84 | 0 | 182 8 0 | 50 | 0 | 54 15 0 | | | | 45 | 0 | 93 15 0 | | | |
| Northwalsham | | 288 | 4 | 787 3 10 | 55 | 1 | 114 8 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Swaffham | | 32 | 4 | 92 5 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lincoln | | 3533 | 0 | 10739 17 6 | 166 | 0 | 372 8 0 | 89 | 0 | 127 7 0 | | | | 15 | 0 | 33 10 0 | | | |
| Gainsborough | | 372 | 0 | 1096 16 8 | 50 | 0 | 112 0 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Glanfordbridge | | 1368 | 0 | 4130 18 6 | | | | 5 | 0 | 6 10 0 | | | | | | | | | |
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| Boston | | 3212 | 0 | 9378 4 3 | | | | 325 | 0 | 355 18 0 | | | | 708 | 0 | 1560 7 6 | 60 | 0 | 126 0 0 |
| Sleaford | | 602 | 0 | 1748 14 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stamford | | 988 | 0 | 2873 16 0 | 313 | 0 | 686 9 0 | 55 | 0 | 75 5 0 | | | | 104 | 0 | 219 9 0 | 20 | 0 | 41 0 0 |
| Spalding | | 1244 | 0 | 3546 1 6 | | | | | | | | | | 100 | 0 | 219 0 0 | | | |
| Barton-on-Humber | No | | | Return. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bourne | | 54 | 0 | 159 6 0 | 9 | 0 | 18 0 0 | | | | | | | 9 | 0 | 18 0 0 | | | |
| Grantham | | 1026 | 0 | 2986 18 0 | 210 | 0 | 473 0 0 | 102 | 0 | 140 7 0 | | | | 94 | 0 | 202 17 6 | 24 | 0 | 47 6 0 |
| Grimsby | | 361 | 0 | 1085 10 0 | 11 | 0 | 24 4 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Horncastle | | 397 | 0 | 1177 7 0 | 34 | 0 | 72 2 0 | 50 | 0 | 62 10 0 | | | | | | | | | |
| Market Raisin | | 67 | 4 | 184 17 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caister | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alford | | 234 | 0 | 691 15 0 | 40 | 0 | 94 0 0 | 40 | 0 | 52 0 0 | | | | 80 | 0 | 168 0 0 | 18 | 0 | 36 |

| No. 22002. | Received in the Week ended May 9, 1857. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| | WHEAT. | | | BARLEY. | | | OATS. | | | RYE. | | | BEANS. | | | PEAS. | | |
| | MARKETS. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | Quantities. | Price. | | | |
| | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | Qrs. Bs. | £. s. d. | | |
| Beiford | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Hexham | 107 2 | 201 19 9 | — | — | 11 3 | 16 2 3 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Newcastle | 1970 2 | 4462 13 4 | — | — | 151 2 | 186 14 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Morpeth | 190 0 | 448 14 6 | 21 0 | 38 17 0 | 28 4 | 31 13 0 | — | — | — | — | 4 0 | 7 12 0 | — | — | — | — | | |
| Alnwick .. | 253 6 | 483 3 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Berwick | 634 4 | 1300 8 6 | 24 0 | 46 4 0 | 49 4 | 73 9 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Durham | 78 1 | 189 9 1 | 90 0 | 202 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Stockton | 477 0 | 1083 0 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Darlington | 13 6 | 39 19 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Sunderland | 1369 0 | 3967 9 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Barnard Castle..... | 69 0 | 201 4 0 | — | — | 4 1 | 6 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Wolsingham | 71 4 | 191 11 2 | 5 0 | 10 0 0 | 29 0 | 42 17 11 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Mold | 17 5 | 56 7 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Denbigh | 122 7 | 369 19 6 | 3 5 | 7 10 0 | 5 0 | 7 2 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Wrexham..... | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Carnarvon | 10 0 | 32 5 0 | 5 0 | 10 10 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Bangor..... | 39 6 | 118 16 0 | 25 7 | 55 19 0 | 9 6 | 10 5 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Llangefni..... | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Corwen | 22 4 | 72 15 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Welshpool | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Newtown..... | No | Return. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Haverfordwest..... | — | — | — | — | 9 6 | 8 19 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Carmarthen | — | — | — | — | 40 5 | 41 4 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Llandillo | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Swansea | 17 6 | 46 3 0 | 50 0 | 95 16 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Cowbridge | — | — | 6 2 | 14 13 9 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Cardiff | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Brecon | 46 7 | 135 0 0 | — | — | 15 5 | 19 15 0 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Knighton | None | Sold. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Grand Total..... | 114929 7 | — | 13118 6 | — | 10422 5 | — | 29 5 | — | 6666 6 | — | 621 1 | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | s. d. | | |
| General Weekly Average | — | 55 10-934 | — | 43 5-895 | — | 23 3-455 | — | 41 5-518 | — | 41 5-420 | — | 39 9-039 | | | | | | |
| Aggregate Average of Six Weeks | — | 54 2 | — | 44 8 | — | 23 5 | — | 37 4 | — | 40 1 | — | 39 2 | | | | | | |

Board of Trade, Corn Department.

Published by Authority of Parliament.

HENRY FENTON JADIS, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

MONTHLY RETURN.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour, imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of April, 1857.

| SPECIES OF CORN, GRAIN, MEAL, AND FLOUR. | Quantities Imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of April, 1857. | | | | | |
|---|---|-------|--|-------|---------|-------|
| | Imported from Foreign Countries. | | Imported from British Possessions out of Europe. | | TOTAL. | |
| | Qrs. | Bush. | Qrs. | Bush. | Qrs. | Bush. |
| Wheat | 159,482 | 1 | 5,305 | 1 | 164,787 | 2 |
| Barley | 338,337 | 7 | — | — | 338,337 | 7 |
| Oats | 143,235 | 1 | — | — | 143,235 | 1 |
| Rye | 7,330 | 7 | — | — | 7,330 | 7 |
| Pease | 15,854 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 15,857 | 4 |
| Beans | 29,133 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 29,135 | 1 |
| Maize or Indian Corn ... | 95,714 | 4 | — | — | 95,714 | 4 |
| Buck Wheat | 90 | 0 | — | — | 90 | 0 |
| Beer or Bigg | 495 | 2 | — | — | 495 | 2 |
| Total of Corn and Grain ... | 789,673 | 6 | 5,309 | 6 | 794,983 | 4 |
| | | | | | | |
| | Cwt. | qrs. | lb. | Cwt. | qrs. | lb. |
| Wheat Meal and Flour ... | 151,216 | 3 | 10 | 1,952 | 3 | 14 |
| Barley Meal | 0 | 0 | 26 | — | — | — |
| Oat Meal | 4 | 3 | 15 | — | — | — |
| Rye Meal | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Pea Meal | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Bean Meal | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Maize or Indian Corn Meal ... | 33 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — |
| Buck Wheat Meal | 4 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — |
| Total of Meal and Flour ... | 151,258 | 3 | 23 | 1,952 | 3 | 14 |
| | | | | | | |
| | 153,169 | 2 | 24 | — | — | — |
| | 0 | 0 | 26 | — | — | — |
| | 4 | 3 | 15 | — | — | — |
| | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| | 33 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — |
| | 4 | 0 | 0 | — | — | — |
| | 153,211 | 3 | 9 | | | |

Custom House, London, 12th May, 1857.

W. MACLEAN, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Fleetwood Independent Chapel, situated at Fleetwood, in the parish of Poulton-le-Fylde, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of the Fylde, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 9th day of May, 1857, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 12th day of May, 1857.

William Thompson, Superintendent Registrar.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

412. To Thomas Turner, of Grosvenor-street, Commercial-road East, and Henry Boyens, of George-street, Commercial-road East, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for steering ships and vessels, and in apparatus for communicating or signalling between the deck and engine room of steam vessels."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of February, 1857.

744. To Charles Askew, 27½, Charles-street, Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex, Coppersmith, John Askew, 27, Charles-street,

Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex Coppersmith, Henry Myers, 60, Upper Charlotte-street, county of Middlesex, Surgeon, for the invention of "improvements in hydraulic and refrigerating apparatus for the purpose of raising sunken vessels, anchors, and all other submerged bodies, with light and other certain apparatus used for the same purposes."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of March, 1857.

780. To Edward Gripper, of Winchester-wharf, Bankside, in the borough of Southwark, Corn-factor, for the invention of "the treatment of the fruit or vegetable 'algorabas,' and in the application of the same as food for cattle."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of March, 1857.

830. To George Douglass Early, of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Artist, and John William Edmonds, of the same place, Gentleman, for the invention of "a method of producing glass designs, figures and patterns."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of March, 1857.

966. To Charles Goodyear, of Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of waterproof boots and shoes, applicable also in part to boots and shoes of other kinds, and to other outer coverings for the feet."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of April, 1857.

1062. To Robert Knowles, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manager, for the invention of "certain improvements in power looms for weaving."

1064. To Louis Barnett, of No. 5, New-street, Bishopsgate, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in the making and cutting out of garments."

1066. To Charles Goodyear, junior, of Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of paper knife."

1068. To James Payne, of Kirkcudbright, in the county of Kirkcudbright, North Britain, Ironmonger, for the invention of "improvements in scythes."

1070. And to Jacob Safran, of Wellclose-square, in the county of Middlesex, Cabinet Maker, for the invention of "improvements in locking or fastening combinations of drawers in chests, tables, nests, or otherwise."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of April, 1857.

1072. To John Sudbury and Alfred William Linsell, of Halstead, in the county of Essex, Brass-Founders, for the invention of "an improved gas-regulator."

1074. To Thomas and Frederick Sugden, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Machinists and Tool Makers, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

1076. To William Weild, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improved arrangements for printing, dyeing, coloring, or staining and otherwise preparing yarns or threads for various manufacturing purposes."

1080. To James Warburton, of Addingham, near Otley, in the county of York, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in preparing and combing wool and other fibres."

1082. To James Warburton, of Addingham, near Otley, in the county of York, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in carding machinery."

1084. And to James Warburton, of Addingham, near Otley, in the county of York, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in preparing and combing wool and other fibres."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of April, 1857.

1088. To Edward Oldfield, of the firm of Oddy and Oldfield, of the Adelphi Iron Works, Salford, in the county Lancaster, Machine Makers, for the invention of "improvements in self-acting mules for spinning and doubling."—Partly a communication.

1090. And to Jean Marie Leonidas Caillaud, of Marshgate-lane, Stratford, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improvements in removing the fur from the skins of rabbits, and in preparing rabbit, calf, and other skins for tanning."

On both their petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of April, 1857.

1092. To John Smith of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of carpets."

1094. To Thomas Harris, Veterinary Surgeon, of Shiffnall, in the county of Shropshire, for the invention of "certain improvements in the mode of constructing and applying horse shoes."

1096. To David Hunter Brandon, of No. 7, Rue des Moulins, Paris, and No. 45, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in fastenings for shutters, windows, doors, &c."—A communication.

1100. To Gustav Jahn, of 43, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in revolver fire-arms."

1102. And to Charles Richard Barnes, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in means for hulling and cleaning rice, and other grains having a hull or husk."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of April, 1857.

1106. To Richard Ford Sturges, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved manufacture of metallic pens."

1110. To Robert Tindall, junior, of Fraserburgh, in the county of Aberdeen, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in harpoon guns and ammunition."

1112. To John Underwood, of Gloucester-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of an "improved method of printing, and of preparing materials employed therein."

1114. And to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in meters for measuring the flow of gas, water, or other fluids."—A communication.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of April, 1857.

1116. To Henry Wimball, of Aldermaston, in the county of Berks, Brick Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in pug mills."

1118. To William Crighton, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, and Peter Foxcroft, of Pendleton, in the said county, Manager, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing cotton, wool, or other fibrous substances to be spun."

1120. To William Gossage, of Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of certain kinds of soap."

1122. To Edwin Marten, of Pratts-row, Phipps-bridge, Mitcham, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating the pressure and supply of gas."

1124. And to Henry Smart, of 17, Queen's-terrace, Bayswater, for the invention of "improvements in organs."

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of April, 1857.

1128. To Thomas Burton, of Padiham, in the county of Lancaster, and Simeon Lord, of Burnley, in the said county, for the invention of "an improved self-acting steam-pipe regulator, which is also applicable to drying cylinders, and other similar purposes."

1129. To James Higgin and John Lightfoot, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemists, for the invention of "an improved compound and improvements in the method of applying the same for the purpose of stiffening fibrous or textile materials, the same being applicable to the fixing of colouring matters or pigments."

1130. To William Williams, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner, for the invention of "an improved propeller for propelling ships, boats and other vessels."
1132. To William Kendall, of Blawith, Ulverstone, in the county of Lancaster, Wood Turner, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of boxes and similar articles, and in the machinery or apparatus to be employed therein."
1134. To Robert Taylor, Richard Worswick and John Lovatt, all of Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in railway chairs, and in the mode of securing the ends of rails therein."
1136. To Richard Boxall Grantham, of 7, Great Scotland-yard, London, Civil Engineer, and John Grantham and Henry Sharp, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in graving docks."
1138. And to William Robertson, of the city of Manchester, Mechanician, for the invention of "certain improvements in machines for preparing to be spun, cotton and other fibrous materials."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of April, 1857.
1144. To James Morison, of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in portable shower and sponge baths."
1146. To George Scarr, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounder, and James Pollard, of the same place, Mechanic, for the invention of "certain improvements in power looms for weaving."
1148. To John Garnett, of 81, Wells-street, Oxford-street, London, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of corsets."
1150. To Rudolph Bodmer, of 2, Thavies-inn, Holborn, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in safety valves for steam boilers."—A communication.
1152. To Albert Demerit Bishop, of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of windlasses."
1154. And to Alexander la Paraz, of 10, Gloucester-place, Portman-square, and Josephine Mazel, of 16, King-street, Portman-square, both in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in preparing paints and varnishes."—A communication from Messrs. Carpentras and Mazel, of Paris.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of April, 1857.
1158. To Robert Fowler Swift and Richard Swift, of No. 7, Wharf, Wenlock-road, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineers, and John Cormes, of Balmes-road, Hackney, in the same county, Engineer, for the invention of "improved machinery for washing, wringing, and mangling clothes or fabrics."
1160. To William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for embroidering."—A communication.
1162. And to Thomas Craddock, of 137, Tachbrook-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "certain

improvements in the steam engine and the steam boiler."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of April, 1857.

1180. To Charles Cowper, of 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in electro-plating and depositing metals."—A communication from Hyppolite Landois and Léon Daniel, of Paris, in France.
1182. To William Thompson, Engineer, of Spring Gardens Engine Works, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Hamilton Woods, Engineer, of the same place, for the invention of "improvements in lowering weights by means of cranes, winches, or similar apparatus."
1184. To Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of No. 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in obtaining motive power."—A communication.
1186. To Alfred Eddington, of Springfield, near Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for ploughing, tilling and draining land."
1188. And to William Levesley, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Ivory Carver, for the invention of "improvements in manufacturing the blanks of forks, scissors, cutlery, chisels and other tools, which improvements are applicable to the manufacture of springs for pocket knives and other like articles, now prepared by the forging process."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of April, 1857.
1203. To John Aitken, of Essex-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improvement in furnaces for melting the materials of glass, iron, and other metals, and for boiling water and other substances."
1205. To William Joseph Curtis, of Crown-court, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus to facilitate passengers ascending to and descending from the roofs of omnibuses."
1207. To François Menuisier, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved bee-hive."
1209. And to George Bartholomew, of the town and county of Linlithgow, North Britain, Edge Tool Maker, for the invention of "improvements in tanners' and curriers' knives."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 29th day of April, 1857.
1215. To Barnard Barcroft, of Radcliffe Hall, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in dyeing and printing."
1217. To John McDowall, of Walkinshaw Foundry, Johnstone, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam hammers."
1219. To William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improved machinery for moulding and pressing bricks."—A communication.

1221. To George Powers, of Wellclose-square, in the county of Middlesex, Smith, for the invention of "an improved scuttle for ships."

1223. To Samuel Robert Lewis, of 11, Catherine-street, London, E., in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in trowsers."

1225. And to John Collins, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces, and flues and in kilns and drying chambers."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of April, 1857.

1227. To John Avery, of 32, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved washing or fulling machine."—A communication from Jean Louis Boucher.

1229. To Edward Hawkes, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tobacconist, for the invention of "new or improved machinery for the manufacture of pipes for smoking."

1231. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of 166, Buchanan-street, in the city of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for preventing collisions at sea."—A communication from Messieurs Trève and Felix Pitel, both of Brest, in the Empire of France.

1233. And to Richard Leake and Matthew Sykes, both of Barnsley, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in consuming smoke and generating heat in furnaces of steam engine or other boilers, also heating the feed-water of the said boilers, therefore economizing fuel to a great extent."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of May, 1857.

1235. To Edward Tucker, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, Starch Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of starch."

1239. To Charles Châtel, Draughtsman, of Paris (France), and of 45, Essex-street, Strand, London, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of blinds, screens, reflectors, and other articles of a similar nature."

1241. To Joseph Davy, Machine Maker, and William Bentley, Overlooker, both of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving fibrous substances."

1243. To Adolphe Louis Cauville, of the Hotel des Bains, Passage du Saumon, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of shoes and boots."

1245. To John Marland, of Lawrence, in the State of Massachusetts, United States of America, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in cop tubes used in spinning."

1247. To John Peter Booth, of Cork, in the Kingdom of Ireland, Feather Purifier, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of stuffing for beds, couches, cushions, and other seats."

1249. And to Tertius John Cooke, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of knobs, roses, and escutcheons used for doors, drawers, shutters, and other similar purposes."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of May, 1857.

In the Matter of certain Letters Patent granted to Robert Davison, of Brick Lane, Spital Fields, Civil Engineer, and William Lymington, of East Smithfield, Civil Engineer, bearing date and sealed at Westminster, the 2nd day of November, 1843, for "a method of cleansing, sweetening, and purifying, casks, vats, and other vessels;" and also of certain other Letters Patent granted to the said Robert Davison and William Lymington, bearing date and sealed at Edinburgh, the 1st day of July, 1844, and at Dublin the 26th day of September, 1844, respectively, for "a method or methods of drying, seasoning, purifying and hardening wood and other articles, either in a manufactured or unmanufactured state, parts of which are applicable to the preparation and classification of animal, vegetable, and mineral substances."

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue and in pursuance of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the 5th and 6th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, "An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions," and of another Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the 2nd and 3rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of the 5th and 6th years of the reign of King William the Fourth, intituled 'An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions,'" and of another Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending an Act, passed in the 4th year of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,'" and of the Patent Law Amendment Act 1852; a Petition will be presented to Her Majesty in Council by and on behalf of Robert Davison, assignee of the above mentioned Letters Patent for the "invention of a method of cleansing, sweetening and purifying casks, vats, and other vessels," and of so much of the two other above-mentioned Letters Patent as relate to the same invention, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of the said using and vending of the said invention. And notice is hereby further given, that an application will be made to the Right Honourable the Lords of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on the 20th day of June next, or on the then next day of sitting of the said Committee, to fix an early day for the hearing of the matters contained in the said petition; and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect in the Privy Council Office, on or before the said 20th day of June.

Thomas Clark, 3, Dean's Court, St. Paul's Church Yard, London, Agent for the Petition.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Bastenne Asphalte or Bitumen Company, heretofore called the Bastenne and Gaujac Bitumen Company.

BY direction of Joseph Humphry, Esq., the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of this Company, notice is hereby given, that the said Master, having adjourned the meeting of Tuesday the 5th day of May instant to Tuesday the 26th day of

May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, will, at that time and place, proceed with the further settlement of the list of contributories of this Company; and that after such list shall have been settled, no party affected thereby will be allowed to dispute the same, without leave of the High Court of Chancery first obtained.—
Dated this 8th day of May, 1857.

J. Humphry.

*Masters' Office, Southampton-Buildings,
2nd day of May, 1857.*

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Wheal Concord Mining Company.

I JOSEPH HUMPHRY, the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of this Company, do peremptorily order that a call of £2 10s. on each share be made on all the contributories of this Company; and I do peremptorily order each such contributory, on the 25th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the offices of Messrs. Hawkins and Soulby, Accountants, situate at 69, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, to pay to the Official Manager of this Company, being Mr. Anthony Morland Soulby, the balance (if any) which will be due from him after debiting his account in the Company's books with such call.

J. Humphry.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the North Tamar Mine Company.

BY the direction of Vice-Chancellor, Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, the Judge of the High Court of Chancery, to whose Court the winding up of this Company is attached, notice is hereby given, that the said Judge will proceed, on Monday the 8th day of June next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at his chambers, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, to settle the list of contributories of this Company; and that after such list shall have been settled, no party affected thereby will be allowed to dispute the same without leave of the High Court of Chancery first obtained.

Master of the Rolls.

Thursday the 7th day of May, in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1857; in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Trevena Mining Company.

Extract.

HIS Honour doth order that the said Trevena Mining Company be absolutely dissolved as from this day, and wound up by the Judge to whose Court this matter is attached, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849.

F. Bedwell, C. R. & W.

Master of the Rolls.

Thursday the 7th day of May, in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1857; in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Wheal Helen Mining Company.

Extract.

HIS Honour doth order that the said Wheal Helen Mining Company be absolutely dissolved as from this day, and wound up by the Judge to whose Court this matter is attached, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849.

F. Bedwell, C. R. & W.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT DEVONPORT.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
May 1, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Tuesday the 26th instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Admiral Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Devonport, several lots of

OLD STORES;

Consisting of Old Rope, Shakings, Spun and Rope Yarn, Hammocks in Pieces, Canvas, Hemp Rakings and Tyers, Oakum, Coal Sacks, &c., &c., &c.,

all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

SALE OF PROVISIONS, &c., AT DEPTFORD.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
May 13, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Victualling Yard at Deptford, several lots of

NAVY, VICTUALLING, MEDICAL,

AND

TRANSPORT STORES,

Consisting of Salt Meat, Biscuit, Candles, Cooperage Stores, Clothing, Bedding, &c., &c., &c.

all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

CONTRACT FOR BEES' WAX.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, May 4, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 19th instant, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dock Yards with

ENGLISH OR RUSSIAN BEES' WAX.

Samples of the wax and a form of the tender may be seen at the said office.

No tender will be received after two o'clock on the day of treaty, nor will any be noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorized in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Bees' Wax," and must be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £400 for the due performance of the contract.

Royal, Naval, Military, and East India Company
Life Assurance Society.

London, May 12, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of the Proprietors of this Society pursuant to the deed of settlement, will meet and be held at the office of the Society, No. 13, Waterloo-place, on Friday the 29th instant. The chair to be taken at one o'clock precisely.

The vacancies occasioned by four of the Directors going out of office, on or as of that day, will be filled up, and two Auditors appointed.

The Directors going out are immediately re-eligible.

By order of the Court of Directors,
William Montgomery James, Secretary.

Imperial Brazilian Mining Association.

Winchester House, Broad-street,
London, May 7, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Association, will be held at the offices of the Association, Winchester-house, Old Broad-street, on Friday the 29th day of May.

The chair will be taken at two o'clock precisely.

At this meeting the election of two Directors will take place in the room of George V. Duval, Esq. (deceased), and E. R. Read, Esq., resigned.

By order

J. G. Davy.

British Linen Company Bank.

Edinburgh, May 12, 1857.

THE Directors of the British Linen Company hereby give notice that a Quarterly General Court of Proprietors will be held within their office here, on Monday the 15th day of June next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, in terms of their charters.

Alex. Goodsir, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that any Partnership which may have existed or may be supposed to have existed between the undersigned, Moritz Michaelis, Adolphus Boyd, on the one part, and Hermann Samson and Henry Julius Leppoe, on the other, in the business of Commission Agents and Merchants, carried on at Melbourne, or elsewhere, in Australia, under the firm of Michaelis, Boyd, and Co., has ceased by mutual consent, as on or from the 31st day of December, 1855.—Dated the 7th day of June, 1856.

M. Michaelis. Hermann Samson.
Adolphus Boyd. H. J. Leppoe.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, Simon Rogers and John Rogers, of Sackville Street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Fancy Warehousemen, has been by mutual consent dissolved as from the 31st day of December, 1853.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1857.

Simon Rogers.
John Rogers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Adam Clarke and James Walker, and carried on by us at No. 45, Friday-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, as Commission Agents, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Debts to be received and paid by James Walker.—Dated 4th day of April, 1857.

Adam Clarke.
James Walker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John James Saunders and John Harrison, under the firm of Saunders and Harrison, at the Phoenix Mills, Dartford, in the county of Kent, the Old Barge House, Commercial-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, and Brooks Wharf, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Seed Crushers, Oil Refiners, and Merchants, is hereby determined as from the date hereof, by mutual consent.—Dated this 14th day of May, 1857.

J. J. Saunders.
John Harrison.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Robinson Short and William Farmer, lately carrying on business as Scale Makers, under the style or firm of De Grave, Short, and Farmer, at No. 59, Saint Martin's-le-Grand, in the city of London, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts due to or from the said late copartnership will be respectively received and paid by the said Samuel Robinson Short, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 14th day of May, 1857.

Samuel Robinson Short.
William Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Perry and George Ridgway, Engravers and Engine Turners, of No. 21½ Snape-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, was dissolved by mutual consent, and according to agreement on the 19th day of April last past.—As witness our hands this 11th day of May, 1857.

George Perry.
George Ridgway.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Hunt and Thomas Morris, as Joiners and Builders, at Long Eaton, in the county of Derby, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 2nd day of February last. All debts owing to or payable by the said partnership firm, will be received and paid by the said Thomas Morris.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1857.

Samuel Hunt.
Thomas Morris.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, George, Henry, and Joseph Scarratt, carrying on the business of Painters, Plumbers, Glaziers, and Paper Hangers, at Piccadilly, Shelton, in the county of Stafford, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due or owing to or by the said concern will be received and paid by the said Joseph Scarratt.—Dated this 25th day of April, 1857.

George Scarratt.
Henry Scarratt.
Joseph Scarratt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Wynn Downing and Thomas Fitch, as Linen Drapers, at Nos. 3 and 4, Shards-terrace, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Downing and Fitch, has been this day dissolved; and that all debts due to and owing from the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Wynn Downing.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

Thomas Fitch.
James Wynn Downing.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Oldham and Henry Bore, in the trade or business of Coal Dealers, carried on by us at Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of William Oldham and Company, was on the 31st day of March last past, dissolved by mutual consent. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts and accounts due and owing to and from the said firm, will be received and paid by the said Henry Bore.—Dated the 11th day of May, 1857.

William Oldham.
Henry Bore.

TAKE notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George David Myers and Manuel Leopold Jonas Lavater, as India Rubber Manufacturers, under the firm of Myers and Lavater, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 9th day of May instant; and that all debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said George David Myers; and that the said Manuel Leopold Jonas Lavater will in future carry on the business of an India Rubber Manufacturer alone.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1857.

George David Myers
Manuel Leopold Jonas Lavater.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Jones and Christian Leggett Hider, carrying on business at Nos. 29 and 30, Botolph-lane, Eastcheap, in the city of London, as Wholesale Export and Shipping Grocers, under the style or firm of Clark and Murch, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Richard Jones, by whom the business will be henceforth continued.—As witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1857.

C. L. Hider.
Richard Jones.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Bulmer, Thomas Bulmer, and Isaac Sharp, as Tanners, in Lower Commercial-street, in Middlesbrough, in the North Riding of the county of York, under the style or firm of William and Thomas Bulmer and Co., is by mutual consent dissolved, as and from the 1st day of 1st month (January) now last past. All accounts due to the late firm, are to be paid to Joseph B. Blossom, Linthorpe-lane, Middlesbrough.—Dated this 6th day of 5th month (May), 1857.

*William Bulmer.
Thomas Bulmer.
Isaac Sharp.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alexander Ligertwood and Robert Kirk, carrying on business as Spirit Merchants, in Haughton-street, in the town of Nottingham, under the firm of Ligertwood and Kirk, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Ligertwood, by whom the business of the late partnership will be continued and carried on.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

*Alexander Ligertwood.
Robert Kirk.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Edward Dewhurst and Robert Walker, carrying on business as Calico Printers, at Belmont within Sharples Higher End, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Dewhurst, Walker and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due from and owing to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said Edward Dewhurst, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 14th day of May, 1857.

*Edward Dewhurst.
Robert Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, David Hodge and Thomas Roberts, lately carrying on business as Lamp and Gas Fitting Manufacturers, at No. 101, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Hodge and Roberts, was dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the 25th day of March, 1857.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

*Thomas Roberts.
David Hodge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, under the style or firm of Adamsons and Young, at the South Docks, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, as Blacksmiths and Ironfounders, was dissolved as from the 22nd day of March, 1856.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1857.

*Thomas Adamson. William Adamson.
Anthony H. Adamson. William Young.
James Adamson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, James Fraser, William Potts, and James Riddle the younger, Contractors, carrying on business at Sunderland, under the firm of Fraser, Potts, and Riddle, was dissolved by mutual consent on and from the 12th day of May instant, so far as regards the said James Fraser, who retires from the said firm; and that the said business will be henceforth carried on by the said William Potts and James Riddle the younger, under the firm of Potts and Riddle, by whom all moneys owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

*James Fraser.
William Potts.
James Riddell, jr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, in the borough of New Windsor, in the county of Berks, in the trade or business of Bakers, under the style or firm of Messrs. Holderness, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 18th day of March, 1857.

*William Holderness. George Holderness.
Geo. Cartland, jr. Htt. Holderness.
Mary Ann Cartland.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between Arthur John Charles White and Horatio White, of Weybridge, in the county of Surrey, Common Brewers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by Horatio White, who will receive all debts due to the said partnership, and pay all claims on the same.—As witness our hands this 12th day of May, 1857.

*A. J. C. White.
Hor. White,*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Nixon and Joshua Withers Walker, carrying on business as Lace Manufacturers, at the town of Nottingham, under the firm of Nixon and Walker, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said William Nixon, by whom all debts owing by and to the said copartnership will be paid and received.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1857.

*William Nixon.
Joshua Withers Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Hill Stace and John Westrope as, Carpenters, carrying on business under the style of Westrope and Co., at Southampton-street, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1857.

*John Westrope.
William H. Stace.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Israel Colbeck and John Newsome, in the trade or business of Scribbling Millers, or otherwise, at Batley, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the firm of Colbeck and Newsome, was this day dissolved. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said late Israel Colbeck, who will in future carry on the said business alone.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1857.

*Israel Colbeck.
John Newsome.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Lewis Smith Knight and Joseph Harrison Knight, as General Dealers, at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and at Leeds, in the county of York, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of May instant; and that all debts due to and owing by the said partnership, at Manchester aforesaid, will be received and paid by the said Lewis Smith Knight, and all debts due to and owing by the said partnership, at Leeds aforesaid, will be received and paid by the said Joseph Harrison Knight.—As witness our hands this 11th day of May, 1857.

*Lewis S. Knight.
Joseph H. Knight.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Emma Jordan and Ellen Downard, carrying on business in East-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, as Milliners, under the name or style of the Mesdames Jordan, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that henceforth the said business will be carried on by the said Emma Jordan, on her own account. All debts due to the firm are requested to be paid to the said Emma Jordan.—Dated this 8th day of May, 1857.

*Emma Jordan.
Ellen Downard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, David Morris and William Lewis, carrying on business at Cheltenham, under the firm or style of Morris and Lewis, Coach Builders, has this 8th day of May, 1857, been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having any claim against the said firm are requested to send in their accounts that they may be examined, and if found correct, forthwith discharged. All debts due to the said firm are to be paid to the said William Lewis.—Dated Cheltenham, May 8th, 1857.

*David Morris.
William Lewis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Harrison and Henry Pawson, in Sheffield, in the county of York, as Newspaper Proprietors, and also in the trade or business of a Bookseller, Stationer, and General Printer, under the style or firm of Harrison and Pawson, was, so far as relates to the trade or business of a Bookseller, Stationer, and General Printer, this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said firm relating to the said trade or business of a Bookseller, and Stationer, will be received and paid by the said Henry Pawson, who will in future carry on such business on his own account; and all debts due and owing to and from the said firm, relating to the said trade or business of a General Printer, will be received and paid by the said Samuel Harrison, who will in future carry on such last-named business on his own account; and all debts due and owing to and from the said firm, as Newspaper Proprietors, will be received and paid by the said Samuel Harrison and Henry Pawson, as heretofore.—As witness our hands this 11th day of May, 1857.

*Samuel Harrison.
Henry Pawson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Gray and Henry John Higginson, as Common Brewers and Maltsters, in the city of Bath, under the style or firm of Henry Gray and Company, has been dissolved, as from the 31st day of March last; the said Henry Gray will henceforth carry on the business, and all debts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by him.—As witness our hands this 14th day of May, 1857.

*Hy. Gray.
Henry John Higginson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Katherine Mary Fox and Edward Marcus Bassano, carrying on business at No. 40, Three Colt-street, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, as Tea Dealers and Grocers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said partnership, will be received and paid by the said Edward Marcus Bassano.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1857.

*Katherine Mary Fox.
E. M. Bassano.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Webster and Richard Gallsworthy, of Leeds, in the county of York, Hide and Bark Merchants and Leather Factors, under the firm of Richard Webster and Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

*Richard Webster.
Richard Gallsworthy.*

In Chancery.

In the Matter of an Act of Parliament of the 19th and 20th Victoria, cap. 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of settled Estates;" in the matter of certain undivided shares of the houses Nos. 8 and 9, Little Pulteney-street, and of the houses Nos. 8, 9, 10, and 11, Green's-court, all in the parish of Saint James, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex; in the matter of certain undivided shares of the houses Nos. 208 and 209, High Holborn, in the parish of Saint Giles-in-the-Fields, in the said county of Middlesex, and of the stables adjoining in Blackhorse-yard, Newton-street, High Holborn, in the said parish and county; in the matter of certain undivided shares of the houses Nos. 16 and 17, formerly 26 and 27, Piccadilly, in the said parish of Saint James, Westminster, in the said county of Middlesex; and in the matter of the settlement made on the marriage of the Reverend John Foster, with Susannah his wife, formerly Susannah Spencer, Spinster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 8th day of May instant, Susannah Foster, the wife of the Reverend John Foster, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Clerk, by Arthur Walker, of No. 13, King's-road, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, her next friend, presented her petition in the above matters unto the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, praying that a sale might be authorised, under the provisions of the said Act, of the undivided shares of the above-mentioned property, by the said indenture of settlement conveyed and assigned to Thomas Ley Greaves and Joseph Henry Spencer; and that the said Thomas Ley Greaves and Joseph Henry Spencer might be at liberty to concur with the persons therein mentioned, in selling the above-mentioned property, and that a proportionate part of the purchase money might be secured for the benefit of the petitioner and the other persons interested under the said settlement; and that the costs of and incident to the said application, might be provided for according to the said Act of Parliament. And notice is also hereby given, that the place where the said petitioner is to be served with any order of the Court, or notice relating to the subject of the said application, is No. 13, King's-road, Gray's-inn, in the said county of Middlesex, the office of Messrs. Walker, Grant, and Martineau, the Solicitors of the said petitioner.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1857.

In Chancery.—Swale v. Swale.

Yorkshire.—Important sale of valuable freehold Flax Mill, Steam Engine, Bleach Works, and freehold and copyhold Estates, in the suburbs of the city of York, and at Heslington, Knaresborough, and Kingston-upon-Hull.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Swale v. Swale, bearing date the 28th day of July, 1856, the valuable properties hereinafter mentioned will be sold by auction, with the approbation of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, at the respective times and places following; viz.:

At the York Hotel, St. Helen's-square, York, by Mr. Thomas Taylor, on Thursday, the 11th day of June, 1857, at four o'clock, p.m., a valuable freehold flax mill, steam engine, steam boilers, crane, waggon, weighing machine, gasometer, gas-making apparatus, together with thirteen freehold cottages, the whole standing on 4080 square yards of

land (more or less), situate and being in Lawrence-street Without, Walmgate Bar, in the suburbs of the city of York, late in the occupation of Mr. John Swale deceased. Also two freehold dwelling-houses, with brew-house, stable, coach-house, outbuildings, kitchen, and flower-gardens, and four closes of excellent grass-land, in one of which stand the extensive buildings formerly used as bleach works; the whole containing 14A. 1R. 6P. more or less, situate at Heslington, in the East Riding of the county of York.

At the Old Elephant and Castle Inn, Knaresborough, by Mr. George Renton, on Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 1857, at six o'clock p.m., three substantial copyhold dwelling-houses, with the appurtenances, situate in High-street and Park-row, in Knaresborough, now or late in the respective occupations of Mr. John Bentley, Mr. R. Dewes, and Mr. William Thompson; also a very valuable and productive copyhold orchard, gardens, and excellent grass-lands, in the Castle Ings, with the cottages, mistels, stables, sheds, and other outbuildings thereon, and a plot of void ground near thereto, all situate in Scriven-with-Tentergate, and Knaresborough aforesaid, and now or late (except the said plot of void ground) in the respective occupations of James Leadley, William Hawkrige, Thomas Hibbert, and Henry Luty.

At the Grapes Tavern, in Sykes-street, Sculcoates, Kingston-upon-Hull, by Mr. Thomas Daniels, on Friday, the 12th day of June, 1857, at two o'clock p.m., a freehold dwelling-house and shop, situate at the corner of Mariner's-court, in Sykes-street, Sculcoates aforesaid, with the yard and appurtenances thereto, now or late in the occupation of Mr. Samuel Wallis, and four freehold tenements, situate and being Nos. 16, 17, 18, and 19, in Mariner's-court, Sykes-street aforesaid, now or late in the respective occupations of Samuel Guy, Elizabeth Hay, Mrs. Brownbridge, and William Main.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause, Hopkins v. Hopkins and others, with the approbation of the Vice Chancellor Wood, in one lot, by Mr. Lomax, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Auction Mart, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June, 1857, at twelve for one o'clock precisely, a freehold eight-roomed house, with garden in the rear, situate No. 1, Brown's Cottages, in the high road, Kensal Green, in the county of Middlesex, and now in the occupation of

Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. W. S. Page, Solicitor, No. 13, Duke-street, Manchester-square; of Mr. Stuart, Solicitor, No. 14, South-square, Gray's-Inn; at the William the Fourth Inn, Kensal Green; at the Mart; and of Mr. Lomax, No. 8, Orchard-street, the Auctioneer.

TO be sold by auction, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause, Maynard Morris and another against William Morris and another, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, the Judge to whose Court this cause is attached, at the George Hotel, Rye, Sussex, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of June, 1857, at five o'clock in the afternoon:

A freehold estate (land-tax redeemed), called Flackley Ash, situate at Peasmarsh, in the county of Sussex, late the property of William Morris, of Peasmarsh, in the county of Sussex, Esq., deceased. The estate comprises a capital family residence, known as Flackley Ash House, situate on an eminence, and commanding extensive views, with pleasure-grounds, and garden, stabling, and agricultural buildings; also a cottage and garden, and 92A. 3R. 21P. of arable, meadow, marsh, pasture, and woodland in high cultivation. The estate is about three miles from Rye (a station on the Ashford and Hastings Railway), and about sixteen miles from Hastings, and adjoining the turnpike-road from Rye to London.

Particulars and conditions whereof may be had in London (gratis), of Mr. R. Spencer, Solicitor, No. 1, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn; and of Messrs. Kingsford and Dorman, Solicitors, No. 23, Essex-street, Strand; and in the country, of Mr. Dawes, Solicitor, Rye; and of Mr. J. C. Vidler, Auctioneer, Rye, and Brede Northiam, Sussex; at the Swan Hotel, Hastings; George Inn, Battle; Woolpack, Tenterden; Saracen's Head, Ashford; Queen's Head, Hawkhurst; and at the principal Inns in the neighbourhood.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Thomas Williamson against Richard Williamson, the creditors of John Williamson, late of Lane Bridge, within Habergham, Eaves, in the county of Lancaster Machine Maker, deceased, who died in or about the month of July, 1847, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 5th day of June, 1857, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir William Page Wood, at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry Cobley, of No. 1, High-street, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, Woollen Draper, did by indenture of assignment, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1857, assign all his personal estate and effects unto Thomas Blurton, of Nos. 4, and 5, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Woollen Draper, and Edwin Caldecott, of Cheapside, in the city of London, Manchester Warehouseman, as trustees for themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said Henry Cobley, who should come in under and execute such deed of assignment, on or before the 5th day of July next; and the said deed of assignment, was duly executed by the said Henry Cobley, Thomas Blurton, and Edwin Caldecott, in the presence of Edward Clarke, of No. 29, Bedford-row, Holborn, Solicitor; and the said deed now lies for execution at the office of the said Edward Clarke, No. 29, Bedford-row.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture of conveyance and assignment, bearing date the 6th day of May, 1857, Thomas Hind, of Sheffield in the county of York, Builder, has conveyed and assigned all his freehold, leasehold, and personal estate and effects unto Joseph Garside, of Worksop, in the county of Nottingham, Timber Merchant, and Charles Brown, of Sheffield aforesaid, Slate Merchant, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said Thomas Hind; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Thomas Hind, on the said 6th day of May, and by the said Joseph Garside and Charles Brown, on the 9th day of the same month of May, in the presence of William Burgoyne Fernell, of Sheffield aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law, and Samuel Allen, his Clerk, who both duly attested the same. And notice is hereby also given, that the said indenture is lodged at the office of the said William Burgoyne Fernell, in Saint James'-street, in Sheffield aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Thomas Hind, and that if any of the creditors of the said Thomas Hind shall not execute the said indenture within three calendar months from the date thereof, they will be excluded from all benefit to arise therefrom.—Sheffield, 13th May, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Richard Minshall, of Witton, in the county of Chester, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, and Shopkeeper, hath by indenture, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1857, assigned all his personal estate and effects unto George Slater, of Allostock, in the said county, Miller, in trust, for the equal benefit of the said George Slater and the rest of the creditors of the said Richard Minshall, who should execute the same deed, or in writing signify their assent thereto, within three calendar months from the date thereof; and that such indenture was duly executed by the said Richard Minshall and George Slater, on the day of the date thereof; and such execution by the said Richard Minshall was attested by William Roe Dunstan, of Northwich, in the said county, Attorney-at-Law; and such execution by the said George Slater, was attested by John Thompson, Clerk to the said William Roe Dunstan. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said William Roe Dunstan, in Northwich aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Richard Minshall.—Dated the 12th day of May, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, dated the 8th day of May, 1857, Henry Newman, of No. 33, Harmer-street, Milton-next-Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Agent and Collector, hath conveyed and assigned all his real estate and also his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto William Fletcher, of Gravesend aforesaid, Coal Merchant, and Thomas Troughton, of Gravesend aforesaid, Tallow Chandle, as trustees, for the equal benefit of his creditors; and such indenture was executed by the said Henry Newman, William Fletcher, and Thomas Troughton, on the said 8th day of May instant, and is attested, as to the execution thereof by all the said parties, by Edward Wates, of Milton-next-Gravesend aforesaid, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at our office for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said Henry Newman.—Dated this 14th day of May, 1857.

GIBSON and WATES, Gravesend, Kent, Solicitors to the said Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 25th day of April, 1857, made between James Chrisp, of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Hosier, of the first part; Thomas Burnley, of Gomersal, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner, and Edmund Stead, of Leeds, in the said county, Leather Manufacturer, trustees, for themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said James Chrisp, parties thereto, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said James Chrisp, of the third part; the said James Chrisp granted, bargained, sold, and assigned unto the said trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all his real and personal estate and effects, upon certain trusts, for the equal benefit of his creditors; and further, that the said indenture was executed by the said James Chrisp and Ed-

mund Stead respectively, on the said 25th day of April last, and by the said Thomas Burnley, on the 6th day of May instant; and that the execution thereof by the said James Chrisp and Edmund Stead is attested by Thomas Simpson, of Leeds aforesaid, Solicitor, and Charles Alexander Adamson, of North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Attorney's Clerk; and that the execution thereof by the said Thomas Burnley is attested by the said Thomas Simpson and Benjamin Robertshaw Burrell, his Clerk. And notice is hereby further given, that all creditors who shall neglect to execute the said deed within two months from the date thereof, shall be excluded from the benefit thereof; and that the said indenture now lies at my office No. 5, Commercial-street, in Leeds, for execution by the creditors of the said James Chrisp.—Dated this 8th day of May, 1857.

THOS. SIMPSON, Solicitor to the said Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, dated the 7th day of May 1857, George Quick, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner and Builder, hath conveyed and assigned all his real and personal property, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto Richard Rimmer, of Blackburn aforesaid, Ironmonger, and Robert Railton and John Railton, both of Blackburn aforesaid, Ironfounders, as trustees for the equal benefit of his creditors; and such indenture was executed by the said George Quick, Richard Rimmer, Robert Railton, and John Railton, on the said 7th day of May instant, and is attested, as to the execution thereof by all the said parties, by Arthur Ingram Robinson, of Blackburn aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law; and the said indenture now lies at our office for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said George Quick.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1857.

ROBINSON and SON, Attorneys, Blackburn.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 7th day of May instant, Frederick Winsor, of Hastings, Sussex, Grocer, assigned all his estate and effects therein mentioned to Elgar Hicks, of Rye, Merchant, and William Laurence, of Maidstone, Kent, Merchant, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Frederick Winsor, who shall execute the said indenture; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Frederick Winsor and Elgar Hicks, at Hastings, in the county of Sussex, on the said 7th day of May instant, in the presence of, and attested by, Thomas Parker Langham, of Hastings aforesaid, Solicitor; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said William Laurence, on the 9th day of May instant, in the presence of, and was attested by, Henry Hughes, of Maidstone aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby also given, that the said indenture will lie at the office of the undersigned as under for the inspection of, and execution by, the creditors of the said Frederick Winsor; and all persons indebted to or having claims on the said Frederick Winsor, are required to pay the said debts, or send the particulars of their claims to us.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1857.

J. and S. LANGHAM, Solicitors for the Trustees, Hastings, Sussex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1857, and made, or expressed to be made, between Henry Brown, of the Worcester Wharf, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Timber Merchant, of the first part; Thomas Dowling, Timber Merchant, and William Reeves, Wheelwright, both of Birmingham aforesaid, trustees for the creditors of the said Henry Brown, of the second part; and the several other persons whose hands and seals are thereunto subscribed and set in the schedule thereunder written, being severally creditors in their own right, or in copartnership, or being Agents or Attorneys of creditors of the said Henry Brown, of the third part; all and singular, the real and personal estate and effects of the said Henry Brown, were conveyed and assigned by the said Henry Brown, unto and to the use of the said Thomas Dowling and William Reeves, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said Henry Brown, who should execute the said indenture within three calendar months from the date thereof; and which said indenture was duly executed by the said Henry Brown, Thomas Dowling, and William Reeves, on the 9th day of May, 1857, in the presence of, and attested by, me the undersigned, William Joseph Reeves, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Attorney-at-Law. And notice is hereby also given, that the said indenture is now lying at my office No. 113, New-street, Birmingham, for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said Henry Brown.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1857.

W. J. REEVES, Solicitor to the Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that George Wills and John Wilson, of Fleet-street, in the city of London, Tailors, have, by a certain indenture, dated 1st May, 1857, assigned unto Rittson Southall, of King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Woollen Merchant, his executors, administrators, and assigns, all the stock in trade, goods, wares, merchandizes, book and other debts, and all other the estate and

effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, of them the said George Wills and John Wilson, upon certain trusts, for the benefit of all their creditors as therein mentioned; and the said indenture was executed on the day of the date thereof, by the said George Wills, John Wilson, and Rittson Southall, in the presence of, and their respective executions are attested by, George John Huson, of No. 4, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor; and which said indenture now lies at the office of the said George John Huson, for execution by the creditors of the said George Wills and John Wilson.—Dated this 13th May, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John Simpson, of No. 4, Alfred-terrace, Westminster-road, in the county of Surrey, Draper and Silk Mercer, has by a certain indenture, dated the 7th of May, 1857, assigned unto Thomas Tarsey, of Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Warehouseman, and Bernard Smith, of St. Martins-le-Grand, in the said city of London, Warehouseman, their executors, administrators, and assigns, all the stock in trade, goods, wares, merchandizes, book, and other debts, and all other the estate and effects, of the said John Simpson, upon certain trusts, for the benefit of all his creditors as therein mentioned; and that the said indenture was executed on the day of the date thereof, by the said John Simpson, Thomas Tarsey, and Bernard Smith, in the presence of, and their respective executions are attested by, George John Huson, of No. 4, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor, and which said indenture now lies at the office of the said George John Huson, for execution by the creditors of the said John Simpson.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Frow Andrews, of Louth, in the county of Lincoln, Druggist, hath by indenture, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1857, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects unto Edward Cartwright, of Louth aforesaid, Farmer, and John Dymoke, of the city of Lincoln, Druggist, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, for the equal benefit of all such of the creditors of the said Frow Andrews as shall execute the said indenture before the 12th day of August next; which said indenture was executed by the said Frow Andrews, Edward Cartwright, and John Dymoke respectively, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, James William Wilson, of Louth aforesaid Attorney, and Thomas Markham, of Louth, his Clerk; and that the said indenture is now lying at the office of Messrs. Goe and Wilson, Solicitors, Louth, for execution by the creditors of the said Frow Andrews.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1857.

In Bankruptcy.

Gosport.—Desirable Investment. Rental of £174 per annum.

TO be sold by auction, by direction of the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, upon the application of the mortgagee, by Messrs. Plews and Wall, at the India Arms Tavern, Gosport, on Wednesday, the 20th May, at two for three o'clock, in seven lots:

A freehold estate comprising eighteen residences, being Nos. 23 to 39 inclusive, in Ferroll-buildings, and No. 40, Belle Vue-terrace, Forton-road, Gosport. The principal portion let to respectable monthly and weekly tenants, and the whole of the annual value of £174.

Particulars and conditions of sale, with plans annexed, may be had at the place of sale and principal Inns at Gosport and Portsmouth; and in London of H. H. Stansfeld, Esq., Official Assignee, No. 10, Basinghall-street; of Messrs. Lawrance, Plews, and Boyer, Solicitors, No. 14, Old Jewry Chambers; of Messrs. Young and Plews, Solicitors, No. 29, Mark-lane; and of the Auctioneers, No. 34, Poultry, and Clapham-road.

In the Matter of Reuben Hemingway, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 4d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 9, South Castle-street, Liverpool, on Monday, the 18th day of May instant, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

WM. BIRD, Official Assignee.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was, on the 19th day of February, 1857, filed and entered of record in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against James Basse and Solomon Linde, of No. 4, Savage-gardens, Tower-hill, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit Merchants and Copartners, trading under the firm of James Basse and Company; this is to give notice that by order of Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of the Com-

missioners of the said Court, bearing date the 11th day of May, 1857, the said Petition for adjudication is dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder, annulled.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 12th day of May, 1857, hath been presented against Henry Robertson, of No. 3, Saint Michael's-alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, Commission Agent, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of May instant, and on the 23rd day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon, on each of the said days, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Graham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. William Miller, Solicitor, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 13th day of May, 1857, hath been presented against George Gittins, of No. 6, Hart-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, Ironmonger, Smith, Bellhanger, and Gas Fitter, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 23rd of June next, at half past eleven in the forenoon, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Stansfeld, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. W. S. Page, Solicitor, No. 13, Duke-street, Grosvenor-square.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was on the 8th day of May, 1857, filed against George Tilley, of Walton-on-Thames, in the county of Surrey, Brewer, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 28th day of May instant, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 29th day of June next, at half past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Nicholson, No. 24, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. H. Hammond, Solicitor, No. 16, Furnival's-inn, Holborn, or Messrs. Smallpiece, Solicitors, Guildford, Surrey.

WHEREAS a Petition for arrangement under "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act," was, on the 18th day of February last, presented by Samuel Tansley Cundy, of Belgrave-wharf, Lower Belgrave-place, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, trading as Samuel Cundy, Statuary and Stone Mason, Dealer and Chapman; and whereas at a private sitting of the Court, held in the matter of the said Petition, on the 14th day of May, 1857, for the reasons shewn and appearing to the Court, the Court did adjudge the said Samuel Tansley Cundy a bankrupt, and did adjourn all further proceedings in the said matter into open Court, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 25th of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Bell, No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. T. D. Keighley, Solicitor, No. 73, Basinghall-street, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 12th day of May, 1857, hath been presented against Henry Ivimey Cox, of High-street, Shalford, in the parish of West Ham, in the county of Essex, Grocer and Cheesemonger, Dealer, and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of May instant, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 25th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Bell, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Hilleary, Solicitors, Fenchurch-buildings.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 12th day of May, 1857, filed against George Cockburn Hyde, of No. 16, South-parade, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of May instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 19th June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Lee, No. 20, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Clarke and Morice, Solicitors, No. 29, Coleman-street, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 11th day of May, 1857, hath been filed against John Owen and William Henry Boon, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Silversmiths and Jewellers, and Copartners, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 29th day of May instant, and on the 19th of June next, at half past eleven in the forenoon, on each day, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Christie, No. 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Finlay Knight, Solicitor, Birmingham.

WHEREAS an adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 14th of May, 1857, hath been made against James Stamps, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and William Finch the elder, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, carrying on business at Alton, in the county of Stafford, Paper Makers and Copartners, under the style or firm of Stamps and Finch, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 29th day of May instant, and on the 19th day of June next, at half past eleven in the forenoon, on each of the said days, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Christie, No. 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. William Penn Allcock, or to Messrs. Hodgson and Allen, Solicitors, Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy against James Nelson Knapp, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Sail Maker and Ship Owner, was filed on the 7th of May, 1857, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Bristol District, at the city and county of Bristol, and he having been declared bankrupt, is

hereby required to surrender himself to Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 26th day of May instant, and on the 30th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city and county of Bristol, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Alfred John Acraman, No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. R. J. Cathcart, Solicitor, Newport, or to Messrs. William Bevan and Girling, Solicitors, Small-street, Bristol.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 11th day of May, 1857, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Leeds District, on the 11th day of May, 1857, against Benjamin Canter, of Barnsley, in the county of York, Cloth Merchant, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Martin John West, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th of May instant, and on the 26th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. George Young, of Park-row, Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Cariss and Cudworth, Solicitors, Leeds.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 6th day of May, 1857, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, against Jonathan Entwistle, otherwise Entwisle, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Lancaster Castle, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 23rd of June next, at twelve at noon, on each day, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Stansall Pott, Charlotte-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed to receive the same, and to give notice to Mr. William Keating Taylor, Solicitor, Manchester.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was filed on the 8th day of May, 1857, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Manchester, against Abraham Milnes and James Milnes the younger, both of Busk Mill, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinners, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 9th and 29th days of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon, on each of the said days at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Fraser, George-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Sale, Worthington, and Shipman, Solicitors, Manchester.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 13th day of May, 1857, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, by William Thompson, of Over Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, Power Loom Cloth Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy,

on the 28th day of May instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and on the 25th day of June next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Francis Hernaman, No. 69, Princess-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed to receive the same, and give notice to Messrs. Sale, Worthington, and Shipman, Solicitors, Fountain-street, Manchester.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Commission of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of October, 1829, awarded and issued forth against John Snowdon, late of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, to receive Proof of Debts under the said Commission; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1847, awarded and issued forth against John Poland, of the Broadway, Ludgate-hill, in the city of London, Furrier, will sit on the 2nd of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt, when and where he is required to surrender himself and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against John Cowan, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of Cowan and Company, will sit on the 28th of May instant, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne (by adjournment from the 29th day of April last), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination, and creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed by Henry Cogdon, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Plumber and Gas Fitter, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne (by adjournment from the 24th day of April last), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against George Williamson, of Stair Mill, in the parish of Crosthwaite, in the county of Cumberland, Woollen Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne (by adjournment from the 29th day of April last), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination, and the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 11th day of November, 1857, against William Peel, of Stain-

cliffe, in the county of York, Blanket Manufacturer and Waste Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, will (on the application of the said bankrupt, whose Last Examination stands adjourned sine die,) sit on the 8th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition in Bankruptcy, filed the 20th day of February, 1857, against James Stevens Tripp, of Lombard-street Chambers, Clements-lane, in the city of London, Dealer in Mining and other Shares, and Public Securities, Commission Agent, Trader, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 27th of May instant, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 27th day of February, 1857, against James Keywood the younger, of Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Plumber, Glazier, and Painter, will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 2nd day of March, 1857, against William Wilson and Henry Wilson, of No. 19, Foley-place, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Bookbinders, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of July, 1856, against John Dunham, of Nos. 526 and 527, New Oxford-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 28th of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 7th of October, 1856, against Henry Gander, of the Catherine Wheel Inn, Catherine Wheel-yard, No. 191, High-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler, Yeast Merchant, and Carrier, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 12th day of November, 1856, against Robert Jones, of Hawarden, in the county of Flint, Innkeeper, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of March, 1844, awarded and issued forth against Ralph Lewis, late of Eastgate-street, in the city of Chester, but now of Pen-y-groes, in the township of Tryddyn, in the parish of Mold,

in the county of Flint, Wine and Spirit Merchant, will sit on the 29th day of May instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of January, 1856, against Charles Phillips Edney and Alfred Rains, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Druggist and Copartners, will sit on the 29th day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 14th day of April, 1855, against Joseph Prescott, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tea Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 29th of May instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 23rd day of December, 1856, against John Alltree, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1847, against Johnathan Higginson and Richard Deane, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants, carrying on business at Liverpool, under the firm of Barton, Irlam and Higginson, and at Barbadoes, under the firm of Higginson, Deane and Stott, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of Richard Deane, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 28th day of February, 1857, against James Garrett Yates, of Redcliffe-hill, in the city of Bristol, Grocer, will sit on the 28th day of May instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Commission of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of October, 1829, awarded and issued forth against John Snowdon, late of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 28th of May instant, at twelve at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Commission, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, dated the 10th day of March, 1857, and made against George Spilsbury, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Builder, will sit on the 28th May instant, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition on which adjudication of Bankruptcy was made, on

the 8th day of September, 1854, against Henry Wigg and Burton Smith, both of Gresham-street, in the city of London, Commission Agents, will sit on the 5th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Burton Smith, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of March, 1857, by William Tilbury, of No. 81, Great Titchfield-street, Marylebone, and of No. 14, Cleveland Mews, Fitzroy-square, both in the county of Middlesex, Brass Worker, and Manufacturer of Brass Mountings for Cabinet Furniture, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 5th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of February, 1857, against Peter Steffano, of No. 28, Wellesloe-square, in the county of Middlesex, and also of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Ship Chandler, Sail Maker, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 5th day of June next, at half past one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of August, 1856, against Panayotti Demetrius Leno, of No. 1, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman (and Copartner with Constantine Cambouroglu and Nicholas Antoniadis, trading as Merchants, under the style or firm of Cambouroglu, Leno, and Co., at No. 1, Great Winchester-street aforesaid), will sit on the 5th of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 29th day of May, 1855, against Walter Brettell, of No. 11, Little Marlborough-street, in the county of Middlesex, Printer, will sit on the 5th day of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1846, awarded and issued forth against Robert Kimpton, of No. 2, Crescent, Jewin-street, Cripplegate, in the city of London, Jeweller, will sit on the 11th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 11th day of April, 1856, against Bernard Summers Ryder, of No. 1, Gough-street North, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Paper Stainer, Paper Hanger and Dealer, Trader

Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 12th June next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Final Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 22nd day of May, 1855, by William Stagg, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of "the Executors of Charles Thomas Jerram," will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts; and the said Commissioner will also sit on the 11th of June next, at two in the afternoon, at the same place, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 30th day of December, 1856, against Oates Sagar, of Stonefold Mill, near Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, will sit on the 30th May instant, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts; and the said Commissioner will also sit on the 11th day of June next, at the same place, and at the same hour, in order to make a Further Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 26th day of January, 1856, against James Reynolds Gummow, of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 18th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, Liverpool, in order to make a Further Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of March 1857, by Robert Taylor, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Draper, trading under the style or firm of Robert Taylor and Company, will sit on the 8th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under an adjudication of Bankruptcy, dated the 13th day of September, 1851, filed against William Coleman, of the city of Coventry, Chemist, Druggist, and Grocer, will sit on the 5th day of June next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of July, 1853, filed against John Hammond, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 5th day of June next, at half past eleven

of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of February, 1853, presented and filed against George North, of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Coal Dealer, will sit on the 6th day of June next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council Hall, in Sheffield, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th day of February, 1853, presented and filed against Edward Harris Ruddock and Henry Ebison, both of Bradford, in the county of York, Marble Masons and Stove Grate Manufacturers, and Copartners in Trade, will sit on the 6th June next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council-hall, Sheffield, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 23rd day of March, 1857, and now in prosecution against Edward Clark Lone, of No. 2, Cullum-street, in the city of London, Oil and Drug Merchant, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th of June next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court authorised to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 17th day of March, 1857, and now in prosecution against John Willding Clarke, late of Sidcup, in the county of Kent, but now of Whittlesea, in the Isle of Ely and county of Cambridge, Seed Merchant, and Dealer in Artificial Manures, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th day of June next, at half past one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above-mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 20th day of December, 1856, against Robert Edward Key, of Thorney, in the county of Cambridge, Grocer and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, has, on

the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th day of June next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of the Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 7th day of January, 1856, and now in prosecution against Joseph Johns, of the Salisbury Arms Inn, in the town of Hertford, in the county of Hertford, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 5th of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of November, 1856, and now in prosecution against Domenico Braggiotti and Paul Testa, trading in Copartnership at No. 32, Lombard-street, in the city of London, as Merchants and Commission Agents, Dealers and Chapman, under the firm of D. Braggiotti, Testa, and Co., also trading at Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, under the style or firm of P. Testa and Co., has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 11th of June next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupts, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 14th day of March, 1857, and now in prosecution against George Constantin Franghiadi, of Gresham House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style or firm of C. Franghiadi, Sons, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be held before Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bank-

rupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 7th day of October, 1856, and now in prosecution against Henry Gander, of the Catherine Wheel Inn, Catherine Wheel-yard, No. 191, High-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler, Yeast Merchant, and Carrier, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of June next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against John Richards, of the town of Aberystwith, in the county of Cardigan, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and bearing date the 27th day of March, 1857, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, at Bristol, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute passed in the Parliament, holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Henry Mundy, of the city of Gloucester, Ironmonger, and bearing date the 20th March, 1857, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, at Bristol, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Thomas James Thomas, commonly called Thomas Thomas, of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Carpenter, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, and bearing date the 19th day of February, 1857, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th

day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, at Bristol, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Henry Bishop, of Dursley, in the county of Gloucester, Money Scrivener and Gas Manufacturer, and bearing date the 1st day of April, 1857, has on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 16th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, at Bristol, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Robert Rumney Charles and William Fordyce, both of Haughton, in the county of Northumberland, Paper Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, Partners in Trade, trading under the style or firm of Charles and Fordyce, has appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Nathaniel Ellison, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 11th day of June next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, for the allowance of the Certificates of the said bankrupts' conformity to the laws in force at the time of issuing such Petition, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, called "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupts, who shall have given to the Registrar of the Court three clear days' notice in writing of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificates.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry James Perry, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 30th day of March, 1857, against Richard Jones, of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, Flannel Manufacturer and Slay Maker, will, pursuant to the "Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," sit on the 8th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 13th day of November, 1839, awarded and issued forth against Nicholas Matthews, of Heaton Norris, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Founder, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 8th of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy,

in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt, under the said Fiat. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may, at such sitting, be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 17th day of July, 1856, against Joseph Wright, of Heaton Mill, Heaton Norris, in the county of Lancaster, and of Forge Mill, Caton, in the said county, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 8th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition; and any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose such certificate, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance thereof, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under an adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 25th day of February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against William Jeffcoat, of King's Heath, in the county of Worcester, Baker, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 8th day of June next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein, as the justice of the case may require.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 24th of February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Caroline Liddell, of Great Driffield, in the county of York, Common Brewer, Maltster, Dealer and Chapwoman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 10th day of June next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Town-hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1847, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against William Bulmer, of Be-dale, in the county of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 5th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, Yorkshire, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 17th day of February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Leeds, against Richard Gelder, of Bradford, in the county of York, General Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 5th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due

notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 2nd day of February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against John Holmes, of Bramham, in the county of York, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be holden on the 5th day of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of March, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against John Taylor, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Auctioneer, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 6th of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Council Hall, in Sheffield, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of March, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Thomas John Creswick, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Electro Plated Goods Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be holden on the 6th of June next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Council Hall, Sheffield, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of March, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Thomas Biphiss, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Scale Cutter, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 6th day of June next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Council Hall, in Sheffield, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 20th day of December, 1856, against Edward Crofts, of No. 3, West-place, John's-row, Saint Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Hearth Rug Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, did on the 25th day of March, 1857, allow the said Edwards Crofts a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 7th day of January, 1857, against Ann Rees, of the town of Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, Grocer, did, on the 12th day of May, 1857, allow the said

Ann Rees, a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court, after a suspension of six months from the 12th day of May instant.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 29th day of December, 1855, against Leonard Laidman, of No. 100, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, and of Wentworth Lodge, Coburn New-road, Bow, in the said county of Middlesex, Stationer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 9th day of May, 1857, allow him the said Leonard Laidman, a Certificate of the second class, after a suspension of twelve months; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 16th day of February, 1857, against Henry William Collison the younger, of the city of Bath, Provision Merchant, did, on the 12th day of May, 1857, allow the said Henry William Collison the younger a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that Nathaniel Ellison, Esq., the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of December, 1856, against Samuel Howel Grieveson and Cuthbert Richardson Grieveson, both residing and carrying on business as Copartners in trade, at Deptford, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, as Joiners and Builders, did, on the 12th day of May instant, allow the said Samuel Howel Grieveson and Cuthbert Richardson Grieveson a Certificate of conformity as of the third class; and that such certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupts, at the expiration of twenty-one days, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that Nathaniel Ellison, Esquire, the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of September, 1856, against Robert Barwick, late of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Shipowner, Butcher, Cattle and Horse Dealer, now a Prisoner detained in the County Gaol at Durham for Debt, did, on the 12th day of May instant, allow the said Robert Barwick a Certificate of conformity as of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt at the expiration of twenty-one days, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Walker Skirrow, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of February, 1857, against John Walker, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent, did, on the 7th day of May, 1857, allow the said bankrupt a Certificate of conformity of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Jesse Wilkinson, of Lindley, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Cloth Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, hath allowed to the said bankrupt a Certificate of conformity of the third class, subject to a suspension for three calendar months from the 8th day of May, 1857; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt at the expiration of the time aforesaid unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Adams Rowles, of No. 89, Peaseod-street, in the borough of New Windsor, in the county of Berks, Dyer, Cleaner, and Glazier, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Berkshire, at Windsor, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Adams Rowles, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided; the said John Adam Rowles is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 17th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons

indebted to the said John Adams Rowles, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Darvill, Registrar of the said Court, at his office in William-street, Windsor, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Rossiter, of No. 3, Lower Union-street, Torquay, in the county of Devon, Tailor and Draper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Devonshire, at Newton Abbot, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Rossiter, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Rossiter is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 27th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Rossiter, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Pidsley, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Newton Abbot, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Dicker, of High-street, Crediton, Devonshire, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, previously of Bell Parade, Crediton aforesaid. Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Devonshire, at Crediton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Dicker, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Dicker is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 1st day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Dicker, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. George Tanner, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Union-terrace, Crediton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Simmonds, at present and for nine years last past residing at No. 12, Tivoli-street, in the parish of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, and being a Carpenter and Wheelwright, and my wife carrying on the business of Dress Maker and Miliner, and for the space of two years during that period I carried on business in premises in the High-street, in the parish of Cheltenham aforesaid, as a Carpenter and Wheelwright, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Cheltenham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Simmonds, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Simmonds is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 3rd day of June next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Simmonds, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Francis Gale, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Cheltenham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Hughes, now and for eight years and three months last past residing at No. 59, High-street, in the parish of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, being a Grocer and Tea Dealer, and Dealer in Tobacco and Snuff, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Cheltenham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Hughes, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Hughes is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 3rd day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Hughes, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Francis Gale, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Cheltenham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Mitchell, of No. 6, High-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Journeyman Carpenter, late of the same place, Carpenter, Joiner and Undertaker, formerly in partnership with Edwin Harman, carrying on the last-mentioned trades and businesses together at the same place, and at York Gardens,

Hastings aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Hastings, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Mitchell, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Mitchell is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Mitchell, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. W. B. Young, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Hastings, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Mary Lockitt, at present and for seven weeks and three days now last past residing in Granville's-buildings, Cobridge, near Burslem, in the county of Stafford, in no business or employment, previously thereto for two years and upwards residing in Hope-street, Shelton, in the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent and county aforesaid, Licensed Brewer, and Retailer of Ale, Beer, Porter and Tobacco, and during such said mentioned periods being executor together with one William Lockitt, under the will of John Maddocks, Beerseller, late of Hope-street, Shelton aforesaid, deceased, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, at Hanley, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Mary Lockitt, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Mary Lockitt is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for her first examination touching her debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Mary Lockitt, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edward Challinor, Registrar of the said Court, at Hanley, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Barner, of No. 65, Petergate, in the parish of Holy Trinity, Goodramgate, in the city of York, Tinner and Brazier, also Dealer in Hardware and Cutlery, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Yorkshire, at York, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 28th day of May instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Job Roberts, of Burnham, in the county of Bucks, Blacksmith, Whitesmith, Publican, Beer-shop Keeper, and Seller of Ale, Beer and Porter by Retail, and Dealer in Tobacco, and now working for Mr. Thomas Jones, of Taplow, in the county of Bucks, Blacksmith, and for nearly five months during the year 1856, that is to say, from the 14th day of July, to the 5th day of December, in the same year, carrying on business at Slough, in the county of Bucks, as a Blacksmith and Whitesmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John Billingsley Parry, Esq., Q.C., Judge of the County Court of Berkshire, at Windsor, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 17th day of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Eugene Field, formerly of Dublin, Ireland, in lodgings there with Mrs. Artiss, afterwards of the city of Bristol, afterwards of Ledbury, Herefordshire, afterwards of the city of Birmingham, in lodgings there with Mrs. Latham, afterwards of the city of Lincoln, in lodgings there with Miss Austin, afterwards of Market Rasen, in the county of Lincoln, and now of Coningsby, in the said county of Lincoln, residing at all the above-named places as an Inland Revenue Officer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John George Stapylton Smith, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lincolnshire, at Horncastle, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 3rd day of June next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Henry Coleman, of Spilsby, in the county of Lincoln, General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lincolnshire, at Spilsby, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 5th day of June next, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Woodward, of Old Bolingbroke, in the county of Lincoln, Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lincolnshire, at Spilsby, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 5th day of June next, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

THE estates of John McMaster, Draper, in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 9th day of May, 1857, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 24th day of April, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of May current, within the Globe Hotel, George-square, Glasgow.

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 24th day of August next.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ROB. WALKER, Writer,
54, Miller-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of James Wood, Merchant, Broughton-street, and Elder-street, Edinburgh, and carrying on business there under the firm of James Wood and Co., were sequestrated on the 12th day of May, 1857, by the Sheriff of the county of Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated 12th May, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Friday, the 22nd day of May, 1857, within Kennedy's Ship Hotel, East Register-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 12th day of September, 1857.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

JOHN ROBERTSON, Jr., S.S.C.,
7, Elder-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of Charles Anderson, Manufacturer, in Arbroath, were sequestrated on the 12th May, 1857, by the Sheriff of the county of Forfar.

The first deliverance is dated 12th May, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, 1857, within the White Hart Hotel, in Arbroath.

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 13th day of September, 1857.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

SCOTT and RITCHIE, Agents, Arbroath.
Arbroath, May 12, 1857.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the End.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and whose Petitions and Schedules, duly filed, have been severally referred and transmitted to the County Courts hereinafter mentioned, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, are ordered to be brought up before the Judges of the said Courts respectively, as herein set forth, to be dealt with according to Law:

Before the Judge of the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Morpeth, on the 29th day of May, 1857, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Robert Nesham, late of Mount Pleasant, North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, and carrying on business

at Dotwick-street, in North Shields aforesaid, as a Glass Dealer, previously of Cuthbert-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Foreman Glass Maker, and formerly of the Glass Makers' Arms, St. Peter's Quay, near Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Publican and Glass Cutter.

William Davis, late of Bulmans Village, in the county of Northumberland, previously of Shotley Bridge and Burnopfield, both in the county of Durham, previously of Bulman's Village aforesaid, previously of the Minorities, near Jesmond, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and formerly of Burnopfield, in the said county of Durham, Master Drainer and Contractor for Excavating, and occasionally Superintendent of Draining and Excavating.

James Boston, late of Boulmer, in the county of Northumberland, Cooper, and previously of Newbiggin, by the Sea, in the same county, Cooper, Fish Curer, and Fish Dealer.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the Shirehall, Gloucester, on Thursday the 11th day of June, 1857, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon precisely.

James Ker, formerly of Church-street, then of High-street, then of Barton-street, then of Church-street aforesaid, and late of Victoria-villa, Oldbury, all in Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire, Dealer in Tea and Coffee.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester, on Thursday the 11th day of June, 1857, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Thomas Blake (and not Black, as advertized in last Friday's Gazette) Barrow Webb (sued and detained as Thomas Blakebarrow Webb), formerly of No. 39, East-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and also of No. 5, Westgate-street, in the city of Gloucester, Milliner and Dress Maker, afterwards staying at Paradise-cottage, London-road, near Gloucester, his Wife managing the business of a Milliner and Dress Maker, at No. 5, Westgate-street, Gloucester aforesaid, afterwards of Paradise-cottage, London-road, Gloucester aforesaid, afterwards of Cromwell-street, Gloucester aforesaid, and afterwards staying at Paradise-cottage, London-road, Gloucester aforesaid, and during such periods carrying on the business of Milliner and Dress Maker, at No. 5, Westgate-street, Gloucester aforesaid, afterwards staying at No. 29, University-street, Tottenham-court-road, London, afterwards staying at Paradise-cottage, London-road, Gloucester aforesaid, afterwards staying at No. 29, University-street, Tottenham-court-road aforesaid, and late staying at Paradise-cottage, London-road, Gloucester aforesaid, and during the four said last-mentioned periods his Wife managing the business of a Milliner and Dress Maker, first at No. 5, Westgate-street, and afterwards at No. 8, Northgate-street, both in the said city of Gloucester, and staying at Paradise-cottage, London-road, Gloucester aforesaid.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at the Court-House, Nicholas-Croft, High-Street, Manchester, on the 15th day of June, 1857, at Twelve o'clock at Noon precisely.

James Braddock Cooke, sued by the name of James B. Cook, late of Exmouth Place, Lower Broughton, in the parish of Manchester, and county Palatine of Lancaster, and previously of Irwell Place, in Lower Broughton aforesaid, and during both of the said periods being in lodgings, and during portions of them following the occupation of Warehouseman, and during the remainder thereof being out of business.

N.B.—1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given to the said Prisoner, in writing, which may be left at the Gaol two clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of giving such notice and of the said day of hearing.

2. The petition and schedule will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination at the Office of the Court in London, between the hours of Eleven and Three, on this notice being exhibited; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof

as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act of 1st and 2nd Victoria, cap. 110, sec. 105.

N.B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

3. The duplicates of the petitions and schedules, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the Clerks or Assistant Clerks of the said County Courts, for inspection and examination, at the Offices of the said County Courts respectively, at the Towns aforesaid, and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided according to sec. 106 of the Act.

Notice to the Creditors of John Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of John Smith, late of the Tanners Arms Public-house, Framwellgate, in the borough of Durham, Publican, Joiner and Builder, and Agent for the sale of Mc Neil and Co.'s Patent Felt, an insolvent debtor, who is now a Prisoner for debt in Her Majesty's Gaol of Durham, in the county of Durham, under and by virtue of the 1st and 2nd Viet., cap. 110, will be held on Saturday, the 30th day of May, 1857, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at Clark's Market Hotel, Market-place, Durham, to approve and direct in what manner, and at what time and place, the real estate of the said insolvent and the reversionary interest of the said insolvent in any real estate shall be sold by public auction, and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting any action or actions at law against certain persons, to be then and there named at the said meeting, to compel payments of certain moneys received by them upon the sale of certain stock in trade and other effects belonging to the said insolvent.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS IN IRELAND.

N.B.—See the Notice at the end of these Advertisements.

The following PRISONER, whose Estate and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court, having filed his Schedule, is ordered to be brought up before the Court, at the Court-House, No. 3, Lower Ormond-quay, Dublin, on the 27th day of May, 1857, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute :

Christopher Martin, late of No. 28, Lower Abbey-street, and No. 15, George's-place, both in the city of Dublin, also of No. 8, Union-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, in England, Commission Agent and General Merchant.

TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's Discharge, Notice of such intention must be entered in the Book kept at the Office for that purpose, between the hours of Half-past Ten in the Forenoon and Four in the Afternoon, *Three clear Days*, exclusive of *Sunday*, prior to the day of Hearing.

2. The Petitions and Schedules, and all Books, Papers, and Writings filed therewith, will be produced by the proper Officer, for Inspection and Examination, every *Monday, Wednesday, and Friday*, between the hours of Half-past Ten in the Forenoon, and Four in the Afternoon, up to the last day for entering Opposition.

All Letters must be Post-paid.

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