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FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1878.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 12, 1878.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 25th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 2, 1878.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 7th, and on Thursday, the 9th of May next, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Ladies, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Rooms, at Buckingham 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, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the name 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.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under the circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 2, 1878.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 17th of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command,

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose 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 Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to

be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations should be made at the Levee, except in accordance 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 His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 4, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Tuesday next, the 9th instant.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of April, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Colonel, the Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of April, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley a Principal Secretary of State, he was, this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 4th day of April, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, George Francis Hamilton, Esquire, commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 4th day of April, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder, commonly called Viscount Sandon, President of the Committee of Council for Trade.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 4th day of April, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to direct that the Right Honourable George Francis Hamilton, commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton, be appointed Vice President of the Committee of Council on Education; and that the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do prepare a Warrant for Her Majesty's Royal signature accordingly, under the provisions of an Act passed in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for the appointment of a Vice President of the Committee of Council on Education."

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.
Lord President.
Lord Privy Seal.
Duke of Devonshire.
Lord Chamberlain.
Earl of Derby.
Mr. Watson.

WHEREAS by section 18 of "The Extradition Act, 1870," it is among other things enacted, that if by any law made after the passing of the said Act by the Legislature of any British Possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such Possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in such British Possession, Her Majesty may, by the Order in Council applying the said Act in the case of any Foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, either—

Suspend the operation within any such British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such Foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer;—

Or direct that such Law or Ordinance, or any part thereof, shall have effect in such British Possession, with or without modifications and alterations, as if it were part of the Act:

And whereas by an Act enacted by the Legislature of the Leeward Islands, the short title of which is "The Leeward Islands Extradition Act, 1877," it is provided that "all powers vested in and acts authorized or required to be done by a Police Magistrate or any Justice of the Peace in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals in the United Kingdom under 'The Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873,' are thereby vested in and may in the Colony be exercised and done by any resident

Magistrate in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals under the said Acts."

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that the said Act shall not come into operation until Her Majesty shall by Order in Council direct that the said Act shall have effect within the Colony as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870," but that the said Act shall thereafter come into operation as soon as such Order in Council shall have been publicly made known in the Colony.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of "The Extradition Act, 1870," and in exercise of the power in that behalf in the said Act contained, doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, direct that the said Act shall have effect in the Colony of the Leeward Islands, without modification or alteration, as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870."

And the Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.
Lord President.
Lord Privy Seal.
Duke of Devonshire.
Lord Chamberlain.
Earl of Derby.
Mr. Watson.

WHEREAS by section 18 of "The Extradition Act, 1870," it is among other things enacted that if by any law made after the passing of the said Act by the Legislature of any British Possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such Possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in, or suspected of being in, such British Possession, Her Majesty may by the Order in Council applying the said Act in the case of any Foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, either—

Suspend the operation within any such British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such Foreign State, and so long as such Law continues in force there and no longer;

Or direct that such Law or Ordinance or any part thereof shall have effect in such British Possession, with or without modifications and alterations, as if it were part of the Act.

And whereas by an Act enacted by the Legislature of Queensland, the short title of which is, "The Extradition Act (Queensland), 1877," it is provided that "all powers vested in and acts authorized or required to be done by a Police Magistrate or any Justice of the Peace in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals in the United Kingdom under 'The Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873,' are thereby vested in and may in the Colony be exercised and done by any Police Magistrate in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals under the said Acts:"

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that the said Act shall not come into operation until Her Majesty shall by Order in Council direct that the said Act shall have effect within the Colony as if it were part of "The Extradition

Act, 1870," but that the said Act shall thereafter come into operation as soon as such Order in Council shall have been publicly made known in the Colony.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of "The Extradition Act, 1870," and in exercise of the power in that behalf in the said Act contained, doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, direct that the said Act shall have effect in the Colony of Queensland, without modification or alteration, as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870."

And the Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Merchant Shipping (Colonial) Act, 1869, it is (among other things) enacted, that where the Legislature of any British Possession provides for the examination of and grant of certificates of competency to persons intending to act as masters, mates, or engineers on board British ships, and the Board of Trade reports to Her Majesty that they are satisfied that the examinations are so conducted as to be equally efficient as the examinations for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping, and that the certificates are granted on such principles as to show the like qualifications and competency as those granted under the said Acts, and are liable to be forfeited for the like reasons, and in the like manner, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council,—

1. To declare that the said certificates shall be of the same force as if they had been granted under the said Acts.

2. To declare that all or any of the provisions of the said Acts which relate to certificates of competency granted under those Acts shall apply to the certificates referred to in the said Order.

3. To impose such conditions and to make such regulations with respect to the said certificates, and to the use, issue, delivery, cancellation, and suspension thereof, as to Her Majesty may seem fit, and to impose penalties not exceeding fifty pounds for the breach of such conditions and regulations.

And that upon the publication in the London Gazette of any such Order in Council as last aforesaid, the provisions therein contained shall, from a date to be mentioned for the purpose in such Order, take effect as if they had been contained in the Act, and that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to revoke any Order made as aforesaid.

And whereas the Legislature of the British Possession of Queensland has, by the Navigation Act, 1876, provided for the examination of and grant of certificates of competency for foreign ships to persons intending to act as masters, mates, or engineers on board British ships, which certificates are hereinafter denominated Colonial Certificates of Competency, and the Board of Trade have reported to Her Majesty that they are satisfied that the said examinations are so conducted as to be equally efficient as the examinations

for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping, and that the certificates are granted on such principles as to show the like qualifications and competency as those granted under the said Acts, and are liable to be forfeited for the like reasons and in the like manner:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said first recited Act, by and with the advice and consent of Her Privy Council, is pleased,—

1. To declare that the said Colonial Certificates of Competency granted by the Marine Board of the said possession of Queensland shall be of the same force as if they had been granted under the said Acts.

2. To declare that all the provisions of the said Acts which relate to certificates of competency for the foreign trade granted under those Acts, except so much of the 139th section of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, and the 10th section of the Merchant Shipping Amendment Act, 1862, as requires the delivery by the Board of Trade to any master, mate, or engineer of a copy of any certificate to which he appears to be entitled as therein mentioned, so much of the third paragraph of the 23rd section of the said last-mentioned Act as requires at the conclusion of a case relating to the cancelling or suspending of a certificate such certificate, if cancelled or suspended, to be forwarded to the Board of Trade, and the whole of the provisions of the fourth paragraph of the same section shall apply to such Colonial Certificates of Competency.

3. To impose and make the conditions and regulations following, numbered 1 to 10 respectively, with respect to the said Colonial Certificates of Competency, and to the use, issue, delivery, cancellation, and suspension thereof, and to impose for the breach of such conditions and regulations the penalties therein mentioned.

Form of Certificate.

1. Every such Colonial Certificate of Competency shall be on parchment and as nearly as possible similar in shape and form to the corresponding Certificate of Competency for the Foreign Trade granted by the Board of Trade under the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping.

Name of Possession to be inserted.

2. Every such Colonial Certificate of Competency shall have the name of the said possession of Queensland inserted prominently on its face and back.

Certificates to be numbered consecutively.

3. Such Colonial Certificates of Competency shall be numbered in consecutive order.

Lists of Certificates granted, cancelled, &c., to be sent to Registrar-General of Seamen.

4. The Government of the said possession shall furnish the Registrar-General of Seamen in London from time to time, with accurate lists of all such Colonial Certificates of Competency as may be granted by the Marine Board of the said possession as aforesaid, or as may for any cause whatsoever be cancelled, suspended, renewed, or reissued, and shall also furnish him with duplicates of the applications for examination made by the persons to whom such Certificates are granted.

Three Years Domicile or Service necessary.

5. Such Colonial Certificates of Competency shall be granted only to any person who, for

a period of three years immediately preceding his application for such Colonial Certificate, or for several periods amounting together to three years, the earliest of which shall have commenced within five years prior to such application, has been domiciled in, or has served in a ship or ships registered in one or more of the following Australasian Colonies, namely, the colonies on the continent of Australia and New Zealand, and Tasmania.

Certificates of Competency granted contrary to this regulation shall be regarded as improperly granted.

Certificates not to be granted when former are cancelled.

6. Such Colonial Certificates of Competency shall not be granted to any person who may have had a certificate, whether granted by the Board of Trade or by the Government of a British Possession, cancelled or suspended under the provisions of the said Acts or of any Act for the time being in force in any part of Her Majesty's dominions, unless the period of suspension has expired, or unless intimation has been received from the Board of Trade, or the Government by whom the cancelled or suspended certificate was originally granted, to the effect that no objection to the grant of such Colonial Certificate is known to exist, or unless a new certificate has been granted to him by such Board or Government; and in the last-named event no such Colonial Certificate of Competency shall be for a higher grade than the certificate so last granted as aforesaid.

Colonial Certificates of Competency granted contrary to this regulation shall be regarded as improperly granted.

Certificates improperly granted may be cancelled without formal investigation.

7. Any such Colonial Certificate of Competency which appears from information subsequently acquired, or otherwise, to have been improperly granted, whether in the above or in any other respect, may be cancelled by the Marine Board of the said possession, or by the Board of Trade in the United Kingdom, without any formal investigation, under "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," and the holder of such certificate shall thereupon deliver it to the Board of Trade or the Marine Board of the said possession, or as they or either of them may direct, and in default thereof shall incur a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds, which shall be recoverable in the same manner as penalties imposed by the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping are thereby made recoverable.

Cancellation, &c., of a Certificate shall involve cancellation of all the other Certificates possessed by its Owner.

8. Every decision with respect to the cancellation or suspension of a Certificate pronounced by any board, court, or tribunal under the provisions of the said Acts, shall extend equally to all the Colonial Certificates at the time possessed by the person in respect of whom the decision is made, as well as to all certificates granted to him under any of the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping, and whether such certificates be specified in such decision or not.

Certificates believed to be fraudulent may be demanded.

9. Any Officer of the Board of Trade, or the Registrar-General of Seamen, or any of his

officers, or a superintendent of a mercantile marine office, or a consular officer, or duly appointed shipping officer in a British possession, may demand the delivery to him of any such Colonial Certificate of Competency which he has reason to believe has been improperly issued, or is forged, altered, cancelled, or suspended, or to which the person using it is not justly entitled, and may detain such certificate for a reasonable period for the purpose of making enquiries respecting such issue, forgery, alteration, cancellation, suspension, or possession, and any person who, without reasonable cause, neglects or refuses to comply with such demand shall incur a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, which shall be recoverable in the same manner as penalties imposed by the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping are thereby made recoverable.

Suspended Certificates to be re-issued only by Colony by which originally granted.

10. Any such Colonial Certificate of Competency which has from any cause been cancelled or suspended, whether by a tribunal in Queensland, or elsewhere, shall be renewed or re-issued only by the Marine Board of the said Possession of Queensland.

This Order shall take effect in the said Possession of Queensland from and after the date hereof, and shall be deemed to apply to and take effect with respect to all such Colonial Certificates of Competency as shall have been granted as aforesaid since the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windscr, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the 333rd section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for every Pilotage Authority, by Bye-laws made with the consent of Her Majesty in Council, from time to time to do within its district all or any of the things specified in that behalf in the said section :

And whereas the Pilot Commissioners of the Port of King's Lynn, being the Pilotage Authority for the Port of King's Lynn within the meaning of the said Act, did, in exercise of the powers in them vested by that Act, make and submit for the consent of Her Majesty, in lieu of the then existing Bye-laws and Regulations, various Bye-laws and Regulations which have been approved by Order in Council dated the 21st day of February, 1874 :

And whereas one of the said Bye-laws (No. 37) is as follows : "The pilots hereafter licensed shall be divided into second and first class pilots, but all the present pilots shall be of the first class :

- "(a.) A candidate for the office of a pilot of the second class must have been employed for two years immediately preceding his appointment as mate of the pilot cutter, or five years at sea, two of which he must have served in the capacity of able seaman, and chiefly on board vessels trading to this port. He must have attained the age of 21 years, and must not exceed 30 years :
- "(b.) He will have to pass an examination before the Commissioners, and, if approved,

"he will be recommended to the Town Council as a proper person to become a licensed pilot :

- "(c.) On receiving his license the Headsman may authorise him to conduct any vessels, not exceeding ten feet draft of water, into and out of this port :

- "(d.) He will be entitled to participate in the monthly net earnings of the pilots to the extent of two-thirds of the share of the first class pilot :

- "(e.) A candidate for the office of a pilot of the first class must have been a second class pilot for two years, during which time his conduct must have been in all respects satisfactory. He will be required to pass a further examination before the Commissioners, and if approved will be admitted as a first class pilot, and authorised to conduct vessels of every description into and out of this port, and will be entitled to receive monthly a full share of the net earnings of the pilots."

And whereas the said Pilot Commissioners have submitted for the approval of Her Majesty the repeal of the above recited Bye-law, and the substitution of a new Bye-law, a copy of which is set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed :

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the said new Bye-law is reasonable and proper :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the power vested in Her by the said recited Act, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to approve of and signify Her consent to the said new Bye-law in lieu of the Bye-law No. 37 hereinbefore recited.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Order refers.

The pilots shall be divided into second and first class pilots :

- "(a.) A candidate for the office of a pilot of the second class must have been employed for two years immediately preceding his appointment as mate of the pilot cutter, or five years at sea, two of which he must have served in the capacity of able seaman, and chiefly on board vessels trading to this port. He must have attained the age of 21 years, and must not exceed 30 years :

- "(b.) He will have to pass an examination before the Commissioners, and, if approved, he will be recommended to the Town Council as a proper person to become a licensed pilot :

- "(c.) On receiving his license the Headsman may authorise him to conduct any vessels, not exceeding ten feet draft of water, into and out of this port during his first year of service, and not exceeding thirteen feet during his second year of service :

- "(d.) He will be entitled to participate in the monthly net earnings of the pilots to the extent of two-thirds of the share of a first class pilot :

- "(e.) A candidate for the office of a pilot of the first class must have been a second class pilot for two years, during which time his conduct must have been in all respects satisfactory. He will be required to pass a further examination before the Commissioners, and, if approved, will be admitted as a first class pilot, and authorised to conduct vessels of every description into and out of this port, and will be entitled to receive monthly a full share of the net earnings of the pilots."

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *March*, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the Bishop of any diocese, or by the Bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such enquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as herein after directed, cause with respect to his own diocese a statement in writing of the facts and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only; and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant."

And whereas, by an Act passed in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter ninety-eight, intituled "An Act to amend the law relating to the holding of benefices in plurality," it is enacted that the hereinbefore mentioned provisions of the said in part recited Act shall extend and be applicable notwithstanding the aggregate yearly value of such benefices shall exceed £500.

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act,

hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to your Majesty in Council—

"That the Right Reverend Christopher Lord Bishop of Lincoln as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Carlton Scroope and the rectory of Normanton, both in the county of Lincoln having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed one thousand five hundred persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice we inquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such inquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that the said rectory of Carlton Scroope is in the patronage of the Right Honourable Adelbert Wellington Brownlow Earl Brownlow and John Wood Andrews of Long Bennington in the county of Lincoln the former having two turns and the latter one in every three turns and that the said rectory of Normanton which is now vacant is in the patronage of the Most Honourable Frederick William John Marquis of Bristol but the right of presentation thereto has for this turn lapsed to the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln that the said patrons have respectively signified their consents in writing to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such inquiry and consent to your Majesty in Council we caused a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln our inquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of circumstances in reply thereto the consents in writing of the patrons and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the inquiry and consents aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only and for declaring that the patronage of the said united benefice whensoever the same shall become vacant shall be exercised as follows that is to say the first turn in every three turns shall belong to the said Adelbert Wellington Brownlow Earl Brownlow his heirs or assigns the second turn in every three turns shall belong to the said Frederick William John Marquis of Bristol his heirs or assigns the third turn in every three turns shall belong to the said John Wood Andrews his heirs or assigns and so on in the said order for ever.

"As witness our hand this nineteenth day of

February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and doth hereby order that the said rectory of Carlton Scroope and the rectory of Normanton both situate in the county and diocese of Lincoln shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

And Her Majesty in Council is pleased to give directions and declare that the course and succession in which the respective patrons for the time being shall present or nominate to the said united benefice from time to time as the same shall become vacant shall be as follows that is to say:—The first turn in every three turns shall belong to the said Adelbert Wellington Brownlow Earl Brownlow his heirs or assigns the second turn in every three turns shall belong to the said Frederick William John Marquis of Bristol his heirs or assigns the third turn in every three turns shall belong to the said John Wood Andrews his heirs or assigns and so on in the same order for ever.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," it is, amongst other things enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the bishop of any diocese, or by the bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as hereinafter directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation, to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories or vicarages with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks show cause in writing under his, her, or

their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only: and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant."

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to your Majesty in Council:—

"That the Right Reverend Christopher Lord Bishop of Lincoln as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the perpetual curacies or vicarages of Edingley and Halam both in the county of Nottingham having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed one thousand five hundred persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice, we inquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such enquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that the Right Reverend Robert Lord Bishop of Ripon being by virtue of his bishoprick the patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the said perpetual curacy or vicarage of Edingley if the same were now vacant and that the Right Reverend James Lord Bishop of Manchester being by virtue of his bishoprick the patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the said perpetual curacy or vicarage of Halam if the same were now vacant have respectively signified their consents in writing to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such enquiry and consent to your Majesty in Council, we caused a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln our inquiry into the circumstances of the case the statement of circumstances in reply thereto the consents in writing of the patrons and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the enquiry and consents aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case

your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only and for declaring that the patronage of the said united benefice whensoever the same shall become vacant shall be exercised by the said Lord Bishop of Ripon and the said Lord Bishop of Manchester and their respective successors alternately and that the first turn of presentation to the said united benefices shall belong to and be exercised by the Lord Bishop of Ripon for the time being.

"As witness our hand this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and doth hereby order that the said perpetual curacy or vicarage of Edingley and the perpetual curacy or vicarage of Halam, both situate in the county of Nottingham and diocese of Lincoln, shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

"And Her Majesty in Council is pleased to give directions and declare that the course and succession in which the respective patrons for the time being shall present or nominate to the said united benefice, from time to time as the same shall become vacant, shall be as follows; that is to say:—the first presentation shall be made by the Lord Bishop of Ripon for the time being and the next following presentation shall be made by the Lord Bishop of Manchester for the time being and so on alternately for ever.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of the Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," after reciting that "Whereas, in some instances, tithings, hamlets, chapelries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That when, with respect to his own diocese, it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district within the diocese of such archbishop, or the diocese of such bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed

"to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said archbishop or bishop shall draw up a scheme, in writing (the scheme of such bishop to be transmitted to the said archbishop for his consideration), describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent, in writing, under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas the Lord Bishop of Saint Asaph hath made a representation in writing to his Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"To the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Archibald Campbell by Divine Providence Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.

"I, the Right Reverend Joshua by Divine permission Lord Bishop of St. Asaph do hereby represent to your Grace as follows:—

"1. That in the county of Denbigh and my diocese of St. Asaph are the vicarage and parish of Abergele the limits and boundaries of which parish are well known and defined.

"2. That the population of Abergele according to the last census is three thousand one hundred and ninety-four and the parish church of Abergele affords accommodation for four hundred persons or thereabouts.

"3. That the net annual income of the said vicarage of Abergele amounts to three hundred and ninety-five pounds or thereabouts arising from vicarial tithe commutation rent-charge the rent of glebe land and surplice fees.

"4. That within the said county of Denbigh and my diocese aforesaid and immediately contiguous to the parish of Abergele on its western side are the rectory and parish of Llanddulas, the parish whereof contains a population according to the last census of six hundred and thirty and the parish church of Llanddulas affords accommodation for three hundred persons or thereabout.

"5. That the net annual income of the said rectory of Llanddulas is one hundred and thirty-five pounds or thereabout arising from rectorial tithe commutation rent-charge the rent of glebe land and surplice fees which income after the separation hereinafter proposed shall have been effected the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England will be prepared to augment to three hundred pounds.

"6. That the patronage of the said vicarage and parish church of Abergele and the patronage of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas be long to me in right of my See of St. Asaph and the Reverend David Evans is the vicar of the said vicarage and parish church of Abergele and the Reverend John Davies is the rector of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas.

"7. That it appears to me that under the provisions of the Act of Parliament passed in the session holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty chapter 106 intituled 'An Act to abridge the holding of Benefices in Plurality and to make better Provision for the Residence of the Clergy,' a portion of the said parish of Abergele which lies at a considerable distance from the parish church of Abergele but within a much shorter distance from the parish church of Llanddulas (most of the houses within such portion being on an average two miles distant from the parish church of Abergele whilst some are about one mile and a quarter the greater number within half a mile and some within a stone's throw from the parish church of Llanddulas and containing a population estimated at one hundred and twenty-three and an area of six hundred and thirty-five acres) may be advantageously separated from the said vicarage and parish of Abergele and be united to the said rectory and parish of Llanddulas for ecclesiastical purposes.

"8. That pursuant to the directions contained in the twenty-sixth section of the said Act of Parliament I have drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the mode in which it appears to me that the alteration above proposed may best be effected and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction dues rates and payments and in respect to rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested and I do submit the same to your Grace together with my consent as patron and the consents in writing of the vicar of the said vicarage and parish church of Abergele and of the rector of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas to the intent that your Grace may if on full consideration and enquiry you shall be satisfied with such scheme certify the same and such consents as aforesaid by your report to Her Majesty in Council.

"Given under my hand this twentieth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"J. St. Asaph."

And whereas the scheme and consents mentioned in the said representation are in the words and figures following that is to say:—

"The SCHEME referred to by the foregoing Representation.

1. "That there shall be separated from the vicarage and parish of Abergele in the county of Denbigh and within the diocese of St. Asaph and be united to and be and be deemed part and parcel of the rectory and parish of Llanddulas in the said county and diocese for ecclesiastical purposes the district hereinafter particularly referred to (that is to say) all such part of the said parish of Abergele as lies to the west of an imaginary line commencing at a point on the shore of the Irish Sea on the high water mark at ordinary tides on the north side of the Chester and Holyhead Branch of the London and North-Western Railway immediately opposite the north end of the fence separating the enclosure numbered 424 on the ordnance map of the said parish of Abergele on a scale of twenty-five inches to the mile from the inclosure numbered 457, on the said map and extending thence in a straight line in a south-westerly direction across the said railway to the said end of the said fence and continuing thence south-eastwardly along the middle to the south end of the said fence and across the road numbered 554 on the said map to the north-western corner of the inclosure numbered 456 on the said map and

extending thence in a south-eastwardly direction along the middle to the end of the fence separating the said inclosure numbered 456 from the inclosure numbered 443 on the said map and extending thence south-eastwardly along the middle to the end of the fence which separates the said inclosure numbered 443 from the inclosure numbered 500 on the said map and thence extending south-eastwardly in a straight line across the enclosure numbered 531 the road numbered 446 and the wood or plantation numbered 530 on the said map to a point in the middle of the north-west end of the fence which separates the said wood or plantation from the inclosure numbered 577 on the said map and thence extending in an eastwardly southwardly south eastwardly and south-westwardly direction along the middle of such last-mentioned fence and along the middle of the fences which separate the said wood or plantation and the inclosures numbered respectively 1097, 1095 and 1155 on the said map from the said inclosure numbered 577 and the inclosures numbered respectively 578, 1096, 1094, 1092, 1089, 1090, 1091, and 1152 on the said map to the centre of the public road numbered 1022 on the said map and thence extending in a south-eastwardly direction along the centre of such road to its junction with the road numbered 1161 on the said map and extending thence in a south-westwardly direction along the middle of such last-mentioned road to the boundary which divides the said parish of Abergele from the parish of Bettws-yn-Rhos in the said county and diocese.

"2. That the said district shall be subject to the same ecclesiastical jurisdiction as the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas and that the rector of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas shall have exclusive cure of souls within the limits of the same district.

"3. That all the fees and other ecclesiastical dues and payments for marriages churchings burials and other ecclesiastical offices solemnized and performed within the said district shall henceforth belong to the rector of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas.

"4. That the parishioners of and residing in the said district shall not henceforth be entitled to accommodation in the parish church of Abergele but shall be entitled in common with the inhabitants of the said parish of Llanddulas to accommodation in the parish church of Llanddulas and shall be exempt from all liability to repair the parish church of Abergele but shall be liable (subject to the provisions of 'The Compulsory Church Rates Abolition Act 1868') to the repair of the said parish church of Llanddulas.

"Given under my hand this twentieth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"J. St. Asaph."

"CONSENTS.

"We, the Right Reverend Joshua by Divine permission Lord Bishop of St. Asaph being in right of my See of St. Asaph the patron of or the person entitled to collate to the said vicarage and parish church of Abergele and to the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas in case the same were now respectively vacant, the Reverend David Evans the vicar of the said vicarage and parish church of Abergele and the Reverend John Davies the rector of the said rectory and parish church of Llanddulas do hereby respectively signify our consent to the scheme above proposed and set forth and to every matter and thing therein contained.

"In witness whereof we have respectively here-

unto set our hands this twentieth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"J. St. Asaph.

"David Evans.

"John Davies."

And whereas the said Lord Bishop hath transmitted the said scheme to the said Lord Archbishop together with the said consents.

And whereas the said Lord Archbishop being on full consideration and inquiry satisfied with such scheme hath certified the same and such consents as aforesaid by his report to Her Majesty in Council dated the 18th day of March, 1878, which report is in the words and figures following that is to say :—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury do hereby report to your Majesty in Council.

"That the Right Reverend Joshua Lord Bishop of St. Asaph has represented unto us (amongst other things),

"That in the county of Denbigh and diocese of St. Asaph are the vicarage and parish of Abergele the limits and boundaries of which parish are well known and defined.

"That within the said county of Denbigh and diocese aforesaid and immediately contiguous to the parish of Abergele on its western side are the rectory and parish of Llanddulas.

"That it appears to the said Lord Bishop that a portion of the said parish of Abergele which lies at a considerable distance from the parish church of Abergele but within a much shorter distance from the parish church of Llanddulas and (which portion is described in the scheme appended to the representation) may be advantageously separated from the said vicarage and parish of Abergele and be united to the said rectory and parish of Llanddulas for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That the said Lord Bishop has drawn up a scheme in writing describing the mode in which it appears to him the proposed alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent upon such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction dues rates and payments and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested which scheme together with the consents thereto in writing of the patron and incumbents of the benefices to be affected has been transmitted by the said Lord Bishop to us for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the consents before referred to are hereunto annexed.

"And we the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the Act of the first and second years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106 certify the same and such consents as aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for carrying the said scheme into effect.

"As witness our hand this eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that the said scheme of the said Lord Bishop of St. Asaph be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eight and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the seventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight in the words following; that is to say :—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two; have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Saviour, situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester, in the county of Leicester and in the diocese of Peterborough.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester; and of the new parish of Saint Matthew, Leicester, in the said county of Leicester, and in the said diocese of Peterborough, which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such respective new parishes.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester, and of the said said new parish of Saint Matthew, Leicester, should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Saviour, situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend William Connor, Bishop of the said diocese of Peterborough, as such Bishop, and also as the patron in right of his see of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester, and also of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Matthew, Leicester (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester, and of the said new parish of Saint Matthew, Leicester, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Saviour, situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Peter, Leicester, as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Saviour, Leicester.'

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises

into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet."

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Saviour, Leicester, being:—

"All that portion of the new parish of Saint Peter Leicester in the county of Leicester and in the diocese of Peterborough which is bounded on the east partly by the parish of Evington and partly by the parish of Belgrave both in the county and diocese aforesaid on the north-west by the herein-after described portion of the new parish of Saint Matthew Leicester in the said county and diocese on the west by the new parish of Saint Luke Leicester in the same county and diocese and on the remaining side that is to say on the south by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the last-named new parish from the new parish of Saint Peter Leicester aforesaid at the centre of the bridge which carries the line of the Midland Railway over Kent-street and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the said street for a distance of forty-one yards or thereabouts to its junction with Midway-street and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of one hundred and ten yards or thereabouts to its junction with Beal-street and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named street to its junction with Upper Kent-street and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of thirty-three yards or thereabouts to its junction with Berners-street and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of three hundred and fifty yards or thereabouts to its south-eastern end on the course of the proposed extension of Melbourne-road and extending thence northward along the central course of the said proposed extension of Melbourne-road for a distance of two hundred and forty-two yards or thereabouts to the public footpath leading to Bushby and extending thence eastward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of three hundred and ten yards or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Leicester from the parish of Evington aforesaid and also all that contiguous portion of the said new parish of Saint Matthew Leicester which is bounded on the north and on the east by the parish of Belgrave aforesaid on the south-east by the above-described portion of the new parish of Saint Peter Leicester aforesaid and on the remaining side that is to say on the north-west by an imaginary line commencing at the point at the centre of the bridge which carries the line of the Midland Railway aforesaid over Humberstone-road where the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Leicester from the new parish of Saint Luke Leicester aforesaid joins the boundary of the new parish of Saint Matthew Leicester aforesaid and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of three hundred and eighty-four yards or thereabouts to the boundary at Willow Brook which divides the said new parish of Saint Matthew Leicester from the parish of Belgrave aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation 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

representation, 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Peterborough.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty, King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Her Majesty, chapter sixty-three, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the seventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of his late Majesty King William the Fourth chapter seventy-seven, of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of your Majesty chapter sixty-three have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme relating to two rural deaneries within the Archdeaconry of Cleveland in the diocese of York that is to say relating to the Rural Deanery of Guisbrough and the Rural Deanery of Stokesley, being two of the rural deaneries included in the schedule under the hand and seal of the Bishop of the said diocese of York which in pursuance of the lastly hereinbefore mentioned Act has been prepared and deposited in the Registry of the same diocese setting forth the portions or divisions of the diocese of York which at the time of the passing of the same Act were accounted and held to be rural deaneries.

"Whereas by the said schedule it appears that the said two Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley together comprise and consist of fifty-one parishes or other cures or thereabouts being the parishes or other cures which are named in the three schedules to this scheme annexed.

"And whereas the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Archbishop of York has made it appear to us that it would be expedient that the said two Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley should be divided and re-arranged so that the same two rural deaneries shall become three rural deaneries by the names to them respectively hereinafter given; and so that the whole aggregate area of the said two Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley and all the parishes and other cures therein contained shall be divided and distributed amongst the said three proposed rural deaneries in manner hereinafter appearing.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said William Archbishop of York in testimony of which consent he has to this scheme set his hand and

episcopal seal we humbly recommend and propose that upon and from the day on which any Order of your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall be published in the London Gazette and without any assurance in the law other than such duly gazetted Order the said two Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley shall be divided into and shall become three rural deaneries; and that one of such three rural deaneries shall be called the Rural Deanery of Middlesbrough and shall comprise and consist of the parishes or other cures which are named in the first schedule to this scheme annexed each of which parishes or other cures is now within one or the other of the said two present Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley and will henceforth in its entirety be within the same Rural Deanery of Middlesbrough so to be constituted as aforesaid; and that another of the said three rural deaneries shall be called the Rural Deanery of Stokesley and shall comprise and consist of the parishes or other cures which are named in the second schedule to this scheme annexed; each of which lastly-mentioned parishes or other cures is now within one or the other of the said two present Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley and will henceforth in its entirety be within the same Rural Deanery of Stokesley so to be constituted as aforesaid; and that the third of the said three rural deaneries shall be called the Rural Deanery of Whitby and shall comprise and consist of the parishes or other cures which are named in the third schedule to this scheme annexed; each of which lastly-mentioned parishes or other cures is now within the said present Rural Deanery of Guisbrough, and will henceforth in its entirety be within the same Rural Deanery of Whitby so to be constituted as aforesaid.

"And we further recommend and propose that each of the said three rural deaneries so to be constituted as aforesaid to wit the Rural Deanery of Middlesbrough and the Rural Deanery of Stokesley and the Rural Deanery of Whitby shall be, as each of the said two present Rural Deaneries of Guisbrough and Stokesley has been hitherto as aforesaid a rural deanery within the said Archdeaconry of Cleveland in the said diocese of York, and that the rural deans of the said three Rural Deaneries of Middlesbrough Stokesley and Whitby respectively shall be each of them under and subject to the jurisdiction authority and control of the archdeacon for the time being of the said Archdeaconry of Cleveland and that the clergy and other inhabitants of the same three rural deaneries respectively shall be under and subject to the jurisdiction authority and control of the rural dean of that one of the same three rural deaneries of which they are inhabitants as aforesaid and not to the jurisdiction authority and control of any other rural dean.

And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing hereafter to your Majesty in Council any other matter or thing relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any of them or of any other Act of Parliament.

"The First SCHEDULE in the foregoing Scheme mentioned.

"The Rural Deanery of Middlesbrough: being the area comprised within and co-extensive with the aggregate areas of all the parishes or other

cures, the name and quality of each of which, together with the name of the rural deanery within which each of the same parishes or other cures has been hitherto situate, are hereinafter set forth; that is to say:—

Parish or other Cure.	Rural Deanery in which Parish or Cure has been hitherto situate.
1. Brotton Parva R.	Guisbrough
2. Guisbrough R.	do.
3. Skelton in Cleveland R.	do.
4. Coatham, East, Christ Church V.	Stokesley
5. Eston V. with Normanby	do.
6. Kirkleatham V.	do.
7. Marske R.	do.
8. Marton in Cleveland V.	do.
9. Middlesbrough St. Hilda V.	do.
10. Middlesbrough St. John the Evangelist V.	do.
11. Middlesbrough St. Paul P. C. or V.	do.
12. Middlesbrough St. Peter V.	do.
13. Ormesby V.	do.
14. Ormesby, North, Holy Trinity P. C.	do.
15. Redcar St. Peter P. C.	do.
16. Saltburn by the Sea Emmanuel P. C.	do.
17. Upleatham V.	do.
18. Wilton V.	do.
19. Thornaby V.	do.
20. Acklam, West, V.	do.

"The Second SCHEDULE in the foregoing Scheme mentioned.

"The Rural Deanery of Stokesley: being the area comprised within and co-extensive with the aggregate areas of all the parishes or other cures, the name and quality of each of which, together with the name of the rural deanery within which each of the same parishes or other cures has been hitherto situate, are hereinafter set forth; that is to say:—

Parish or other Cure.	Rural Deanery in which Parish or Cure has been hitherto situate.
1. Ayton, Great V.	Stokesley
2. Crathorne R.	do.
3. Hilton V.	do.
4. Ingleby Greenhow V.	do.
5. Kildale, R.	do.
6. Kirby in Cleveland V. and R.	do.
7. Kirkleavington V.	do.
8. Newton in Cleveland V.	do.
9. Nunthorpe P. C.	do.
10. Rudby in Cleveland V. with Middleton upon Leven C. and East Rounton C.	do.
11. Seamer in Cleveland V.	do.
12. Stainton V.	do.
13. Stokesley R.	do.
14. Westerdale V.	do.
15. Yarm R.	do.
16. Danby V. with Castleton	Guisbrough

"The Third SCHEDULE in the foregoing Scheme mentioned.

"The Rural Deanery of Whitby: being the area comprised within and co-extensive with the aggregate areas of all the parishes or other cures, the name and quality of each of which, together with the name of the rural deanery within which each of the same parishes or other cures has been hitherto situate, are hereinafter set forth; that is to say:—

Parish or other Cure.	Rural Deanery in which Parish or Cure has been hitherto situate.
1. Aislaby V.	Guisbrough
2. Easington R. with Liverton C.	do.
3. Egton, P. C. or V.	do.
4. Eskdaleside or Sleights P. C. or V. with Ugglebarnby P. C. or V.	do.
5. Fylingdales P. C. or V. ...	do.
6. Glaisdale P. C. or V. ...	do.
7. Goathland P. C. or V. ...	do.
8. Grosmont P. C. or V. ...	do.
9. Hinderwell R. with Roxby C.	do.
10. Loft-house or Loftus R. ...	do.
11. Lythe V.	do.
12. Ruswarp St. Bartholomew V.	do.
13. Sneaton R.	do.
14. Ugthorpe V.	do.
15. Whitby R. with St. John C. and St. Michael C. and Baxtergate C.	do."

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 Acts; 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 said diocese of York.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a representation, bearing date the fourteenth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight in the words and figures following, that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the eighth

and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty chapter ninety-seven of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Peter situate at Prickwillow in the parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely in the county of Cambridge and in the diocese of Ely.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Ely, of the parish of Littleport in the said county of Cambridge and in the said diocese of Ely, of the new parish of Saint John, Little Ouse, situate partly in the county of Norfolk, and partly in the said county of Cambridge and wholly in the said diocese of Ely, and of the parishes of Mildenhall, and of Lakenheath, both in the county of Suffolk, and in the diocese of Ely aforesaid, which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such respective cures.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely, of the said parish of Littleport, of the said new parish of Saint John Little Ouse, and of the said parishes of Mildenhall and of Lakenheath should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Peter situate at Prickwillow as aforesaid.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend James Russell Bishop of the said diocese of Ely as such Bishop, and also as the patron in right of his see, of the vicarage of the said parish of Littleport and also of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint John, Little Ouse, with the consent of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of the Holy and Undivided Trinity, in the city of Ely, and in the aforesaid diocese of Ely, the patrons of the vicarage of the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Ely, and also of the vicarage of the said parish of Lakenheath, and with the consent of Sir Charles James Fox Bunbury of Barton in the said county of Suffolk, Baronet, the patron of the vicarage of the said parish of Mildenhall (in testimony of which consent they the said James Russell, Bishop of the said diocese of Ely, and the said Charles James Fox Bunbury have respectively signed and sealed this representation and they the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of the Holy and Undivided Trinity in the city of Ely have affixed their common or corporate seal to this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly represent that it would in our opinion be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely, of the said parish of Littleport, of the said new parish of Saint John, Little Ouse, and of the said parishes of Lakenheath and of Mildenhall which are described in the schedule hereunder written all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Peter situate at Prickwillow as aforesaid and that the same

should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Peter Prickwillow.'

"We therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration and to make such Order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Peter, Prickwillow being:—

"All those several contiguous portions of the parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Ely, and of the parish of Littleport, both in the county of Cambridge and in the diocese of Ely, of the new parish of Saint John, Little Ouse, situate partly in the county of Norfolk and partly in the said county of Cambridge, and wholly in the diocese of Ely aforesaid, and of the parishes of Mildenhall and of Lakenheath both in the county of Suffolk and in the diocese of Ely aforesaid which said portions of such respective cures are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Littleport from the parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely aforesaid at a point in the middle of the River Ouse at or near to its junction with the River Lark opposite to the houses called or known as the Branch and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named river for a distance of fifty-two chains or thereabouts to a point opposite to the middle of the road called or known as Third Drove and extending thence south-westward to and along the middle of the said road for a distance of thirty-eight chains or thereabouts to a point opposite to a boundary stone inscribed 'P. St. P. C. C. 1878, No. 1,' and placed on the south-eastern side of the same road at the northern end of the drain or watercourse dividing the closes numbered respectively 965 and 966 upon the tithe commutation map of the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Ely, and upon the map hereunto annexed from the closes numbered respectively 964 and 963 upon the same maps and extending thence southward to such boundary stone and along the middle of the said drain or watercourse for a distance of twenty-one chains or thereabouts to the southern end of the same drain or watercourse on the northern side of the road called or known as Second Drove, and extending thence south-eastward and in a direct line diagonally across the last-named road to a boundary stone inscribed 'P. St. P. C. C. 1878, No. 2,' and placed on the southern side of the said last-named road at the northern end of the drain or watercourse dividing the close numbered 937 upon the said maps from the closes numbered respectively 936 and 923 upon the same maps and extending thence first southward and then westward along the middle of the last-mentioned drain or watercourse to its junction with the drain or watercourse which divides the close numbered 922 upon the said maps from the close numbered 923 as aforesaid and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-mentioned drain or watercourse to the southern end of the same drain or watercourse on the northern side of the line of the Great Eastern Railway and continuing thence still southward and in a direct line across the said line of railway to a boundary stone inscribed 'P. St. P. C. C. 1878, No. 3,' and placed on the northern side of the road leading from Ely to Prickwillow and called or known as First Drove, and extending thence first southward to the middle of such

road and then north-eastward and then eastward along the middle of the same road for a distance of fourteen chains or thereabouts to a point opposite to a boundary stone inscribed 'P. St. P. C. C. 1878, No. 4,' and placed near to the house called or known as Mags Mount on the southern side of the said road at the northern end of the drain or watercourse dividing the close numbered 926 upon the said maps from the house and garden called or known as Mags Mount as aforesaid and numbered 930 and from the closes numbered respectively 929 and 927 upon the same maps and extending thence that is, from the last-described point in the middle of the said last-mentioned road, southward to the last-described boundary stone and along the middle of the last-mentioned drain or watercourse for a distance of fifteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with the old course of the River Ouse and continuing thence still in the same direction and in a straight line across the said old course of the same river, and across the old road leading from Ely to Prickwillow for a further distance of three chains or thereabouts to a boundary stone inscribed 'P. St. P. C. C. 1878, No. 5,' and placed on the southern side of the same old road upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely from the chapelry of Stuntney in the same parish or parochial chapelry and extending thence first eastward and then southward along the last-mentioned boundary for a distance of fifty-four chains or thereabouts to its junction with the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely from the parish of Soham in the said county of Cambridge and in the diocese of Ely aforesaid, and extending thence first eastward then north-eastward and then south-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary for a distance of about two miles (thereby following in the last-named direction the course of the River Lark aforesaid) to the point where the same boundary joins the boundary which divides the said county of Cambridge from the county of Suffolk which said county boundary at this point divides the said parish of Soham from the parish of Mildenhall aforesaid and continuing thence still south-eastward for a distance of three quarters of a mile or thereabouts along the last-mentioned parish and county boundary thereby continuing to follow the course of the River Lark aforesaid to a point in the middle of the same river opposite to the western end of the roadway called or known as Cross Bank on the eastern side of the same river, and extending thence, that is, from the last-described point on the county boundary in the middle of the said river eastward and in a direct line to the point at the middle of the western end of the last-named roadway where it joins the roadway leading from Prickwillow along the north-eastern bank of the said river to Mildenhall and extending thence that is from the last-described point of junction first generally eastward and then south-eastward along the middle of the roadway called or known as Cross Bank aforesaid for a distance of one mile and sixty-seven chains or thereabouts to its junction with the road called or known as Friesland Drove and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of forty-four chains or thereabouts to the point at or near to the house and buildings called or known as Friesland Farm where the same road joins the turnpike road leading from Littleport to Mildenhall and called or known as Mildenhall-road, and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named turnpike-road for a distance of nineteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with the road

called or known as Manning's Drove, and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of fifty-seven chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said parish of Mildenhall from the parish of Lakenheath aforesaid, and extending thence northward along the last-mentioned boundary for a distance of about one mile and a half to a point in the middle of the roadway called or known as Cross Bank aforesaid and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named roadway for a distance of one mile or thereabouts to its junction with the road called or known as Sedge Fen Drove and continuing thence still eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of one mile or thereabouts to its junction with the road which leads from Lakenheath to Brandon Creek Bridge and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-described road for a distance of about two miles (thereby crossing the line of the Great Eastern Railway aforesaid and passing in part along the southern bank of the Little Ouse or Brandon River) to the boundary which divides the said county of Suffolk from the county of Norfolk aforesaid, and which at this point divides the said parish of Lakenheath from the parish of Hockwold-cum-Wilton in the said county of Norfolk and in the diocese of Norwich, and extending thence south-westward along the last-mentioned county and parish boundary for a distance of one mile and thirty-one chains or thereabouts to its junction with the boundary which divides the said county of Norfolk from the county of Cambridge aforesaid and which at this point divides the said parish of Hockwold-cum-Wilton from the new parish of Saint John Little Ouse aforesaid and extending thence first northward along that part of the last-mentioned county boundary which separates the two last-named cures for a distance of thirty-six chains or thereabouts and then north-westwards for a further distance of two and a quarter miles or thereabouts along that part of the same county boundary which intersects the said new parish of Saint John Little Ouse, to a point in the middle of Little Drain, and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named drain for a distance of about one mile and a half to a point at the junction of the same drain with Mildenhall Drain upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint John, Little Ouse from the parish of Littleport aforesaid and continuing thence, that is, from the last-mentioned boundary still south-westward and in a direct line across the said turnpike-road leading from Littleport to Mildenhall and called or known as Mildenhall-road as aforesaid, to its junction with the road called or known as Mile End Drove and continuing thence still in the same direction along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said parish of Littleport from the parish or parochial chapelry of the Holy Trinity Ely aforesaid, and extending thence generally westward along the last-mentioned boundary for a distance of about two miles and a half to the first-described point in the middle of the said River Ouse at or near its junction with the River Lark aforesaid opposite to the houses called or known as the Branch as aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas the said representation 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

representation, 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Ely.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a representation, bearing date the twenty-first day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words following; that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Lawrence, situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey, within the limits of the parish of Calverley in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Lawrence situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Robert Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Calverley which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Lawrence situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Lawrence, Pudsey.'

"And with the like consent of the said Robert Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials, should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for

the time being : Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Lawrence Pudsey being :

"All that part of the parish of Calverley in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon which is comprised within and is co-extensive with the limits (firstly) of that the main portion of the township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey which is not included either within the limits of the new parish of Saint Paul Pudsey or within the limits of the district chapelry of Saint Mary Laister Dike both in the county and diocese aforesaid all which part of the said parish of Calverley is bounded on the north-west partly by the said district chapelry of Saint Mary Laister Dike and partly by the boundary which divides the said township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey from the township of Calverley with Farsley in the parish of Calverley aforesaid on the north partly by the new parish of Saint John the Evangelist Farsley in the said county and diocese and partly by the new parish of Saint Paul Pudsey aforesaid on the east partly by the new parish of Saint Thomas Stanningley and partly by the new parish of Saint Michael Farnley both in the said county and diocese and on the remaining side that is to say on the south by the parochial chapelry of Tong in the parish of Birstal in the county and diocese aforesaid : and (secondly) of all that detached and outlying portion of the said township and parochial chapelry of Pudsey which is situate on the northern side of Farnley Beck near to the place called or known as 'Dutch Dame' and which is bounded on the south by the new parish of Saint Michael Farnley aforesaid on the west by the new parish of Saint Thomas Stanningley aforesaid and on the north by the parochial chapelry of Bramley in the parish of Leeds in the county and diocese aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation 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 representation, 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Ripon.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George

the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the seventh day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint John the Baptist situate in the ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton within the original limits of the parish of Preston in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint John the Baptist situate in the ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend James Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those portions of the said ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton within the parish of Preston as aforesaid, which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said Church of Saint John the Baptist situate in the ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint John the Baptist Broughton.'

"And with the like consent of the said James Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being : Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint John the Baptist Broughton being :—

"All that the main portion of the ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton within the original limits of the parish of Preston in the

county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester which now remains under the ecclesiastical supervision of the Incumbent of Broughton and which is bounded on the south by the new parish of Fulwood on the east partly by the new parish of St. Michael Grimsargh and partly by the parish of Goosnargh on the north partly by the last-named parish and partly by the new parish of Saint Lawrence Barton and on the west partly by the last-named new parish partly by the parochial chapelry of Woodplumpton and partly by the new parish of Saint Andrew Ashton-upon-Ribble all which said cures are situate in the said county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester aforesaid. And also all that isolated and detached portion of the said ancient parochial chapelry of Broughton which is situate a little to the west of the boundary in Sandyforth-lane which divides the main portion of the said ancient parochial chapelry from the parochial chapelry of Woodplumpton as aforesaid and which said isolated and detached portion is surrounded on all sides by the parochial chapelry of Woodplumpton aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation 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 representation, 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Manchester.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of March, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the seventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, in the words following; that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Idle within the limits of the parish of Calverley in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said

church of the Holy Trinity situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Idle as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Robert Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of Calverley which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of the Holy Trinity situate in the township and parochial chapelry of Idle as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of the Holy Trinity Idle.'

"And with the like consent of the said Robert Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such order with respect thereto as to your Majesty, in your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet."

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Idle, being:—

"All that part of the parish of Calverley in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon which is comprised within and is co-extensive with the limits of that portion of the township and parochial chapelry of Idle which is not included within the limits of the new parish of Christ Church Windhill in the county and diocese aforesaid, all which said part of such parish is bounded on the north-west north and north-east by the River Aire or in other words on the north-west by the new parish of Saint John Baildon on the north by the new parish of Saint Paul Esholt and on the north-east partly by the new parish of Yeadon and partly by the parochial chapelry of Rawden in the parish of Guiseley all in the county and diocese aforesaid on the south-east by the Haigh Beck or in other words by the new parish of Saint Luke Eccleshill in the same county and diocese on the south-west by the boundary dividing the said township and parochial chapelry of Idle from the township of Bolton in the said parish of Calverley and on the west by the new parish of Christ Church Windhill aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation 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 representation, 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 Acts; 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 said diocese of Ripon.

C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, April 2, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council from the Town Council of the borough of Leominster, praying that Her Majesty in Council, under the Act 22 Vict., cap. 35, will be pleased to fix the number of wards into which the said borough shall be divided. And notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on Thursday, the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

Foreign Office, March 18, 1878.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint James Reginald Graham, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Islay, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Republic of Nicaragua, to reside at Grey Town.

Foreign Office, March 30, 1878.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Louis Bols as Consul-General at Quebec, with jurisdiction over Canada, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Niboyet as Consul at Newcastle, of Mr. Ballieu as Consul at Sydney, and of Mr. Faucconnet as Consul at Melbourne for the French Republic.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Baron Charles Horace de Caila as Consul at St. Louis for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. W. Wyley Lord as Vice-Consul at Birmingham for the Republic of Chile.

Crown Office, April 5, 1878.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present **PARLIAMENT.**

Borough of Belfast.

William Ewart, Esq., of Glenmachan House, in the county of Down, in the place of William Johnston, Esq., who has accepted the office of an Inspector of Fisheries in Ireland.

Admiralty, 3rd April, 1878.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Captain David Nairne Welch has been placed on the Retired List from the 1st instant, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain from the same date.

Admiralty, 4th April, 1878.

The following promotions have been made :—

Commanders :

Charles Barstow Theobald,
Henry St. Leger Bury Palliser,
Uvedale Corbet Singleton,
Ernest Rice,
Frederick Samuel Vander-Meulon,
Hilary Gustavus Andoe,

to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 25th March, 1873.

Lieutenants :

Edwin Hotham,
John Hope,
Robert Watts Davies,
Alfred Thomas Bagge,
Edward Hicks,
Swinton Colthurst Holland,
Alan Brodrick Thomas,
Herbert Ward Dowding,

to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 25th March, 1878.

Lieutenant Reginald Neville Custance to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 31st March, 1878.

The undermentioned Navigating Lieutenants have been transferred to the list of Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

John William Brown, with seniority from the 10th August, 1877.
Richard Harriman Wellings, with seniority from the 19th November, 1877.

Naval Instructor the Reverend Nisbett Baggallay Lodge has been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 2nd instant.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
5th April, 1878.*

STAFF.

Intelligence Branch, Major-General Sir Archibald Alison, Bart., K.C.B., from Commandant of the Staff College, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General at Head Quarters, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Patrick Leonard McDougall, K.C.M.G., whose period of Service in that appointment is about to expire. Dated 1st May, 1878.

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

Charles Mark Palmer, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th March, 1878.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

William Thorold, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 25th March, 1878.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

William Drummond Ogilvie Hay Newton, Esq.,
to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th March,
1878.

Whitehall, April 4, 1878.

THE Managers of the Home for Little Boys Industrial School, at Horton Kirby, near Farningham, in the county of Kent, have given notice to the Secretary of State of their intention to resign the Certificate granted to that School under the provisions of the Statute 29 and 30 Vic., cap. 118.

*Civil Service Commission,
April 3, 1878.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for situations in the Civil Service (Class I); viz.:—

Of the Candidates examined on April 2, 1878—

Bain, John
Binckes, Ernest George
Black, John George
Crouch, Warwick Wyatt
de Sausmarez, George Spencer
Fenner, George Hamilton
Harris, Charles Alexander
Hollway, Henry Calthrop
Large, Robert
Podmore, Frank
Pollen, Charles John Hungerford
Winn, Rowland George Allanson

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1876.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Prescribing Register of "Attendance" as regards Workhouse Schools:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Unions and Separate Parishes in England and Wales:—

To the Boards of Management of the several District Schools formed under the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and the Acts amending the same:—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Local Government Board by a General Order dated the 27th day of October, 1877, gave directions with respect to the attendance, for the purpose of the Elementary Education Acts, of children attending Workhouse Schools certified by the Board to be efficient; and it is

expedient that provision should be made with respect to the registration of attendances in every Workhouse School, as hereinafter mentioned;

Now therefore, we, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order as follows, with respect to the registration of the attendance of children in every Workhouse School:—

ARTICLE I.—The Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, as the case may be, shall, within fifteen minutes from the commencement of the required instruction in secular subjects, mark the attendance of each child present at every meeting of the school in an Attendance Register according to the Form No. 1 in the Schedule to this Order; and shall from time to time make out a summary of the Attendance Register according to the Form No. 2 in the said Schedule, which summary shall be duly examined and signed by the Clerk.

ARTICLE II.—The Attendance Registers shall be produced to the Visiting Committee, on their visits to the school, and to the Guardians or the Board of Management at such times as they may direct.

ARTICLE III.—Every Attendance Register shall be carefully preserved by the Guardians or the Board of Management for ten years.

ARTICLE IV.—The standards of examination to be observed shall be those prescribed in the Code of the Education Department in force for the time being. A list of the children arranged according to such standards shall be prepared by the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, as the case may be, and presented to the School Inspector of the Local Government Board at the time of his annual examination of the school.

ARTICLE V.—The instruction in the School shall be given at the time specified in a Timetable to be prepared by the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress and approved by the Guardians or Board of Management, as the case may be.

ARTICLE VI.—In this Order,—

The word "Union" includes any Union of Parishes incorporated or united for the relief or maintenance of the Poor under any Act of Parliament;

The term "Separate Parish" means a Parish or Place which is under a separate Board of Guardians;

The word "Guardians" includes any Governors, Directors, Managers, Acting Guardians, Vestrymen, or other Officers appointed or entitled to act in the distribution or ordering of relief to the Poor from the Poor Rates under any Act of Parliament;

The term "Clerk" means the Clerk to the Guardians or the Clerk to the Board of Management, as the case may be;

The term "Workhouse School" includes any School belonging to a Union or Separate Parish which is under distinct management from that of the Workhouse, whether the School Buildings are part of the Workhouse Premises or, being separate from the Workhouse, are situated either within or without the limits of the Union or Separate Parish, and also any School belonging to a School District formed under the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and Acts amending the same.

FORM No. 1.

SCHEDULE.

Attendance Register.

Form No. 1.

2396

UNION,

Quarter ending _____ 18 ____
Workhouse School at _____

No.	NAME.	Age last Birth-day.	Standard in which last Examined.	ATTENDANCES DURING THE WEEKS ENDED																								Total Attendances for the Week.	Total Attendances for the Quarter.	No.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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The Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, as the case may be, is responsible for the accurate keeping of this Register.

Every attendance must be marked in ink at each Meeting of the School; the Morning attendance by a stroke marked thus /; the Afternoon attendance, thus \

A horizontal line — will denote that no meeting of the School has taken place.

Absence through sickness must be shown by the letter "s."

Absence on account of industrial work should be shown by the letter "w."

Absence through any other cause should be shown by the letter "a."

There should be no erasures and no blanks.

TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOL MEETINGS }
DURING THE QUARTER . . . }

Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress,

THE LONDON GAZETTE, APRIL 5, 1878.

FORM No. 2.

Summary of Attendance Register.

Year ending _____ 18__.

UNION.

No.	NAMES.	Standard in which last examined.	Attendances during the Quarters ended				Total Attendance for the Year.
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18							
TOTALS							

NUMBER OF SCHOOL MEETINGS:—

Quarter ended
Quarter ended
Quarter ended
Quarter ended	...	...	...	...	...

TOTAL

* Average Number of Scholars
in Attendance

* The Average number of Scholars in attendance will be found by dividing the Total number of Attendances by the Total number of School Meetings.

Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress.

Examined on behalf of the Guardians,

{ Clerk to the Guardians [or to the
Board of Management].

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this third day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

L. S.

G. Slater-Booth,
President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Appledore with the chapelry of Ebony annexed, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the seventeenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Appledore with the chapelry of Ebony annexed shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year of a certificate under the hand of the Archbishop of Canterbury, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Archbishop, has been employed within the parish of Appledore with Ebony aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended; Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Appledore with Ebony.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the district chapelry and benefice of the Holy Trinity, North Ormesby, in the county of York, and in the diocese of York, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same district chapelry and benefice, one yearly sum or stipend of eighty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: And we do also hereby grant and appropriate, out of our said common fund, to the said district chapelry and benefice of the Holy Trinity, North Ormesby, one capital sum of one thousand and five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said district chapelry and benefice, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said district chapelry and benefice of the Holy Trinity, North Ormesby: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend of eighty pounds, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said district chapelry and benefice, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part

thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Stainton (in Cleveland), in the county of York, and in the diocese of York, one capital sum of four hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of improving the parsonage or house of residence of the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Stainton.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of a piece or parcel of land comprising one thousand two hundred and fourteen square yards (or thereabouts) which has been permanently secured to the vicarage of Saint Peter, Parr, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Chester, and of a further benefaction, consisting of a sum of five hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the same vicarage, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said vicarage of Saint Peter, Parr, to meet the said benefactions, one capital sum of six hundred and eighty-three pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Saint Peter, Parr.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of two hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Saint Andrew, Huddersfield, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said vicarage of Saint

Andrew, Huddersfield, to meet such benefaction, one capital sum of two hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Saint Andrew, Huddersfield.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the rectory of the Holy Trinity, Wavertree, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Chester, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year; Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said rectory shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of Chester, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish of the Holy Trinity, Wavertree aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and rectory of the Holy Trinity, Wavertree.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of five hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the rectory of Saint Lawrence, in the city of Norwich, in the county of Norfolk, and in the diocese of Norwich, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same rectory, and to his successors, a yearly sum of sixteen pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said rectory of Saint Lawrence, in the city of Norwich, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction one other yearly sum or stipend of sixteen pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the

day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said rectory, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the consolidated chapelry and benefice of Emmanuel, Maida Hill, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London, one capital sum of one thousand five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said consolidated chapelry and benefice, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said consolidated chapelry and benefice of Emmanuel, Maida Hill.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of two hundred and fifty pounds, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Frampton, in the county of Lincoln, and in the diocese of Lincoln, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of eight pounds six shillings and eight pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Frampton, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of eight pounds six shillings and eight pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage of Frampton, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such

yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint John, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, and in the diocese of Rochester, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all that piece or parcel of land and hereditaments, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and now vested in us: To have and to hold the said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments with their appurtenances to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage, shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the rents, profits, and proceeds of the said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments, with their appurtenances, for and in respect of the period intervening between the twenty-fourth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

Schedule.

All that piece or parcel of land, situate in the new parish of Saint John, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, at a distance of about three hundred and fifty-five feet from the Walworth-road, and bounded on the north and west by a street in course of construction, to be called Larcom-street, on the south by the churchyard of the parish church of Saint John, Walworth, and on the east by property belonging to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, and which said piece or parcel of land contains in width from east to west twenty-eight feet, and in depth from north to south about eighty-one feet, and is more particularly delineated on the plan hereunto annexed, and is thereon coloured pink.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction consisting of a clear yearly rent-charge of seventy-seven pounds, which has been permanently secured to the vicarage or benefice of Saint John the Baptist, Alnmouth, in the parish of Lesbury, in the county of Northumberland, and in the diocese of Durham, and in consideration also of a further benefaction, consisting of certain yearly tithe commutation rent-charges, amounting together to twenty-six pounds fifteen shillings and tenpence, and formerly part of the revenues of the vicarage of Lesbury aforesaid, which said tithe commutation rent-charges have also been permanently secured to the said vicarage or benefice of Saint John the Baptist, Alnmouth, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage or benefice of Saint John

the Baptist, Alnmouth, and to his successors, to meet the aforesaid benefactions, one yearly sum or stipend of fifty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage or benefice, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

In Parliament.—Session 1878.

Bristol and Portishead Pier and Railway Company.

(Portishead Docks.)

(Extension of Time for Completion of Works authorized by the Portishead Docks Act, 1871; Additional Capital; Purchase of Lands compulsorily and by Agreement; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Bristol and Portishead Pier and Railway Company (hereinafter called "the Company") intend to apply to Parliament for leave to bring in a Bill in the present session for all or some of the following among other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To extend the time limited by the Portishead Docks Act, 1871, for the completion of the works by that Act authorized and to make the provisions of that Act applicable in relation to the time so extended.

2. To authorize the Company to purchase or otherwise acquire compulsorily, or by agreement, lands, houses, and other property, and to stop up, alter, and divert roads, highways, footways, streams, water-courses, drains, pipes, and other works.

3. To authorize the Company to raise additional capital by the creation and issue of shares and stock, or either, on such terms and conditions, with such preferences, priorities, and privileges, if any, inter se, and in respect of the other shares and and stock of the Company as may be deemed expedient, and also by borrowing upon mortgage and by the creation and issue of debenture stock, and either as part of their general or special share and loan capital, or wholly or partially as a separate share and loan capital.

4. The Bill will incorporate with itself with or without variation the necessary provisions of "The Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869;" and of "The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845;" "The Companies Clauses Act, 1863;" "The Companies Clauses Act, 1869;" and will amend and enlarge the provisions of the Portishead Docks Act, 1871, and any other Act relating directly or indirectly to the Company in relation to their dock undertaking, and will vary and extinguish all rights and privileges which will in any way interfere with any of its objects, and confer other rights and privileges.

5. Duplicate plans showing the lands, houses, and property which may be taken compulsorily

under the powers of the intended Bill, together with a book of reference to those plans containing the names of the owners and lessees, or the reputed owners and lessees, and of the occupiers of such lands, houses, and property, and a copy of this notice, as published in the London Gazette, will, on or before the 9th day of April, 1878, be deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Somerset, at his office at Wells, and with the parish clerk of Portishead, at his residence.

6. Printed copies of the intended Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, if and so soon as leave may be given for the purpose.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

Isaac Cooke and Sons, and

Fussell, Prichard, Swann, and Co., Bristol,
Solicitors for the Bill.

Dyson and Co., 24, Parliament-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Robert Francis Fairlie, of Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in locomotive engines and boilers."—Dated the 12th day of May, 1864 (No. 1210).

TAKE notice, that upon motion this day made by Counsel to the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, that a day might be appointed for hearing the matter of the petition of the said Robert Francis Fairlie and of the Railway Working Association Limited for a prolongation of the term of the Letters Patent granted to the said Robert Francis Fairlie, on the 12th day of May, 1864, for "im-

provements in locomotive engines and boilers," it was ordered by their Lordships that the matter of the said petition should be heard before the said Committee on Friday, the 12th day of April instant, at half-past ten o'clock A.M.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. Brend Batten, 32, Great George-street,
in the city of Westminster, Solicitor for
the above-named Petitioners.

Cardiff Tramways Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Cardiff Tramways Company Limited, in virtue of the powers conferred upon it by the 46th section of the Tramways Act, 1870, has this day made certain Bye-laws for regulating the travelling in or upon any of their carriages, and for preventing the commission of any nuisance in or upon any carriage, or in or against any premises of the Company, and such bye-laws will come into operation on the 6th day of June, 1878, unless the same shall be disallowed by the Board of Trade.

A true copy of the said bye-laws under the common seal of Company has been forwarded to the Board of Trade and also to the Local Authority in conformity with the section of the Act above referred to.

A copy of the said bye-laws can be seen at the Head Office of the Company, No. 7, Poultry, London, and also at the Local Office of the Company, No. 234, Bute-road, Cardiff, daily, between the hours of ten and four o'clock, and any objection to all or any of the said bye-laws must be sent in writing to the Assistant-Secretary, Railway Department, Board of Trade, on or before the 5th of June, 1878.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

J. Barber Glenn, Secretary of the Company.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April, 1878.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	37,576,075	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	22,576,075
		Silver Bullion	—
	<u>£37,576,075</u>		<u>£37,576,075</u>

Dated the 4th day of April, 1878.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	16,385,908
Reserve	3,741,374	Other Securities	24,552,965
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Notes	9,649,075
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-		Gold and Silver Coin	1,036,913
missioners of National Debt, and			
Dividend Accounts)	9,852,358		
Other Deposits	23,194,680		
Seven Day and other Bills	283,449		
	<u>£51,624,861</u>		<u>£51,624,861</u>

Dated the 4th day of April, 1878.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of March, 1878.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 2nd day of April, 1878.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co....		17,149
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited	Worcester ...	... ..		645

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, April 4, 1878.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 3rd April, 1878.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	1,842,146	1,842,146
France	852	...	852	21,086	12,514	33,600
Egypt	5,514	939	6,453	2,380	6,878	9,258
Morocco	84	...	84	46,280	...	46,280
British Possessions in S. Africa	213	1,432	1,645	600	...	600
Japan	13,054	974	14,028	...	1,949	1,949
South America (except Brazil)	7,763	5,251	13,014	704,924	214,430	919,354
United States	185,160	48,888	234,048
Other Countries	2,519	675	3,194	13,955	24,427	38,382
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...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ...	29,999	9,271	39,270	974,385	2,151,232	3,125,617
Declared Value of the said Importations	£ 119,961	£ 36,836	£ 156,797	£ 219,415	£ 484,194	£ 703,609

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	160	66,834	66,994	...	...	...	...
Belgium ... ..	...	2,478	...	2,478	...	574	368	942
France ... ..	...	2,704	13,230	15,934	...	28,460	5,188	33,648
Cape of Good Hope	12,850	...	...	12,850	...	...	...	...
United States of America ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1290475	1290475
South America (except Brazil) and West Indies	18,543	18,543
Other Countries	524	524	25,900	13,990	949	40,839
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...
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ...	13,374	5,342	80,064	98,780	44,443	43,024	1296980	1384447
Declared Value of the said Exportations	£ 52,040	£ 19,230	£ 313,539	£ 384,809	£ 12,220	£ 9,854	£ 301,487	£ 323,561

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,
April 4, 1878.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I THOMAS FOGATY, of 2, Rose Villa, Berkeley-road, Horfield, Bristol, hereby give notice, that, in consequence of rebuilding, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "William Canynges," of Penzance, official number 447, of gross tonnage 111 tons, of register tonnage 111 tons, heretofore owned by Thomas Fogaty, of Bristol, for permission to change her name to "Redcliff," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Bristol, as owned by Thomas Fogaty.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Bideford, this 30th day of March, 1878.

Thomas Fogaty.

Official Notice.

Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I EDWARD LUCAS, of Hobart Town, Tasmania, hereby give notice, that in consequence of all the steamers of my Company being named after local rivers, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Vampire," of Glasgow, official number 76,812, of gross tonnage 846 tons, of register tonnage 527 tons, heretofore owned by Charles Henderson, Merchant, of Glasgow, James Crawford, Ship Builder, of Port Glasgow, and John George Kincaid, Engineer, of Greenock, for permission to change her name to "Esk," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Launceston, as owned by me.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at London, this 2nd day of April, 1878.

Edw. Lucas, 14, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1216.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved process or method of finishing or forming a surface or coating upon sheet iron,"—a communication to him from abroad by Charles James Eames, of the city and State of New York, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of March, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1219.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Thomas Nesham Kirkham, of 21, Abingdon-street, Westminster, Gas Engineer, and Samuel Chandler, of 104, Newington Causeway, in the county of Surrey, Gas Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in an apparatus used in the manufacture of gas,"

was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of March, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1234.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved process by which terry or ribbed velvets may be manufactured by the aid of a needle-carrying shuttle,"—a communication to him from abroad by Francisque David, of St. Etienne (Loire), France, Ribbon Manufacturer, was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of March, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1244.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in screw propellers,"—a communication to him from abroad by Henry Daniel Deane, of Brooklyn, King's County, State of New York, United States of America, was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of March, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1256.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Edwin Hewitt, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus applicable to circular machines employed in the manufacture of ribbed looped fabrics," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of March, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1286.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of David Joseph Kennelly, of 8, King's Bench-walk, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in vessels for vapourizing liquids and in apparatus for preventing the explosion and incrustation of such vessels," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of April, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 1293.

Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Martin Benson, of No. 9, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in hot blast for metalurgic furnaces and for other purposes,"—a

communication to him from abroad by Silas Covel Salisbury, of the city, county and State of New York, United States of North America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of April, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1299. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved gas lighter,"—a communication to him from abroad by George Henry Kitchen, of Rye, in the county of Westchester, Frederick McLewee, of New York city, in the county of New York, and John Floyd Kitchen, of Rye, in the county of Westchester, both in the State of New York, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of April, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1304. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Jules Ernest Orry, of Paris, in the Republic of France, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of neck and other chains," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of April, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

902. To Melville Thomson Neale, of 22, Buckingham-street, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in transmitting light and apparatus therefor."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of March, 1878.

991. To David James Lewin, of Poole, in the county of Dorsetshire, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in street and other locomotive engines."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of March, 1878.

996. To Hunter Henry Murdoch, of No. 7, Staple-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in machines for shelling, cleaning, and polishing rice and other grains and seeds."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Barrault, of Paris, France, Civil Engineer."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of March, 1878.

1049. To Ellen Anna Clapham, of Sandgate, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in window fastenings or fittings."

On her petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of March, 1878

1065. To Leonce Pierre Othon, of 33, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved apparatus or machine for cutting eggs."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 18th day of March, 1878.

1105. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in water-meters."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Casimir Barton, of Rochester, Manufacturer, and Jonathan Burns West, of Geneseo, Machinist, both in the State of New York, United States of America.

1109. To Joseph Cougnet and Auguste Pierre Potel, both of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineers, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus for injecting, exhausting, and forcing fluids, which apparatus is also applicable for other purposes."

1111. To Leopold Levy, of 29, Francis-street, Tottenham Court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Artist, for the invention of "a self-acting meat baster."

1113. And to Leopold Beral Bertram, of New Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved combined apparatus for writing either with fluid or with solid ink."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of March, 1878.

1119. To Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in saws."—A communication to him from abroad by William Firstbrook, of Toronto, in the Dominion of Canada.

1120. To Jules Crouzières, of Marseilles, in the Department of the Bouches-du-Rhône and Republic of France, Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved waterproof material."

1121. To John Tenwick, of Spittlegate, near Grantham, in the county of Lincoln, Loam Moulder, for the invention of "improvements in vessels used for brewing and other purposes, and in furnaces and apparatus connected therewith."

1123. To Henry Rawlings, of 108, St. Martin's-lane, Westminster, Filter Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in filter presses."

1125. To Daniel Marsland and James Wilson, both of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of self acting mules and twiners."

1126. To Thomas Walter Crees, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Designer and Embosser, for the invention of "new or improved means of shaping and ornamenting metals and alloys of metal."

1127. To Richard Powell, of Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved mode of and apparatus for freezing ice puddings, dessert ices, and other confectionery dishes."

1128. To Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements connected with combing machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Overend and Thomas Firth, both of Paris, France.

1129. To Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved process of destroying the vegetable matter or 'burl' contained in dyed animal fabrics or materials, such as wool, silk, and the like."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Thomas Agathon Leclercq, of Paris, France.
1130. To William Blizard Williamson the younger, of the firm of W. B. Williamson and Sons, of the city of Worcester, Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in fastenings for metallic and other travelling trunks, portmanteaus, bags, and boxes."
1131. To John Hollway, of 7, Jeffrey's-square, London, for the invention of "improvements in the production of sulphur from pyrites, and the separation of metalliferous substances therefrom and thereby, and in the means employed therefor."
1132. To Starkey Stevenson, of Great Harwood, in the county of Lancaster, Iron and Brass Founder, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."
1133. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improved apparatus for signalling on railway trains and railways, partly applicable for lighting and warming railway carriages."—A communication to him from abroad by Augusto Guattari, of Paris, France.
1134. To John Thornton, of Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Machine Tool Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for carding fibres, and in fibre waste machines."
1135. To George Ben Goodfellow, of Hyde, in the county of Chester, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of pistons and pump buckets."
1136. To William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "the production of sulphate of ammonia ($\text{SO}_3 \text{ NH}_4 \text{ O}$) from the nitrogen of marshy moors or meadow land moors, and apparatus therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by Doctor Hubert Grouven, of Leipsic, Saxony, German Empire.
1137. And to John Harrington, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, for the invention of "improvements in bicycles and tricycles."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of March, 1878.
1138. To John May Munro the younger, of the city and county of the city of Bristol, Metallurgist, for the invention of "improvements in railway breaks, and in the method of operating such breaks."—A communication to him from abroad by Samuel Milligan, of West Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.
1139. To Arthur Silverthorne Hallam, of 31, Friday-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "an improved press for copying letters."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Auguste Prosper Villard, of Lons le Saunier, in the Republic of France.
1140. To James Shepley, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improved appliance for suspending trowsers."
1141. To Bernard Peard Walker, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nails, spikes, pins, and other like articles, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."
1142. To Astley Paston Price, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in lifts."—A communication to him from abroad by Auguste Vanhymbeeck, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1143. To Astley Paston Price, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in fire arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Pierre Alexis Adolphe Lafiteau and Louis Henri Riéger, both of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1144. To Francis Virtue, of Hull, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for paring linseed or other cake."
1145. To Edwin Charles Hodges, of No. 8, Florence-street, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms."
1146. To William Arthur, of Fleetlands, Fareham, for the invention of "a combined hat tree and travelling hat box."
1148. To William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "an improved process of and apparatus for manufacturing sulphocyanides and ferrocyanides."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Tcherniac and Ury Gunzburg, both of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1149. To Edmund Simpson, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of bicycles and other velocipedes."
1150. And to Louis Préaubert, of Nantes (Loire Inferieure), France, Ornamental Painter, for the invention of "an improved process of bronzing, gilding, and silvering all surfaces in general."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of March, 1878.
1152. To Amos Ogden and Thomas Marsh, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, and Abraham Mills, of Royton, in the same county, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or arrangements for supplying lubricant to the bearings of spindles."
1153. To Duncan Stewart, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for drying, ageing, and steaming woven fabrics and yarns."
1154. To Henry Rawlings, of No. 108, St. Martin's-lane, Westminster, Filter Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in filters for water and other liquids."
1155. To Richard Theiler, of 86, Canonbury-road, in the county of Middlesex, John Edward Wright, of 17, Leadenhall-st., in the city of London, and Meinrad Theiler, of Axenstein Villa, Canonbury-park North, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in telegraphs, part of such improvements being also applicable to other electrical apparatus."
1156. To Thomas Greenwood and Thomas Edward Redman, of Calne, in the county of Wilts, Bacon Curers, for the invention of "a new and improved method of constructing refrigerating chambers or chill rooms in combination with an ice chamber for cooling and preserving meat or other perishable articles of food by the use of natural currents of air, and for the improvement of the sanitary condition of airing rooms adapted to bacon curing and other provision trades."

1157. To George Lowry, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer and Tool Maker, for the invention of "improvements in arrangements for burning hydrocarbons or fluid fuel for generating steam and other purposes, and for consuming smoke and exhaust steam and rendering the same wholly or partly noiseless and invisible, applicable to tramway engines and other purposes."
1158. To Albert Thomas Ward, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in metallic bedsteads and cots."
1159. To Alfred Hamerton, of Wakefield, in the county of York, Architect, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."
1160. To Edward Mac Ewan, of Mauchline, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Fancy Wood, Box, and Clan Tartan Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved apparatus to be used in playing games of chance."
1161. To George Edward Scarborough, of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in lubricating the axles of corves or wagons, and in apparatus therefor."
1162. To William Caldwell, of Tiverton, in the county of Devon, for the invention of "improvements in brakes."
1164. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or guards for wheels of carriages, particularly applicable to the wheels of tramway carriages."—A communication to him from abroad by Pierre Alfred Tronchon, of Paris, France.
1165. To George Edward Hall, of Herne Hill, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in life preserving apparatus or buoys."
1167. To Charles Edward Liebreich, of Bradford, in the county of York, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."
1168. To Andrew Tait, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in and appertaining to-trowsers and their pockets."
1169. To Harry Olrick, of 10, Great Saint Helens, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in holders for mops, brushes, and analogous articles."—A communication to him from abroad by John O. Montignani, of Albany, in the county of Albany and State of New York, United States of America.
1170. To Henry Stracey Barron, of Lime-street-square and Little Trinity-lane, in the city of London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in motive power engines."
1171. And to Sir Joseph Whitworth, Baronet, of Manchester, for the invention of "improvements in armour for ships and forts."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of March, 1878:
1173. To Joseph Warren Wattles, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in mechanism for spinning."
1175. To James Couper the younger, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Flint Glass Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the production of ornamental patterns or other devices upon the surfaces of glass or other materials."
1177. To John Greeves Fisher, of No. thirty-seven, Ella-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Oil Merchant, for the invention of "an improved instrument for concentrating artificial light, applicable to dental and surgical operations or to other purposes."
1179. To Arthur Sabine and Timothy Sabine, both of Swadlincote, in the county of Derby, for the invention of "improvements in and machinery for the manufacture of sanitary pipes, chimney pots, and other similar flanged or socketed earthenware articles."
1181. To Caroline Anne Bourn, of Euston-square, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for airing clothes."
1183. And to Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Benjamin Talbot Babbitt, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of March, 1878:
1185. To Frederick Dawkin Bowles, of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for steering tramway engines and cars."
1187. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 1, Rue Lafitte, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in the application of pneumatic, hydraulic, or steam pressure."—A communication to him from abroad by John Wesley Hyatt, of Newark, New Jersey, United States of America, Engineer.
1189. To Frederick Robert Hobdell, in the employ of Messieurs John Paterson and Company, Manufacturers, of Staining-lane, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in brace attachments or slip buckles."
1191. To Albert Janes, of West End-road, High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, for the invention of "improvements in children's chairs."
1193. To George Hall, of Vincent-square, in the city of Westminster, and Walter Green, of Wantage, in the county of Berks, for the invention of "improved means for destroying insects which infest certain root crops."
1195. To Henry Curtis Spalding, of the township of Bloomfield, in the county of Essex and State of New Jersey, but temporarily residing in London, for the invention of "improvements in electric conductors."
1197. To Henry Curtis Spalding, of the township of Bloomfield, in the county of Essex and State of New Jersey, but temporarily residing in London, for the invention of "a method of and apparatus for regulating the motion of electric motors."
1199. To James Henry Smith, of No. 436, Euston-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in velocipedes."
1201. To Rudolph Messel, of Silvertown, Victoria Docks, in the county of Essex, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the production of monohydrated sulphuric acid."—The said invention is partly his own, and partly the result of a communication to him from abroad by Wilhelm Majers, of Schlebusch, in Rhenish Prussia.

1203. And to Charles Gall, of Halifax, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved combined bell and flower stand or combined bell, sugar basin and spoon holder." On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of March, 1878.

Erratum in Gazette of March 29, 1878.

1054. For "Böhm" read "Bühni."

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 30th day of March, 1878.

1069. Hilton Coupe, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Smith, and Edward Wilson, of the same place, Pattern-Maker, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for opening and closing folding doors."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1074. George Washington Bacon, of No. 127, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in mangles and clothes-wringers."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1077. Joseph Challender, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for illuminating public clocks, which improvements are also applicable to other illuminating purposes."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1078. Alfred Henry Cramp, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Gentleman, for an invention of "an improved stocking supporter."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1079. Arthur Ward, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brassfounder, for an invention of "an improved sash fastener."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1081. George Hunter, of Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1084. Alfred Kusenbergh, of Düsseldorf, in the German Empire, for an invention of "automatic condensed water-conduit or steam trap."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1085. Odile Joseph Wilmart, of Schaerbeek, Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "an improved process of uniting or welding together wrought iron and steel."—Dated 24th March, 1875.

1086. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in rotary steam engines."—From abroad by William Van Vleck Lidgerwood, of Morristown, New Jersey, United States of America.—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1087. John Nead, of Austin Friars, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in fire lighters and in apparatus to be employed in the manufacture thereof, which apparatus is also applicable for the cutting of ordinary fire-wood."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1088. Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "a new and improved method and apparatus for purging cylinders of steam engines."—Communicated

to him from abroad by Alexandre Joseph Gravelaine-Malorey and Louis Coly, both of Paris, in the French Republic.—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1089. George Matthews, of Seedley, Pendleton, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for rolling hoop and other iron and steel."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1090. Louis Sterne, of Victoria-chambers, in the city of Westminster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in railway couplings."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1092. Thomas Fenwick Reed, of Jarrow, in the county of Durham, Engineer, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for forcing screw propellers-off their shafts and for other similar purposes."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1094. Jean Baptiste Charles Henri Petitdidier, of St. Denis (France), Dyer, for an invention of "an improved process of dyeing silk, woollen, cotton, and other fabrics."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1097. David Copland, of Edinburgh, Scotland, for an invention of "improvements in combs for the head."—From abroad by Benjamin Foster Britton, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1098. William Stableford, of the Railway Carriage Works, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, for an invention of "improvements in railway wheels."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1099. Edmund Walker, of the firm of Emerson, Walker, and Company, of Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Ship's Windlass Manufacturers, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for feeding water to or within boilers, such apparatus also facilitating the collection and the discharge of sediment therefrom."—From abroad by H. Paucksch, of Landsberg, in the Kingdom of Prussia.—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1104. Richard George, of Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in flower pots, troughs, and plant holders, and in the means of supplying fluids or moisture to trees, plants, cuttings, growing crops and seeds."—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1108. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improved machinery for cutting and sawing timber."—From abroad by Léon Olivier, of Paris, France.—Dated 25th March, 1875.

1110. William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, for an invention of "improvements in the manner of yoking or attaching horses to carriages, permitting the instantaneous unyoking or detaching of the same."—From abroad by Jean Maitre, of 17, Rue Maubeuge, Paris.—Dated 27th March, 1875.

1116. James Nicholas, of Hope, near Mold, in the county of Flint, for an invention of "an improved method of and an apparatus for carbonizing coal, slack, peat, wood, bones, and other like materials, subject to a cokeing process, or to destructive distillation, whereby commercial products are obtained, and the vapours and gases utilized."—Dated 27th March, 1875.

1118. Samuel Skewis, of No. 2, Norfolk-place, Northbrook-street, Dudley-road, Birmingham, and Richard Henry Ryland, of No. 46, Monument-lane, Birmingham, for an invention of

- "improvements in the construction of wheels for engines, carriages, wagons, or other vehicles used on railways."—Dated 27th March, 1875.
1120. Michael Henry Brown, of New Cross, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "certain improvements in water closets, for deodorizing and disinfecting the same, applicable also for other places."—Dated 27th March, 1875.
1122. Edward Griffith Brewer, of 33, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in tables for sewing machines."—From abroad by George Parmelee, Draper, of Hamilton, in the Dominion of Canada.—Dated 27th March, 1875.
1128. Robert Coddington, of 88, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in telegraphy."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Merritt Gally, of Rochester, State of New York, United States of North America.—Dated 27th March, 1875.
1130. Louis Franciscus Elisa Ittmann, of the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in screw gear for imparting motion to machinery and in steering apparatus actuated by such gear."—From abroad by David Newell Brown Coffin, of Newton, in the county of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 29th March, 1875.
1135. Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort-on-the-Main, in the Empire of Germany, for an invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for treating yarns upon cops."—Is a communication from Carl Goehrung, a person resident at Stuttgart, in the Empire of Germany. Dated 29th March, 1875.
1136. Robert Frazer Smith, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Manager of the Ingleston Sugar Refinery, for an invention of "improvements in purifying raw or partly refined sugar."—Dated 29th March, 1875.
1137. Joshua Heap, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Tool Maker, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus and appliances for screwing and tapping bolts, nuts, tubes, and other articles."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1138. Samuel Elson, of the Vulcan Iron Works, Blue Pits, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in fuel economisers and apparatus for promoting economy in the consumption of fuel in furnaces, and for lessening the emission of smoke therefrom."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1139. Martin Benson, of No. 9, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in looms."—From abroad by Joseph Frank Wicks, of the city and county of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, United States of North America.—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1140. William Foulis, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "new or improved machinery for cutting coal and other materials."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1141. Robert Clayton, of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer, and Joseph Wilkinson, of Bradford aforesaid, Smith, for an invention of "improvements in stoppers for bottles and similar vessels."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1145. Lewis Emanuel, of 36, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitor and sole Executor of Michael Henry, of Fleet-chambers, 68, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, deceased, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus used for grinding corn or grain."—Communicated to the said Michael Henry, from abroad, by Emile Simon Bouchotte, of 17, Boulevard Saint Martin, Paris, France.—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1150. Alfred Best, of High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Wine Merchant, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for marking and checking the number of games played at billiards, pyramids, and pool."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1151. Ernest von Swinarski, of Kruszewo, in the Province of Posen and Kingdom of Prussia, for an invention of "a new or improved potato drill."—Dated 30th March, 1875.
1153. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in table cutlery, and in handles for the same and other articles."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Owen Wilson Taft, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 30th March, 1875.

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804. Richard Dover, of No. 5, St. Stephen's-road, New-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "a mode and means for preventing the flow or passage of sewage into rivers or streams, from the sewers, drains, and other channels, and retaining the sewage-matters for agricultural purposes."—Dated 24th March, 1871.
815. John Brigham and Ralph Brigham, both of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the county of the town and burgh of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Great Britain, Agricultural Implement Makers, for an invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."—Dated 27th March, 1871.
828. George Wightwick Rendel, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in self propelling submerged torpedoes."—Dated 28th March, 1871.
833. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for washing metallic ores and separating metals from earthy and other matters."—Communicated to him from abroad by John Collom, of Houghton, in the State of Michigan, United States of America.—Dated 28th March, 1871.
839. Archibald McFarlane, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in wringing-machines."—Dated 29th March, 1871.
848. Thomas Edward Clarke, of Apsley Cross, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the means of and apparatus for heating apartments."—Dated 29th March, 1871.
851. Thomas Sexton Sarney, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in joints for uniting and securing the ends of railway rails."—Dated 30th March, 1871.

853. Emil Königs, Manufacturing Chemist, of We-thofen, in Westphalia, but at present residing at Maryhill, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in treating pyrites, and in obtaining sulphate of soda and other products."—Dated 30th March, 1871.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Buxton Cement Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 1st day of April, 1878, presented to the said Court by James Barlow, of Green-horne, Edgeworth, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, a contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 13th day of April, 1878; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Clarkes, Howlins, and Clarke, 66, Gresham-house, Old Broad-street, London;
Agents for

Addeshaw and Warburton, of Manchester,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Master of the Rolls.

In the Matter of the Brynkinalt Collieries Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 28th day of March, 1878, presented to the Master of the Rolls by Harrington Offley Shore, of No. 9, Cleveland-road, Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., J.P., and Offley Bohun Shore, of Queen Anne's Mansions, in the city of Westminster, Esq., creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 13th day of April, 1878; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Foss and Legg, 3, Abchurch-lane, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Vice-Chancellor Bacon.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of Joseph Eatough and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 3rd day of April, 1878, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, by Thomas Seed, of Rishton,

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in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper and Farmer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor, Sir James Bacon, on the 13th day of April, 1878; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Shaw and Tremellen, 14, Gray's-in-square, Middlesex; Agents for
H. S. Whalley, Blackburn, Solicitor for the
Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Leeds Bottled Ale and Stout Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 11th of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Charles Beevers, of 26, Commercial-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated the 30th day of March, 1878.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Acts, 1850 and 1854; and in the Matter of the Hill Top Colliery Company Limited.

By an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor in the above matter, dated the 25th day of March, 1878, on the petition of Edwin Boden, of the city of Manchester, a contributory and creditor of the above-mentioned Company, it was ordered that the said Company be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867; and that Herbert Hervey, of the city of Manchester, Accountant, be appointed provisional Liquidator of the said Company.

John Richardson and Son, 24, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors in the
matter of the said Petition.

BRUSHES, BROOMS, MOPS, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, March 28, 1878.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock on Thursday, the 11th April, for about

6,500 Birch Brooms.
7,000 Mop Heads.
5,500 Bass Brooms and Scrubbers.
10,000 Hair Broom Heads.
4,500 Hair Scrubbers.
4,250 Sweeps' Brushes.

2,650 Flue Brushes.
 13,800 Painters' Tools, &c.
 5,300 Tar Heads.
 6,000 Whitewash Brushes.
 9,500 Artists' Tools (various).
 12,000 Shoe and Clothes Brushes.
 and quantities of Clamp, Banister, Crumb, Paste,
 Plate, Button, Hearth, Stove, &c., Brushes,
 for forward delivery.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of tender containing all particulars may be obtained on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

Tenders should be addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.," and marked in the left hand corner "Tender for Brushes."

Woodside Mill Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Old King's Arms Inn, in Horsforth, in the county of York, on the 11th day of March, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 27th day of March, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"1. That it is advisable to wind up the Woodside Mill Company, Horsforth, and that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

"2. That it is advisable to appoint three Liquidators to wind up the affairs of the Woodside Mill Company, Horsforth, and that John Smith, James Houlden, and Seth Witham, all of Horsforth, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, be appointed such three Liquidators.

"3. That Messrs. Ford and Warren, of No. 25, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitors, be appointed Solicitors, for the purpose of taking all necessary legal proceeding to carry out the winding up of the Woodside Mill Company, Horsforth."

James Houlden, Chairman.

The Companies Act, 1862.

The Laguna Silver Mining Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 85, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on the 5th day of March, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 21st day of March, 1878, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That the Laguna Silver Mining Company Limited be wound up voluntarily.

"That Messrs. John Rule Daniel and Geo. Everard Hooke be and are hereby appointed Liquidators of the said Company."

Charles Stephen Hill, Chairman.

The Newton Heath Social Club and Public Hall Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Registered Office of the Company, Hall-street, Newton Heath, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of February, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Com-

pany, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 8th day of March, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Newton Heath Social Club and Public Hall Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Messrs. John Blomeley, James Mansfield, and George Parnell be and are hereby appointed Liquidators."

James Mansfield, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Oystermouth Railway Company Limited, duly convened and held at No. 23, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, the 22nd day of March, 1878, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were passed:—

1. "It having been proved to the satisfaction of this Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Oystermouth Railway Company Limited that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is resolved that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Essex White Layton, be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator to carry the foregoing resolution into effect."

Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

Wilford Brett, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the MacFarland Pump Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the affairs of the above-named Company having been fully wound up a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company will be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the offices of Ulysses Latreille, the Liquidator of the Company, No. 232, Gresham House, in the city of London, at which an account (made up by the said Ulysses Latreille), showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, will be laid before them, and for the purpose of hearing any explanation that may be given by the said Liquidator.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

Ulysses Latreille, Liquidator.

The Welsh Steam Coal Collieries Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Welsh Steam Coal Collieries Limited will be held at Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, in the city of London, on Monday, the 6th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having laid before it an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 3rd April, 1878.

H. Wilson, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Imperial Mercantile Credit Association Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Final General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Imperial Mercantile Credit Association Limited, will be held at the City Terminus Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 6th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of having an account of the liquidation of the said Association laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Association has been conducted, and the property of the Association disposed of, and a resolu-

tion submitted for dissolution of the Association. We shall at the said Meeting be prepared to give any explanation in regard to the accounts, that may be desired.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1878.

A. Young,
Edward Tyrrell, } Liquidators.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Judah Benoliel the younger, and Adolphe Ratto, at No. 29, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, as Colonial Brokers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Judah Benoliel the younger. Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

J. Benoliel, jun.
A. Ratto.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederick James Astbury and James Nalder French, at No. 2, Port-street, in the city of Manchester, and at Hendham Vale Mill, Harpurhey, near the same city, as Manufacturers, under the firm of F. J. Astbury and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said firm will be received or paid by the said Frederick James Astbury.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

Fred. J. Astbury.
James Nalder French.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by John Lee and Ernest Ventham, under the firm of Lee and Ventham, at Jewry-street, Winchester, in the trade or business of Upholsterers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of March, 1878.

John Lee.
Ernest Ventham.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Rickman and Charles William Rickman, as General Brokers, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of S. Rickman and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to and from the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Samuel Rickman, who will henceforth carry on the business upon his sole account.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

Saml. Rickman.
Chas. W. Rickman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Dawson, William Dawson, and Samuel Dawson, at Lane Bottom, Walsden, near Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, as Hide Waste Dealers, &c., under the style or firm of John Dawson and Brothers, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Dawson.—As witness our hands this 27th day of March, 1878.

John Dawson.
William Dawson.
Samuel Dawson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, Joseph Bagguley Evans and Charles Randall Mayer, trading under the style or firm of J. B. Evans and Co., at Hanley, in the county of Stafford, in the trade or business of Earthenware and Porcelain Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to the said J. B. Evans and Co. will be received and paid by the said Joseph Bagguley Evans, who will in future carry on the said business under the style or firm of J. B. Evans and Co.—As witness our hands 1st day of February, 1878.

J. B. Evans.
C. R. Mayer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Parsons and Samuel Henry Cadoux, carrying on business at Leicester, in the county of Leicester, as Retail Chemists and Druggists, under the style or firm of Parsons and Cadoux, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of March last past; the business will in future be carried on by the said Frederick Parsons alone, on the premises in Gallowtree-gate, in Leicester aforesaid, and the said Samuel Henry Cadoux will in future carry on business in the Market-place, in Leicester aforesaid, separately on his own account.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

Frederick Parsons.
Samuel Henry Cadoux.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Susanna Mary Barnes and Elizabeth Anne Edwards, of No. 27A, Walton-road, Kirkdale, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business as Milliners, Dressmakers, &c., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts will be received and paid by the said Susanna Mary Barnes, who will continue to carry on the said business.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

Susanna Mary Barnes.
Elizabeth Anne Edwards.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Abraham Binns, and Edward Miller Wass, carrying on business as Stuff Manufacturers, at Parker-street Mill, Keighley, in the county of York, and at No. 6, Nelson-street, Bradford, in the said county, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of A. Binns and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

A. Binns.
Edward Miller Wass.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Morten Appleton and Sam Hoyland, carrying on business at Nos. 22 and 23, New-cut, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, as Engineers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Morten Appleton, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1878.

H. M. Appleton.
S. Hoyland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Haworth and Robert Walmsley, as Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, at Hope Mill, Shuttleworth, near Bury, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Haworth and Walmsley, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Richard Haworth, by whom all debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid.—Dated the 29th day of March, 1878.

Richard Haworth.
Robert Walmsley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Thomas Briggs and Ellen Holden Maudsley, the wife of Joseph Maudsley, formerly Ellen Holden Briggs, Spinster, carrying on business as Drapers, at No. 33, Market-street, Over Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, under the name or style of Hannah Briggs, has been dissolved, as from the 15th day of January, 1878, by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Joseph Maudsley, at No. 33, Market-street, Over Darwen aforesaid, under the name or style of Hannah Briggs, as heretofore.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

W. Briggs.
Ellen H. Maudsley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Joseph Weston, of Biggleswade, in the county of Bedford, Brewer, and Robert Charles Cathing, of Cherryhinton, in the county of Cambridge, Brewer, carrying on business at Saint Andrew's-hill, in the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, and at Great Shelford and Cherryhinton, in the said county of Cambridge, under the style or firm of Weston and Cathing, as Brewers, Malsters, and Wine and Spirit Merchants, was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Robert Charles Cathing, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 30th day of January, 1878.

James J. Weston.
R. C. Cathing.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned, carrying on business as Manufacturers and Merchants, at No. 60, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, and at Church-low, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, in the name and style of Tabot and Alder, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Talbot retires from the firm, and Mr. Alder will continue to carry on the business, at the same address, under the style of H. B. Alder and Co. He will pay all accounts owing by and receive all amounts owing to the late firm.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

George Agar Talbot.
Henry Brooke Alder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Hacking and Charles Leonard Hacking, carrying on business as Ironmongers, at No. 259, King's road, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Charles Leonard Hacking, who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the late partnership.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

*William Hacking.
Charles Leonard Hacking.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Zaccheus Joel Hunter and George Newberry, carrying on business as Auctioneers and Estate Agents, at 5, Pilgrim-street, Ludgate-hill, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Hunter and Newberry, was dissolved, on the 25th day of March, 1878, by mutual consent.—Dated the 29th day of March, 1878.

*Z. J. Hunter.
Geo. Newberry.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership subsisting between the undersigned, George Kelly King and Frederick William Taylor, carrying on business as Brewers and Maltsters, at Hurstpierpoint, in the county of Sussex, under the style or firm of King and Taylor, was dissolved, on the 2nd March, 1878, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to the said partnership will be received and paid by the said George Kelly King.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1878.

*Frederick William Taylor.
George Kelly King.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Dixon and John William Munns, carrying on business as Schoolmasters, at Smethwick Hall, Smethwick, under the style or firm of Dixon and Munns, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 19th day of March, 1878. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John William Munns. Dated this 19th day of March, 1878.

*John Dixon.
John William Munns.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between and carried on by us the undersigned, Edmund Holt and John Mangles, under the style or firm of Holt and Mangles, at 54, St. James'-street, Dickinson-street, in the city of Manchester, as Drysalers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by the undersigned John Mangles, who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the said partnership.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

*Edmund Holt.
John Mangles.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Croucher and Henry Boller, carrying on the business of Florists, at 73, South-row, Kensal New Town, in the county of Middlesex, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership will be paid and received by Henry Boller.—Witness our hands this 28th day of March, 1878.

*Joseph Croucher.
Henry Boller.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, James Fell, William Parker, and Joseph Hunter, at Church-road, Wavertree, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, in the trade or business of Builders, under the style or firm of Fell, Parker, and Hunter, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 30th day of March last, and that all debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Fell, at Church-road, Wavertree aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*James Fell.
William Parker.
Joseph Hunter.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jonas Priestley Palm and David Woodhead, carrying on the business of Oil Cloth and Tarpaulin Manufacturers, at Allerton Works, Allerton-place, Halifax, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Palm and Woodhead, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said David Woodhead, who will in future carry on the business under the same style or firm as heretofore.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

*Jonas Priestley Palm.
David Woodhead.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Wilcox and Robert Charles Saunders, of No. 29, Above Bar-street and Oriental-chambers near the Docks, respectively in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Ship and Insurance Brokers, Accountants, Auctioneers, Estate and Commission Agents, Stock and Share Brokers, and Financial Agents, carrying on business under the style or firm of Wilcox, Saunders, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 25th March instant. All debts due to or owing by the said firm in respect to their said businesses will be respectively received and paid by the said Henry Wilcox.—Dated the 29th day of March, 1878.

*H. Wilcox.
R. C. Saunders.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Lightfoot Wright and James Thomas Wright, carrying on business as Provision Dealers, at 26, High-street, Nantwich, in the county of Chester, under the style or firm of R. L. and J. T. Wright, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 11th day of July, 1877. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Lightfoot Wright.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*Richard Lightfoot Wright.
James Thomas Wright.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Toope and George Whitley, for the purpose of Working Two Patents, numbered respectively 1992 and 2016, at Kinastou-street, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Toope, Whitley, and Company, is dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 11th day of March, 1878. And that in future the one patent, numbered 1992, for "pulleys for machine belts" will be the sole property of, and will be worked by, the said Charles Toope, or his nominee, alone; and that the other patent, No. 2016, for "coverings for preventing the radiation of heat" will be the sole property and will be worked by the said George Whitley, or his nominee.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*Charles Toope.
George Whitley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Simpson and Frederick John Kelly, carrying on business as Booksellers, New-agents, and Publishers, under the style of Simpson and Kelly, at No. 108, Shoe-lane, Fleet-street, in the city of London, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 9th instant. All debts owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Simpson.—Dated this 12th day of March, 1878.

*Joseph Simpson.
Frederick John Kelly.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Knott and Harry Close Clark, carrying on business as Glass Blowers and Manufacturers, at No. 1, Shepherd's lane, Homerton, in the county of Middlesex, under the style of George Knott and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 7th day of March last. The said business will henceforth be carried on by the said George Knott only.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*G. Knott.
H. C. Clark.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Richard Taylor and John Lockwood Young, carrying on business as Booksellers, Stationers, Printers, &c., in Chapel Bar, in the town of Nottingham, under the style of Taylor and Young, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of March, 1878. All debts owing to and by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said John Lockwood Young, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*Richard Taylor.
John Lockwood Young.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Wormleighton and George Edward Stanyon, carrying on business as Hosiery Manufacturers, at Leicester, in the county of Leicester, under the style or firm of Wormleighton and Stanyon, was dissolved, on the 19th day of March last, by mutual consent; and that all debts due to or from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Wormleighton, by whom alone the business will, in future, be carried on.—Dated the 1st day of April, 1878.

*Joseph Wormleighton.
George Edward Stanyon.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past by us the undersigned, Thomas Coendox Hill and Edward Price, as Ironfounders, at Rhostryllan, near Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, under the firm of Hill and Price, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Edward Price is empowered to receive, discharge, and settle all debts due to and by the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*Thos. C. Hill.
Edw. Price.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past by us the undersigned, Thomas Coendox Hill and Edward Price, as Traction Engine Proprietors, at Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, and elsewhere, was dissolved, by effluxion of time, on the 25th day of March, 1878. Mr. Edward Price is empowered to receive, discharge, and settle all debts due to and by the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*Thos. C. Hill.
Edw. Price.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Barcham and Joseph John Beecroft, carrying on business as Booksellers, Stationers, and Printers, at No. 89, Broad-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, under the style or firm of Barcham and Beecroft, was dissolved, on the 25th day of March last, by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing to or by the said firm will be respectively received and paid by the said Joseph John Beecroft, by whom the said businesses will in future be carried on at No. 24, Market-place, Reading aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*Thomas Barcham.
Joseph John Beecroft.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Thomson, Stothard Thomson, Robert Dott Thomson, Frank Thomson, and Daniel Felton, carrying on business at Brickway Mill, Stockport, in the county of Cheshire, and at No. 8, West Mosley-street, in the city of Manchester, as Patent Waterproof Paper and Cloth Manufacturers, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Daniel Felton, who retires from the firm; and that all debts due to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Thomson, Stothard Thomson, Robert Dott Thomson, and Frank Thomson, who will, in future, carry on the said business on their own account, under the firm of R. Thomson and Co.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*R. Thomson. Daniel Felton.
Robert Dott Thomson. Stothard Thomson.
Frank Thomson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Samuel Lees and Guy Wood, of 27, King-street, Manchester, as Iron and Coke Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Lees and Wood, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Samuel Lees, who will in future carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*Samuel Lees.
Guy Wood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Frederic Bennett and William James Marks, as Gold Frame Manufacturers, carried on by us under the firm of Bennett and Marks, at East-street, in the parish of Claines, in the city of Worcester, and at No. 23, High-street, in the same city, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 9th day of March, 1878. All debts due to or owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said William Frederic Bennett, who will hereafter carry on the said business on his own account.—As witness our hands the 2nd day of April, 1878.

*Wm. F. Bennett.
Wm. J. Marks.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Edward Morris Firmin and William Stevenson, in the trade or business of Oil, Hair, and Glue Merchants, at Russell-street, Brompton, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Firmin and Stevenson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and, in future, the business will be carried on by the said William Stevenson alone; and that all debts owing by and to the said partnership of Firmin and Stevenson will be paid and received by the said William Stevenson.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*E. M. Firmin.
William Stevenson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Edward Wood, Charles Wood, and George Wood, carrying on business as Lightermen and Coal Merchants, at the Coal Exchange, in the city of London, East Molesey, in the county of Surrey, and Charlton, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of G. E. Wood and Sons, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far only as the said Charles Wood is concerned, who retires from the said partnership. The business will, in future, be carried on by the said George Edward Wood and George Wood, under the style or firm of G. E. Wood and Son, and they will pay and receive all partnership debts.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

*G. E. Wood.
Charles Wood.
Geo. Wood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Ralph Greenwell and Robert Thomas Greenwell, in the trade of Butchers, carried on at No. 20, High-street East, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, under the firm of Greenwell Brothers, was, on the 31st day of December, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent; and from the said 31st day of December, 1876, the business was and henceforward will be carried on by the said Ralph Greenwell on his separate account, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership from the date of the said 31st day of December, 1876, in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 21st day of March, 1878.

*Ralph Greenwell.
R. T. Greenwell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Colman Battie Rashleigh and Hugh Halsie Ley, Partners in the business of Wine and Spirit Merchants, carried on by us at Saint Mary's-street, Truro, under the style or firm of Nankivell and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 22nd day of February, 1878; that the said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Hugh Halsie Ley alone on his sole account, under the style or firm of Nankivell and Co., and that he will receive and pay all debts due and owing to and by the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 29th day of March, 1878.

*C. B. Rashleigh.
Hugh H. Ley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Ciceri and John Chaplin May, as Wire Workers, at No. 4, Eyre-street Hill, Leather-lane, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, under the style and firm of Ciceri and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to or by us in respect of the said business are to be received and paid by the said John Chaplin May, by whom the business is and will be continued on his own account.—As witness our hands this 1st day of April, 1878.

*Joseph Ciceri.
John Chaplin May.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Walker and George Lewis, carrying on business at Wincobank, in the parish of Ecclesfield, in the county of York, as Joiners and Builders, under the firm of Walker and Lewis, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on at Wincobank aforesaid by the undersigned, William Walker alone, who will collect all the assets and pay all the obligations of the firm.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

*Wm. Walker.
George Lewis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Kimpton and Arthur Denison, carrying on the business of Braid Manufacturers, Calenderers, Dyers, Finishers, and Moire Antique Waterers, at 118, Wood-street, in the city of London, and Peel-grove Mills, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, under the style of Kimpton and Denison, has been, by mutual consent, dissolved as from the 4th day of April, 1878.

*John Kimpton.
Arthur Denison.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Emmanuel Valentine and William Prince, at No. 4, George-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, as Clothiers and General Dealers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said William Prince alone, at No. 4, George-street, Hastings aforesaid.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

*J. E. Valentine.
William Prince.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Bell Shaw and George Edgar Roberts, in the business of Warehousemen, carried on by them at No. 38, Wood-street, in the city of London, under the style of Shaw and Roberts, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 7th day of February, 1878. And that all debts and liabilities due and owing to or from the late partnership will be received and paid by the said George Edgar Roberts, who will in future carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

*G. E. Roberts.
T. B. Shaw.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Harwood, John Knight, and Joseph Allen, in the trade or business of Bankers, Money Dealers, and Discount Agents, carried on by us at No. 18, Cornhill, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Harwood, Knight, and Allen, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, as to the undersigned, John Knight, who retires from the firm; and in future the said business will be carried on by the undersigned, Edward Harwood and Joseph Allen, in partnership with Lewis Philip Allen and Arthur John Fraser, under the same style or firm, and who will receive and pay the debts due to or owing from the said partnership in the usual course of business.—Dated the 30th day of March, 1878.

*Edward Harwood.
John Knight.
Joseph Allen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Mary Hodgson Tetley, George Rennie Tetley, and James Mackenzie Miall, carrying on business as Stuff and Blanket Merchants, at Bradford, in the county of York, and at No. 67, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Rennie, Tetley, and Company, has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, so far as regards the undersigned, James Mackenzie Miall; and that the business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned, Mary Hodgson Tetley and George Rennie Tetley, under the same style or firm.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

*M. H. Tetley.
G. R. Tetley.
James M. Miall.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Smith and Cyrus William Smith, as Grocers and Bakers, at 46, White Abbey, Bradford, in the county of York under the firm of John Smith and Son, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, the said John Smith retiring from business; and all debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Cyrus William Smith alone, who will continue to carry on the business as heretofore, under the style of John Smith and Son.—Dated the 3rd day of April, 1878.

*John Smith.
Cyrus William Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Izon and William Schofield, as Corn and Flour Factors, at No. 28, Old Corn Exchange, Hanging Ditch, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of Izon and Schofield, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the late partnership firm will be received and paid at the above address by the said William Schofield.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

*George Izon.
Wm. Schofield.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Newman Withers and George Thomas Henry Withers, as Manufacturers of and Dealers in Musical Instruments and materials for the same, at No. 31, Coventry-street, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, under the style of Withers and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated 25th March, 1878.

*Edward N. Withers.
G. T. H. Withers.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Lewis and Joseph Lewis, as Public Accountants and Auditors, at No. 1, Temple-row West, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Lewis and Lewis has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 3rd day of December last.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1878.

*John Lewis.
Joseph Lewis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the business heretofore carried on by William Pye and Charles Henry Pye, as Merchants, at 25, Mark-lane, in the city of London, under the style of Pye, Field, and Co., has been dissolved as from the 30th March, 1878, by mutual consent.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

*William Pye.
Charles H. Pye.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 2, 1878.]

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, James M'Arthur retired, by mutual arrangement between him and his Copartners, from the copartnership firm of M'Arthur Brothers, Merchants and Shipping Agents, in Glasgow, as at the 30th day of March, 1878; from and after which date the said business continues to be carried on under the same firm by the other Subscribers, Mary M'Millan or M'Arthur and John M'Arthur, the only other partners on their own account.

*Mary M'Arthur.
James M'Arthur.
John M'Arthur.*

D. FORBES, of Glasgow, Solicitor, 45, West George street, Witness.
SAMUEL M. ABRICK, of Glasgow, Apprentice-at-Law, 45, West George-street, Witness.

JOSEPH FREETH, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled (inter alia) "An Act to relieve Trustees."

ALL creditors and other persons having any debts or claims against the estate of Joseph Freeth, late of the Leigh, in the parish of Ashton Keynes, in the county of Wilts, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 9th day of January, 1878, whose will was proved in the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 11th February, 1878, by Joseph Freeth and Thomas Freeth, the executors), are required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to us, the Solicitors to the executors, by the 20th day of May, 1878, after which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had such notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

KINNEIR and TOMBS, Swindon, Wilts, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM EDWARD JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Edward Jones, late of No. 18, Glebe-land-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Artist (who died on the 15th day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Llandaff of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 10th of January, 1878, by James David Williams, Thomas Lloyd, and John Jones, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to Messrs. H. W. Harris and C. Taylor, Accountants, Court-street Offices, Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

MORGAN, WHITE, and WHITE, 26, Victoria-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitors for the said Executors.

OLIVIA LEADMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim upon the estate of Olivia Leadman, late of St. Ives, Headingly, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 7th day of January, 1878, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 9th day of March, 1878, by Eliza Walker Leadman, of Boroughbridge, in the said county, the executrix named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims

to the said executrix, or to James Rider, of Leeds aforesaid, her Solicitor, on or before the 1st day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executrix will distribute the whole of the assets of the said Olivia Leadman, the testatrix, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said executrix will not be answerable or liable for such assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of March, 1878.

JAMES RIDER, Pease's-buildings, 5, South-parade, Leeds, Solicitor to the said Executrix.

CHARLES JOHN ALCOCK, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles John Alcock, late of Sheffield, in the county of York, General Dealer, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of February, 1878, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 25th day of March, 1878, by William Dennis, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required, on or before the 14th day of May next, to send in particulars of such claims and demands to the said William Dennis, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Furniss and Son, in Church-street, in Sheffield aforesaid, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

FURNISS and SON, 29, Church-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Executor.

ANNE MORRITT, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Anne Morrill, late of No. 40, Coleshill-street, Eaton-square, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 27th day of October, 1877), are required to send, in writing, the particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Messrs. Winter, Williams, and Company, the Solicitors to the executor of the said deceased, on or before the 2nd day of May, 1878, after which day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.

WINTER, WILLIAMS, and CO., 16, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Executor.

Lieutenant-General ARTHUR CAVENDISH BENTINCK, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Arthur Cavendish Bentinck, Esq., a Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, late of East-court, Wokingham, in the county of Berks, deceased (who died on the 11th day of December, 1877, at Thomas' Hotel, Berkeley-square, in the county of Middlesex, and probate of whose will dated the 20th day of January, 1866, was, on the 18th day of March, 1878, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Augusta Mary Elizabeth Bentinck, of East-court, Wokingham, in the county of Berks, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, Edwin John Pellard, of Beesthorpe Hall, Causton, near Newark, in the county of Nottingham, Esq., a Captain in the Royal Navy, and the Reverend Henry George Cavendish Browne, of Burn Church, Bennett's Bridge, in the county of Kilkenny, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands upon or against the estate of the said Arthur Cavendish Bentinck, deceased, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets and estate of the said Arthur Cavendish Bentinck, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the said assets or estate, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

BAILEYS, SHAW, and GILLET, 6, Berners-street, London, W., Solicitors for the said Executors.

SOLOMON DEACON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Solomon Deacon, late of No. 59, Albert road, East Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 7th day of June, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration to whose personal estate were granted to Charles Deacon, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of June, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said administrator, on or before the 2nd day of May, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

J. H. KAYS, No. 2, New-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor to the said Administrator.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Joshua Simmons, late of No. 1, Red Lion street, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Antique and General Dealer (who died on the 30th March, 1877), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, the Solicitor for Messrs. Joseph Welch and Moss Levy, the executors named in the will of the deceased, before the 3rd May next, after which day the said executors will distribute the deceased's assets, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. BANKS PITTMAN, 6, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitor to the Executors.

MARGARET METCALFE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Margaret Metcalfe, late of York-street, in Todmorden, in the county of York, Widow (who died on the 29th of October, 1873, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at Wakefield, on the 19th of November, 1873, by William Law, Machinist, and Thomas Crowther, Sizer, both of Todmorden aforesaid, the executors named in the said will), are requested to send, in writing, particulars of their claims against the deceased to the said William Law and Thomas Crowther, at the offices of the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 21st of June next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 2nd of April, 1878.

J. P. and J. T. SUTCLIFFE, Hebden Bridge, Yorkshire, Solicitors.

ROBERT COTTMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against or affecting the estate of Robert Cottman, late of Ringwood, in the county of Southampton, Builder, deceased (who died on the 30th day of January, 1878, and letters of administration of whose personal estate and effects were, on the 18th day of March, 1878, granted to me, the undersigned, George Cottmann, of Hazelmere, Grange-road, Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the said administrator, at my said address, on or before the 4th day of May next, after the expiration of which time I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which I shall then have had notice; and that I shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand I shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

G. COTTMAN, Hazelmere, Grange-road, Ealing, W., Gentleman.

HENRY HUBBARD, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of the Reverend Henry Hubbard, deceased, late of Cheriton Rectory, in the county of Southampton, Clerk in Holy Orders (who died on the 13th day of February, 1878, and whose will was proved on the 13th day of March, 1878, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Winchester, by Charles Garrett Russell, of the Temple, London, Barrister-at-Law, the executor named in the said will), are required, on or before the 6th day of June next, to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the said executor will distribute the assets of the said Henry Hubbard among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand the said executor shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April 1878.

ADA W. S. MOBERLY, and SHENTON, Alresford, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN DIXON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Dixon, late of Baskell, Woodland, near Broughton-in-Furness, in the parish of Kirkby Ireleth, in the county of Lancaster, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 20th day of April, 1877, at Baskell aforesaid, and whose will was proved by Isaac Stephenson, of Raisthwaite, Woodland aforesaid, Yeoman, and Thomas Butler, of Broughton in Furness aforesaid, Gentlemen, the executors therein named, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Lancaster, on the 18th day of September, 1877), are hereby required to send to us, the undersigned, the particulars of their claims or demands on or before the 29th day of April next at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

THOS. BUTLER, Broughton-in-Furness and Millom, Solicitor.

EDWARD FRANCIS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Edward Francis, late of Farm Hill, Waltham Abbey, in the county of Essex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 2nd day of January, 1878, and whose will was proved on the 30th day of March, 1878, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by the Reverend James Francis, of Farm Hill, Waltham Abbey aforesaid, one of the executors named in the said will), are required to send in their debts, claims, or demands to the executor, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. M. and F. Davidson and Burch, of 29, Spring-gardens, London, on or before the 9th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed, the said executor will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice, and all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased, are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts respectively to the said executor.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

M. and F. DAVIDSON and BURCH, 29, Spring-gardens, London, S.W., Solicitors for the said Executor.

Miss ELIZABETH QUENTERY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against or affecting the estate of Elizabeth Quentery, late of the Bath-road, Reading, in the county of Berks, Spinster,

(who died on the 21st day of December, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Oxford District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of February, 1878, by Richard Thomas Woodhouse, of Reading aforesaid, Doctor of Medicine, and William Wilson Wheeler, of Wokingham, in the county of Berks, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Wheeler and Sargeant, the Solicitors to the said executors, at their office, Wokingham aforesaid, on or before the 2nd day of June, 1878, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WHEELER and SARGEANT, Wokingham, Berks, Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY DENTON LAMBERT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Denton Lambert, late of the town of Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer (who died on the 26th day of January, 1868, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved on the 29th day of April, 1868, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Thomas Richard Hyam and John Aldridge, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to Mr. Thomas William Oakley, at his office, in Priory-street, in the said town of Monmouth, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 7th day of May next; after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

T. W. OAKLEY, Priory-street, Monmouth, Solicitor for the said Executors.

GEORGE ACHESON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of George Acheson, of Woburn Hill, Stoneycroft, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Importer (who died on the 17th day of March, 1878, and whose will was duly proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Liverpool, on the 28th day of March, 1878, by Anna Maria Butcher, wife of the Reverend Thomas Binkhorn Butcher, the niece of the deceased, the sole executrix named in the said will), are required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Walter Pierce, of 26, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor to the said executrix, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WALTER PIERCE, 26, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Executrix.

HENRY WHEELER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Wheeler, formerly of Plomer Hill, West Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, but late of Bechwood, High Wycombe, in the same county, Paper Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 4th day of February, 1878, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was, on the 21st day of March, 1878, proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice at Oxford, by Charles Bowles

Burridge, of Taunton, in the county of Somerset, Brewer, and Francis Wheeler, of High Wycombe aforesaid, Banker, the executors thereof, are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next; after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

THOS. MARSHALL, High Wycombe, Bucks,
Solicitor for the said Executors.

BERNARD SWINSTEAD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Bernard Swinstead, formerly of 32, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, but late of Montmore Lodge, Burnt Ash-lane, Lee, in the county of Kent, Gentleman (who died on the 18th day of May, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 30th day of June, 1875, by Maria Sarah Swinstead, the executrix therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to Emma Hazelden, Bernard Thomas Swinstead, and James Bragg, the executors of the said Maria Sarah Swinstead, now deceased, to the care of us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 9th day of May, 1878; after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they, the said executors, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

SHAEN, ROSCOE, MASSEY, and SHAEN, 8, Bedford-row, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARIA SARAH SWINSTEAD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Maria Sarah Swinstead, late of Montmore Lodge, Burnt Ash-lane, Lee, in the county of Kent, Widow (who died on the 12th day of July, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of July, 1877, by Emma Hazelden, Bernard Thomas Swinstead, and James Bragg, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executors, to the care of us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 9th day of May, 1878, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they, the said executors, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

SHAEN, ROSCOE, MASSEY, and SHAEN, 8, Bedford-row, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN BASHFORD, Esq., Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of John Bashford, late of No. 36, Highbury-place, Highbury, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 11, Hart-street, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine and Spirit Broker (who died on the 4th day of February, 1878, and of whose estate letters of administration were, on the 19th day of February, 1878, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Laura Mary Bashford, of No. 36, Highbury-place, Highbury aforesaid), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the said Laura Mary Bashford, at our offices, 21, College-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on or before the

11th day of May, 1878, after which day the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which she shall then have notice; and that she will not be answerable or liable for the assets, so distributed, to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

BLACHFORD, RICHES, KILSBY, and WOOD, 21, College-hill, Cannon-street, London, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

MARY GERTRUDE MORTIMER, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Gertrude Mortimer, late of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 5th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of December, 1877, by John Roberts Chanter, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send to the undersigned, Messrs. Chanter, Finch, and Chanter, of Barnstaple aforesaid, Solicitors to the said executor, particulars of their claims or demands on or against the estate of the said testatrix, on or before the 30th day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

CHANTER, FFINCH, and CHANTER, Barnstaple.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Thornton Down, late of Park View House, Upper Richmond-road, Putney, Surrey, Esq., deceased (who died on the 25th February last, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 26th March last, by Isaac Horton and Robert Heinckey, two of the executors therein named, Charles Hilhouse, the other executor therein named, having previously renounced probate), are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, particulars of their debts or claims, on or before the 10th May next; after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

JOHN HOPGOOD, 17A, Whitehall-place, London, S.W., Solicitor to the said Executors.

ROBERT KAY, Esq., Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against or upon the estate of Robert Kay, late of Turton Tower, near Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Esq. (who died on the 30th day of January, 1878, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of February, 1878, by his nephew, James Kay, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 1st day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

BROADBENT, HEELIS, and BROADBENT, Bolton-le-Moors, Solicitors to the said Executor.

HERBERT BENJAMIN BRAYNE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Herbert Benjamin Brayne, late of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Underwriter, deceased (who died

on the 1st day of March last, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of March last, by Jessie Amelia Brayne, the executrix therein named, are hereby required to send particulars of such claims and demands to Messrs. H. W. Collins, Robinson, and Co., No. 3, Union-court, Castle-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, the Solicitors for the said executrix, on or before the 15th day of May next, after which day the said executrix will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims (if any) of which she shall then have notice; and she will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

H. W. COLLINS, ROBINSON, and CO., 3, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the said Executrix.

Lieutenant-Colonel EDWARD SKIPPER, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Edward Skipper, late of 50, Oxford-terrace, in the county of Middlesex, late a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Indian Army, deceased (who died on the 17th day of March, 1878, and of whose personal estate and effects Letters of administration were granted by the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (Principal Registry), to Charles Skipper, of 28, Russell-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., on the 1st day of April, 1878), are hereby required to send full particulars of their debts or claims to us, the undersigned, Vandercom, Law, and Hardy, the Solicitors of the administrator, on or before the 6th day of May next, after which day the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which he shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

VANDERCOM, LAW, and HARDY, 23, Bush-lane, London, Solicitors for the said Charles Skipper, Esq.

RICHARD HALL, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims against the estate of Richard Hall, late of Baglan House, near Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, and of Hillingdon Furze, near Uxbridge, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 37, Great George-street, in the city and liberty of Westminster, Esq. (who died on the 22nd day of February, 1878, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry (Probate Division) of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of March, 1878, by Robert Wright Hall and Richard Hall, the executors), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective debts and claims against the estate of the said deceased to me, the undersigned, at my office, No. 37, Great George-street, Westminster, on or before the 30th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not afterwards be liable for the assets so distributed, or for any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

ROB. W. HALL, Executor.

PETER HOLLINS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim against or affecting the estate or effects of Peter Hollins, late of Sandbach, in the county of Chester, Retired Grocer (who died on the 16th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 25th day of March, 1878, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Enoch Lockitt, of Crewe, in the county of Chester, Retired Grocer, John Hollins, of Balterley, in the county of Stafford, Farmer, and Thomas Henry Arden, of No. 31, Bury-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Butcher, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims upon the estate of the said Peter Hollins, deceased, to the said executors, at the office of the

undersigned, their Solicitors, in Sandbach aforesaid, on or before the 5th day of June, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to realize the assets of the deceased, and afterwards to distribute the same among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and liabilities of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable to any person or persons for or in respect of the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, of whose debt or claim the said executors shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LATHAM and BYGOTT, Sandbach, Cheshire, Solicitors to the Executors.

PETER HODGKINSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim against or affecting the estate or effects of Peter Hodgkinson, late of Bradwall, in the county of Chester, Builder (who died on the 11th day of March, 1878, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved on the 27th day of March, 1878, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Thomas Hodgkinson, of Sandbach, in the county of Chester, Joiner, Edward Eardley, of Sandbach aforesaid, Clothier, and John Mellor, of Bradwall aforesaid, Builder, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims upon the estate of the said Peter Hodgkinson, deceased, to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, in Sandbach aforesaid, on or before the 5th day of June, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to realize the assets of the said deceased, and afterwards to distribute the same among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and liabilities of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable to any person or persons for or in respect of the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, of whose debt or claim the said executors shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LATHAM and BYGOTT, Sandbach, Cheshire, Solicitors to the Executors.

Re JOHN ASHWORTH, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of Her present Majesty, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Ashworth, late of Odd Fellows' Hall-buildings, Todmorden, in the county of York, Contractor and Builder, deceased (who died on the 17th day of January, 1878, and whose will, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1878, was duly proved in the Wakefield District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of March, 1878, by James Davies, of Millwood, Todmorden aforesaid, Retired Grocer, and Edmund Smith, of Myrtle-street, Todmorden aforesaid, Sizer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands, by post, prepaid, to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors, on or before the 10th day of May next. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 29th day of March, 1878.

STANSFIELD and SAGER, Todmorden, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JAMES YOUNG, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of James Young, late of St. Helen's-place, Bishopsgate, in the city of London, and of Westridge House, near Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, Esq. (who died on

the 16th day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of March, 1878, by Thomas Murdoch Seacock, of Oakhill, in the parish of St. Helen's, in the Isle of Wight, Esq., J.P., one of the executors in the said will named, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, 4, St. Thomas-street, Ryde, on or before the 14th day of May, 1878, after the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Young among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice. —Dated the 26th day of March, 1878.

CHAS. G. VINCENT, Ryde, Solicitor.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Taylor v. Adams, 1876, T. 143, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. James Coleman Violer, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Castle Hotel, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in six lots, viz.:—

Lot 1. A freehold estate called Strawberry Hole Farm, situate at Northiam, in the county of Sussex, with farmhouse and outbuildings, and three cottages and gardens.

Lot 2. A freehold estate called Farthing, situate at Northiam aforesaid, with dwellinghouse, garden, and orchard.

Lot 3. Two freehold accommodation fields, situate at Northiam aforesaid, and separated from Lot 2 by the road leading from Northiam to Newenden.

Lot 4. A freehold farmhouse, known as Hobbs and Amptills Farm, situate at Beckley, in the county of Sussex, with farmhouse, two cottages, and outbuildings.

Lot 5. A freehold piece of arable land, situate at Beckley aforesaid, near to Lot 4, called Methersham Field.

Lot 6. A freehold piece of pasture land, situate at Four Oaks, Beckley aforesaid, called Whitebread-lane Field.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of the following Solicitors in London, Messrs. James Taylor, Mason, and Taylor, No. 15, Fumival's-ion; Messrs. Lawrence, Plews, and Baker, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers; Messrs. Dawes and Sons, No. 9, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street; and in the country of Messrs. Young and Goodwin, Solicitors, Hastings; Walter Dawes, Esq., Solicitor, Ryde; at the place of sale, and of the Auctioneer, 26, Havelock-road, Hastings, and Magdala House, Ryde, Sussex.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Moren v. McCutchan, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, the Judge to whose Court the said action is attached, in two lots, by Mr. Thomas Waite (of the firm of Messrs. Waite and Crouch), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Reindeer Hotel, Doncaster, in the county of York, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1878, at three for four o'clock in the afternoon:—

All those compact and valuable freehold and some part copyhold lands, called or known as Bull Hassocks, Bird's Level, and Misson Springs, situate in the parishes of Misson, Wroot, and Haxey, in the counties of Lincoln and Nottingham.

Lot 1. Comprising the freehold and small part copyhold farms of Bull Hassocks and Bird's Level, containing in the whole 637A. 2R. 3P. of arable and pasture land (with the exception of about 10A. of plantation) in a good state of cultivation, with farm-house, three cottages, and suitable farm buildings.

Lot 2. A capital freehold farm and lands called Misson Springs, now in the occupation of Mr. Bramhill, containing 131A. 0R. 37P. of arable and pasture land, having a good farm-house, cottage, and farm buildings thereon. This lot is let on lease, which expires on the 6th April, 1888, at the yearly rent of £147 19s. 9d., and is bounded in part by the Lincoln and Gainsborough Railway, and in other parts by public roads.

Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. Charles Sawbridge, of 10 and 11, Milk-street, Cheap-side, London; Messrs. Layton, Son, and Lendon, of 29, Budge-row, Cannon-street, London; of Mr. J. Hamilton Townend, of Ealing, Middlesex; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Waite and Crouch, Doncaster.

George Griffiths.

In the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division.

WHEREAS Evan Griffiths, late of Southwark, Surrey, England (who died 21st January, 1878), by his will, gave to the children of his son, John Griffiths, upon the

decease of the latter, as tenants in common, certain real estate, situate at Llanarth, Cardiganshire, and at Weston-street and Bull-court, Tooley-street, Southwark aforesaid.

And whereas by a Deed, made in certain causes of Griffiths v. Griffiths and Griffiths v. Griffiths, an inquiry was directed who were the parties entitled to the said hereditaments.

And whereas it appears, on prosecuting the said inquiry, that the above-named George Griffiths was a son of the said John Griffiths, and that he left England in the year 1870, and was last heard of by letter, dated from California, in November, 1873, and by reason of his whereabouts not being known he cannot be served with notice of the said Decree and service upon him, or if he is dead, then on his real representative, has, by an Order, made in the said causes, dated 16th March, 1878, been dispensed with.

Pursuant to the said Decree and the provisions of the Partition Act, 1876, the said George Griffiths, if living, and, if dead, his real representatives, is or are, by his or their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of June, 1878, to come in and establish his or their claim to a share of the said real estate, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, situate at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, England, or in default thereof he or they will be bound by the said Decree and proceedings in the said causes as if, on the said 16th day of March, 1878, he or they had been served with notice of the said Decree. Saturday, the 29th day of June, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Hodgson, deceased, John Hodgson versus Harry James Franklin and others, 1878, H. No. 20, the creditors of John Hodgson, late of Stanley Park, near Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, Esq., who died in or about the month of August, 1860, are, on or before the 8th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Layton and Jaques, of 8, Ely-place, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitors of the defendants, Harry James Franklin and George B-auchamp Humphreys, the administrators in England, with the will annexed of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Saturday, the 11th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Mary Alice McMyn, deceased, Nancy Lightbourn, Spinster, against John Kerr McMyn and others, 1878, M. No. 3, the creditors of Mary Alice McMyn, late of No. 80, Northgate, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Miliner and Draper, who carried on business as partner in the firm of Houlker and McMyn, who died in or about the month of December, 1876, are, on or before the 4th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Hall and Baldwin, of Clitheroe, in the county of Lancaster, the Solicitors of John Anderson and Robert Lightbourn, two of the executors of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, in full, and their addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames in full of any partner or partners, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Saturday, the 11th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Graham Renwick, deceased, and in a cause McKenzie against Renwick, the creditors of Thomas Graham Renwick, late of the Look Out Public-house, at Monkwearmouth, in the county of Durham, who died in or about the month of September, 1877, are, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Alexander George McKenzie, of the firm of Kidson, Son, and McKenzie, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, the Solicitors of the defendant, the executrix of the will of the said Thomas Graham Renwick, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Saturday, the 11th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Richard Leese the elder, deceased, Leese against Leese, 1878, L. No. 30, the creditors of Richard Leese, late of 69, Mark-lane, in the city of London, and No. 6, Pembury-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Chemical Agent, deceased, who died in or about the month of November, 1876, are, on or before the 3rd day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. John Frost, of No. 138, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, Sophia Annie Leese the elder, the administratrix of the estate and effects of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14 Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of James Garland, deceased, Hankinson against Bishop, 1877, G. 257, the creditors of James Garland, late of Rone Cottage, Onslow-road, Newton, in the parish of St. Mary, in the borough of Southampton, Yeoman, deceased, who died on the 14th day of April, 1877, are, on or before the 4th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. B-st, Webb and Co., of St. Michael's-street, Southampton, the Solicitors of the defendants, John Bishop and Edward John Pope, the executors of the will of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the Washington Treaty (Claims) Act, 1875, Claim 291, and in the matter of the Act, 10th and 11th Victoria, cap. 96, Thomas Cowley, Elizabeth Cowley, Ann Cowley, and James Cowley, brothers and sisters of John Cowley, who, up to about the year 1851 resided at Douglas, in the Isle of Man, and at that time emigrated to America, or persons claiming under them as next of kin of the said John Cowley, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of May, 1878, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Hall, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Wednesday, the 8th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Memorandum.—The said Thomas Cowley left the Isle of Man about the year 1866, to reside at Whitehaven.

The said Elizabeth Cowley left the Isle of Man about the year 1856, to go to Manchester.

The said Ann Cowley left the Isle of Man about the year 1856, also to reside at Manchester.

The said James Cowley left the said island to emigrate to Australia, about the year 1856.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Stratford-on-Avon, made in the matter of the estate of James Padbury, deceased, and in an action, Austen and another against Wisdom and another, No. E, 675, the creditors of or claimants against the estate of James Padbury, late of Kineton, in the county of Warwick, Shopkeeper, who died in or about the month of January, 1877, are, on or before the 20th day of April, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Stratford-on-Avon, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. In default thereof they may be excluded from any

benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 29th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

W. ALBERT HOBBS, Registrar.

Re Edward Harris, of High-street, in the city of Bath, Hosier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 2nd day of April instant, the above-named Edward Harris, executed a deed of assignment to a Trustee for the benefit of creditors. All creditors who have not sent in particulars of their claims are requested to send the same to Messrs. Jo-lyne, Clarke, and Company, No. 28, King street, in the city of London, Accountants.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

PHELPS, SIDGWICK, and BIDDLE, 18, Gresham-street, London, Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John Clark, of No. 116, High-street, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, and of 34, Alma-square, Saint John's Wood aforesaid, China Dealer, trading as John Clark and Company, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 56, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on and after Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1878, between the hours of eleven and one.

GEORGE ASHDOWN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough.

A FIRST Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John William Wheldon, of Seamer, in the county of York, Farmer, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 46, Market-place, Bridlington, on and after the 10th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

M. RICHARDSON, Solicitor for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 1s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Richard Waterhouse, of West End Mill, Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 37, Union-street, Bradford aforesaid, on and after the 9th day of April, 1878, between the hours of ten A.M. and four P.M.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

HODGSON BERWICK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 11d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Edward Barrass Atkinson, of West Rainton, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Provision Merchant, and will be paid by me, at No. 18, Fawcett-street, Sunderland, in the said county of Durham, on and after the 10th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

THOMAS SHERWOOD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 11s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by George Wright, of No. 10, Saint Paul's-square, Southsea, in the county of Southampton, late Staff Commander in the Royal Navy, and will be paid by me, at No. 46, Saint James street, Portsea, Hants, on and after the 1st day of April, 1878.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WM. EDMONDS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James William Roach, of Parsonage Farm, Catherington, Horndean, in the county of Hants, Farmer, and will be paid by me, at No. 46, Saint James-street, Portsea, Hants, on and after the 1st day of April, 1878.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WM. EDMONDS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Martin Henry Dixon, of 89, Barnsbury-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Gold Chain Maker and Dealer in Watches and Jewellery.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick Holloway, 173, Ball's Pond-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

S. T. COOPER, 88, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Caleb Schofield Mann, of No. 18, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Edward Groom, of No. 4, New London-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Broker, trading as Henry Groom and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 75, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Glancy, of the Artichoke Tavern, No. 20, Clare-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Parkes, No. 11, Beaufort-buildings, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

T. W. PARKES, 11, Beaufort-buildings, Strand, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frank Wilton, of No. 66, Mark-lane, in the city of London, trading under the style of Frank Wilton and Co., Drug and General Merchant and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the said Frank Wilton, situate and being No. 66, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

VAN SANDAU and CUMMING, 13, King-street, Cheapside, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Beaumont de Horsey, of 1, Cleveland-row, St. James, Middlesex, Colonel on half-pay in Her Majesty's Service.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Inns of Court Hotel, 269, High Holborn, Middlesex, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

LEWIS and LEWIS, 10, Ely-place, Holborn, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edmund Petty, late of the Manor House, 387A, Marsh-street, Hackney, Draper, and now of 34, Dunlode-road, Lower Clapton, both in the county of Middlesex, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

HUBERT WOOD, of 65, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, now, in the county of Middlesex, and Reigate and Red Hill, both in the county of Surrey, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Rushworth Sims, of No. 2, Richmond-villas, High-street, Leyton, in the county of Essex, Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edwin Hawkins, 59, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

EDWIN HAWKINS, 59, Chancery-lane, W.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sarah Eliza Care, of 103, High-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, Grocer and Tea Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Marsden, 20, Old Cavendish-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

T. W. LAING, 20, Old Cavendish-street, W., Solicitor for the said Sarah Eliza Care.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas James Catchpole, of No. 43, Wyatt road, High-bury Vale, N., in the county of Middlesex, Fancy Stationer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rule and Head, No. 10, Hill's-place, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Accountants, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

ERNEST BIGBY, 10, Hill's-place, Oxford-street, London, W., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Dawson, of No. 10, Holywell-street, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Artichoke Tavern, Clare-street, Clare Market, Strand, in the city of Westminster, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

BENJ. HOPE, Solicitor for the said Henry Dawson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry John Harvey, of No. 47, Royston-street, Banner-lane, Bethnal Green, No. 538, Old Ford-row, and No. 79, Roman-road, Old Ford, all in the county of Middlesex, Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Old Catherine Wheel Hotel, 40, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

WILLIAM HICKS, 217, Grove-road, Victoria Park, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Hogarth, of No. 45, Graham-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, late of Harton Cottage, Lubbock-road, Chislehurst, in the county of Kent, and formerly carrying on business with Francis Lovett Cotton and Francis Hogarth, at No. 108, Bi-hopgate-street Within, in the city of London, and at Aberdeen Works, Copperfield-road, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, as Provision Merchants, but now Manager to a Meat Preserving Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 9, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

JOHN RAE, 9, Mincing-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Boyle Wheatley, of 102, Clarendon-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Professor of Music.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Gilliat, 48, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

CHARLES GILLIAT, 48, Bedford-row, W.C., Solicitor for the said Robert Boyle Wheatley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Charles Stewart, of 147, Oxford-street and 22, Penn-road-villas, Camden-road, both in the county of Middlesex, trading as Duff and Stewart, Music Publisher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Blachford, Riches, Kilsby, and Wood, 21, College-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

BLACHFORD, RICHES, KILSBY, and WOOD, 21, College-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Oldham and Francis Watson Mackie, trading as Oldham, Mackie, and Company, of No. 59, Mark-lane, in the city of London, and Penang, in the Straits Settlements, Merchants and Copartners.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Chatteris, Nichols, and Chatteris, No. 1, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of June, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

TILLEARD, GODDEN, and HOLME, 34, Old Jewry, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Eliza Andrews, of 9, Haward-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. W. H. Pannell and Co., No. 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

HERBERT C. LADBURY, 28, Queen-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Eliza Andrews.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Wells, of Brighton-road, Surbiton, in the county of Surrey, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 19, Warsh-p-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1878,

at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

J. B. FENTON, Highgate, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Allen, of the Good Intent Tavern, Milton-next-Sittingbourne, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederic George Gibson, High-street, Sittingbourne, in the county of Kent, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

FRED. GEO. GIBSON, High-street, Sittingbourne, Solicitor for the said Edwin Allen.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lord, of No. 79, Lees-road, Oldham, in the county of Lancashire, Cotton Waste Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of me, the undersigned, No. 1, Saint Peter-street, Oldham aforesaid, on the 23rd day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH WHITAKER, 1, Saint Peter-street, Oldham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Herd, of No. 2, Bridgeman-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancashire, Surgeon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. George Whitt, Accountant, No. 8, King-street, Manchester, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

W. K. WHITEHEAD, 6, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said John William Herd.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ann Muir, of No. 10, Vernon-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, and No. 11, Prospect-vale, Fairfield, near Liverpool aforesaid, Widow, Joiner, and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Bremner, Son, and Pennington, 1, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Solicitors, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

BREMNER, SON, and PENNINGTON, 1, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Albert Mendelssohn, of No. 46, Lime-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Nordon and Mason, No. 7, Victoria-street, Liverpool, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

NORDON and MASON, 7, Victoria-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Bond, of Sandy-lane, Skelmersdale, in the county of Lancashire, Draper and Tobaccoist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Stuart, of No. 4, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancashire, Solicitor, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ROB. STUART, 4, King-street, Wigan, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Smith and Albert Smith, trading as James and Albert Smith, of 42, Pleasant-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Soda Water Manufacturers and Ale and Porter Bottlers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Lupton, 15, Harrington-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster on the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

THOS LUPTON, 15, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arn Rose, of 36, Greenough-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Confectioner, lately carrying on business under the name of Rowland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Scott and Ellis, Solicitors, the Arcade, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

SCOTT and ELLIS, the Arcade, King-street, Wigan, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Whitaker, of Edenfield, in the township of Tottington Higher End, in the county of Lancaster, Inn Keeper, Toll Contractor, and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, in the county of Lancaster, on the 11th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

P. and J. WATSON, of No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, Lancashire, Solicitors for the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Clarke, of 50 and 62, Oldbain-road, in the city of Manchester, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Cobbett, Wheeler, and Cobbett, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

COBBETT, WHEELER, and COBBETT, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said John Clarke.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Frederick Barrow, of Church-street, Market-place, in Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer, trading as Barrow and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Ridgway and Worsley, Solicitors, No. 2, Chair-street, Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

RIDGWAY and WORSLEY, Solicitors for the said Thomas Frederick Barrow.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Bryan, of No. 146, Hyde-road, Ardwick, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Tower Hotel, Cathedral-steps, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

RICHARD BRYAN, Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Morton, of 80, High-street, 48, Rochdale-road, and 22F, Queen's-road, Collyhurst, all in the city of Manchester, trading under the style or firm of James Morton and Co., as a Manufacturing Clothier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edwin Storer, Solicitor, 89, Fountain-street, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

EDWIN STORER, 89, Fountain-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said James Morton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Wilson, of Gardner-street, Cheltenham-street, and Primrose-hill, all in Pendleton, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Richard Hankinson, Solicitor, Queen's-chambers, John Dalton-street, Manchester, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

RICH. HANKINSON, Queen's-chambers, John Dalton-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Parkinson, of Theatre-buildings, Fishergate, in Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Vocalist and Music Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 9, Cannon-street, in Preston aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

FORSYTH and PARKER, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitors for the said William Parkinson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Stephen Orford, of 2, Black Horse-yard, Orchard-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Painter and Decorator, and trading as J. S. Orford and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 9, Cannon-street, Preston, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

FORSYTH and PARKER, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitors for the said John Stephen Orford.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Barrow, of No. 17, West-place and No. 3, Market-street, in Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Johnson and Tilly, Solicitors, Sun-street, Lancaster, on the 19th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JOHNSON and TILLY, Sun-street, Lancaster, Solicitors for the said John Barrow.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Ignatius Brandon, of 5, East-street, Fleetwood, in the county of Lancaster, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. H. J. Leach, 7, Ridgfield, Manchester, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

H. J. LEACH, 7, Ridgfield, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Edward Ignatius Brandon.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Simon Clayton, of 10, Devonshire-buildings, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Imperial Hotel, Barrow-in-Furness aforesaid, on the 8th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

JOS. SIMS, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitor for the said Charles Simon Clayton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William McGeorge Mason, of 13, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, and 19, Waterloo-street, in the city of Glasgow, Engineer, trading as W. McG. Mason and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Imperial Hotel, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

NALDER and SANDERS, 68, Duke-street, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Edwin Jones, of No. 7, Buttermarket-street, in Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Draper and Hosiery.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Ridgway and Worsley, Solicitors, No. 2, Cairn-street, Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April 1878.

RIDGWAY and WORSLEY, Solicitors for the said John Edwin Jones.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Shaw, of Ravenstonedale, in the county of Westmorland, Draper and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the house of Mr. John Burton, known as the Red Lion Inn, in Finkle-street, Sedburgh, in the West Riding of the county of York, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM ROBINSON, Sedburgh, Yorkshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Jackson, of the King's Head Inn, Sutton, near Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Innkeeper and Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Angel Hotel, Market-place, Macclesfield, on the 10th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

PARROTT, MAY, and SONS, Church-side, Macclesfield, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Owens, of 70, Watson-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Strad. Simpson, and Nephews, Belgrave-gate, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, on the 23rd day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. P. HARRIS, 7, Union-court, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ralph Dearlove Walker, late of No. 78, Lancashire-hill, Heston Norris, in the county of Lancaster, Druggist, now in lodgings at No. 26, Church-road, Heaton Norris aforesaid, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Francis Newton, Solicitor, Bank-chambers, Market-place, Stockport, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

FRAS. NEWTON, Bank-chambers, Market-place, Stockport, Solicitor for the said Ralph Dearlove Walker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Howard, of 95, Gloucester-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Oilman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 35, Queen Victoria-street, London, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

M. R. BRANDRETH, 64, Middle-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Risley Perrin, of No. 5, Market-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Boot and Shoe Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 150, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said James Risley Perrin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Macnée, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Civil Engineer, lately in partnership with Joseph Armstrong, of the Brinsworth Iron Works, near Rotherham aforesaid, as Iron Founders and Manufacturers of Railway Materials, under the style of Joseph Armstrong and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the Sheffield District Incorporated Law Society, Aldine-court, High-street, Sheffield, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

WM. E. TATTERSHALL, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Ward, of Rudland, in the township of Kirby Moorside, in the county of York, Farmer and Quarryman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the undersigned, Joseph Harrison, in Kirby Moorside, in the county of York, on the 20th day of April, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

J. HARRISON, Kirby Moorside, Solicitor for the said Joseph Ward.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Braime, of Batley, in the county of York, Fish Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. James Arthur Stapleton, Solicitor, Union-street, Dewsbury, in the county of York, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

J. A. STAPLETON, Dewsbury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Augustus Ernest Hering and Francis Skelly, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants, trading in copartnership under the firm of Hering, Skelly, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the joint creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Hotel, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. W. BERRY and SAML. ROBINSON, 5, Charles-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Augustus Ernest Hering and Francis Skelly, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants, trading in copartnership under the firm of Hering, Skelly, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named William Augustus Ernest Hering has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Hotel, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. W. BERRY and SAML. ROBINSON, 5, Charles-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said William Augustus Ernest Hering.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Augustus Ernest Hering and Francis Skelly, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants, trading in copartnership under the firm of Hering, Skelly, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Francis Skelly has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Hotel, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. W. BERRY and SAML. ROBINSON, 5, Charles-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Francis Skelly.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Barber and Rawson Barber, of Hollinbank-lane, in Heckmondwike, in the county of York, Contractors, trading together under the style or firm of J. and R. Barber.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of me, the undersigned, William Sykes, Solicitor, Ings-grove, Heckmondwike, in the county of York, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM SYKES, Heckmondwike, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Elgie, of No. 27, Kirkgate, Otley, in the county of York, Model Maker and Glass and China Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Henry Hewson, Solicitor, 1, East-parade, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILL. H. HEWSON, Solicitor for the said George Elgie.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Sugden, of 27, Guildford-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Iron Merchant, and of the Baltic Engine Works, South Bridge-road, Hull, in the said county, Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Dunning

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and Kay, No. 4, Butt's-court, Leeds aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

DUNNING and KAY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Hudson, of Britannia Mills, Aire-street, Leeds, in the county of York, and of Wortley, in the parish of Leeds, carrying on business at Britannia Mills aforesaid, under the style or firm of J. Hudson and Co., Worsted Coating Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No 70, Albion-street, Leeds, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

FREDERIC EDDISON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Snell, of Lady Bridge Mills, Millgarth-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Finisher and Scribbler, trading under the firm of Benjamin Snell and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Bond and Barwick, Solicitors, Albion-place, in Leeds, in the county of York, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

BOND and BARWICK 8, Albion-place, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Benjamin Snell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Anderson Taylor, of English-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Steam Saw Mill Proprietor and Cooper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Hotel, Whitefriargate, Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

E. LAVERACK, County-buildings, Hull, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Tasker, of Hessele, in the county of York, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Hotel, Whitefriargate, Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

ARTHUR HALL, Solicitor for the said John Tasker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Righton, formerly of Quinton, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer, but now of Stratford-upon-Avon, in the county of Warwick, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Seven Stars Inn, in Rother-street, in Stratford-upon-Avon, in the county of Warwick, on the 20th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JNO. LANE, Solicitor for the said Robert Righton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ebenezer Alfred Hawkins and Frederick Silver, trading as Hawkins and Silver, of No. 6, Richard-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jewellers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert

Duke, Solicitor, of No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

ROBERT DUKE, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ebenezer Alfred Hawkins and Frederick Silver, trading as Hawkins and Silver, of No. 6, Richard-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jewellers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Ebenezer Alfred Hawkins has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Duke, Solicitor, of No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

ROBERT DUKE, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ebenezer Alfred Hawkins and Frederick Silver, trading as Hawkins and Silver, of No. 6, Richard-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jewellers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Frederick Silver has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Duke, Solicitor, No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

ROBERT DUKE, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Fimm Holt, in lodgings at No. 112, William-street, Lozella, Birmingham, late of 15½, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham, trading as Holt and Son, Black Ornament Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Duke, Solicitor, No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

ROBERT DUKE, No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Douglas Sutton, Henry Alexander Sutton, and Thomas Hulme Sutton, all of 117, Monument-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, carrying on business thereat in copartnership under the style or firm Sutton Brothers, as Grocers and Provision Merchants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Stephenson-place, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

G. J. JOHNSON, 36, Waterloc-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by August Emil Behnke, trading under the name of Emil Behnke, of No. 70, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchant and Cigar Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Henry Jagger, Solicitor, No. 44, Cherry-street, Birmingham, on the 22nd day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

CHARLES HENRY JAGGER, 44, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said August Emil Behnke.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abraham Joseph, of High-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Clothier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

C. B. HODGSON and HAIGH, 13, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Yateman, of 60, Albion-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. C. B. Hodgson and Haigh, 13, Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

C. B. HODGSON and HAIGH, 13, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Smith, of New John-street West, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred Pointon, No. 5, Temple-row West, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

ALFRED POINTON, 5, Temple-row West, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Price, of 166, Garrison-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Edwin Jaques, Solicitor, No. 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

EDWIN JAKUES, 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Tay, of No. 268½, Great Colmore-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Dry-salter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Edwin Jaques, Solicitor, No. 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

EDWIN JAKUES, 40, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Taylor, of Thrapston, in the county of Northampton, General and Marine Store Dealer, Coal Merchant, and Fishmonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Richardson and Son, Solicitors, in Oundle, in the county of Northampton, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

RICHARDSON and SON, Oundle, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Flow, of Blofield, in the county of Norfolk, Dealer in Pigs and Cattle, Gardener and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Sadd and Linay, Theatre-street, Norwich, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

SADD and LINAY, of Theatre-street, Norwich, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Day, of Harland-place, Stoke, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Plumber, Painter, and House Decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Pearce's Rooms, Princes-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ROBERT R. HILL, 30, Saint Nicholas-street, Ipswich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Day, of No. 6, High-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Plumber, Painter, and House Decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Pearce's Rooms, Princes-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ROBERT R. HILL, 30, Saint Nicholas-street, Ipswich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis John Walker, residing and carrying on business as an Innkeeper at the Fox and Lamb Inn, No. 110, Pilgrim-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Montgomery, Solicitor, Monument-chambers, 34, Blackett-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April 1878.

JOHN MONTGOMERY, Monument-chambers, 34, Blackett-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Francis John Walker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Darnell, residing at Clayton Park-road, Gosmond, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and carrying on business at 66, Clayton-street, also in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Home Trade Association Rooms, York-street, Manchester, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

D. EDWD. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jacob Jackson, of Frederick-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Auctioneer and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Emiley Ogilvie Scott, of 32, King-street, South Shields, aforesaid, on the 12th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1878.

W. B. G. SCOTT, 32, King-street, South Shields, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Grieve, of Bridge-street, Blaydon, in the county of Durham, Veterinary Surgeon, and trading in copartnership with Frederick John Dalton, at the Crown and Thistle-yard, Pudding Chare, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, as Livery Stable Keepers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Mark Pybus, Solicitor, 40, Dean-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

W. MARK PYBUS, 40, Dean-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Walter Grieve.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Andrews, of Nobold, in the parish of Meole-brace, in the county of Salop, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, in the town of Shrewsbury, on the 9th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JAMES CORNER, 37, High Town, Hereford, Solicitor for the said William Andrews.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Leys, of No. 5, Saint Thomas-street, Melcombe Regis, in the county of Dorset, Dentist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, Melcombe Regis, aforesaid, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

EDWIN BURNETT, Solicitor for the said Henry Leys.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lawford Merriman, of Loveston Mill, in the parish of Loveston, in the county of Pembroke, Miller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Arthur Hastings Lascelles, Solicitor, situate at Narberth, Pembrokeshire, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

A. H. LASCELLES, Narberth, Pembrokeshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Trutt (and not Trent, as erroneously printed in Gazette of 29th ultimo), of Catcott, in the county of Somerset, Beerhouse Keeper and Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Samuel Chapman, Solicitor, High-street, Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, on the 9th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of March 1878.

SAMUEL CHAPMAN, Bridgewater, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Telford, of Chiswick-street, in the city of Carlisle, Auctioneer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 3, Carruthers-court, Scotch-street, Carlisle, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

J. C. WANNOP, 3, Carruthers-court, Scotch-street, Carlisle, Solicitor for the said Edward Telford.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jackson, of Ennerdale-road, Cleator Moor, Saddler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Jackson Whiteside, Solicitor, 18, Church-street, Whitehaven, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

H. J. WHITESIDE, 18, Church-street, Whitehaven, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Great Grimsby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Kitching, of No. 35, Oxford-street, in the parish of Clee, adjoining Great Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Stead and Sibree, Solicitors, No. 13, Bishop-lane, in Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

STEAD and SIBREE, 13, Bishop-lane, Kingston-upon-Hull, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Jones, of Chester-street, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Evan Morris, Solicitor, the Priory, Wrexham, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

EVAN MORRIS, the Priory, Wrexham, Solicitor for the said David Jones.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Lewis Clark, of No. 64, Church-street, Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. C. F., and G. James, Solicitors, situate at No. 134, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

C. F., and G. JAMES, Solicitors for the said George Lewis Clark.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas McGrath, of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Black Swan Hotel, Hereford, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

S. WRIGHT GARDNER, Abergavenny, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Thomas, of Glynogwr, in the parish of Llandyfodwg, and Robert Evans, of Giffach Goch, in the parish of Llantrissant, both in the county of Glamorgan, Grocers, carrying on business at Glynogwr and Giffach Goch aforesaid, under the style or firm of Thomas and Evans.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Muir and Kennard, 77, Crockherbtown, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Public Accountants, on the 23rd day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

JOSIAH MERRILLS, Church-street, Cardiff, Solicitor for the said John Thomas and Robert Evans.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Thomas, of North-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Morgan and Scott, No. 18, High-street, Cardiff, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

MORGAN and SCOTT, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Miles Watkins, of 47, Cowbridge-road, near Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Stationer and Tobacconist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Jones, Solicitor, Philharmonic-chambers, Saint Mary-street, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JOHN JONES, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Margaret Edwards, of Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan, and Daniel Edwards, of the same place, Wholesale and Retail Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, and Leather Merchants, trading as M. and D. Edwards.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Swan Hotel, Bridge-street, Bristol, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

TENNANT and JONES, of Aberavon, Solicitors for the said Margaret Edwards and Daniel Edwards.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Kenway and Llewellyn Brock Kenway, of Neath, also of Bedlwyn Colliery, Cwmaman, near Aberdare, and of Cefn Golan Colliery, Gower-road, near Swansea, all in the county of Glamorgan, trading under the style or firm of Kenway and Son, Colliery Proprietors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. H. H. Beekingham, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

R. P. MORGAN, Neath, Solicitor for the said James Kenway and Llewellyn Brock Kenway.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Kenway and Llewellyn Brock Kenway, of Neath, also of Bedlwyn Colliery, Cwmaman, near Aberdare, and of Cefn Golan Colliery, Gower-road, near Swansea, all in the county of Glamorgan, trading under the style or firm of Kenway and Son, Colliery Proprietors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Llewellyn Brock Kenway has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. H. H. Beekingham, Albion-chambers, Bristol, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

R. P. MORGAN, Neath, Solicitor for the said Llewellyn Brock Kenway.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sarah Morris, of Beach-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Hotel, Wind-street, Swansea, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

J. HARTLEY JOHN, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Rebecca Gibbs, now the wife of John Gibbs, of Back-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Shipwright, and also carrying on business there as a Grocer and Provision Dealer, formerly Rebecca Jones, a Widow, carrying on business at Back-street, Swansea aforesaid, as a Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Worcester-place, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

BROWN, COLLINS, and WOODS, 1, Worcester-place, Swansea, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Davies and Thomas Roderick, both of Ynysfelin Factory, in the parish of Penderyn, in the county of Brecon, Woollen Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 48, Glebeland-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

D. ROBERT LEWIS, 48, Glebeland-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Robins, of Upper Machen, in the parish of Machen, in the county of Monmouth, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Williams and Co., Solicitors, 16, Dock-street, Newport, in the county aforesaid, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAMS and CO., Newport, Monmouthshire, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Austin, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Commission Agent and Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said Thomas Austin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Scrivener, of No. 31, Princes-street, Luton, in the county of Bedford, Straw Hat Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Chapel-street, Luton aforesaid, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

GEORGE ANNESLEY, St. Albans, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Walter Eynon, of Wallbrook, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred James Langman, Solicitor, 14, Church-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

ALFRED J. LANGMAN, 14, Church-street, Bilston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Jeffries, of No. 12, Lower Church-lane, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Shakespeare, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester on the 16th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

WM. SHAKESPEARE, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, Worcestershire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Davis, of No. 48, High-street, in the city of Worcester, Printer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

FREDERICK and HENRY CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Smart and Samuel Smart, trading as Smart and Son, at No. 180, High-street, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Boot and Shoe Dealers and Makers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of W. H. Tinsley, Solicitor, 31, Priory-street, Dudley aforesaid, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WM. H. TINSLEY, 31, Priory-street, Dudley, Solicitor for the said William Smart and Samuel Smart.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Evans, of No. 10, Walmer-street, in the city of Hereford, lately trading under the style of Evans Brothers and Company, at New Market-street, in the said city, Engineer and Machinist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, High Town, in the city of Hereford, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JAMES CORNER, 37, High Town, Hereford, Solicitor for the said John Evans.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Harris, of No. 40, Bridge-street, in the city of Hereford, Corn Merchant and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, High Town, in the city of Hereford, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JAMES CORNER, 37, High Town, Hereford, Solicitor for the said Thomas Harris.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Griffiths, of Trowse-lane, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Abraham Baker, 8, Bridge-street, Walsall, on the 22nd day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

A. BAKER, 8, Bridge-street, Walsall, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Rathbone, of Brownhills, in the county of Stafford, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Jackson, High-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, on the 9th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

HENRY JACKSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Richard Sankey, late of the Sow and Pigs Inn, Bearwood Hill, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler and Horse Dealer, but now out of business, and residing at Bearwood-lane, Smethwick.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Samuel H. Forrest, 19, Church-street, Oldbury, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

SAMUEL H. FORREST, 19, Church-street, Oldbury, Worcestershire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Tipping, of Chell, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Bricksetter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Llewellyn and Ackrill, Solicitors, Tunstall, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

LLEWELLYN and ACKRILL, Tunstall, Staffordshire, Solicitors for the said Joseph Tipping.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Austin Morris, of 15 and 17, Weaver-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, Crewe, in the county of Chester, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

E. A. ASHMALL, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Beland, of Piccadilly, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Copeland Arms Inn, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the said county, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1878.

E. A. ASHMALL, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Reuben Matthew Tipper, of 79, Lichfield-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, out of business, and formerly Glass and China Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Copeland Arms Inn, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

E. A. ASHMALL, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Heppell, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Coal Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Copeland Arms Hotel, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

WILL. BAGNALL, Glebe-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Gill, of Uttoxeter, in the said county of Stafford, Music Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Smith Cowlshaw, Solicitor, Market-place, Uttoxeter, on the 8th day of April, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

W. S. COWLISHAW, Uttoxeter, Solicitor for the said Francis Gill.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Philip Hinch, of 70, Derby-street, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Butcher and Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Brown Hextall, Solicitor, No. 48, Full-street, Derby, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

W. B. HEXTALL, 48, Full-street, Derby, Solicitor for the said Philip Hinch.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ryan, Arthur James Ryan, and Catherine Ryan, all of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Linen Drapers, trading under the firm or style of Patrick and John Ryan.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Boyes and Child, Accountants, No. 42, Poultry, in the city of London, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

ELLISON, BURROWS, and FREEMAN, Alexandra-street, Petty Cury, Cambridge, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Arnold, of No. 151, High-street, Winchester aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Adams, Moberley, and Shenton, Jewry-street, Winchester, on the 19th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ADAMS, MOBERLEY, and SHENTON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Beekingham, of Ashe, in the county of Southampton, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Chandler and Sons, Solicitors, in Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton, on the 23rd day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

CHANDLER and SON, Basingstoke, Hants, Solicitors for the said Benjamin Beekingham.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Graham, of the Market Vaults, Bangor, in the county of Carnarvon, Licensed Victualler and Licensed Hawker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Commercial Hotel, Chester, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

J. WILLIAM HUGHES, Bangor, Solicitor for the said James Graham.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward George, of Oswestry, in the county of Salop, Boot Maker and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Public Hall, Oswestry, in the county of Salop, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

MINSHALLS and PARRY JONES, Oswestry, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ellen Wyman, of Whitwell, in the parish of Paulswalden, in the county of Hertford, Shopkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, in Portmill-lane, Hitchin, in the county of Hertford, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of March, 1878.

WM. ONSLOW TIMES, Hitchin, Herts, Solicitor for the said Ellen Wyman.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Adamson, of 24, Barlow-street, Litchurch, in the borough of Derby, Grocer, Beerseller, Coal Dealer, and Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, 2, Amen-alley, Derby, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

WM. BRIGGS, 2, Amen-alley, Derby, Solicitor for the said John Adamson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Marley, of Gaunless Mill, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, and George Marley, of the same place, carrying on business at Gaunless Mill aforesaid, as Corn Millers, under the style of T. and G. Marley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Proud, 16, Market-place, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JNO. PROUD, Bishop Auckland aforesaid, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Marley, of Gaunless Mill, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, and George Marley, of the same place, carrying on business at Gaunless Mill aforesaid, as Corn Millers, under the style of T. and G. Marley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Marley has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Proud, 16, Market-place, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JNO. PROUD, Bishop Auckland aforesaid, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Marley, of Gaunless Mill, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, and George Marley, of the same place, carrying on business at Gaunless Mill aforesaid, as Corn Millers, under the style of T. and G. Marley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Marley has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Proud, 16, Market-place, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JNO. PROUD, Bishop Auckland aforesaid, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert William Summerson, of Shildon, in the county of Durham, Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. T. Proud, Solicitor, 25, Market-place, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. T. PROUD, 25, Market-place, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Chalmers and Frederick Betts, both of Exchange-place, Middlesborough, in the county of York, carrying on business in copartnership together as Iron Merchants and Brokers, under the style or firm of Chalmers, Betts, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named James Chalmers has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John T. Belk and Parrington, Post Office-chambers, Marton-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JNO. T. BELK and PARRINGTON, Post Office-chambers, Marton-road, Middlesborough, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Chalmers and Frederick Betts, both of Exchange-place, Middlesborough, in the county of York, carrying on business in copartnership together as Iron Merchants and Brokers, under the style or firm of Chalmers, Betts, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named Frederick Betts has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John T. Belk and Parrington, Post Office-chambers, Marton-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, on the 15th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JNO. T. BELK and PARRINGTON, Post Office-chambers, Marton-road, Middlesborough, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Wedgwood, of Park-gate, Darlington, in the county of Durham, Tailor, Draper, and Hosier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rooke and Midgley, in White Horse-street, Boar-lane, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Irwin, of 12, Charles-street, North Ormesby, near Middlesborough, Grocer and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. H. Hope, Solicitor, Zetland-road, Middlesborough, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

JOHN HENRY HOPE, Zetland-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said John Irwin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Tiplady, of Skelton-in-Cleveland, in the North Riding of the county of York, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hudson and Pybus, Mechanics' Institute, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

GEORGE TIPLADY, the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Thubron and John Phillips, of West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Contractors, Builders, and Commission Agents, carrying on business under the style or firm of Thomas Thubron and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edwin Wright Bell, Solicitor, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool aforesaid, on the 10th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March 1878.

EDW. W. BELL, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mark Mellers, of Short Hill, Nottingham, and residing at No. 12, Colville-street, Nottingham, Commission Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Wells and Hind, Solicitors, No. 14, Fletcher-gate, Nottingham, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WELLS and HIND, 14, Fletcher-gate, Nottingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Garrison, of No. 341, High-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Chinaman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick L. Pruett, Solicitor, No. 11, Regent-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

FREDERICK L. PRUETT, 11, Regent-street, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Lomas, of King-street, in the city of Gloucester, Tin and Iron Plate Worker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bell Hotel, Gloucester, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

TAYNTON and SON, Clarence-chambers, Gloucester, Solicitors for the said Thomas Lomas.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Lucas, of No. 68, Milk-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Horse Hair Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 13th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William John Curtis, of the Bunch of Grapes Inn, in the parish of Frampton Cotterell, in the county of Gloucester, Beer Retailer, General-shop Keeper, and Carpenter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Alfred Malcolm, John Hudson, Arthur Brent, and Edward Lewis Hyde, of No. 5, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Merchants, carrying on business under the firm of Malcolm, Hudson, and Co., and at Yokohama, in Japan, under the firm of Hudson, Malcolm, and Co.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named estate will be held at the offices of the Trustees, Mr. Henry Bishop, No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Monday, the 15th day of April instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the undermentioned purposes, namely:—1. To appoint a Committee to audit the Trustee's accounts, and to fix the amount of the remuneration to be paid to him; 2. To consider the question as to granting the debtor's discharge; 3. And to do anything else that may be deemed necessary in the matter.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LYNE and HOLMAN, 5 and 6, Great Winchester-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Alfred Malcolm, John Hudson, Arthur Brent, and Edward Lewis Hyde, of No. 5, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Merchants, carrying on business under the firm of Malcolm, Hudson, and Co., and at Yokohama, Japan, under the firm of Hudson, Malcolm, and Co.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the separate estate of William Alfred Malcolm, one of the above-named debtors, will be held at the office of the Trustees, Mr. Henry Bishop, No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Monday, the 15th day of April instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the undermentioned purposes, namely:—1. To appoint a Committee to audit the Trustee's accounts of the said separate estate, and to fix the amount of the remuneration to be paid to him; 2. To consider the question as to granting the debtor's discharge; 3. And to do anything else that may be deemed necessary in the matter.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LYNE and HOLMAN, 5 and 6, Great Winchester-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Alfred Malcolm, John Hudson, Arthur Brent and Edward Lewis Hyde, of No. 5, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Merchants, carrying on business under the firm of Malcolm, Hudson, and Co., and at Yokohama, Japan, under the firm of Hudson, Malcolm, and Co.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the separate estate of John Hudson, one of the above-named debtors, will be held at the office of the Trustees, Mr. Henry Bishop, No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Monday, the 15th day of April instant, at a quarter past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the undermentioned purposes, namely:—1. To appoint a Committee to audit the Trustee's accounts of the said separate estate,

and to fix the amount of the remuneration to be paid to him; 2. To consider the question as to granting the debtor's discharge; 3. And to do anything else that may be deemed necessary in the matter.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LYNE and HOLMAN, 5 and 6, Great Winchester-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Alfred Malcolm, John Hudson, Arthur Brent, and Edward Lewis Hyde, of No. 5, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Merchants, carrying on business under the firm of Malcolm, Hudson, and Co., and at Yokohama, in Japan, under the firm of Hudson, Malcolm, and Co.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the separate estate of Arthur Brent, one of the above-named debtors, will be held at the offices of the Trustee, Mr. Henry Bishop, No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Monday, the 15th day of April instant, at a quarter past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the under-mentioned purposes, namely:—1. To appoint a Committee to audit the Trustee's accounts of the said separate estate, and to fix the amount of the remuneration to be paid to him; 2. To consider the question as to granting the debtor's discharge; 3. And to do anything else that may be deemed necessary in the matter.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

LYNE and HOLMAN, 5 and 6, Great Winchester-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Emmett Hadley, of No. 1, Acorn-street, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, Sack and Bag Manufacturer, trading as J. E. Hadley and Co.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the debtor is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of the Trustee, Mr. J. M. Klenck, situate and being No. 4, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 16th day of April instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes following, that is to say:—1. To receive and consider the Trustee's report on the affairs of the debtor; 2. To explain why no dividend has been declared; 3. To pass the Trustee's accounts; 4. To vote the remuneration and grant the release of the Trustee; 5. To grant the discharge of the debtor; 6. To fix the close of the liquidation, and to take into consideration such matters and to pass such resolutions thereon as may be incidental to the above-mentioned matters or any of them.—Dated the 3rd day of April, 1878.

BRIGHTEN and PARKER, 4, Bishopsgate-street Without, London, E.C., Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Culverhouse, of Newport Pagnell, in the county of Buckingham, Grocer.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Messrs. Nicholls and Leatherdale, 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the following purposes, viz.:—To audit and pass the accounts of the Trustee; fix and allow the Trustee's remuneration; to declare a Dividend; to consider the discharge of the debtor and the terms upon which the same shall be granted, and to pass a resolution thereon; and to pass such other resolutions and to transact such other business thereat as the creditors may consider expedient.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

HENRY LEATHERDALE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Henry Glew, of 153, Euston-road, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named John Henry Glew is hereby convened and summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. F. Lovering and Co., 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1. To consider the propriety of sanctioning a sale by the Trustee of the debtor's estate for a sum sufficient to pay the creditors a Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound, and to grant the debtor his discharge. 2. To resolve upon the close of

the liquidation and to release the Trustee on and from the 10th day of June, 1878, or such other date as may be determined, and to consider and resolve generally upon all matters in relation to the said proceedings as such meeting shall deem fit.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JNO. F. LOVERING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of the Reverend Charles James Allan Padley, of Enville Rectory, Enville, near Stanbridge, in the county of Stafford, and of 15, Moore-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in Holy Orders.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Messrs. Lumley and Lumley, No. 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following scheme for arrangement of the debtor's affairs. That on payment by Mr. C. W. Collis to W. L. C. Browne, the Trustee of the property of the debtor of the sum of £1155, the Trustee to assign to Mr. C. W. Collis all the unrealized estate of the debtor, and also withdraw and put an end to the sequestrations issued against the profits of Enville Rectory, and that Mr. C. W. Collis pay the Trustee and Solicitors agreed costs of this liquidation. That such sum of £1155 be received by the Trustee in satisfaction and discharge of all the debts due to the creditors of the said debtor, and that the discharge of the said C. J. A. Padley be granted upon the Trustee certifying to the Court that such sum of £1155 and the agreed costs have been paid. The auditing of the Trustee's accounts, the release of the Trustee, and the close of this liquidation will also be considered.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

LUMLEY and LUMLEY, 22, Conduit-street Bond-street, W., and 15, Old Jewry-chambers E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Field Stanford, of No. 7, Twerton-terrace, Norwich-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, Grocer.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named Robert Field Stanford will be held at the offices of Messrs. Carter and Bell, 5, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purposes:—1. To consider the question of granting the debtor his discharge; 2. To fix the close of the liquidation; 3. To consider the question of payment of a dividend and granting a release to the Trustee.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

WILLIAM HENRY DAVIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Stafford, of 13, Narrow-quay, in the city of Bristol, Block and Mast Maker.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Stafford is hereby summoned to be held at my offices, No. 3, Corn-street, in the city of Bristol, on Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock precisely, for the purpose of auditing and passing my accounts, determining and fixing the remuneration to be allowed me, declaring a First and Final Dividend out of assets available for the purpose, fixing the date for closing the liquidation and granting me my release as Trustee, and to pass all necessary resolutions in the matter.—Dated the 4th day of April, 1878.

W. H. PHILLIPS, 3, Corn-street, Bristol, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Eliza Stansfield, of Idle, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Messrs. Watson and Dickons, Solicitors, Victoria-chambers, Market-street, Bradford, on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1st. To audit the Trustee's accounts; 2nd. To consider the question of the debtor's discharge and, if so resolved, to grant the same; 3rd. To fix the close of the liquidation and the date of the discharge of the Trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

EDWARD TUKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Jones, of Penley Mill, in the parish of Penley, in the county of Flint, Miller.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors in the above matter is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Gee, Solicitor, 20, North John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes following:—To fix and pass the Trustee's remuneration; to consider the propriety of granting the debtor his discharge; to close the estate, and grant the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

THOMAS VAUGHAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Millward, Farm-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Edwin Millward will be held at the offices of Mr. Robert L. Impey, 26, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on Monday, the 8th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—To receive the Trustee's report; To consider, and, if thought fit, to approve a sale of the estate of the debtor, to produce a First and Final Dividend of one shilling in the pound, and to grant the debtor his discharge; To release the Trustee; To fix the remuneration of the Trustee and Solicitor. Creditors who have not already proved their debts must do so, and send their proofs to me, on or before the 6th day of April, or they will be excluded from participation in the dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

ROBERT L. IMPEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Higginbottom, of the Old Pack Horse Inn, Mossley Cross, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Messrs. Ascroft and Sons, 16, Clegg-street, Oldham, on Thursday, the 11th day of April instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, when it is proposed to transact the following business:—1. To receive and pass the accounts of the Trustee; 2. To fix the amount of the remuneration of the Trustee; 3. To fix the amount of the remuneration of the Solicitors to the Trustee from his appointment; 4. To fix the amount of the First and Final Dividend, and to direct the Trustee to declare and pay the same; 5. To decide as to the release of the Trustee; 6. To decide as to the discharge of the debtor; 7. To fix the date for closing the liquidation; 8. To pass any other resolution or resolutions incidental to the business and competent for the creditors to pass at such meeting.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH MILL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Nodskon, of the Prince's-gate Hotel, Nos. 19, 21, and 22, Cromwell-place, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Hotel Keeper.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Nodskon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred Augustus James, of No. 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

A. A. JAMES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John James Rees, of No. 9, Castle-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Hosier and Hatter.

THE creditors of the above-named John James Rees who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their

debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Daniel Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

J. D. VINEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Gordon, of No. 4, Market-place, Stockport, in the county of Chester, and of No. 3, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Mantle and Costume Manufacturer, trading as George Gordon and Company.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Gordon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Daniel Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

J. D. VINEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jonah Benson, of No. 382, High-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Tailor.

THE creditors of the above-named Jonah Benson who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Cornish Cooper, of No. 20, King's Arms-yard, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

WM. C. COOPER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Read, of Oadby, and Charles Sutton, of No. 8, Ashwell-street, Leicester, carrying on business together in copartnership at No. 9, Wellington-street, Leicester, and No. 120, Willow-street, Leicester, all in the county of Leicester, as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Read and Sutton.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Read and Charles Sutton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William John Cox, of the firm of Cox and Palmer, of 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, London, S.E., Public Accountants, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM J. COX, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Norton, of No. 7, Lansdowne-villas, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Ship Owner.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Norton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Moore, of No. 3, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Brown, of 2, Rectory-buildings, High-street, and 23, New-arcade, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Draper, and Boot and Shoe Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named Michael Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William John Cox, of the firm of Cox and Palmer, of 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E., Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM JOHN COX, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Walker, of 83, Upper North-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and Henry Smith, of 13, Ship-street, Brighton aforesaid, both trading in copartnership at 13, Ship-street, Brighton aforesaid, as Bakers and Biscuit Makers, under the style or firm of Walker and Smith, and the said Henry Smith also carrying on business separately, on his own account, at 3, Cranbourne-street, Brighton aforesaid, as a Pastry Cook and Confectioner.

THE creditors of the above-named David Walker and Henry Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick George Clark, of No. 7, Union-street, Ship-street, Brighton, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

F. G. CLARK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Walker, of 83, Upper North-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and Henry Smith, of 13, Ship-street, Brighton aforesaid, both trading in copartnership at 13, Ship-street, Brighton aforesaid, as Bakers and Biscuit Makers, under the style or firm of Walker and Smith, and lately carrying on business at 12, Church-street, Brighton aforesaid, as Grocers, under the style or firm of Walker and Smith, and the said Henry Smith also carrying on business separately, on his own account, at 3, Cranbourne-street, Brighton aforesaid, as a Pastry Cook and Confectioner.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Henry Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick George Clark, of No. 7, Union-street, Ship-street, Brighton, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

F. G. CLARK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Manwaring, of the Quest Hills, Malvern Link, in the parish of Leigh, in the county of Worcester, Baker and Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Manwaring who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Joseland, of No. 28, High-street, in the city of Worcester, Grocer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

WM. JOSELAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Harrison Daniel, of 29, Francis-terrace, Carmarthen, in the county of Carmarthen, Auctioneer and Agricultural Implement Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named James Harrison Daniel who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Parsons, of 16, High-street, in the city of Bristol, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Banbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Waterman Woodin, of Buckingham, in the county of Buckingham, Saddler and Harness Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named Richard Waterman Woodin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred Long Field, of No. 35, Adelaide-square, Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

ALFRED LONG FIELD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Purchase, of Wood-street, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Lock Manufacturer, trading as Luke Lawrence and Company.

THE creditors of the above-named John Purchase who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Daniel Knowles, of Wood-street, Willenhall aforesaid, Brassfounder, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

DANIEL KNOWLES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Conibear, of Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Conibear who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Rush, of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Draper, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.

ARTHUR RUSH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Bennett, of Salisbury, in the county of Wilts, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named William Henry Bennett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Parsons, of 16, High-street, in the city of Bristol, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

JNO. PARSONS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford, transferred from the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George MacArthur, of Middlesbrough, in the county of York, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named George MacArthur who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Peter Kerr Chesney, of No. 1, Leeds-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

PETER KERR CHESNEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Harry Loftus, of No. 1, Emporium-buildings, Spring Bank, of Kingston-upon-Hull, Draper, trading under the style of T. C. Jones.

THE creditors of the above-named Harry Loftus who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1878, to send their names

and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Pickering, of No. 8, Parliament-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

B. PICKERING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jabez Bancroft, of Keighley, in the county of York, Ale and Porter Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Jabez Bancroft who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Gordon, Junior, of 1, Bond-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

JOHN GORDON, Jun. Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Walker, of Bridge-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner and Manufacturer, trading under the style of Walker and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Walker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Hartley Blackburn, of Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

J. HARTLEY BLACKBURN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cole, of 48, King-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 10, Castle-place, Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, and Oak Villa, Ashton-upon-Mersey, in the county of Chester, Tailor and Outfitter, trading at Belfast aforesaid, as William Cole and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named William Cole who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Augustus Josolyne (of the firm of Josolyne, Clarke, and Co.), No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

J. A. JOSOLYNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Charlton, of Chapel-road, Old Shildon, in the county of Durham, and of Eldva-lane, in the said county, General Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named William Charlton who have not already proved their debts, are required on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Walton Gillibrand, of No. 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

THOMAS WALTON GILLIBRAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frank Poynton Poole, of 4, Fleet-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Drysalter.

THE creditors of the above-named Frank Poynton Poole who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Heaps, of

16, Lune-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Veterinary Surgeon, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM HEAPS, for Self and Co-trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Everill, of No. 1, Angel-street, in the city of Worcester, Stock and Share Broker.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Everill who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, David Shaw, of Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

DD, SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Toon, of Loudon-street, Rose-hill, Derby, Shoemaker.

THE creditors of the above-named John Toon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Parker, of 4, Amen-alley, Derby, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM PARKER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Chesterfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Topliss, of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Builder and Contractor, lately trading in copartnership with George McNaughton Daily, under the style of Topliss and Daily.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Topliss who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Ellis Birtt Brownlow, of No. 22, Soresby-street, Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

E. B. BROWNLOW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Gibbons, of Castle-gate, in the town of Nottingham, and of Exchange-walk, in the same town, Boot and Shoe Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Gibbons who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Leman, of Nottingham, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

THOS. LEMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Thyer, of Victoria-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Cab Proprietor and Shoeing Smith.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Thyer who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred Lookyer Davey, at the Court-house, Oldbury, near Birmingham, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

A. L. DAVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Duffell, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Fruiterer and Sweet Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Duffell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Lovewell Blake, of Great Yarmouth, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

LOVEWELL BLAKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Kingman, of the Giant's Head Inn, Cerne Abbas, in the county of Dorset, Innkeeper and Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Kingman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Newman, of Dorchester, in the county of Dorset, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

T. NEWMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Warren, of the Three Compasses Inn, Charnminster, in the county of Dorset, Innkeeper and Wheelwright.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Warren who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Newman, of Dorchester, in the county of Dorset, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

T. NEWMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Horace Winter, of No. 17, Western-terrace and of West Mills, Fordington, in the county of Dorset, Miller.

THE creditors of the above-named Horace Winter who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Newman, of Dorchester, in the county of Dorset, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

T. NEWMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Hurnell, of No. 72, Bridge-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Commercial Clerk.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Hurnell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Fletcher, of 23, Milton-road, Tranmere, in the county of Chester, Corn Broker.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Fletcher who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Public

Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Silvester Page, formerly of Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Westmoreland-mews, Great Marylebone-street, in the county of Middlesex, but now of No. 59, Levertton-street, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Coach Maker, and John Loveland, also formerly of Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Westmoreland-mews aforesaid, but now of No. 23, Pickering-place, Queen's-road, Hayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Coach Maker, both formerly trading together in copartnership at Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Westmoreland-mews aforesaid under the style or firm of Page and Loveland, as Coach Makers.

EBENEZER JOSEPH MATHER, of No. 37, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph William Carr, of No. 4, London-street, in the city of London, Poulterer and Fish Dealer.

WILLIAM BROOKS, of No. 11, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Gaskarth Parker, of No. 89, Harrow-road and No. 86, Seymour-street, Euston-square, both in the county of Middlesex, Hosier and Draper.

JOHAN FOLLAND LOVERING, of No. 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.**

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Margaret Smith, of Tudor-square, Tenby, in the county of Pembroke, Confectioner.

HOWELL DAVIES, of the London and Provincial Bank, Tenby aforesaid, Bank Manager, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Holloway and Abiezer Cook Holloway, both of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Cabinet Makers, Upholsterers, and Furniture Dealers, trading as Copartners.

WILLIAM COMBEN HARVEY, of No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Riley, of Ilkestone, in the county of Derby, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

THOMAS DANIEL BRIGGS, of Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, Leather Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Hobson, of No. 25, St. Peter's-street and No. 37, Wilmot-street, both in the borough of Derby, Linen Draper.

SAMUEL HUNT, of 52, Portland-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Hill Ireland, late of the White Hart Hotel, Hexham, in the county of Northumberland, Hotel Keeper, but now of No. 18, Gladstone-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor's Clerk.

WILLIAM SMITHSON, of No. 9, Grainger-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Glaholm, of Hack House, Dinington, in the county of Northumberland, Farmer.

WILLIAM DODDS LAMB, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Dennison Challenger and John Hobson, both of Kilnhurst, in the county of York, Corn Millers and Copartners, trading as Challenger and Hobson; and in the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of the said Richard Dennison Challenger.

FREDERICK RODGERS, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jabez Bancroft, of Keighley, in the county of York, Ale and Porter Merchant.

JOHN GORDON the younger, of Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Hugh Loughton Longbottom, of Tuxford, in the county of Nottingham, Miller.

JOHN GOLLAND, of East Retford, in the said county of Nottingham, Valuer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Albert Cade, of Healdon, in the parish of Healdon-cum-Upton, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer.

JOHN GOLLAND, of East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, Valuer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Thomas Broadway, of No. 24, Steep-hill, in the city of Lincoln, Cook and Confectioner.

GEORGE JAY, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Peek, of No. 19, Canon-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, Fruiterer and Potato Merchant.

JOHN DANIEL THOMAS, of Swansea, High Bailiff, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Atkins, of Longbredy, in the county of Dorset, Farmer.

THOMAS GREY BRYER, of Dorchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Michael Gordon, of 4, Soho-street and 49, Langdale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

JOHN ROBERTS, of Hatton Garden, Liverpool, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jesse Walsham, of No. 8, Norfolk-street East, Wisbech, in the county of Cambridge, Butcher.

SIMON SIMMONS, of Elm-road, Wisbech, Cattle Dealer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any

of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at
Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Barker, of No. 19, Spring-gardens, Flowerly Field, Hyde, in the county of Chester, Plumber, Glazier, and Gas and Water Fitter.

WILLIAM BUTCHER, of Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Williams, of No. 238, Dalton-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber and Painter, trading under the style of Badger and Williams.

WILLIAM BUTCHER, of 78, Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed the Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the said debtor must deliver them up to the trustee, and all debts due to the said debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.
A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Charles Walker, of Golds Green, in the parish of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and in partnership with Joseph Forrest, at the Ash Leasowes Colliery, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, as a Chartermaster. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 13th day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

CHARLES FINCHER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.
To John Arthur McDougall Nicholson, of Fairlawn, Claygate, in the parish of Thames Ditton, in the said county of Surrey, of no occupation.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court, by Albert Henry Townly and Rufus Martin Boniwell, of Victoria-road, Surbiton, in the said county of Surrey, Furniture Dealers, Auctioneers, and House Agents, and Copartners, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said petition will be heard at this Court on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the London Bankruptcy Court.
In the Matter of Thomas Lister, of 20A, Marlborough-hill, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation, who was adjudicated Bankrupt on the 31st day of May, 1877.

TAKE notice, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Messrs. Pyke and Minchin, 123 and 124, Newgate-street, in the city of London, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1878, to consider the propriety of granting the said bankrupt an order of discharge, pursuant to the 48th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, and also to consider the proposals made for a settlement of the claims of the Trustee against Lord Stamford

and Warrington in respect of the legacy bequeathed to the debtor by the will of Lord Ribblesdale.—Dated 1st day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH PYKE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton.
A FIRST and Final of 20s. in the pound has been declared in the separate estate of Henry Wedd, who, with William Burton, of Richmond and Easby, in the county of York, Millers, were adjudicated bankrupts on the 19th day of September, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Christopher George Croft, Solicitor, in Richmond aforesaid, on and after the 10th day of April, 1878.—Dated the 1st day of April, 1878.

THOMAS WILDE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Michael William Henry, of Bradford, in the county of York, Travelling Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of August, 1877, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 20, Chapel-lane, Bradford aforesaid, on and after the 11th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM SCOTT, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Conolly Martin, of Deal and Sandwich, in the county of Kent, Attorney and Scrivener, adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd day of March, 1875, and will be paid by us, at the office of Messrs. Mercer, Edwards, and Mercer, Nos. 19 and 20, Queen-street, Deal aforesaid, on and after the 26th day of March, 1878.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1878.

R. JOYNES EMMERSON,
GEORGE COTTEW, Trustees.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Terras, of Grey-street, Ardwick, Manchester, Builder and Contractor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of May, 1876, and will be paid by me, at No. 100, King-street, Manchester, on and after the 23rd day of February, 1878.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH LAMB, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley.
DIVIDENDS to the amount of 6s. 8d. in the pound have been declared in the matter of Robert Earnshaw, of Colne, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant and Commission Agent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of June, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 49, Manchester-road, Burnley aforesaid, on and after the 6th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

EDWARD FODEN, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.
In the Matter of James Sillence, of Otterbourne, in the county of Hants, Horse Dealer, a Bankrupt, Special Fund.

A DIVIDEND of 3s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of the special fund in the matter of James Sillence, of Otterbourne, in the county of Hants, Horse Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of December, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the County Court Office, St. Thomas-street, Winchester, on and after the 9th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

E. D. GODWIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Frederick Southcoates, of Walton Vale, in the county of Lancaster, Brickmaker, Builder, and Contractor, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Frederick Southcoates, an order of adjudication was made on the 21st day of December, 1877. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 1st day of April, 1878.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Henry Roberts, trading as Roberts and Co., of 53 and 55, London-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Confectioner, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court on the 24th day of July, 1877, an order of adjudication was made against the said Henry Roberts on the 27th day of July, 1877. This is to give notice that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, an-

nulls on the 2nd day of April, 1878.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against R
H Bickell, of 350, Oxford-street, in the county of
Middlesex, Tailor.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said R H Bickell having been given, it is ordered that the said R H Bickell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 1st day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

James R. Brougham, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said R H Bickell is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Rappard, of No. 70, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, carrying on business there as an Export Merchant, and residing at the Orchard, Sydenham Hill, in the county of Surrey.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Rappard having been given, it is ordered that the said William Rappard be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Rappard is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert Whiting, of Farnham, in the county of Surrey, Manure Merchant.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Robert Whiting having been given, it is ordered that the said Robert Whiting be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

Geo. White, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Whiting is hereby summoned to be held at the Bush Hotel, Farnham aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Hertford. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Charles White Cave, of Harlow, in the county of Essex, and of Bishop's Stortford and Sawbridgeworth, both in the county of Hertford, Solicitor, carrying on business in copartnership with Frederick George Unwin and Daniel Edwards Langham, under the style or firm of Unwin, Cave, and Langham.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Charles White Cave having been given, it is ordered that the said Charles White Cave be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of March, 1878.

By the Court,

E. R. Spence, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Charles White Cave is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the said Court at Hertford, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Richard Phillips, of Little Hall, Bettisfield, in the parish of Hammer, in the county of Flint, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Richard Phillips having been given, it is ordered that the said Richard Phillips be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 1st day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

E. D. Broughton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Phillips is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Coppenhall-terrace, Crewe, in the county of Chester, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Ephraim Lee, of No. 109, Nantwich-road, Crewe, in the county of Chester, Lodging-house Keeper and Relieving Officer for the Poor.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Ephraim Lee having been given, it is ordered that the said Ephraim Lee be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

E. D. Broughton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Ephraim Lee is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Coppenhall-terrace, Crewe aforesaid, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James S Thomson, of 59, Manchester-road, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, late a General Broker, but now out of business.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Peti-

tioners, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said James S. Thomson having been given, it is ordered that the said James S. Thomson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

William Cooper, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James S. Thomson is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Jenkin Williams, late of the King's Head Public-house, Pencoeed, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, Innkeeper and Cattle Dealer, but now residing at the same house as a private dwelling house, Brewer and Cattle Dealer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Jenkin Williams having been given, it is ordered that the said Jenkin Williams be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

By the Court.

R. F. Langley, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Jenkin Williams is hereby summoned to be held at the Townhall, Cardiff, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Kelly Brindley, of No. 4, Norfolk-street and of the Deptford Saw Mills, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Timber Merchant and Saw Mill Proprietor.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Kelly Brindley having been given, it is ordered that the said William Kelly Brindley be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

Robt. K. A. Ellis, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Kelly Brindley is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court-house, John-street, Sunderland, on the 16th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Jones Valentine, of No. 173, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, and residing at Holmdale, Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, Foreign Banker and Financial Agent, trading as Valentine and Co., a Bankrupt.

The Reverend William English, of Emmanuel Vicarage, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Clerk, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver

them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Abrahams, of No. 232, Westminster Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, Glass and China Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Albert Marley, of No. 59, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Samuel Manning, of 129, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt.

Walter Hartley, of No. 10, Amersham-vale, New Cross, in the county of Kent, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Alfred Simms, of No. 27, Digbeth, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Butcher, a Bankrupt.

Edward Thompson, of 49, Coventry-road, Birmingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester.

In the Matter of Joseph Wood, commonly called Joseph Albert Wood, of Lache Hall Farm, in the city of Chester, Farmer, a Bankrupt.

John McHattie, of Northgate-street, in the city of Chester, Seedsman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Castle of Chester, on the 18th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.

In the Matter of William Henry Brierley and Charles Henry Kenyon, both of 345 and 347, Broad-street, Pendleton, and No. 1, Park-street, Cheetham, in the county of Lancaster, Plasterers and Painters, trading under the style or firm of Brierley and Kenyon, Bankrupts.

John Joseph Graham, of Norfolk-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the Court-house, Ecombe-place, Salford, in the said county of Lancaster, on the 17th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
In the Matter of Thomas Griffies, of No. 10, Winfield-terrace, Old Trafford, near the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

Thomas William Handley, of No. 52, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Encombe-place, Salford, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.
In the Matter of James Pitney Weston, formerly of the Star Inn and the Theatre Royal, Churchgate, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler and Proprietor of a Theatre, and now of the Temple Theatre and Opera House, Davies-street, Bolton, aforesaid, Lessee of a Theatre, a Bankrupt.

John Greenhalgh, of Bowker's-row, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, aforesaid, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Henry Rowson, of No. 18, Exchange-street East, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller and Watchmaker, a Bankrupt.

Edward Bradley Roose, of No. 26, North John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

William George Offord and Hermann Forder, of 24, Chisenhall-road, Old Ford, in the county of Middlesex, Fancy Paper Manufacturers, and Copartners, Bankrupts.
James Cooper, of 3, Coleman-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts, in the place and stead of Thomas Henry Wintle, deceased. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Third Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Anthony Hofmann, of No. 14 and 15, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style or firm of J. A. Hofmann and Co., adjudicated bankrupts on the 21st day of March, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 30th day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

William J. White, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Thomas Horrocks and John Banks, of 4A, Palace-square, Manchester, and of Lark Mill, Longcaneuseway, Farnworth, both in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturers, trading as Horrocks and Co., the said Thomas Horrocks residing at Lark Mill, Longcaneuseway, Farnworth aforesaid, and the said John Banks lately residing at 10, Preston-street, Hulme, in the said county of Lancaster, but now residing at Bedford Leigh, in the said county of Lancaster, and carrying on business there as a Wine and Beer Retailer, adjudicated bankrupts on the 4th day of April, 1878.

Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

John Greenhalgh, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Paze Cardozo, of Camborne, in the county of Cornwall, Mine Purser, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of March, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 19th day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

Thos. Chirgwin, Trustee.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George Hutley Stebbing, of Whitehall, Wickham Bishops, near Witham, in the county of Essex, Farmer and Cattle Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of March, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

F. C. Fitch, Trustee.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Samuel Gilbert Packer, of Stoney-street, Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, trading under the style of Packer and Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of December, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 15th day of April, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

H. E. Hubbard, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.**Notice of Dividend Meetings.**

Meetings of the Creditors of the Bankrupts hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before William Powell Murray, Esq., a Registrar:

John Mee Mathew, of 2, Bream's-buildings, Chancery-lane, prior thereto of New Boswell-court, Lincoln's-inn, both in the county of Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of June, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 3rd day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Stephen Hickson, of 97, Sussex-road, Ladbroke-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Surveyor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of March, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 3rd day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupts' estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

JOHN COLE, Esq., one of the Registrars of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th day of July, 1860, and filed against Phillip Wamsley, Thomas Hammersley, and Frederick Hammersley, all of Leek, in the county of Stafford, Silk Manufacturers, trading under the style or firm of Wamsley, Hammersley, and Company, will sit on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, in order to make a Third and Final Dividend of the estate and effects 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.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of John Smith Dainty and John Ryle, who were adjudicated bankrupts on the 7th of July, 1841, will be held before Charles Lister, Esq., one of the Registrars of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at half-past ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, when the Registrar will submit a statement of the whole estate of the bankrupts as then ascertained, of the property received and of the property outstanding, specifying the cause of its being so outstanding, and of all the receipts and of all the payments thereout made, and any creditor who has proved may attend and examine such statement and compare the receipts with the payments, and the meeting will declare by resolution whether and what part of the said produce of the estate (after making a reasonable deduction for future contingencies) shall be divided amongst the creditors, and at the same time the majority in value of the creditors will determine whether any and what allowance shall be made to the bankrupts out of the estate; and 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.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

CHAS. LISTER, Registrar.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Patrick Pirie Gordon, of No. 5, Talbot-road, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, and of Middleton, in the Presidency of Madras, Coffee Planter, not a Trader, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to Patrick Pirie Gordon, of No. 5, Talbot-road, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, and of Middleton, in the Presidency of Madras, Coffee Planter, not a Trader, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of July, 1874.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of James Terras, of Grey-street, Ardwick, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Builder and Contractor, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 2nd day of April, 1878, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of two shillings and nine pence farthing in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement thereto annexed, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of two shillings and nine pence farthing in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said James Terras be closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Roberts, of 202 and 294, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor and Outfitter, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Spring-Rise, sitting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 8th day of February, 1878, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt that can be realized has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and upon the application of the Trustee in person, and no creditor appearing to oppose, and upon reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated the 22nd day of March, 1878, and the affidavit of Talbot James Haslam, sworn the 22nd day of March, 1878, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt that can be realized has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said William Roberts has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of March, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Frederick Stuart Edwards, of Crown Wharf, No. 47, Lower Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business there as F. S. Edwards and Co., a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 7th day of March,

1878, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as could, according to the joint opinion of himself and the Committee of Inspection thereunto annexed in writing under their hands, be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, had been realized, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, and that a dividend to the amount of two pence halfpenny in the pound had been paid, and upon hearing Mr. Martin, Solicitor on behalf of the Trustee, and no person appearing to oppose the said application, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Frederick Stuart Edwards has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of March, 1878.

THE estates of the deceased, David Elder Allester, Merchant, Cupar-Fife, were sequestrated on 30th March, 1878, by the Sheriff of Fifeshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of March, 1878. The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1878, within the Tontine Hotel, Cupar-Fife.

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 30th day of July, 1878.

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

T. DAVIDSON, Solicitor, Cupar, Agent.

THE estates of James Law Addie, Writer in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 30th day of March, 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of March, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1878, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's place, 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 30th day of July next.

A Warrant of Protection against further Arrest for Civil Debt has been granted to the bankrupt, until the said meeting.

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

WILLIAMSON and BELL, Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of Jamieson and Watson, Shirt Makers and Hosiers, Gordou-street, Glasgow, and Robert Cowper Jamieson, Shirt Maker and Hosier there, the sole Partner of that firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 1st day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 1st day of April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 9th day of April, 1878, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's place, 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 31st day of July, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the said meeting.

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

McCLURE, NAISMITH, BRODIE, & MACFARLANE, Writers, 87, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of John Somerville, or John Somerville, sen., Watchmaker, Kirkintilloch, were sequestrated on the 2nd day of April, 1878, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 2nd day of April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1878, within the Faculty-hall, St. George's place, 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 2nd day of August, 1878.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

GEO. ANDREW, S.S.C., Agent, 3, Hope-street, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Grant and Company, Accountants, Cockburn-street, Edinburgh, and of Donald Grant, Accountant, Cockburn-street, Edinburgh, the sole Partner of the said Grant and Company, as such Partner, and as an

Individual, were sequestrated on the 2nd day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 9th day of April, 1878, within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, 51, George-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 2nd day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

GRANT and CO.,
DONALD GRANT.

THE estates of Thomas Deas Speed, Commission Merchant and Agent, Virginia-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 2nd April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Tuesday, the 16th April, 1878, at twelve o'clock, noon, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, 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 2nd day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

WM. PATERSON, Writer,
44, Hutcheson-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of Thomas Hall, Hotel Keeper, in Kelso, were sequestrated on the 2nd day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff Substitute of Roxburghshire.

The first deliverance is dated 2nd April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on the 16th day of April current, at eleven o'clock, forenoon, within the Cross Keys Hotel, in Kelso.

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 3rd day of August next.

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.

CHAS. ROBSON, Writer, Kelso, Agent.

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