

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Chitty.

In the Matter of the Life Assurance Companies Acts, 1870 and 1872; and in the Matter of the West of England Fire and Life Insurance Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the confirmation by the High Court of Justice of an Agreement for the transfer of the Life Assurance and other business of the West of England Fire and Life Insurance Company to the Commercial Union Assurance Company, was, on the 22nd day of May, 1894, presented to the High Court of Justice by the Directors of the West of England Fire and Life Insurance Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice Chitty, on Saturday, the 2nd day of June, 1894. Any Policy holder, Annuitant, Shareholder, or Creditor desiring to oppose the making of an Order confirming the proposed transfer, should appear at the hearing by himself, or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any such Policy holder, Annuitant, Shareholder, or Creditor of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 22nd day of May, 1894.

WOOD, BRIGG, and NASH, 6, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, W.C.; Agents for

HENRY M. JAMES, Exeter, Solicitor.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Antwerp Tivoli Brewery Limited and Reduced; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1877.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 28th day of April, 1894, confirming the reduction of the capital of the abovenamed Company from £90,000 to £54,000, and the Minute, approved by the Court, showing, with respect to the capital of the Company as altered, the several particulars required by the above Statutes, were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 16th day of May,

1894. And further take notice, that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—  
“The capital of the Antwerp Tivoli Brewery Limited and Reduced henceforth is £54,000, divided into 5,000 preference shares of £10 each, and 4,000 ordinary shares of £1, instead of the original capital of £90,000, divided into 5,000 preference shares of £10 each and 4,000 ordinary shares of £10 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute, the sum of £10 has been and is to be deemed to be paid upon each of the said 5,000 preference shares, and a sum of £1 has been and is to be deemed to be paid upon each of the said 4,000 ordinary shares.”—Dated the 22nd day of May, 1894.

ASHURST, MORRIS, CRISP, and Co., 17, Throgmorton-avenue, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office.

Royal Exchange, London,

May 16, 1894.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Corporation of the Royal Exchange Assurance do hereby give notice, that their Transfer Books will be shut from Thursday, the 31st instant, to Thursday, the 21st of June next; and that a General Court of the said Corporation will be holden at their office at the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday, the 20th of June, at twelve o'clock at noon, to consider of a Dividend.

E. R. HANDCOCK, Secretary.

The Ore Syndicate Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company, duly convened, and held at 8 and 9, Great St. Helen's, E.C., on the 25th day of April, 1894, the following Special Resolution was 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 22nd day of May, 1894, the following Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Godfrey Mainwaring Hoyland be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of winding up the affairs of the Company.”

Dated this 24th day of May, 1894.

GODFREY M. HOYLAND, Chairman.

### CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 TO 1893.

RETURN of the Number of Cattle Slaughtered in Great Britain by order of the Board of Agriculture under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) (Pleuro-Pneumonia) Act, 1890, during the Week ended May 19th, 1894.

#### PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as diseased, including those which were found after Slaughter to be diseased.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as having been in contact with Cattle affected or as having been otherwise exposed to infection.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as suspected, but found free from Pleuro-Pneumonia.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>			
<b>COUNTY.*</b>			
Essex ... ..	...	...	1
Kent (ex. London) ... ..	...	46	...
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	...	46	1

\* Counties include such Boroughs and Burghs as are locally situated within the limits of the Counties, or, if surrounded by two or more Counties, then they are included in the County with which they have the longest common boundary. Berwick-upon-Tweed is included in Northumberland.