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TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 1898.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 9, 1898.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Queen's Birthday will be Celebrated, in London alone, on Saturday, the 21st of May next, and at all other Stations, Naval and Military, on Tuesday, the 24th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 18, 1898.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed after Tuesday, the 26th instant, until further orders.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, April 16, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be an Honorary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

His Excellency Major Joaquim Augusto Mousinho de Albuquerque, Royal Commissioner and Governor-General of the Province of Moçambique, in recognition of services rendered to Her Majesty's Government during Military operations in Mashonaland and Matabeleland, by assisting the passage of British Troops through Portuguese Territory.

Foreign Office, March 28, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Bovey as Consul of Colombia at Cardiff.

Whitehall, April 18, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 16th instant, to appoint Edward North Buxton, Esq., to be a Member of the Royal Commission on the Liquor Licensing Laws, in the room of Sir Frederick Seager Hunt, Bart., resigned.

Whitehall, March 19, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sybil Maud Mynors-Baskerville, of Clyro Court, in the county of Radnor, Spinster, eldest daughter of Walter Thomas Mynors-Baskerville, of Clyro Court aforesaid, by Bertha Maria, his wife, only daughter and heir of John Hopton, of Canon Frome Court, in the county of Hereford, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that she may take and use the surname of Hopton only in lieu and instead of that of Mynors-Baskerville, and may bear the arms of Hopton quarterly with her own family arms; the said arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(S. 1225.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, April 18, 1898.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Rome, intimating that Canton, Hong Kong, Macao, and the Hedjaz (Arabia) are declared places infected with plague, and that arrivals from those places will be subjected to the Regulations contained in Marine Sanitary Ordinance (No. 3) of 8th May, 1897.

(S. 1237.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, April 18, 1898.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, reporting that, by a decision of Board of Health, ships having cases of plague on board will be repulsed after landing mails under strict supervision.

Admiralty, 15th April, 1898.

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

Captain Herbert Ward Dowding has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 11th April, 1898.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, 30th April, 1877, and 26th February, 1897—

Chief Inspector of Machinery James Wootton has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 1st April, 1898.

Admiralty, 16th April, 1898.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz.:—

Frank Dathan Thomsett. Dated 7th March, 1898.

Henry Humphreys. Dated 18th March, 1898.

Edward Albert Short. Dated 20th March, 1898.

Benjamin James Watkins. Dated 1st April, 1898.

The undermentioned Assistant-Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz.:—

Ernest Crabtree.

William Crump Johnson.

Dated 1st April, 1898.

Admiralty, 18th April, 1898.

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

Lieutenant Frederick Willoughby Shortland has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Commander.

Assistant-Engineer Frederick William Sydenham has been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 3rd April, 1898.

MEDALS—AFRICA.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, April 18, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Medals and Clasps awarded for the Benin Expedition, February, 1897, are now ready for issue. The grant includes the Officers, Seamen, and Marines of the undermentioned ships, who remained on board at the base, during the above period, as well as those who were actually engaged in the Expedition:—

"Alecto,"	"Barrosa,"	"Forte,"
"Magpie,"	"Philomel,"	"Phoebe,"
"St. George,"	"Theseus,"	"Widgeon."

The Medal is the same pattern as that issued for the Ashantee War, with a Clasp inscribed "Benin, 1897," and those Officers and men already in possession of the Medal for former operations will receive the Clasp only.

Applications should be made personally, or by letter, to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W., and those who already have the Medal will be required to state the inscription on the last Clasp received, and the name of the ship for which it was granted.

Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines who have left the Service, whether applying personally or by letter, are required to produce their certificates of service.

War Office, Pall Mall,

19th April, 1898.

2nd Life Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable Osbert C. Molyneux resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

3rd Hussars, Captain Duncan V. Pirie retires on retired pay. Dated 20th April, 1898.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant Vincent R. Pigott, from the Cheshire Regiment, to be Captain, vice F. G. C. M. Morgan, seconded from 2nd April, 1898, for service on the Staff. Dated 20th April, 1898.

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Second Lieutenant James Waddell resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Major Charles A. P. Burroughs is placed on retired pay. Dated 20th April, 1898.

The Welsh Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Owen Quirk, C.B., D.S.O., on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 14th April, 1898.

Major Fitzroy S. L. Penno to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel J. O. Quirk, C.B., D.S.O. Dated 14th April, 1898.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Richard S. R. Fetherstonhaugh, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 16th April, 1898.

Major Robert H. Gunning to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel R. S. R. Fetherstonhaugh. Dated 16th April, 1898.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Captain Arthur E. Beadon is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 18th April, 1898.

Army Service Corps, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Parsons is placed on retired pay. Dated 19th April, 1898.

Provisional Battalion, Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. W. Allatt, from half-pay, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 12th April, 1898.

Staff, Major G. F. Ellison, from half-pay, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General (and also for Instruction), vice Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. H. Douglas, appointed an Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 18th April, 1898.

Captain J. M. Vallentin, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), to be a Brigade Major. Dated 9th April, 1898.

Artillery College, Captain C. P. Martel, Royal Artillery, from an Instructor to be a Professor, vice Major G. R. Townshend, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st April, 1898.

Ordnance Factories, Captain C. J. Blunt, Royal Artillery, to be an Officer in charge of Danger Buildings, vice Captain H. A. Pratt, Royal Artillery, appointed to the Army Ordnance Department. Dated 1st April, 1898.

Ordnance Committee, Major H. P. Hickman, Royal Artillery, to be Secretary, vice Major W. E. Blewitt, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st April, 1898.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend E. H. F. Jenner, B.A., Chaplain to the Forces Second Class, is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 6th April, 1898.

Army Ordnance Department, Captain C. Hall, the Connaught Rangers, Ordnance Officer Fourth Class, is appointed for permanent service under the provisions of Articles 3 and 13, Royal Warrant 16th June, 1896. Dated 16th April, 1898.

Conductor A. Burdall, from Army Ordnance Corps, to be Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Lieutenant M. Spencer, seconded. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Captain C. E. Phipps, Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant Inspector, vice Major F. F. Minchin, Royal Artillery, appointed an Inspector. Dated 6th April, 1898.

Half-Pay, Captain Gerald F. Ellison, from the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), to be Major. Dated 18th April, 1898.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Henry Marsh Septimus Magrath is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 31st March, 1898.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals. Dated 1st April, 1898 :—
Sir Francis W. Grenfell, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., Commanding the Force in Egypt, vice W. G. D. Massy, C.B., Colonel 5th Lancers, retired.
Paul S., Lord Methuen, K.C.V.O., C.B., C.M.G., vice Sir H. R. L. Newdigate, K.C.B., retired.

War Office, 19th April, 1898.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Forfar and Kincardine Artillery (Southern Division), Fergus Brinsley Nixon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th April, 1898.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Monmouthshire, Captain C. Bathurst resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Lieutenant G. M. L. Lamotte to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1898.

Captain J. G. O'Brien, from the 4th Battalion, Shropshire Light Infantry, to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1898.

Second Lieutenant R. S. Walker to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, John Francis Hubbard, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Thomas Massie Hutchinson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th April, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Kenneth Charles Edward Meeking, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1898.

5th and 6th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers, William Owen, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Henry Hugh Mostyn Beadnell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 30th March, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Captain J. H. Walker is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Albert Kenlis North, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

V. H. Kavanagh. Dated 20th April, 1898.

A. St. A. Molesworth. Dated 20th April, 1898.

R. G. Maturin. Dated 20th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Henry Christopher Bruce Wilson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Captain and Instructor of Musketry E. P. Gundry resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry, Samuel Keate Gwyer, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, David Alfred William Ker, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 7th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, Cyril Clarence Bicknell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, Lieutenant W. C. Newton to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.

4th Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain the Honourable T. H. A. E. Cochrane is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Archibald Seton, Lord Montgomerie, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Lieutenant R. K. Moore resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Arthur Steuart Weldon, Gent., to be Supernumerary Second Lieutenant, without pay or allowances, under the provisions of paragraph 11 of the Militia Regulations, 1898. Dated 20th April, 1898.

9th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Frederick St. John Blacker, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th April, 1898.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Hampshire (Carabiniers), Captain A. A. W. B. Bright-Smith is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Pembroke, Lieutenant F. W. A. H. Gillett resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st City of London (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), Alfred William Torkington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st Dorsetshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery), Second Lieutenant A. T. M. Bond to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st Fifehire, David Charles Stiven, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

2nd East Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Edgar Allen, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Aberdeenshire, William Webster, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st Lanarkshire, Peter MacLellan, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

RIFLE.

- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Robert Cumming, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th April, 1898.
- Cadet Corps (South Eastern College, Ramsgate)*, attached to the 1st Volunteer Battalion, the *Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Frederick Franklin Mee, Esq., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 2nd (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment*, Cecil Gilbert Pearse, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers*, Captain and Honorary Major J. Chapel resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 31st March 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Captain and Honorary Major J. C. Edwards, jun., resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, John Richard Wallscourt Blake, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers*, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
P. M. Kerr. Dated 20th April, 1898.
H. S. M. Young. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 1st Lanarkshire*, Lieutenant J. McFarlane, jun., resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 1st (City of Bristol) Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, Edgar Albert Prichard, Esq., formerly Captain, is re-appointed Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, Captain H. Knowles is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Captain C. P. Charlesworth resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 3rd (Duke of Connaught's Own) Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment*, Captain Harry Munyard Brownfield resigns his Commission, and is appointed Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, Lieutenant J. L. Evans resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, William Blandford Newson, Esq., formerly Captain, is re-appointed Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 17th (North) Middlesex*, Quartermaster C. G. Nobbs is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 1st Middlesex (Victoria and St. George's)*, Captain G. A. Williams is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1898.
- 4th Middlesex (West London)*, Lieutenant P. F. W. le Breton to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.

2nd London, Charles Edward Joseph Cary-Elwes, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Lees, retired, lately Commanding, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. H. Jones is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 20th April, 1898.

5th (Glasgow Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Surgeon-Major D. Cowie, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Captain J. M. Ferguson. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Lieutenant F. J. Cochran. Dated 20th April, 1898.

Lieutenant J. Ewing to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1898.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. E. Macqueen. Dated 20th April, 1898.

W. Merrylees. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. Dewar, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1898.

1st Dumbartonshire, Alexander Wellesley George Thomas Leith, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

7th (Clackmannan and Kinross) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Alexander McGeachan Muir, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1898.

18th Middlesex, Major P. H. Champernowne resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 20th April, 1898.

MEMORANDUM.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Mersey Brigade, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Fleetwood, M.D., 4th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), to be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel on appointment as Senior Medical Officer to the Brigade. Dated 20th April, 1898.

WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (County of Middlesex) Order, April, 1898.

Dated 13th April, 1898.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1896, and upon application from the County Council of the Administrative County of Middlesex, I hereby make the following Order:—

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild Birds Protection (County of Middlesex) Order, April, 1898."

II. BIRDS.

Close Time Extended.

(1.) The time during which the killing or taking of Wild Birds is prohibited by the Act of 1880 shall be extended, so far as concerns the county of Middlesex, so as to be from the 1st February to the 31st August in every year.

Certain Birds Protected during the whole of the Year.

(2.) During the period from the 1st of September in any year to the 31st January following, the taking or killing of any of the following kinds of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the county of Middlesex:—Nightingale, Goldfinch, Lark, Nightjar, Woodpeckers, Kingfisher, Cuckoo, Owl, Kestrel, Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Merlin, Hobby, Osprey, Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snake Bird), Swallow, Martins (2), Swift, Bearded Tit, Reedling, or Reed Pheasant, Shrikes, Magpie, Wheatear, Stonechat, Whinchat, Red Start, Fly Catchers, Sedge Warbler, Reed Warbler, Black Cap, Garden Warbler, Wood Warbler, Willow Warbler, Chiff Chaff, White Throat, Lesser White Throat, Long-Tailed Tit, Nuthatch, Wren, Golden Crested Wren, Wagtails (4), Hawfinch, Linnet, Buntings (3), Starling, Landrail or Corncrake, Coot, Chaffinch.

Additions to the Schedule of the Act of 1880.

(3.) "The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880," shall apply within the county of Middlesex to the Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snake Bird), Swallow, Martins (2), Swift, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Shrikes, Kestrel, Merlin, Hobby, Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Osprey, Magpie, and Chaffinch, as if those species were included in the schedule to the said Act.

III. EGGS.

The taking or destroying of the eggs of the following Wild Birds is prohibited within the county of Middlesex:—Nightingale, Goldfinch, Lark, Nightjar, Woodpeckers, Kingfisher, Cuckoo, Owls, Kestrel, Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Merlin, Hobby, Osprey, Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snake Bird), Swallow, Martins (2), Swift, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Shrikes, Magpie, Wheatear, Stonechat, Whinchat, Red Start, Fly Catchers, Sedge Warbler, Reed Warbler, Blackcap, Garden Warbler, Wood Warbler, Willow Warbler, Chiff Chaff, White Throat, Lesser White Throat, Long-Tailed Tit, Nuthatch, Wren, Golden Crested Wren, Wagtails (4), Hawfinch, Linnet, Buntings (3), Starling, Landrail or Corncrake, Coot, and Lapwing, Plover, or Plover.

IV. The Orders of the 14th April, 1890, 29th January, 1896, 8th August, 1896, and 21st November, 1896, are hereby repealed.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 13th day of April, 1898.

M. W. Ridley, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

ORDER of the Local Government Board:
District Auditor: Assignment of Duties and District:—

Devonshire Audit District.

To Henry Humphrey Walrond, District Auditor;—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order;—

To the Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes comprised within the said Unions respectively;—

To the School Board for the Hillfarrance, Oake, and Heathfield United School District;—

To the Authorities referred to in Article I (4) of this Order;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local

Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas the said Henry Humphrey Walrond is a District Auditor duly appointed under the provisions of the Statutes in that behalf, and is acting as Auditor for the Suffolk Audit District:

And whereas it is expedient that another District should be assigned to the said Henry Humphrey Walrond in lieu of the said Suffolk Audit District;

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, hereby certify the appointment of the said Henry Humphrey Walrond accordingly, and hereby Order and Prescribe as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—It shall be the duty of the said District Auditor, on and after the date hereof, to audit the Accounts of the following Authorities and their Officers; namely,—

(1.) The Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order.

(2.) The Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes comprised in the said several Poor Law Unions.

(3.) The School Board for the Hillfarrance, Oake, and Heathfield United School District.

(4.) The several other Authorities for the time being whose Accounts are or may be by law subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and whose Districts or the areas of whose jurisdiction are for the time being wholly situated within one or more of the said Unions.

(5.) Such other Authorities whose Accounts are or may be by law subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and whose Districts or the areas of whose jurisdiction are for the time being partly situated within one or more of the said Unions, as We may by Order under our Seal hereafter prescribe.

ARTICLE II.—The said District Auditor shall audit the said Accounts according to the provisions of the several Statutes and of the Orders issued by competent authority, in force for the time being in that behalf, and shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers in connection with the audit of such Accounts as are prescribed and conferred by the said Statutes and Orders.

ARTICLE III.—The District in which the said Henry Humphrey Walrond shall, on and after the date hereof, act as Auditor, for the performance of his duties under this Order, and which District We hereby assign to him, shall be termed "The Devonshire Audit District," and shall, until We otherwise prescribe, comprise the area for the time being included in the several Poor Law Unions named in the Schedule to this Order, the Hillfarrance, Oake, and Heathfield United School District, and the Districts or areas subject to the jurisdiction of any such Authority as is mentioned in paragraph (5) of Article I.

ARTICLE IV.—Nothing in this Order shall affect or interfere with the performance or exercise of the duties and powers of the said Henry Humphrey Walrond as District Auditor of the Suffolk Audit District until we otherwise direct.

ARTICLE V.—In this Order—

The term "Overseers of the Poor" includes Churchwardens and Assistant Overseers.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Poor Law Unions.

Axminster.
 Barnstaple.
 Bideford.
 Crediton.
 Dulverton.
 Exeter.
 Honiton.
 Kingsbridge.
 Newton Abbot.
 Saint Thomas'.
 South Molton.
 Tiverton.
 Torrington.
 Totnes.
 Wellington (Somersetshire).

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

L. S.

Henry Chaplin,
 President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant-Secretary.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 16TH APRIL 1898.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 dated the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

L. S.

J. T. Tennant,
 Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Miskin Higher, Miskin Lower, Caerphilly Higher, and Caerphilly Lower, in the county of Glamorgan.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

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Extension of Limits of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. The limits of the following Area which is declared by Order of the Board dated the fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 (namely),—an Area comprising the parishes of Amblecote, Brierley Hill, Envile, Himley, Kingswinford, Kinver, Quarry Bank, Swindon, and Wombourn, in the county of Stafford; and also comprising the parishes of Wollaston, Wollescote, Stourbridge, Upper Swinford, Pedmore, Lye, and Cradley, in the county of Worcester,—are hereby extended so as to include the Area described in the Schedule to this Order, and the Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 dated the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

L. S.

J. T. Tennant,
 Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the parishes of Amblecote, Brierley Hill, Envile, Himley, Kingswinford, Kinver, Quarry Bank, Swindon, Wombourn, Rowley Regis, Sedgley, Tipton, and Handsworth, and the Urban District of Smethwick, in the county of Stafford; and also comprising the parishes of Wollaston, Wollescote, Stourbridge, Upper Swinford, Pedmore, Lye, Cradley, Lutley, Oldbury, Cakemore, Warley, Hawn, Hill, Halesowen, Hasbury, Hunnington, Illey, Lapal, Quinton, Northfield, and Frankley, in the county of Worcester, and also comprising the boroughs of Dudley, and West Bromwich.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 18TH APRIL 1898.)

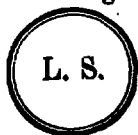
THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The provisions of the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896 dated the eleventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six shall not extend or apply to the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order, and the Order of the Board of the same date applying the provisions of the first-mentioned Order to certain Districts and parts of Districts named in the Schedule to that Order shall be read and have effect as if the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order were not included in the Schedule to that Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1896, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, such Order before the commencement of this Order.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



J. T. Tennant,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Districts to which this Order applies.
County of Leicester.
Borough of Leicester.
Borough of Loughborough.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1898.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette,) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for Clerkships (Class I) in the Civil Service.

1. Candidates must have attained the age of 22 and must not have attained the age of 24 on the first day of the Examination.

2. At the Examinations, exercises will be set in the following subjects only, the maximum of marks for each subject being fixed as follows, viz. :—

	Marks.
English Composition	500
Sanskrit Language and Literature	500
Arabic Language and Literature	500
Greek Language and Literature	750
Latin Language and Literature	750
English Language and Literature (including special period named by the Commissioners)	500
French Language and Literature	500
German Language and Literature	500
Mathematics (pure and applied)	900
Advanced Mathematical subjects (pure and applied)	900

Natural Science, i.e., any number not exceeding *three* of the following subjects :—

Elementary Chemistry and Elementary Physics	600	1,800
(N.B.—This subject may not be taken up by those who offer either Higher Chemistry or Higher Physics.)		
Higher Chemistry	600	
Higher Physics	600	
Geology	600	
Botany	600	
Zoology	600	400
Animal Physiology	600	
Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400	
Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400	
English History	500	
General Modern History (period to be selected by Candidates from list in the syllabus issued by the Commissioners, one period at least to include Indian History)	500	400
Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400	
Moral Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400	
Political Economy and Economic History	500	
Political Science (including Analytical Jurisprudence, the Early History of Institutions, and Theory of Legislation)	500	
Roman Law	500	500
English Law. Under the head of "English Law" shall be included the following subjects, viz. :—(1) Law of Contract ; (2) Law of Evidence ; (3) Law of the Constitution ; (4) Criminal Law ; (5) Law of Real Property ; and of these five subjects Candidates shall be at liberty to offer any four, but not more than four ...	500	

Candidates will be at liberty to offer themselves for examination in any or all of these subjects. No subjects are obligatory.

The marks assigned to Candidates in each branch (except in Mathematics and English Composition) will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary in order to secure that "a Candidate be allowed no credit at all for taking up a subject in which he is a mere smatterer."

3. Application for permission to attend one of these Examinations must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

4. A fee of £6 will be required from every Candidate attending an Examination.

5. Out of the list resulting from each Examination will be filled (provided there be Candidates duly qualified) :—

(a.) All the vacancies in Class I which may have been reported to the Civil Service Commissioners up to the date of the announcement of the result of the Examination ;

(b.) Any additional vacancies occurring within six months from the date of the announcement of the result of the Examination, which the Head of the Department may desire to have so filled.

Candidates will be allowed to choose, according to their place on the list, among the vacancies (a) for which they are duly qualified ; or they may elect to wait for the chance of a vacancy (b). When vacancies (b) occur, they will be offered in rotation to the qualified Candidates then on the list, who will be free to decline them without forfeiting their claim to subsequent vacancies (b).

The Civil Service Commissioners further give

notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships (Class I) in the Civil Service will be held in London, under the foregoing Regulations commencing on the 2nd August, 1898.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st July, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1898.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships will be held in London, commencing on the 2nd August, 1898, under the Regulations dated 1st December, 1897.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st July, an "application," in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1898.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—
REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Woman Clerk in the General Post Office.

* * These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

- (a.) That their age on the first day of the Examination is not less than 18 nor more than 20.

NOTE.—In reckoning age for Competition, persons who have served for two full consecutive years in any Civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

- (b.) That they are unmarried or widows.

- (c.) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting and Spelling.
2. Arithmetic.
3. English Composition, with special reference to grammatical accuracy.
4. Geography.
5. English History.
6. French or German.

Candidates who fail to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency will not be regarded as qualified.

4. No Candidate will be admitted to Examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking signed by her parent or guardian, that she will, if successful, reside either with her parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

5. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service will not be eligible unless they produce to the Civil Service Commissioners the written permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the Competition.

6. Persons who have been trained in Normal Schools at the public expense will not be qualified to receive appointments until the consent of the Committee of Council on Education, Great Britain, or the Commissioners of National Education, Ireland, as the case may be, given in conformity with rules sanctioned by the Lords of the Treasury, has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

8. A fee of 7s. 6d. will be required from every Candidate attending an Examination.

NOTE.—Women Clerks will be required to resign their appointments on marriage.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1898.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Girl Clerk in the General Post Office in London.

* * These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

- (a.) That their age on the first day of the Examination is not less than 16 nor more than 18.

- (b.) That they are unmarried or widows.

- (c.) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting and Spelling.
2. Arithmetic.
3. English Composition, with special reference to grammatical accuracy.
4. Geography.
5. English History.
6. French or German.

Candidates who fail to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency will not be regarded as qualified.

4. No Candidate will be admitted to examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking, signed by her parent or guardian, that she will, if successful, reside either with her parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

5. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service will not be eligible unless they produce to the Civil Service Commissioners the written permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the Competition.

6. Persons who have been trained in Normal Schools at the public expense will not be qualified

to receive appointments until the consent of the Committee of Council on Education, Great Britain, or the Commissioners of National Education, Ireland, as the case may be, given in conformity with rules sanctioned by the Lords of the Treasury, has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

8. A fee of 7s. 6d. will be required from every Candidate attending an Examination.

NOTE.—Girl Clerks, like other Female Officers of the General Post Office, will be required to resign their appointments on marriage.

Civil Service Commission, April 19, 1898.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

April 14, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Frederick William Pengelly.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Anthony Greene O'Loughlen.

Post Office: Female Learner, Cardiff, Elizabeth Sarah Catterson.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Junior Examiner in the Office of the Controller of Stores, Alfred Salter Manning.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Skilled Labourers, James Thomas Every, John Johnson Lawrence, Henry Miles, Henry Alfred Furlong Seaford, William Edward Shute.

Saw-mill Man, Charles Bosbery.

Post Office: Postman, London, Daniel Molyneux.

Learners, Ethel Mary Arnold (Bourne), Joshua Bayley (Manchester), Ethel Maud Brookes (Manchester), Laura Elizabeth Hooper (Yeovil), Mabel Louise King (Swansea), William Henry Martyn (Newton-le-Willows), Ernest Metcalf (Thirsk), Reginald James Snook (Twickenham), Edith Mary Stewart (Leatherhead), Alice Mary Thomson (Peterhead).

Postmen, Birmingham, George Grove otherwise Groves, George William Martin, Alexander Round.

Postmen, Edward Joyce (Castlereagh), Alexander Prentice Lawrie (South Queensferry), Richard Robert Lisle (Bromley, Kent), Duncan McCallum (Oban), Thomas McNeaney (Jarrow), Ralph Edward Robson (Jarrow), William John Rogers (Eastbourne), Charles Tripp, (Clevedon), Henry Wainwright (Manchester).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Arthur Kenneth Johnston.

April 15, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Congested Districts Board, Dublin: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Francis Mahoney.

Friendly Societies Registry: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), Frederick George Chard, Charles Edward Parsons.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Edward William Matthews.

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Post Office: Postman, London, Alfred Henry Beaton.

Learners, John Edward Bell (South Shields), Hubert Ernest Coke (Reading), William Baxter Higgin (Darlington), Austin Ledwith (Oswestry), Herbert Arthur Sainsbury (Aldershot).

Postmen, Albert Blunt, otherwise Albert Arthur Brunt (Birmingham), Hugh Henry Somerville Burniston (Birmingham), Arthur Franklin (Southall), Edward George Thomas (Witney).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

William Matheson, Samuel Wilfred Kallend.

April 16, 1898.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: Boy Attendant, George Bennett.

Post Office: Sorter - Tracer, London, Robert James Anderson.

Skilled Lineman, Joseph Kennedy.

Learners, David Aikman (Carlisle), Janet Watson Park (Ayr).

Postmen, George Abraham Dale (Ipswich), John Ernest Hickman (Birmingham), William Chambers McLean (Mauchline), William Walters (Manchester), Frank White (Walsall).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).

John Gavin Brown, Peter John Brown, William Alexander Melville, Michael Quirke, William Hunter Riddell, John Shepherd, Albert Smith.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 204 to 212 of the year 1898.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 204.—NORTH SEA.

Sunken Wreck North-Eastward of North Hinder Light-Vessel.

INFORMATION has been received that the Master of the steam-vessel "August Korff" reports having passed, on 27th March, 1898, a mast showing about 10 feet above water, apparently attached to a sunken wreck, in a position bearing N.E., distant 12 miles, from North Hinder Light-vessel, or approximately in lat. 51° 47' N., long. 2° 44' E.

[Variation 15° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, No. 2182a; Dover and Calais, &c., No. 1403. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1892, pages 32–35.

No. 205.—IRELAND—EAST COAST.

Belfast Lough—Buoy Lighted and Intended Lights on West Twin Island.

THE Belfast Harbour Commissioners have given notice that, on 5th April, 1898, the buoy (spherical, red and white) moored on the east side of the Victoria Channel, in a position bearing N.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cables, from the east end of East Twin Island, would show an occulting red light.

Approximate position, lat. 54° 37' 35" N., long. 5° 53' 10" W.

Also, that, on or about 1st May, 1898, four fixed white lights, at intervals about 200 yards apart, will be shown from West Twin Island.

[Variation 20° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Belfast Lough, No. 1753. Also, List of Lights, Part I, 1898, page 200; and Irish Coast Pilot, 1893, page 416.

No. 206.—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.
*Tees Bay—Alteration in Colour and Position of
 Ballast Buoy.*

INFORMATION has been received through the Trinity House, London, dated 5th April, 1898, that Tees Bay Ballast Buoy (conical) has been altered in colour from red to green and yellow in vertical stripes; also that it has been moved E.N.E., $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, from its previous position, and is now moored with South Gare Lighthouse bearing W.S.W., distant $4\frac{1}{10}$ miles.

Approximate position, lat. $54^{\circ} 41' 40''$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 2' 20''$ W.

[Variation 17° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Flamborough Head to Hartlepool, No. 1191; Tees Bay, No. 2567. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 107.

No. 207.—UNITED STATES—NEW YORK.
Intended Alteration in Navesink Southern Light.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on or about 1st June, 1898, the light (fixed white) shown from Navesink Southern Lighthouse will be discontinued.

Also, that, on or about 30th June, 1898, an electric flashing white light every five seconds, thus:—light, a tenth of a second; eclipse, four and nine-tenths seconds; elevated 246 feet above the sea (as at present), and visible from a distance of 22 miles in clear weather, will be shown from Navesink Southern Lighthouse.

Approximate position, lat. $40^{\circ} 28' 40''$ N., long. $73^{\circ} 59' 10''$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Halifax to the Delaware, No. 2670; Nantucket Island to Great Egg Harbour, No. 2480; approaches to New York, No. 2491. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, No. 866; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 130.

No. 208.—UNITED STATES—RHODE ISLAND.

Narragansett Bay—Fog Signal Discontinued and Buoy placed at Plum Beach.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289 of 1897:—

The United States Government has given further notice that, on 23rd March, 1898, the fog signal (bell) at Plum Beach Lighthouse would be discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. $41^{\circ} 31' 50''$ N., long. $71^{\circ} 24' 20''$ W.

Also, that a bell buoy, painted black, has been moored on the eastern edge of Plum Beach Shoal, in a position bearing S.S.E., distant one cable, from Plum Beach Lighthouse (in course of construction).

[Variation 11° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Narragansett Bay, No. 2892. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, No. 774; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, pages 92, 94.

No. 209.—AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

Pioneer River—Alterations in Entrance.

THE Government of Queensland has given notice, dated 14th February, 1898, that a cyclone and floods in the river had made a breach in East Point Spit, thus forming a new entrance channel and partially closing the old main channel.

The new channel would be marked for navigation as soon as possible, of which further notice will be given. In the meantime, Mariners are

cautioned not to enter Pioneer River without a Pilot.

Approximate position, Flat Top Island, lat. $21^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. $149^{\circ} 16'$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Percy Isles to Whitsunday Island, with Plan of Approaches to Pioneer River, No. 347. Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1889, pages 246–249.

No. 210.—UNITED STATES—CONNECTICUT.

Bridgeport Harbour—Inner Breakwater Fog Signal Discontinued.

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 30th March, 1898, that the fog signal (gong), at the extremity of the breakwater off Tongue Point, has been discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. $41^{\circ} 10' 0''$ N., long. $73^{\circ} 10' 30''$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Black Rock and Bridgeport Harbours on Sheet No. 2479. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, No. 830; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 119.

No. 211.—UNITED STATES—SOUTH CAROLINA.

Port Royal Entrance—Temporary Alteration in Martin's Industry Shoal Light-Vessel.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on or about 25th April 1898, Martin's Industry shoal light-vessel (fixed white light, &c.), will be temporarily withdrawn for repairs and replaced by Relief light-vessel No. 29:—

Relief light-vessel No. 29 will show two catoptric fixed white lights.

This light-vessel, schooner-rigged, with two masts, is painted white, with the word "Relief" in black letters on each side, and "No. 29" in black on each quarter.

Also, that, during thick or foggy weather, a bell on board this light-vessel will be struck by hand.

Approximate position, lat. $32^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $80^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{4}'$ W.

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Savannah River to St. Helena Sound, No. 2860. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, No. 1122; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 195.

No. 212.—UNITED STATES—MASSACHUSETTS.

New Bedford Harbour—Intended Alterations in Lights and Buoyage.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on or about 30th April, 1898, a fifth order, flashing white light every five seconds, elevated 53 feet above high water and visible from a distance of 12 miles in clear weather, will be shown from a black, cylindrical pier, surmounted by a conical, red, brick tower, with a brown watch-room and black lantern, recently erected, in a depth of 14 feet at low water, on Butler Flat, western side of the dredged channel into New Bedford Harbour.

From the structure Clark Point Lighthouse bears S.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., distant about $7\frac{1}{2}$ cables; and Palmer Island Lighthouse N. by W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W.

Approximate position, lat. $41^{\circ} 36' 20''$ N., long. $70^{\circ} 53' 40''$ W.

During thick or foggy weather, a bell at this lighthouse will be struck by machinery twice in succession, every fifteen seconds.

Also, that, on the same date, Clark Point Light

(fixed white), on the western side of the harbour, will be discontinued; and Butler Flat gas-buoy (fixed white light, &c.) will be withdrawn.

[Variation 12° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Nantucket Shoals to Block Island, No. 2890; Nantucket Sound, &c., No. 2456; New Bedford Harbour, No. 2880. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, Nos. 758, 759; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 88.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
15th to 16th April, 1898.

India Office, April 18, 1898.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed Mr. John W. Hay to superintend the transfer of Lascars, or other persons, at West Hartlepool, and to grant the Certificate required under Section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic., cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every Lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such Certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Whitby Strand, in the North Riding of the county of York, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the office of the Clerk to Commissioners at Whitby, on Wednesday, the 4th day of May, 1898, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of Whitby Strand aforesaid.

Edmond H. Wodehouse.

Bernard Mallet.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, April 18, 1898.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of May next, the part of Watford Rural Civil Parish which lies north and west of the main road from St. Albans to Rickmansworth shall be transferred from Watford Sub-district of Watford Registration District, to Rickmansworth Sub-district of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 14th day of April, 1898.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of May next, in order that the whole of South Shields Civil Parish and County Borough shall be included in one Registration Sub-District, the following alterations shall be made in the constitution of the Sub-Districts of South Shields Registration District, viz.:—(1) the part of South Shields Civil Parish and County Borough now situated in South Shields Sub-District shall be transferred to Westoe Sub-District, to be renamed South Shields Sub-District; and (2) Boldon Colliery Civil Parish shall be transferred from Westoe Sub-District, to South Shields Sub-District, to be renamed Jarrow Sub-District.—Witness my hand this 14th day of April, 1898.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

In Parliament.—Session 1898.

Clacton-on-Sea Gas and Water.

[Additional Provision.]

(Confirmation of Agreement for Sale of Undertaking of the Clacton-on-Sea Gas and Water Company to the Clacton Urban District Council and Provisions as to transfer thereof; Settlement of Purchase Money by Arbitration; transfer of Powers and proposed Powers to Council; Dissolution of Company; Borrowing of Money.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Clacton-on-Sea Gas and Water Company Limited (hereinafter called the Limited Company) and the Clacton Urban District Council (hereinafter called the Council) or one of them intend to apply to Parliament for leave to introduce into the above named Bill now pending in the House of Commons, Additional Provision in order to effect the following, or some of the following, amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorize the Limited Company or the Company proposed under the said Bill to be formed on the dissolution and re-incorporation of the Limited Company (hereinafter included in the expression "the Company") to sell, and the Council to purchase, the Undertaking, rights powers, and properties of the Company, and to provide for the transfer to and vesting in the Council of the said Undertaking, rights, powers, and properties to provide for the application of the purchase-money, the payment of or otherwise dealing with the debts and liabilities of the Company, the taking over by the Council, and for the redemption or extinction of the mortgage or debenture debt of the Company, and for the winding up and dissolution of the Company.

2. To confirm and carry into effect with or without modification an Agreement dated the 18th day of April, 1898, made between the Limited Company and the Council for the sale and transfer of the said Undertaking, rights, powers, and properties to the Council.

3. To provide for the settlement by arbitration in default of agreement of the purchase money or compensation for such sale.

4. To confer upon the Council all or some of

the powers, rights, privileges and authorities of the Company, under their several Acts and Orders, and also all or some of the powers, rights, and privileges proposed to be conferred upon the Company under the Bill with or without variation.

5. To authorize the Council to raise money by borrowing or by the issue of debenture stock or other securities for the purchase of the said Undertaking the construction of works and other the purposes of the Additional Provision or Bill, and for payment of the costs thereof, or the costs incurred by the Council in relation thereto, or to the arbitration proceedings under section 52 of the Public Health Act, 1875, between the Council and the Company upon the security of the Gas or Water Undertakings so proposed to be transferred to the Council and upon the district fund and general district rate of the Urban District of Clacton-on-Sea, and on any other rate, revenue, or property of the Council or on any of such securities, and to empower the Council to grant and issue mortgages, debentures, debenture stock, or annuity certificates chargeable upon the securities aforesaid or some of them, and to apply the said district and general district rate and the revenues of their Gas or Water Undertakings to those purposes or any of them, and to alter and vary rates.

6. To provide for the payment of the costs of the Company and of the Council of and incidental to the Additional Provision and the promotion of the Bill for the intended Act.

7. To vary or extinguish all existing rights, powers and privileges which would in any manner interfere with or prevent the carrying into effect of any of the objects of the Additional Provision and to confer other rights, powers and privileges.

8. To incorporate and apply with or without modification or render inapplicable all or some of the provisions of the Waterworks Clauses Act, 1847, the Public Health Acts, the Local Loans Act, 1875, and all Acts amending those Acts respectively.

Printed copies of the Additional Provision can be obtained at the offices of the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of April 1898.

YOUNG and SONS 29 Mark-lane E.C.

CHAMBERLAYNE and SHORT Donington House, Norfolk-street Strand W.C.

SHARPE PARKER PRITCHARDS and BARRHAM 9 Bridge-street Westminster S.W.

REES and FRERE 5 Victoria-street Westminster S.W.

In Parliament.—Session 1898.

West Ham Corporation Bill.

[Additional Provision.]

(Power to Supply and let Electric Fittings; Compulsory Purchase of Lands, &c., for and Appropriation of Lands to Purposes of a Museum, &c.; and Powers in reference thereto; Agreements between Corporation and Essex Field Club and other Bodies; Borrowing of Money; Rates; Amendment of Acts, &c., &c.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the House of Commons in which the above named Bill is now pending for leave to amend the said Bill and to make Additional Provision therein for effecting the following or some of the following objects, that is to say:—

1. To empower the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the county borough of West Ham (hereafter called "the Corporation") to purchase, supply, sell, let, and deal in, fit up or repair electric wires, fittings, lamps, and apparatus for the supply or utilization of electricity for any pur-

poses in any premises within the borough, and to provide materials to do or contract for all work necessary or proper in that behalf, and to charge therefor and to make provision for securing the safety and return to the Corporation of articles and fittings let, and the exemption thereof from distress or seizure for debt or otherwise and with reference to the payment of the expenses incurred and the application of moneys received by the Corporation in reference to the matters aforesaid.

2. To authorize the Corporation to purchase and take by compulsion or by agreement for buildings for the accommodation of the collections of the Essex Field Club (hereinafter called "the Club") certain lands in the parish and county borough of West Ham in the county of Essex, situate on the north side of the Romford-road, known as No. 103 in that road, and easements, rights, or interests in, over, or affecting the same.

3. To enable the Corporation to appropriate for the purposes of a building for the accommodation of any collections of the Club or other purposes of a museum, any portion of the vacant land known as the Green Stratford, referred to in Part V of the West Ham Corporation Act, 1893, and to erect such building thereon, and on the premises hereinbefore mentioned, known as No. 103, Romford-road, and to fit up, furnish, and maintain such building for such purpose, and to employ and pay attendants in connection therewith.

4. To enable the Corporation on the one hand and the Club or any other like body on the other hand to enter into and carry into effect contracts, agreements, and arrangements, with respect to the reception, accommodation, and exhibition in any such building of any collections of such Club or body or setting aside of the whole or any part of such building as a museum for such collections and for or with respect to the maintaining and preserving and taking charge of such collections or the utilization of the building by such Club or body and the contributions by the Corporation and the Club to any funds established in connection with any such collections or museum and the application of any such funds and the control and management and arrangement of any such collections in the said building and the appointment and employment of officers or servants to superintend, arrange, and manage the same, and the holding of exhibitions in such building, and the closing thereof for the purpose, and the charges to be made for admission thereto, for regulating the hours of opening and closing of the said building, and the admission of the public thereto on ordinary occasions, and generally for the utilization, arrangement, and management of the building for the above purposes and the improvement and extension of any such collections.

5. To authorize the Corporation for the purposes aforesaid to apply their funds rates and revenues and any moneys which they are authorized to raise or which may be payable to them and to make and levy additional rates and to alter existing rates and charges and to confer exemptions from the payment of rates and charges and to borrow or raise money on the security of any such funds rates or revenues or of any property of the Corporation by mortgages debentures or debenture stock or in any such other manner as may be prescribed by the said Bill or additional provision.

To vary or extinguish all or any rights and privileges inconsistent with or which would or might in any way interfere with the objects aforesaid and to confer other rights or privileges.

To amend the provisions of the West Ham Corporation Act 1893 the West Ham (Corporation) Electric Lighting Order 1892 and any other Act or Order relating to the Corporation.

And notice is hereby also given that on or before the 22nd day of April 1898 a plan of the lands intended to be acquired compulsorily as aforesaid, with a book of reference thereto and a copy of this notice as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Essex, at his office at Chelmsford in that county, and with the Clerk of the Peace for the county borough of West Ham, at his office, Broadway, Stratford, and with the Town Clerk of the county borough of West Ham, at his office, Town Hall, West Ham.

Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

HILLEARYS, 5, Fenchurch-buildings, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Bill.

REES and FRERE, 5, Victoria-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

In Parliament—Session 1898.

Maldon Water.

(Petition for Additional Provision to authorise transfer to Corporation of Maldon of Undertaking of Maldon Water Supply Company, Limited, and to authorise the Corporation to supply Water in the Borough of Maldon and Parish of Heybridge, in the county of Essex, and to exercise Powers, &c., of Company; Confirmation of Agreements; Dissolution of Company; Borrowing of Money; Power to Levy Rates; Application of Funds; Incorporation and Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Maldon Water Supply Company, Limited (herein referred to as "the Company") and the mayor, aldermen, and burgesses of the borough of Maldon (herein referred to as "the Corporation") intend jointly to apply to the House of Commons in the present session by Petition for additional provision for leave to insert in the Bill now pending in that House under the above name or short title, clauses, and amendments for the hereinafter mentioned or some of the hereinafter mentioned purposes.

To authorise the Corporation to supply water for public and private purposes within the borough of Maldon and the parish of Heybridge in the county of Essex.

To provide for the transfer to and vesting in the Corporation of the Undertaking of the Company.

To ratify and confirm subject to the approval of Parliament the provisions of any agreement or agreements which have been or may be made between the Corporation and the Company, and particularly an agreement made the 12th day of March, 1898, between the Company of the one part and the Corporation of the other part, and to empower the Corporation to carry out the terms of that agreement.

To empower the Corporation to exercise all or any of the powers, rights, authorities, and privileges of the Company in as full and ample a manner in all respects as the Company could or might lawfully have exercised the same, and also such further and other powers, rights, authorities, and privileges as may be necessary, proper and convenient, and as the Bill may prescribe, and to provide that such powers, rights, authorities, and privileges may be exercised throughout the whole of the proposed limits of supply.

To provide for the dissolution and winding up of the Company and the distribution of the

purchase and other money, and the assets of the Company amongst the several persons entitled thereto, and to make other provisions in reference thereto.

To provide that the Company shall, until the sale and transfer of its undertaking as aforesaid, carry on and manage the undertaking and maintain the works in their present state and condition, and shall not without the previous consent of the Corporation, borrow further money or make or enter into any new liability, contract, or obligation, or such modifications of these provisions as may be defined in the said agreement of the twelfth of March, 1898, or be agreed upon between the parties.

To empower the Corporation to have full access at all reasonable times to the books of the Company, and to provide for the taking over, employment, or compensating of the officials and servants of the Company.

To empower the Corporation to borrow money for the purchase aforesaid, and for the improvement or extension of the works and purchase of land, and generally to borrow and re-borrow money on mortgage, debentures, or debenture stock, and to charge the payment of the sums so borrowed upon the revenue of the water undertaking and the funds and rates of the borough.

To provide for the application by the Corporation of the revenue and profits arising from their water undertaking, and for meeting any deficiency in the net revenue of the Corporation.

To incorporate or to extend and make applicable the provisions or some of the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and any Act amending or extending that Act and the Local Loans Act, 1875.

Printed copies of the additional Provisions can be obtained at the offices of the undersigned on and after the first day of April, 1898.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1898.

BIRCHAM and Co., 46, Parliament Street,
Westminster, Solicitors and Parliamentary Agents.

JOHN C. FREEMAN, Solicitor, Maldon.

BAKER, LEES and Co., 22, Great George Street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

New River Company.

Constant Supply of Water.

To the Middlesex County Council, the South Hornsey Urban District Council, and whomsoever else it may concern.

TAKE notice that under the provisions of the Metropolis Water Acts 1871–1897 the New River Company propose, on and after the first day of September, 1898, to give a constant supply of water in the two districts or areas situate in the parish of South Hornsey, and respectively known as "South Hornsey detached," such said districts or areas comprising the whole of those portions of the parish of South Hornsey which are situated to the southward of Church-street, Stoke Newington.—Dated this fifteenth day of April 1898.

JAMES SEARLE, Clerk of the New River Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Baptist Chapel situated at Annandale-road, High-road in the civil parish of Chiswick in the county of Middlesex in the registration district of Brentford being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting

for religious worship, was on the 12th day of April 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4. c. 85.—Witness my hand this 15th day of April 1898.

GEO. BRODIE CLARK Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Bethania Chapel situated at Mwrog-street, in the civil parish of Llanfwrog, in the county of Denbigh in the registration district of Ruthin being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 13th day of April 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4. c. 85.—Witness my hand this 15th day of April 1898.

R. HUMPHREYS ROBERTS Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Chapel situated at Railway-street, Rillington in the civil parish of Rillington in the county of York in the registration district of Malton being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 13th day of April 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4. c. 85.—Witness my hand this 15th day of April 1898.

GEORGE SIMPKIN CATTLE Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ormskirk Lord Nelson Tontine Friendly Society, Register No. 7108 held at Wind Mill Inn Ormskirk in the county of Lancaster is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 13th day of April 1898 unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 13th day of April 1898.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Harpole Friend-in-Need Benefit Society, Register No. 645 held at the Schoolroom in the county of Northampton is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 13th day of April, 1898, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 13th day of April 1898.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of **BRITISH CORN**, Imperial Measure*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 16th April, 1898, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	85,518	2	35	3
Barley	4,889	7	28	0
Oats	6,220	3	18	2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1894 to 1897.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1894	42,523	6	7,542	5	8,032	0	24	8	28	6	18	4
1895	38,024	3	10,602	3	7,324	5	20	6	21	2	14	5
1896	27,564	6	13,463	7	9,458	1	24	11	23	6	14	0
1897	41,923	4	10,481	2	6,240	3	27	0	23	0	16	3

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the local inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure that officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,
April 16, 1898.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 16th April, 1898.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London	37 0	24 6	18 11	Horsham	Nil.	...	...
Uxbridge	Nil.	...	...	Pulborough	Nil.	...	...
Romford	38 3	...	...	Chichester	...	...	18 7
Chelmsford	37 6	...	18 0	Newport (Hants)	Nil.	...	...
Colchester	Nil.	...	...	Fareham	Nil.	...	...
Braintree	34 8	27 0	17 2	Southampton	Nil.	...	...
Saffron Walden	33 11	31 0	...	Winchester	35 6	20 0	16 7
Bishop's Stortford	34 3	28 6	...	Basingstoke	35 11	27 2	18 9
Hertford	34 10	...	...	Andover	Nil.	...	...
Royston (Herts)	34 4	29 0	...	Ringwood	Nil.	...	...
Hitchin	34 6	25 11	17 2	Wimborne	Nil.	...	...
Luton (Bedford)	34 8	...	17 10	Wareham	Nil.	...	...
Bedford	35 2	25 0	19 1	Dorchester (Dorset)	35 5	...	...
St. Neots (Hunts)	34 0	24 5	16 9	Blandford	36 0	...	...
Huntingdon	Nil.	...	...	Bridport	33 9	24 0	...
St. Ives (Hunts)	34 6	25 10	16 8	Honiton	Nil.	...	...
Wisbeach	35 3	...	17 8	Tiverton (Devon)	Nil.	...	...
Ely (Cambridge)	34 11	...	...	Barnstaple	Nil.	...	...
Cambridge	34 11	...	...	Exeter	36 2	...	...
Haverhill	34 4	...	...	Newton Abbot	Nil.	...	...
Sudbury (Suffolk)	35 9	30 5	...	Totnes	...	...	17 6
Hadleigh (Suffolk)	38 0	...	...	Kingsbridge	Nil.	...	...
Ipswich	35 8	31 3	...	Plymouth	...	21 5	18 4
Woodbridge	36 9	29 0	...	Okehampton	33 9	...	...
Stowmarket	35 1	...	...	Liskeard	Nil.	...	...
Bury St. Edmunds	35 9	32 6	...	Wadebridge	Nil.	...	...
Saxmundham	36 10	...	...	Truro	36 4	...	...
Framlingham	34 3	...	...	Bridgwater	Nil.	...	...
Eye (Suffolk)	Nil.	...	...	Taunton	35 10	23 2	...
Halesworth	35 3	...	...	Yeovil	35 2	...	...
Bungay	34 9	...	16 7	Frome	34 10	...	...
Becoles	35 1	25 5	17 9	Bath	Nil.	...	...
Diss	35 1	33 0	...	Bristol	33 9	...	...
Harleston (Norfolk)	37 1	...	...	Warminster	35 2	26 4	17 5
Yarmouth (Norfolk)	35 5	...	...	Salisbury	35 11	26 1	...
Norwich	34 9	29 4	17 8	Devizes	35 4	26 0	...
North Walsham (Norfolk)	35 3	...	...	Swindon (Wilts)	34 1	25 6	...
Holt (Norfolk)	Nil.	...	...	Cirencester	33 11	23 10	16 9
Fakenham	35 8	...	...	Gloucester	35 5	...	...
East Dereham	34 8	26 7	...	Cheltenham	Nil.	...	...
Watton (Norfolk)	Nil.	...	...	Tewkesbury	36 0	...	...
Lynn	35 1	30 3	17 8	Chepstow	Nil.	...	...
Spalding	35 0	...	18 4	Newport (Mon.)	Nil.	...	...
Stamford	34 10	...	...	Monmouth	Nil.	...	...
Grantham	36 2	25 10	...	Ross	34 11	...	...
Sleaford	35 1	...	16 8	Hereford	34 10	...	...
Boston	35 7	...	18 3	Evesham	35 10	...	...
Louth	35 3	22 4	17 8	Worcester	35 5	...	21 4
Lincoln	35 3	27 2	17 8	Ludlow	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough	36 1	30 6	...	Bridgnorth	Nil.	...	...
Brigg	34 6	...	17 7	Shrewsbury	Nil.	...	...
Hull	35 3	...	17 8	Oswestry	33 5	23 7	...
Howden	Nil.	...	...	Market Drayton	...	27 1	18 3
Beverley	34 7	...	17 11	Wolverhampton	34 5	...	...
Bridlington	34 9	25 10	18 2	Stafford	34 5	...	18 9
Retford	35 11	27 8	16 6	Burton-on-Trent	Nil.	...	...
Worksop	...	26 10	...	Derby	35 8	...	...
Mansfield	37 7	29 5	19 6	Sheffield	Nil.	...	...
Newark	35 7	29 3	...	Doncaster	35 7	...	17 1
Nottingham	35 3	...	18 9	Goole	36 8	...	...
Loughborough	36 4	29 2	...	Pontefract	35 5	23 11	16 9
Leicester	36 6	...	...	Wakefield	Nil.	...	...
Melton Mowbray	...	25 1	18 11	Leeds	36 2	...	...
Oakham	Nil.	...	...	Knarborough	Nil.	...	...
Peterborough	34 3	...	17 5	Ripon	36 5	...	18 4
Kettering	35 8	...	18 7	York	35 1	...	...
Northampton	35 6	27 3	18 7	Easingwold	Nil.	...	...
Daventry	Nil.	...	...	Malton	...	27 8	...
Coventry	34 11	...	...	Scarborough	Nil.	...	...
Birmingham	37 2	...	...	Thirsk	Nil.	...	...
Warwick	34 6	...	...	Bedale	...	...	18 8
Stratford-on-Avon	34 10	...	19 1	Northallerton	Nil.	...	...
Banbury	34 10	...	...	Darlington	35 3	...	18 4
Oxford	34 10	...	19 6	Stockton-on-Tees	35 4	...	19 2
Bicester	Nil.	...	...	Bishop Auckland	36 6	...	20 3
Newport Pagnell	Nil.	...	...	Sunderland	...	25 10	...
Aylesbury	35 2	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne	35 2	...	...
Abingdon	36 6	...	...	Alnwick	...	26 3	...
Didcot	Nil.	...	...	Berwick	34 1	27 1	19 9
Wallingford	Nil.	...	...	Carlisle	...	...	18 4
Hungerford	Nil.	...	...	Egremont (Cumberland)	Nil.	...	...
Newbury (Berks)	35 7	30 0	16 9	Penrith	Nil.	...	...
Reading	40 0	...	18 10	Kendal	Nil.	...	...
Farnham (Surrey)	Nil.	...	...	Garstang	34 5	21 4	...
Guildford	Nil.	...	...	Preston (Lancashire)	Nil.	...	...
Reigate	Nil.	...	...	Manchester	Nil.	...	...
Kingston (Surrey)	Nil.	...	...	Warrington	35 5	...	...
Croydon (Surrey)	36 8	...	...	Chester	35 2	...	...
Dartford	Nil.	...	...	Llangefni (Anglesey)	...	...	16 11
Rochester (Kent)	Nil.	...	...	Carnarvon	Nil.	...	...
Sandwich	40 0	...	19 7	Denbigh	...	26 4	...
Canterbury	37 8	...	...	Wrexham	Nil.	...	...
Ashford (Kent)	33 0	...	...	Walspool	Nil.	...	...
Maidstone	Nil.	...	...	Cardigan	Nil.	...	...
Tunbridge	Nil.	...	...	Haverfordwest	Nil.	...	...
Lewes	Nil.	...	...	Cardiff	Nil.	...	...
Brighton	36 3	...	...	Brecon	...	26 2	...
Hayward's Heath	36 0	...	...		

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 16th April, 1898, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

						Quantities.	
						1897.	1898.
Animals living :—							
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	...	Number	10,144	11,555
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	...	"	7,805	21,232
Swine	...	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—							
Beef	...	...	...	...	cwts.	43,714	61,080
Mutton	...	...	...	...	"	41,267	86,726
Pork	...	...	...	...	"	6,735	9,364
Salted or Preserved Meat :—							
Bacon	...	...	...	...	"	100,644	117,932
Beef	...	...	...	...	"	2,737	4,016
Hams	...	...	...	...	"	31,251	37,338
Pork	...	...	...	...	"	3,968	4,925
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	...	"	9,294	8,840
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	...	"	10,961	10,981
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—							
Butter	...	...	...	...	"	65,688	59,893
Margarine	...	...	...	...	"	20,530	15,253
Cheese	...	...	...	...	"	17,312	31,885
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	...	"	13,428	14,858
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	...	...	...	...	"	20	42
Eggs	...	...	...	...	Great Hundred	312,954	196,026
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	...	Value £	6,117	3,552
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	...	cwts.	4,636	2,463
Lard	...	...	...	...	"	46,099	53,301
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—							
Wheat	...	...	...	...	"	981,800	1,480,500
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	...	"	450,400	565,700
Barley	...	...	...	...	"	169,080	549,600
Oats	...	...	...	...	"	275,500	284,200
Pease	...	...	...	...	"	48,830	23,700
Beans	...	...	...	...	"	29,700	32,590
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	...	"	1,304,900	1,101,800
Fruit, Raw :—							
Apples	...	...	...	...	Bush.	123,172	57,362
Oranges	...	...	...	...	"	228,202	193,992
Lemons	...	...	...	...	"	31,202	35,103
Cherries	...	...	...	...	"	12	—
Plums	...	...	...	...	"	—	22
Pears	...	...	...	...	"	115	386
Grapes	...	...	...	...	"	404	614
Unenumerated	...	...	...	...	"	11,216	14,531
Hay	...	...	...	...	Tons	2,453	1,921
Hops	...	...	...	...	cwts.	1,371	1,962
Vegetables :—							
Onions, raw	...	...	...	...	Bush.	221,112	170,813
Potatoes	...	...	...	...	cwts.	15,511	275,815
Unenumerated	...	...	...	...	Value £	33,333	36,175

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
April 18, 1898.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the Matter of section 75 of the Kingston-upon-Hull Corporation Act 1897 and of the winding-up of the Kingston-upon-Hull Gas Light Company thereunder.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the above named Company are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Frederic Arthur Scott at my offices No. 24 Parliament-street Hull on or before the 31st day of May 1898 after which date the Committee of Manage-

ment of the said Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the Company amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said Company or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

FREDC. A. SCOTT Clerk to the said Company, and Solicitor to the Committee of Management.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 15 Weeks ended
14th April, 1898.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 14th April, 1898.												
Liverpool ...	65,991	1,435	...	3,849	60	71,335	979	...	...	977	156	2,112
London ...	...	...	50	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ...	582	...	...	...	...	582	702	...	...	754	...	1,456
Manchester ...	312	...	...	...	...	312	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	4,550	...	...	...	...	4,550	2,192	...	...	...	...	2,192
Total ...	71,435	1,435	50	3,849	60	76,829	3,873	...	...	1,731	156	5,760
15 Weeks ended 14th April, 1898.												
Liverpool ...	1,274,300	8,941	3,069	118,448	16,760	1,421,518	25,254	...	1,171	26,779	5,253	58,457
London ...	3,131	...	4,143	12	129	7,415	6,510	...	2,920	...	60	9,490
Hull ...	24,297	...	200	4,234	...	28,731	34,827	...	260	3,983	542	39,612
Manchester ...	118,489	...	...	43,681	1	162,171	103	...	...	...	...	103
Other Ports ...	23,676	170	...	...	...	23,846	19,262	170	...	35	...	19,467
Total ...	1,448,893	9,111	7,412	166,375	16,890	1,643,681	85,956	170	4,351	30,797	5,855	127,129

Dated April 15, 1898.

A. E. BATEMAN,
Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department, Board of Trade.

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 ended Saturday, the 9th day of April, 1898.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.				4599
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.				6610
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co.				5152
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son				4192
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.				12876
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.				8164
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co.				6182
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co.				23615
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.				6765
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co....				3990
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				6502
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co....				8490
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.				2478
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co.				12819
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank... ..	Kingston-upon-Hull ...	Smith Brothers and Co.				10430
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington ...	Davies and Co.				10866
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co.				47315
Leeds Bank	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.				20662
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co....				59650
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llandovery Banks... ..	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co.				8520
Naval Bank	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.				5097
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				6060
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co.				5418
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				16415
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co.				15283
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney ...	Gillett and Co.				4710
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Simonds and Co.				11035
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.				9880
Richmond Bank	Richmond ...	Roper and Co.				3464
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co.				10835
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons				7656
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co.				726
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co....				1476
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.				3218
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.				19036
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.				14415
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Lacons, Youell, and Co.				4228
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co....				38206

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
							£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	...	12858
Bradford Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	...	18278
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	...	11169
Burton Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Burton-upon-Trent	...	15619
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	...	25519
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	...	35431
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Derby	...	4823
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	...	7452
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	...	10210
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	...	13030
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Harrogate	...	22318
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lancaster	...	51618
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	...	31908
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lincoln	...	45020
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	...	13770
North and South Wales Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Liverpool	...	46324
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	...	23116
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	...	22188
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	...	7561
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	...	12577
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	...	13360
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Stamford	...	38805
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Langport	...	119566
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Richmond (Yorks)	...	42154
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Wakefield	...	6904
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Huddersfield	...	12280
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	...	24129
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Salisbury	...	68140
York City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	...	96459
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leeds	...	105071
York Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	...	70869

Inland Revenue Office, April 16, 1898.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the Matter of the Santa Fe Land Company Limited and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) dated the 30th day of March, 1898 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £875,000 to £612,500 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 14th day of April 1898, and further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of the Santa Fe Land Company Limited and Reduced henceforth is £612,500 divided into 87,500 shares of £7 each instead of the original capital of £875,000 divided into 87,500 shares of £10 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute the sum of £7 has been and is to be deemed to be paid up on each of the said shares."

—Dated this 14th day of April, 1898.

CLEMENTS, WILLIAMS and Co., 17 Gresham House, Old Broad-street, London, Solicitors for the Company.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Special Resolutions of the Western Colonial Exploration Syndicate, Limited, passed on the eighteenth day of March, 1898; confirmed on the sixth day of April, 1898; pursuant to section LI.

AT a Special General Meeting of Members of the above named Syndicate, duly convened, and held at No. 68, Coleman-street, in the city and county of London, on the eighteenth day of March, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Special General Meeting of the Members of the said Syndicate, also duly convened, and held at No. 68, Coleman-street, in the city and county of London aforesaid, on the sixth day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That the Western Colonial Exploration Syndicate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.

"That Mr. Geo. W. Robertson be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator, and that his remuneration be the sum of ten guineas."

Jos. ROBERTSON Chairman.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.
RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended April 16th, 1898,
distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Bedford	2	47	Stafford	3	32
Buckingham	2	13	Suffolk	2	3
Isle of Ely	1	4	Warwick	2	46
Chester	3	30	Wilts	2	9
Devon	1	11	Worcester	1	2
Durham	2	7	York, East Riding	5	62
Essex	1	39	„ West Riding	6	74
Gloucester	2	82			
Hants ... ..	...	18	WALES.		
Hereford	1	5	Carmarthen	1	17
Kent	1	5	Carnarvon	4	5
Lancaster	3	358	Glamorgan	2	66
Lincoln, Parts of Holland ... ..	...	1			
„ „ Kesteven	2	5	SCOTLAND.		
„ „ Lindsey	2	2	Aberdeen	1	26
Middlesex	1	131	Ayr	4	25
Morrmouth	1	1	Wigtown ... ..	...	343
Northampton	2	312			
Notts	1	38			
Oxford ... ..	...	19			
Somerset	1	2			
			TOTAL	62	1,480

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREAS.

THE following Areas are now *Areas Infected with Swine-Fever* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Largs, Kilbirnie, West Kilbride, Dalry, Ardrossan, Stevenston, Kilwinning, Beith, Dunlop, Stewarston, Irvine, Dreghorn, Kilmaurs, Fenwick, Kilmarnock, Loudoun, and Galston, in the county of Ayr, and also comprising the burghs of Irvine, and Kilmarnock (14 April, 1898).

Berkshire and Buckinghamshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Bray, and Cookham, and the municipal borough of Maidenhead, in the county of Berks, and also comprising the petty sessional divisions of the Hundred of Stoke, the Hundred of Desborough (First Division), and the Hundred of Desborough (Second Division), and the parishes of Wooburn, Boveney, Burnham, Dorney, Farnham Royal, Hedgerley Dean, Hitcham, and Taplow, in the county of Buckingham, and also comprising the borough of Chepping (or High) Wycombe (10 February, 1898).

Carnarvonshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Pentir, Llanddeiniolen, Llanfair-is-gaer, Llanrûg, Llanfaglan, Waenawr, Llanberis, Llanwnda, Bettws Garmon, Llandwrog, Llanllyfni, and Clynog, in the county of Carnarvon, and also comprising the borough of Carnarvon (25 March, 1898).

Cheshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Shotwick Park, Great Saughall, Little Saughall, Blacon-cum-Crabwall, Great Mollington, Little Mollington, Chester Castle, and Rache, in the county of Chester, and also comprising the borough of Chester (16 March, 1898).

Dorset.—An Area in the county of Dorset comprising the whole of the parish of Kinson, and as much of the parish of Branksome as is comprised in the East Ward (11 March, 1898).

Gloucestershire.—(1.) An Area in the county of Gloucester comprising the parishes of Stroud, Bisley with Lippiatt, Chalford, Stonehouse, Rodborough, Kings Stanley, Leonard Stanley, Standish, Randwick, Woodchester, Whiteshill, Cainscross, Uplands, and Thrupp (26 January, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sandhurst, Norton, Boddington, Uckington, Swindon, Prestbury, Charlton Kings, Leckhampton, Up Hatherley, Badgeworth, Churchdown, Staverton, Down Hatherley, Twigworth, Great Shurdington, Maisemore, Lassington, Highnam Over and Linton, Hartpury, Corse, Ashleworth, Hasfield Haw and Tirley, Deerhurst, and Leigh, in the county of Gloucester, and also comprising the borough of Cheltenham (30 April, 1897).

Gloucestershire and Worcestershire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Ashchurch, Bishops Cleeve, Elmstone Hardwicke, Forthampton, Gotherington, Kemerton, Oxenton, Southam and Brockhampton, Stoke Orchard, Tredington, Twynning, Tewkesbury, Walton Cardiff, Woolstone, and Woodmancote, in the county of Gloucester; and also comprising the parishes of Bushley, Bredon, Bredon's Norton, Chaceley, Eckington, Earls Croome, Hill Croome Holdfast, Longdon, Ripple, Strensham, Upton-upon-Severn, and Queenhill, in the county of Worcester (8 March, 1898).

Hampshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Fareham, and Droxford, and the parishes of Botley, Bishopstoke, Fair

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Oak, and Owslebury, in the county of Southampton, and also comprising the borough of Portsmouth (24 *December*, 1897).

Lancashire.—An Area comprising the parishes or townships of Adlington, Charnock Richard, Coppull, Duxbury, Heath Charnock, Hindley, Ince-in-Makerfield, Orrell, Pemberton, Sherington, Standish-with-Langtree, Welch Whittle, and Worthington, in the county of Lancaster, and also comprising the boroughs of Chorley, and Wigan (17 *February*, 1898).

Northamptonshire.—An Area in the county of Northampton comprising the petty sessional division of Wellingborough, and the parishes of Ringstead, Raunds, and Hargrave (17 *March*, 1898).

Staffordshire and Worcestershire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Amblecote, Brierley Hill, Enville, Himley, Kingswinford, Kinver, Quarry Bank, Swindon, and Wombourn, in the county of Stafford; and also comprising the parishes of Wollaston, Wollescote, Stourbridge, Upper Swinford, Pedmore, Lye, and Cradley, in the county of Worcester (11 *February*, 1898).

Wiltshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Malmesbury, Chippenham, Calne, Cricklade, and Swindon, in the county of Wilts (7 *April*, 1898).

Worcestershire.—An Area comprising the parishes of North Hallow, St. John Bedwardine County, Cotheridge, Broadwas, Wichenford, Kenswick, North Claines, Grimley, Holt, and Ombersley, in the county of Worcester, and also comprising the borough of Worcester (8 *March*, 1898).

Yorkshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the borough of Scarborough (15 *February*, 1897).

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(2.) An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Ardsley, Barugh, Billingley, Cudworth, Carlton, Darton, Dodworth, Darfield, Great Houghton, Little Houghton, Hoyal Nether, Monk Bretton (including its detached part), Stainbrough, Silkstone, Worsbrough, Wombwell, Brampton, West Melton, Denaby, Hooton Roberts, Rawmarsh, Swinton, Greasbrough, Ravenfield, Thrybergh, Wath-upon-Dearne, Conisbrough, Wentworth, Dalton, Adwick-upon-Dearne, Bolton-upon-Dearne, Barnbrough, Cadeby, High Melton, Mexbrough, and Thurnscoe, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the boroughs of Barnsley, and Rotherham (14 *April*, 1898).

SWINE-FEVER SUSPECTED ZONES.

THE following districts or areas are now *Swine-Fever Suspected Zones* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

Bedfordshire.—A district or area comprising the borough of Bedford (8 *January*, 1897).

Bedfordshire and Huntingdonshire.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Sharnbrook, Bedford, Biggleswade, and Ampt-hill, in the county of Bedford; and also comprising the parish of Swineshead, in the county of Huntingdon (21 *September*, 1896).

Essex.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Tendring, Lexden and Winstree, Witham, South Hinckford, Chelmsford, Dengie, and Rochford, in the county of Essex, and also comprising the boroughs of Colchester, Harwich, Maldon, and Southend-on-Sea (17 *April*, 1897).

Norfolk.—A district or area comprising the county of Norfolk, and also comprising the boroughs of King's Lynn, Norwich, and Yarmouth (3 *June*, 1897).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended April 16th, 1898, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

ANTHRAX.			RABIES.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to infection.
				Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.				No.	No.	No.
Bedford ... ..	...	1	Lancaster ... ..	...	...	6
Cornwall	1	2	Sussex, Eastern Division.	...	...	3
Huntingdon	1	9				
Lancaster	1	2	TOTAL ... ..	...	...	9
Warwick ... ..	...	1				
Westmorland	1	2				
York, West Riding	1	3				
WALES.			GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
Carmarthen	2	2	County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
SCOTLAND.						
Aberdeen	2	3	ENGLAND.	No.	No.	No.
Banff	1	1	Bedford ... ..	...	2	...
Kincardine	1	7	Berks ... ..	...	1	...
Stirling	1	1	Essex	2	...	3
			Lancaster	2	...	4
			London	13	...	18
			Middlesex	1	1	1
			Wilts. ... ..	...	1	...
TOTAL	12	34	TOTAL	18	5	26

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

ORDERS AS TO MUZZLING DOGS.

THE Board of Agriculture have by Order prescribed, as from the dates mentioned, the Muzzling of Dogs in the districts and parts of districts of Local Authorities, as follows :—

- Berkshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Reading, Wokingham, Maidenhead, and Windsor, and the municipal borough of Maidenhead, in the county of Berks. Boroughs of Reading, and Windsor (New) (1 October, 1897).
- Buckinghamshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of the Hundred of Stoke, the Hundred of Burnham (exclusive of the Chesham Division), the Hundred of Desborough (First Division), and the Hundred of Desborough (Second Division), in the county of Buckingham. Borough of Chepping (or High) Wycombe (1 October, 1897).
- Carmarthenshire.*—The petty sessional division of Llanelly (and Kidwelly), and so much of the petty sessional divisions of Carmarthen, and Llandilo as lies to the south-east of the River Towy, in the county of Carmarthen (17 August, 1897).
- City and Metropolitan Police Districts.*—County of London, County of Middlesex, City of London, Borough of Croydon, Borough of

- Kingston-on-Thames, Borough of Richmond (Surrey), Borough of West Ham. Such parts of the Counties of Essex, Hertford, Kent, and Surrey as are situate within the Metropolitan Police District (6 April, 1897).
- Derbyshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Repton, and Swadlincote, in the county of Derby, being that portion of the county south of the River Trent (1 June, 1897).
- Durham.*—The petty sessional divisions of Darlington, Stockton-on-Tees, and West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham. Boroughs of Darlington, Hartlepool, Stockton-on-Tees, and West Hartlepool (21 October, 1897).
- Glamorganshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Gower, Swansea, Pontardawe, Neath, and Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan. Boroughs of Aberavon, Neath, and Swansea (17 August, 1897).
- Gloucestershire.*—County of Gloucester (except the petty sessional divisions of Thornbury, Sodbury, Lawford's Gate, Stow, and Fairford, and the parishes of Didmarton, Little Barrington, Sherborne, Aldsworth, and Windrush). Boroughs of Cheltenham, and Gloucester (1 June, 1897).
- Hampshire.*—(1.) The petty sessional division of Odiham, the parishes of Mortimer West End,

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Silchester, Bramley, Sherfield-upon-Loddon, Hartley Wespall (including a detached part of this parish lying to the north of the parish of Newnham), Stratfield Turgis, and Stratfield Saye, in the county of Southampton (1 October, 1897).

(2.) The petty sessional divisions of Alton, Winchester, Petersfield (including the detached part of the petty sessional division of Petersfield (at Bramshot), Droxford, Fareham, and Basingstoke (except such portion of the petty sessional division of Basingstoke as is subject to the provisions of the Hampshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897), and the municipal borough of Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton. Boroughs of Portsmouth, and Winchester (15 October, 1897).

Herefordshire.—County of Hereford (except the petty sessional divisions of Dore, Bredwardine, Kington, Weobley, Wigmore, and Leominster, and the municipal borough of Leominster). Borough of Hereford (1 June, 1897).

Kent.—(1.) The petty sessional divisions of Rochester, Bearstead, Malling, Cranbrook, Tunbridge Wells, Tunbridge, Sevenoaks, Bromley, and Dartford (except such portions of the petty sessional divisions of Bromley and Dartford as are subject to the provisions of the City and Metropolitan Police Districts (Muzzling of Dogs) Temporary Order of 1897), and the municipal borough of Tenterden, in the county of Kent. Boroughs of Chatham, Gravesend, Maidstone, Rochester, and Tunbridge Wells (2 November, 1897).

(2.) The following petty sessional divisions, namely Faversham, Home, Ramsgate, Ashford, Elham, Wingham; the liberty of Romney Marsh; the municipal boroughs of Deal, Faversham, Hythe, Lydd, New Romney, and Sandwich; and the Cinque Port liberties as have not separate Commissions of the Peace; in the county of Kent. Boroughs of Canterbury, Dover, Folkestone, Margate, and Ramsgate (15 February, 1898).

Lancashire.—County of Lancaster (except the Hundred of Lonsdale North of the Sands). Boroughs of Accrington, Ashton-under-Lyne, Bacup, Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Chorley, Clitheroe, Colne, Darwen, Eccles, Haslingden, Heywood, Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, Middleton, Mossley, Nelson, Oldham, Preston, Rawtenstall, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington, Widnes, and Wigan (1 June, 1897).

Leicestershire.—County of Leicester (except the petty sessional division of Belvoir). Boroughs of Leicester, and Loughborough (1 June, 1897).

Nottinghamshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Nottingham, and Bingham, in the county of Nottingham. Borough of Nottingham (1 June, 1897).

Oxfordshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Watlington, and Henley, and the municipal borough of Henley-upon-Thames, in the county of Oxford (1 October, 1897).

Staffordshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Penkridge, Rugeley, Lichfield and Brownhills, Tamworth, Wolverhampton, Bilston, Sedgley,

Willenhall, Rushall, Handsworth, Smethwick, Wednesbury, Tipton, Rowley Regis, and King'swinford and Wordsley, in the county of Stafford. Boroughs of Lichfield, Tamworth, Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, and Wolverhampton (1 June, 1897).

Surrey.—County of Surrey (except such portion of the county as is situate within the Metropolitan Police District provision as to which portion is made by a separate Order of the Board). Boroughs of Guildford, and Reigate (1 October, 1897).

Sussex.—(1.) The petty sessional division of East Grinstead in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex; the petty sessional division of Horsham in the Western Division of the county of Sussex (9 September, 1897).

(2.) The petty sessional divisions of Burwash, Battle, Frant, Hastings, Hailsham, Rye, and Uckfield; the municipal borough of Rye; the liberty of Petit Ham adjoining the parish of Winchelsea (commonly known as St. Leonard Winchelsea), and the liberty of the Sluice Bexhill, both being liberties of the Cinque Port of Hastings; in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex. Boroughs of Eastbourne, and Hastings (28 September, 1897).

(3.) The petty sessional divisions of Midhurst, Petworth, and Chichester, and the municipal borough of Chichester, in the Western Division of the county of Sussex (1 October, 1897).

(4.) The petty sessional divisions of Cuckfield, Hove, and Lewes, in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex; the petty sessional divisions of Arundel, Worthing, and Steyning, in the Western Division of the county of Sussex. Borough of Brighton, Police District of Hove, Boroughs of Lewes, and Worthing (23 December, 1897).

Warwickshire.—County of Warwick. Boroughs of Birmingham, Coventry, Leamington, and Warwick (1 June, 1897).

Worcestershire.—County of Worcester (except the parishes of Evenlode, and Daylesford). Boroughs of Dudley, Kidderminster, and Worcester (1 June, 1897).

Yorkshire.—(1.) The petty sessional divisions of North Langbaugh, East Langbaugh, West Langbaugh, Ryedale, Birdforth, Yarm, Allertonshire, and East Gilling, in the North Riding of the county of York. Boroughs of Middlesbrough, and Thornaby-on-Tees (21 October, 1897).

(2.) West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Ewcross, Bolton-by-Bowland, West Staincliffe, Kirkby Malzeard, Upper Strafforth and Tickhill, Lower Strafforth and Tickhill, and Lower Osgoldcross; the Liberty of Ripon (but including the township of Nidd); the parishes of Kettlewell with Starborton, Buckden, Upper Stonebeck, Down Stonebeck, and Fountain's Earth; and the municipal borough of Ripon). Boroughs of Barnsley, Batley, Bradford, Brighouse, Dewsbury, Halifax, Huddersfield, Keighley, Leeds, Morley, Ossett, Todmorden, and Wakefield (8 June, 1897).

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Rabies.		Swine-Fever.	
	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Cattle Slaughtered.		Cases Reported.		Outbreaks.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.		
Week ended April 16, 1898	No. 12	No. 34	No. ...	No. ...	No. 18	No. 26	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. 62	No. 1,880
Corresponding week in 1897	10	26	...	...	14	25	...	...	1	3	...	60	830
1896	10	24	...	...	5	14	...	...	57	13	1	132	2,018
1895	10	16	...	...	19	31	...	...	...	18	...	124	817
Total for 16 Weeks 1898.	194	317	...	...	233	436	1	1	320	9	...	764	15,136
Corresponding period in 1897	162	373	...	...	256	437	2	14	454	60	10	949	16,780
1896	184	326	...	...	230	406	2	9	152	237	17	1,912	24,061
1895	156	415	...	...	230	511	1	...	43	258	12	1,637	12,540

NOTE.—The figures for the current Year are approximate only.

Board of Agriculture, 19th April, 1898.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Romer.

1897. S. 0158.

In the Matter of the Stock Conversion and Investment Trust Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the Chancery Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 17th day of November 1897 for confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £1,450,500 (divided into 40,000 preference shares of £5 each since converted into stock 249,900 shares of £5 each hereinafter called "ordinary shares" and 20,000 shares of 1s. each) to £700,800 divided into 40,000 preference shares of £5 each (since converted into stock) 249,900 shares of £2 each and 20,000 shares of 1s. each such reduction to be effected by extinguishing the liability in respect of uncalled capital to the extent of £3 per share on each of the 199,900 ordinary shares which have been issued and by reducing the nominal amount of all the ordinary shares from £5 to £2 each so that with respect to all the ordinary shares there shall after such reduction remain and be £1 per share which shall not be capable of being called up except in the event of and for the purposes of the Company being wound up is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Romer on the 23rd day of April 1898.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

FRESHFIELDS and WILLIAMS New Bank-buildings 31 Old Jewry London E.C.
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Wright.

No. 00114 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and in the Matter of the Industrial Inventions Development Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice was

on the 7th day of April 1898 presented to the said Court by the Globe Venture Syndicate Limited Judgment Creditors and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Wednesday the 27th day of April 1898 at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and any contributory or creditor of the Company desirous to support or 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.—Dated this 7th day of April 1898.

FOSTER GRAVE and Co. of 15 Finsbury-circus E.C. Solicitors for the said Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th day of April 1898.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.

No. 00117 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Empire Croydon Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 14th day of April 1898 presented to the said Court by Henry Byrne Jones of Bush-lane House Bush-lane in the city of London a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed

to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 27th day of April 1898; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may 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.

MORTEN CUTLER and Co. 99 Newgate-street London E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th day of April 1898.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Wright.

No. 00119 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Arbey Wood Wool Manufacturing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice or in the alternative that an Order may be made for the continuance of the voluntary winding up but subject to the supervision of the Court was, on the 16th day of April 1898, presented to the said Court by McLean Brothers and Rigg Limited creditors of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 27th day of April 1898; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may 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.

FLEGG and SON 3 Laurence Pountney-hill London E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th day of April 1898.

NAVY CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received until twelve o'clock, noon, on the days named, for—

Baltic Hemp,
Chocolate Cases, 60,000 No.,

B. Copper Articles,
Thursday, April 21, 1898.

No. 26958.

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- B. Black Ironmongery,
Carpenters' and Joiners' Work,
- L. War. Hides, Leather, and Leather Goods,
- W. Iron Plate Workers' Wares,
- B. Lamps and Lanterns,
Manufactured Wood Goods,
- B. Tin and Japanned Wares,
Friday, April 29, 1898.

Forms of tender, containing conditions of contract and all particulars, may be obtained on personal application at this office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, London, S.W."

Patterns of all, except Copper Articles and Hemp, may be seen at the Admiralty Pattern Rooms, 72, Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn, W.C., from 13th April.

Forms of tender may also be obtained and patterns seen from 13th April, of the Articles marked:—"B." at the Admiralty Pattern Room, Great Western House, Livery-street, Birmingham; "L." at the Chamber of Commerce, Leeds (Light Leather Goods only), on application to the Secretary; "W." at the Chamber of Commerce, Wolverhampton, on application to the Secretary; "War." at the Chamber of Commerce, Warrington (Heavy Leather Goods only), on application to the Secretary.

Contract Department, Admiralty, London,
April 5, 1898.

Universal Life Assurance Society.

No. 1, King William-Street, London, E.C.,

April 19, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors of this Society will be held at the office, as above, on Wednesday, the 11th day of May next, at one o'clock precisely. An Extraordinary General Court of Proprietors will be held afterwards, on the same date, for the election of a Director of the Society in the place of the Hon. James Byng, deceased.

By order of the Board,

FREDK. HENDRIKS, Actuary and Secretary.

"Republic" Ship Company, Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office, 14, Water-street, Liverpool, on the 28th day of March, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, also duly convened and held at the registered office, on the 13th day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, and that Mr. William Thomas, of 14, Water-street, Liverpool, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

2. "That the draft agreement submitted to these Meetings and expressed to be made between the 'Republic' Ship Company, Limited, of the first part, the 'Hemisphere' Steamship Company, Limited, of the second part, and William Thomas of the third part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient."

Dated this 15th day of April, 1898.

ROBT. L. REES Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

Special Resolution (pursuant to the Companies Act 1862 sections 50, 51, and 129, or any other of the Companies Acts under which the Special Resolution is passed and confirmed) of the Clarifying and Utilization of Sewage Company Limited.

Passed 26th February, 1898.

Confirmed 19th March, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the offices of John Cooper Malcolm Number 6 South-parade in the city of Leeds in the county of York on the twenty-sixth day of February 1898 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 said offices Number 6 South-parade in the said city of Leeds on the nineteenth day of March 1898 the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolved—1. "That it having been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily."

2. "That Mr. Rupert Goodall of Number 8 Sunny-road, Churchtown, Southport Chemist be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

JNO. C. MALCOLM, Solicitor, and Chairman of the Second Meeting.

In the Matter of Belle Steamers Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Cannon-street Hotel in the city of London on the 22nd day of December 1897 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 6th day of January 1898 the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz:—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with all or any of the following Companies and Society that is to say:—The Clacton-on-Sea Pier Company, the Clacton-on-Sea Hall and Library Company Limited, the Clacton-on-Sea and General Land Building and Investment Company Limited, the Walton-on-the-Naze Pier and Hotel Company Limited and the Clacton-on-Sea and General Investment Building Society."

2. "That with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily and that Abel Penfold John McAusland Denny M.P., Frederic Croutel Dobbing J.P., and Horace Robert Spence be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

3. "That the conditional agreement submitted to this Meeting be and the same is hereby approved; and that the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862 to adopt the said agreement and carry the same into effect with such if any modifications as they may think expedient."

Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

A. PENFOLD Chairman of both Meetings.

In the Matter of the Walton-on-the-Naze Pier and Hotel Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Pier Hotel Walton-on-the-Naze Essex on the 15th day of January 1898 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 33 Walbrook in the city of London on the 2nd day of February 1898 the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz:—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with all or any of the following Companies and Society that is to say the Clacton-on-Sea Pier Company the Clacton-on-Sea Hall and Library Company Limited the Belle Steamers Limited, the Clacton-on-Sea and General Land Building and Investment Company Limited and the Clacton-on-Sea and General Investment Building Society."

2. "That with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that George Riley Clive Fleetwood Pritchard and Horace Robert Spence be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

3. "That the conditional agreement submitted to this Meeting be and the same is hereby approved and that the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862 to adopt the said agreement and carry the same into effect with such if any modifications as they may think expedient."

Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

R. P. DAVIS Col. Chairman of both Meetings.

In the Matter of the Clacton-on-Sea Hall and Library Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 33 Walbrook in the city of London on the 2nd day of February 1898 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 23rd day of February 1898 the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz:—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with all or any of the following Companies and Society that is to say:—The Clacton-on-Sea Pier Company; the Belle Steamers Limited; the Clacton-on-Sea and General Land, Building and Investment Company Limited; the Walton-on-the-Naze Pier and Hotel Company Limited; and the Clacton-on-Sea and General Investment Building Society."

2. "That with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily and that James Topp, George William Mitchell and Horace Robert Spence be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

3. "That the conditional agreement submitted to this Meeting be and the same is hereby approved and that the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862 to adopt the said agreement and carry the same into effect with such if any modifications as they may think expedient."

Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

JAMES TOPP Chairman of both Meetings.

In the Matter of the Clacton-on-Sea Pier Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 33 Walbrook in the city of London on the 9th day of March 1898 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 25th day of March 1898

the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz. :—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with all or any of the following Companies and Society that is to say :— The Clacton-on-Sea Hall and Library Company Limited, Belle Steamers Limited, Walton-on-the-Naze Pier and Hotel Company Limited, the Clacton-on-Sea and General Land Building and Investment Company Limited ; and the Clacton-on-Sea and General Investment Building Society.

2. "That with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily and that James Topp, George William Mitchell and Horace Robert Spence be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

3. "That the conditional agreement submitted to this Meeting be and the same is hereby approved and that the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act 1862 to adopt the said agreement and carry the same into effect with such if any modifications as they may think expedient."

Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

JAMES TOPP Chairman of both Meetings.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

Special Resolution (pursuant to the Companies Act, 1862, sections 50 and 51) of the New Hall Mill Company, Limited.

Passed March 16th, 1898.

Confirmed April 1st, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, New Hall Mill, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, on the 16th day of March, 1898, 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 27, Hopwood-avenue, Manchester, in the said county, on the 1st day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Frank Pooley, of 18, Hackins Hey, Liverpool, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

REUBEN BURTON Secretary.

In the Matter of the Dingaan (Nondweni) Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 45 and 46 Broad-street-avenue, in the city of London on the 21st day of March 1898 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 5th day of April 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz. :—

Resolution.—"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Henry Cherry be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 15th day of April, 1898.

EDWARD R. ALLEN Chairman.

W. and J. S. Collinge and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 110, St. James'-street, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, on the 31st day of March, 1898, 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 15th

day of April, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed, namely :—

1. "That the agreement for the transfer of the undertaking of this Company to Mr. Thomas Greenwood, a draft of which is submitted to the Meeting be and the same is hereby approved.

2. "That having regard to such agreement it is expedient to procure the dissolution of this Company, and accordingly that this Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. James Simpson be and is hereby appointed Liquidator of this Company for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 16th day of April, 1898.

JOHN SUTCLIFFE COLLINGE Chairman.

NOWELL MELLER and NOWELL of 11 Hargreaves-street Burnley Solicitors to the said Liquidator.

The Griff Colliery Company, Limited, Nuneaton.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Griff Colliery Company, Limited, duly convened and held at No. 4, Whitehall-court, London, S.W., on the 16th day of March, 1898, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed ; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 5th day of April, 1898, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

Resolution.—"That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edward F. Melly, of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, Mining Engineer, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, and that such Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to carry out the reconstruction of the Company."

Dated this 6th day of April, 1898.

E. BAINBRIDGE Chairman.

JOHN H. BLAND Nuneaton Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of R. H. Sykes and Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Messrs. Chadwick and Sons, Solicitors, Church-street, Dewsbury, in the county of York, on Friday, the 25th day of March, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Robert Hemsworth Sykes, of Soothill, near Batley, in the county of York, Brewer, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

R. H. SYKES, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862-1890 and in the Matter of the Royal Sheba Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 4, Tokenhouse-buildings, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of March, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed ; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 4, Tokenhouse-buildings, in the city of London, on the 13th day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed :—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be

wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Edwin James Jackson, of 4, Tokenhouse-buildings, London, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up, at a remuneration of fifty guineas.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be named 'The Royal Sheba, Limited,' with a nominal capital of £150,000, divided into 150,000 shares of £1 each, and with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, a draft of which has already been prepared, with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company, with such (if any) modifications as the Liquidator may think fit.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the first part, Alfred Washington Guest Ranger and Charles Wallington of the second part, and the Royal Sheba, Limited (new Company), of the third part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company when incorporated in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as the parties thereto think expedient."

Dated this 13th day of April, 1898.

ARTHUR CHAMBERS Chairman.

The Morpeth Grand Stand Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at Market-place, Morpeth on the 13th day of April 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were passed:—

1. "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Thomas Gillespie of Morpeth, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 13th day of April 1898.

R. CREIGHTON Chairman.

The Trades Union Co-operative Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Society duly convened and held at No. 144 Barking-road Canning Town in the county of Essex on Thursday the 14th day of April 1898 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

Resolved—"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Society that the Society cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Society be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, and the Companies Acts. "And that Mr. Maurier Russell be and he hereby is appointed Liquidator of the Society for the purpose of such winding up."

J. W. FENNEL Chairman.

ARTHUR BLOTT 39 Broadway Stratford E. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Brewers Cereal Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 11 and 12, Clement's-lane in the city of London on the 26th day of March 1898 the following 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 14th day of April 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867."

And at such last mentioned Meeting Donald McMillan of 11 and 12 Clement's-lane aforesaid Solicitor was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898. W. F. KNIGHT Chairman.

Special Resolutions (pursuant to section 51 of the Companies Act, 1862). Great Dyke and Orizaba Cement Claims, Limited.

Passed 16th March, 1898. Confirmed 6th April, 1898. Registered 16th April, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of Great Dyke and Orizaba Cement Claims, Limited, held on the 16th day of March, 1898, at 1, Metal Exchange-buildings, in the city of London, the following Special Resolutions were passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, held on the 6th day of April, 1898, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolutions.—1. "That this Meeting requires that the Company be, and resolves that it be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Ernest Curjel be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, at the remuneration of fifty guineas."

JAMES JACKSON Chairman.

The Trail Creek Gold Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 110, Cannon-street, London, on the 15th day of March, 1898, 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 31st day of March, 1898, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edwin Eltham Johnson, of 110, Cannon-street, London, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator."

110, Cannon-street, E.C., London, 1st April, 1898,

EDWIN PRYER Chairman.

ALEXANDER J. HALL 20 Threadneedle-street E.C. Solicitor.

Neville Beeman, Limited.

Extraordinary Resolution passed April 12th 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of Neville Beeman, Limited, held at Bouverie House, Salisbury-square, London, E.C., on Tuesday the 12th day of April, 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolution was passed:—

"It having been proved to the satisfaction of the Shareholders of this Company that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is hereby resolved that the same be wound up accordingly; and that Mr. Hugh E. Smith, of Bouverie House, Salisbury-square, London, E.C., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

WALTER HADDON Chairman.

In the Matter of Southern Star Gold Mines Limited.

Passed 23rd March, 1898. Confirmed 13th April, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, Nos. 63 and 64, New Broad-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday the 23rd day of March, 1898, 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 Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edward William Fellgate, of Nos. 63 and 64, New Broad-street, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up at an agreed remuneration of £52 10s., and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to distribute the available assets of the Company in specie or kind amongst the contributories of this Company, and in particular the 32,312 shares of 10s. each in the Pinnacles Gold Mine, Limited, incorporated in 1898, purchased or agreed to be purchased by this Company."

Dated this 13th day of April, 1898.

GEO. HARDIE Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883.

The "Samoa" Steamship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of the Company No. 3 Rumbold-place in the city of Liverpool on the twenty-second day of March 1898 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 eleventh day of April 1898 the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. A. H. Crow of Liverpool Steamship Owner be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator."

GEO. B. CROW Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Olympic Club Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at Barwick-street Birmingham on Friday the 15th day of April 1898 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed viz:—

1. "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and it is advisable to wind up the same.

2. "That Joseph William Blackham of Court-chambers, Corporation-street Birmingham Incorporated Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the said Company."

THOS. WM. JAMES Chairman.

African Alluvial Gold Mines, Ltd.

Special Resolution.

Passed 14th March, 1898.

Confirmed 12th April, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the African Alluvial Gold Mines, Limited, duly held at the offices of the Company, 11, Poultry, in the city of London, on the 14th day of March, 1898, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also duly held at the same place on the 12th day of April,

1898, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to wind up the Company, and that the Company be wound up voluntarily."

And at such last mentioned Meeting Mr. Josiah Richards, of 11, Poultry, London, E.C. was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1898.

G. F. TAVENOR Chairman.

The Sailing Ship "Ellesmere" Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at No. 116, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of March, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 13th day of April, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and that George Croshaw, of 116, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., Shipowner, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator, for the purpose of such winding-up, and that the remuneration of the said Liquidator for his services in the winding-up be fixed at one hundred guineas."

GEO. CROSHAW Manager.

A. J. M. DUNCAN 21 Leadenhall-street
London E.C. Solicitor

Iredale and Co. Limited.

THE following Special Resolutions were passed at an Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, held on March 19th, 1898, and confirmed at a further Extraordinary Meeting held April 4th, 1898:—

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

"That J. Henry Iredale, of 75, Duke-st., Liverpool, be appointed Liquidator."

J. HENRY IREDALE, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Sailing Ship "Ellesmere" Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the thirty-first day of May next, 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 me the undersigned, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from me, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

GEO. CROSHAW 116 Fenchurch-street
London E.C. Liquidator of the above named Company.

A. J. M. DUNCAN 21 Leadenhall-street
London E.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Talisman Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 2nd day of June 1898 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 Alexander James Harrison Robertson of 20 Bucklersbury in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

VALLANCE BIRKBECK and BARNARD Lombard House George-yard Lombard-street E.C. Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of R. H. Sykes and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 30th day of May 1898, 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 Robert Hemsworth Sykes of Soothill, near Batley in the county of York, Brewer, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

CHADWICK and SONS Solicitors for the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Liscard Shipping Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 7th day of May 1898 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 John George Hodgson of 41 North John-street Liverpool the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 14th day of April, 1898.

WRIGHT BECKET and Co. 17 Water-street Liverpool Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Southern Star Gold Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before Tuesday the 31st day of May 1898 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 Edward William Fellgate of 63 and 64 New Broad-street in the city of London the undersigned Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

E. W. FELLGATE the abovenamed Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Waihi Silverton Extended Gold Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 31st day of May 1898 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

Sydney Matz of 23 College-hill, London E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

HEPBURN SON and CUTCLIFFE of Bird-in-Hand-court, 76 Cheapside, London E.C. Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Wright.

No. 0050 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of E. Morewood and Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 21st day of May 1898 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 William Barclay Peat of No. 3 Lothbury in the city of London Chartered Accountant the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

ASHUEST MORRIS CRISP and Co. 17 Throgmorton-avenue London E.C. Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Brewers Cereal Company Ltd. in Liquidation.

TAKE notice that the creditors of the above Company are required on or before the 31st day of May 1898 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 the undersigned Donald McMillan of 11 and 12 Clement's-lane London E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

DONALD McMILLAN, of 11 and 12 Clement's-lane London E.C. the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Sentinel Self-Stopping Automatic Fire Sprinkler Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 10th day of June 1898 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 Arthur F. Jones of 13 Harrington-street Liverpool the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors, or personally to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

H. C. and A. S. REYNOLDS, 10 Dale-street Liverpool Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Geldfontein Estates and Gold Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at No. 8 Princes-street in the city of London on Monday the 23rd day of May 1898 at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of having laid before them the account prepared by me showing the manner in which the winding-up of the Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanations that may be given by me the undersigned as Liquidator.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

G. W. THOMPSON 8 Princes-street E.C. Liquidator.

T. A. DENNISON and Co. 71 Gracechurch-street E.C. Solicitors.

Re Greenhalgh and Clausen Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Liquidator No. 64 in Fountain-street in the city of Manchester, on Friday the 20th day of May 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 12th day of April 1898.

SEPTIMUS STATON Liquidator.

The Electrical Traffic Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 6 Old Jewry in the city of London on Monday the 23rd day of May next at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898. MAURICE JENKS Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890, and of the Coronet Cycle Company, Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at 17, Hertford-street, Coventry, on the 25th day of May 1898 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of laid before such Meeting and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and docu-

ments of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

SIDNEY T. PIERSON Liquidator.

London Typing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices College Hill-chambers College Hill, London E.C. of Messrs. Sargeants and Taylor on Wednesday the twenty-fifth day of May 1898 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

WILSON BURGESS Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of Thomas Marsden and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at 7 Grimshaw-street Burnley in the county of Lancaster on Tuesday the 24th day of May 1898 at seven o'clock in the evening precisely for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of laid before such Meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

GARNETT and JACKSON of 1 Yorke-street, Burnley Solicitors for the Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1886 and in the Matter of the Equitable Debenture and Assets Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company which was placed in liquidation for the purposes of reconstruction on the 3rd day of August 1894 will be held at 76 Coleman-street in the city of London on Monday the twenty-third day of May 1898 at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 15th day of April 1898.

HENRY SPAIN Liquidator.

The Shell (Patents) Gold Extraction Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 80a Coleman-street E.C. on Saturday the 21st of May 1898 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 16th day of April 1898.

W. W. THORNTON Liquidator.

Phillips More and Co. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company which was incorporated on the 19th day of June 1848 will be held at the Stag Brewery Pimlico in the county of London on Wednesday the 25th day of May 1898, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

ALAN ROTHERHAM Liquidator.

Blatchford Bayley and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at Crosby House, Great Saint Helen's, London, E.C., on Thursday the 26th day of May 1898 at 12 o'clock noon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 19th day of April 1898.

LOUIS C. TREE Liquidator.

Hicks Gold Mine Limited (Incorporated 1896).

THIS Company having been reconstructed, notice is hereby given that the creditors of the said Company are required on or before the first day of June 1898 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 William Earle Pearse of No. 4 Tokenhouse-buildings Lothbury in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place 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.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

SLAUGHTER and MAY of 18 Austin Friars
London E.C., Solicitors to the above
named Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Fenwick Shields and Vincent Strawson carrying on business as Merchants and Agents at No. 9, Coleman-street in the city of London under the style or firm of W. F. Shields and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twelfth day of March, 1898.—Dated 13th day of April 1898.

W. FENWICK SHIELDS.
VINCENT STRAWSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Benerice Henry D'Ambrumenil and Ernest Symons Holman carrying on business as Insurance Brokers at No. 9 Gracechurch-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Barber and D'Ambrumenil has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of March 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Benerice Henry D'Ambrumenil who continues to carry on the said business.—Dated this 7th day of April 1898.

B. H. D'AMBRUMENIL.
ERNEST S. HOLMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Keliher and John Bernard Edmund Field carrying on business as Wholesale Agents and Importers of Foreign Produce at 105 Upper Thames-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Thomas Keliher and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of December 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Bernard Edmund Field.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

THOS. KELIHER.
J. BERNARD E. FIELD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Joe Burhouse and Joseph Lancaster carrying on business as Botanic Brewers at Barnsley in the county of York under the style or firm of Burhouse and Lancaster has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirteenth day of April 1898. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Joe Burhouse who will in future carry on the business in his own name.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

JOE BURHOUSE.
JOSEPH LANCASTER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Wilson, Aaron Fletcher and William Wood Moore carrying on business at 39 and 41 Kensington Liverpool in the county of Lancaster as Wholesale Confectioners and Refreshment Contractors under the style or firm of Wilson Fletcher and Moore has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fourteenth day of April 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Aaron Fletcher, who will continue to carry on the said business at the same address under the style or firm of A. Fletcher and Co.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

JOHN WILSON.
AARON FLETCHER.
WILLIAM WOOD MOORE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Stephen Ball Main Edwin Kendall and John Bowley Main as Joiners and Builders and carrying on business at No. 100 Nottingham-road Loughborough in the county of Leicester under the name or firm of Main Kendall and Main has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of March 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Stephen Ball Main and John Bowley Main who will carry on the business on their own account at the above address under the said style or firm of Main Kendall and Main.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

STEPHEN BALL MAIN.
EDWIN KENDALL.
JOHN BOWLEY MAIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Buckley and George Bailey carrying on business as Fruit Salesmen at the Castlefields Market in the city of Sheffield under the style or firm of James. Millington and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the second day of April 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Bailey who will continue the business under the same style.—Dated 15th day of April 1898.

JAMES BUCKLEY.
GEORGE BAILEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Joseph Barker and Charles Ashworth carrying on business at Fern Mill Ryecroft Ashton-under-Lyne in the county of Lancaster as Cotton Doublers under the style of Barker and Ashworth has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of April 1898. The said Joseph Barker will continue the said business and receive and pay the debts owing to or by the late firm.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

JOSEPH BARKER.
CHARLES ASHWORTH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Arthur Hague and John Niven carrying on business as Accountants Estate and General Agents at 55 Cross-street Manchester in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of G. A. Hague and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 15th day of April 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Niven.—Dated the 15th day of April 1898.

G. A. HAGUE.
JOHN NIVEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Kirk Knight, John Arthur Knight and John Chatwin carrying on business in copartnership together under the style or firm of Kirk Knight and Co. as Contractors and Builders at Sleaford in the county of Lincoln and elsewhere was dissolved as on and from the 6th day of April 1894 by mutual consent.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

H. K. KNIGHT.
J. A. KNIGHT.
J. CHATWIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Kirk Knight and John Arthur Knight carrying on business together in copartnership under the style or firm of Kirk Knight and Co., as Contractors and Builders at Sleaford in the county of Lincoln and elsewhere was dissolved as on and from the 13th day of July 1897 by mutual consent. The business has since been and still is carried on by the said Henry Kirk Knight alone under the same style or firm of Kirk Knight and Co. and all debts due to and by the late firm respectively will be received and paid by him.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

H. K. KNIGHT.
J. A. KNIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Fred Farthing and George Rowbottom Farthing carrying on the business of Grocers and Provision Merchants at Radcliffe Bridge, Little Lever, and Whitefield in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of the City Tea Company has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Fred Farthing by whom the said businesses will in future be carried on under the same style.—Dated this 13th day of April 1898.

FRED FARTHING.
GEO. R. FARTHING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Kaye and Walter Schofield carrying on business as Machinists and Mill Furnishers at Alma Works, Lockwood, Huddersfield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Kaye and Schofield, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of March 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Schofield who will in future carry on the said business on his own account, at the same place, and in his own name.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1898.

JOHN KAYE.
WALTER SCHOFIELD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned John Milne and Milne Barnsley carrying on business as Cotton Brokers at No. 5 Rumford-place Liverpool under the style or firm of Godfrey Barnsley and Son has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st March 1898.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

JOHN MILNE.
MILNE BARNSLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Matthew Wood Hampshire and Frank Brooke under the style or firm of Hampshire and Brooke at Agbrigg-road Sandal Magna in the county of York in the trade or business of Joiners Builders and Undertakers was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Matthew Wood Hampshire who will continue to carry on the said business at the old address.—As witness our hands this 14th day of April 1898.

M. W. HAMPSHIRE.
F. BROOKE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned Frank Speakman Webb and Frederic William Tompson and Frederic James Tompson (now deceased) carrying on business as Brewers and Wine and Spirit Merchants at Margate and Westgate on Sea in the county of Kent under the styles or firms of Webb and Co. and Crawford and Co. was dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of September 1895. All debts due to and owing by the said late firms will be received and paid by the said Frederic William Tompson (Crawford and Co.)—Dated this eighteenth day of January 1898.

FRANK S. WEBB.
FRED. W. TOMPSON.
FRED. W. TOMPSON,
E. HARVEY TOMPSON,
Executors of the Will of Frederic James Tompson deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas William Stuchbery and John Pinn Ruff carrying on business as Solicitors at Maidenhead under the style or firm of Stuchbery and Ruff has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of April 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas William Stuchbery.—Dated 14th day of April 1898.

T. W. STUCHBERY.
J. PINN RUFF.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Robert Henry Lane and Francis Charles Burroughs carrying on business as Agricultural Implement Agents and Repairers at Woodland House, Number 7 Victoria-street, Fairview Cheltenham in the county of Gloucester under the style or firm of Lane and Burroughs has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 25th day of March 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Henry Lane who will continue to carry on the said business at the address mentioned.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

ROBERT HENRY LANE.
FRANCIS CHARLES BURROUGHS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Davies and James Powell carrying on business as Jewellers and House Furnishers at Brynmawr in the county of Brecon under the style or firm of the International Watch Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as from this day. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Powell and Thomas Jones who enters into partnership with the said James Powell and will carry on the said business with him in copartnership under the style or firm of Powell and Jones.—Dated this sixteenth day of April 1898.

The
WILLIAM x DAVIES.
Mark of
JAMES POWELL.
THOMAS JONES.

Pursuant to the Partnership Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Adam Loch, William Park, Robert Wolfenden and Frederick Hastings Goldney carrying on business as Parliamentary Agents at No. 36 Great George-street Westminster under the style or firm of Loch and Company has been dissolved as and from the twentieth day of January 1898.—Dated 13th day of April 1898.

CAMERON KEMM and CO. of Gresham House, Old Broad-street London E.C. Solicitors for the said William Adam Loch, William Park and Frederick Hastings Goldney.

JANE LEAKE Deceased.

NOTICE. All creditors and persons having any claim against the estate of Jane Leake late of Bilton Harrogate, Widow, deceased, and who died on the 11th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 4th day of April 1898 by George Wilson and George Surr the executors therein named are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to either of us the undersigned on or before the 25th day of April instant after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed having regard only to such claims or demands of which notice has been given.—Dated 13th April 1898.

ARTHUR W. GILLING,
EDWIN RAWORTH,

Harrogate, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ELEANOR MARX AVELING Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Eleanor Marx Aveling late of the Den Jews' Walk Sydenham in the county of Kent deceased (who died on the 31st day of March 1898 and whose will with one codicil thereto were proved in the Principal Probate Registry at London on the 16th day of April 1898 by Edward Aveling the executor therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 16th day of May 1898, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

CROSSE and SONS 7, Lancaster-place, Strand, London, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Mrs. ARABELLA KELK Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of Arabella Kelk late of Scarborough in the county of York Widow deceased who died on the 31st day of August 1895 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 15th day of October 1895 by George Day of Willerby in the county of York Clerk in Holy Orders and Charles Day of Hollyn near Hull Clerk in Holy Orders the executors named in the said will are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 12th day of May 1898; and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 12th day of April 1898.

WATTS KITCHING and DONNER 38 Queen-street, Scarborough, Solicitors for the said Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Alfred Liberty late of Deamerbyrst Addlestone in the county of Surrey deceased (who died on the 4th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved by Edwards Liberty of Black Boy Saw Mills Weybridge in the county of Surrey the general executor therein named on the 17th day of March 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said executor at the office of the undersigned his Solicitor on or before the thirty-first day of May 1898; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Alfred Liberty deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims 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 of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April 1898.

EDWARDS LIBERTY.**Mrs. MARGARET SHARP Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Margaret Sharp late of the Hermitage near Lancaster in the county of Lancaster Widow deceased (who died on or about the 12th day of January 1896 and whose will was proved by Frederic Joseph Sharp of Skelton Grange near Boroughbridge in the West Riding of the county of York Land Agent the executor therein named on the 7th day of February 1896 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Frederic Joseph Sharp or to the undersigned his Solicitors on or before Saturday the 30th day of April 1898 and notice is hereby also given that after that date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

SHARP and SON Lancaster Solicitors.

Re WILLIAM PEARSON 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 against the estate of William Pearson late of Schorl Houses, Normanton Springs Woodhouse in the county of York deceased (who died on the 6th day of December 1897 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 30th day of March 1898 by Joseph Moore of Sheffield-road Intake in the said county of York Coke Burner and Ben Calvert of Normanton Springs aforesaid Grocer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the parti-

culars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April 1898.

J. BROUGHTON KESTIVEN 40½ Bank-street Sheffield Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re CHARLES WILLIAM LLOYD LESTER 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 against the estate of Charles William Lloyd Lester deceased, late of Selborne, Broad Walk, Stratford-on-Avon in the county of Warwick Gentleman deceased (who died on the 21st day of December 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of March 1898 by William Greenhill of Dudley in the county of Worcester Bank Manager and Edward John Chambers formerly of Dudley aforesaid but now of Foxhills Wombourne in the county of Stafford Telegraphic Engineer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to me the undersigned Edward Percy Jobson on or before the 14th day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

E. PERCY JOBSON Dudley Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re TIMOTHY HOUGHTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 Timothy Houghton late of the Hope and Anchor Inn Bolton-street Bury in the county of Lancashire Licensed Victualler deceased (who died on the twenty-third day of February 1898 and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of March 1898 by Martha Jane Houghton Scholes Houghton Edward Houghton and William Walker the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the seventh day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

H. T. BULL Cross-street Bury Lancashire Solicitor for the said Executors.

JANE DICKINSON Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 against the estate of Jane Dickinson late of 22, Dick Mather-lane, Leigh, in the county of Lancaster Widow who died on the 1st day of March, 1898, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 4th day of April 1898, by Thomas Rigby Greenough of Leigh aforesaid Auctioneer, one of the executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 14th day of May 1898, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

MARSH SON and CALVERT 2 Doctors'-nook Leigh Solicitors for the said Executor.

MARY YATES Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Yates late of Southfield Worthing in the county of Sussex Widow deceased (who died on the 24th day of January 1893) and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 10th day of March 1898 by Adeline Mary Barnardiston Crowther-Beynon Widow, Ellen Flora Barnardiston Hopkins (Wife of the Revd. Frederick Hopkins Clerk) and Gertrude Anne Barnardiston Crowther-Beynon (Wife of the Rev. Samuel Bryan Crowther-Beynon Clerk) the daughters of the deceased and the executrices named in the said will, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the said executrices, on or before the 16th day of May 1898, after which date the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

CHAS. ST. O. BEDFORD and GEORGE H. RADCLIFFE Chapter Clerks' Office Westminster Abbey S.W. Solicitors for the said Executrices.

Re EMMA SANBROOK Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of the 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees," that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Emma Sanbrook late of Burrows-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, deceased who died on the 12th day of February 1898 and whose will was proved in the Lichfield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of March 1898 by Sarah Hawkes of Monument-road Birmingham the executrix therein named are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 10th day of May next after which day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executrix shall then have had notice; and she 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 or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 14th day of April 1898.

ARNOLD and SON, 3 Waterloo-street, Birmingham.

EBENEZER BAILEY CHURCHILL Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the Reverend Ebenezer Bailey Churchill late of Tattershall in the county of Lincoln Clerk in Holy Orders deceased (who died on the 14th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 7th day of March 1898 by Edward Hastings Dasent of Burnaby House Burnaby-road Bedford in the county of Bedford Esquire one of the executors therein named are required to send in particulars in writing of such claims to the said Edward Hastings Dasent or to us the undersigned his Solicitors on or before the 18th day of June next after which date the said Edward Hastings Dasent will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated the 15th day of April 1898.

CLITHEROW and SON Horncastle and Tattershall Solicitors for the said Executor.

WILLIAM FRANCIS KNIGHT 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 claims or demands against the estate of William Francis Knight formerly of No. 51 Hagley-road Edgbaston Birmingham and lately of Saint Giles Vicarage, Shrewsbury deceased (who died on the 18th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of December 1897 by the executors in the said will named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 31st day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and they 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 or demands they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

F. M. BURTON Warwick-chambers 16A Corporation-street Birmingham Solicitor for the Executors.

Re JOSEPH KEELING 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 claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Keeling late of Park Cottage, Wolstanton in the county of Stafford, Earthenware Manufacturer deceased (who died on the 17th day of September 1897 letters of administration having been granted out of the Lichfield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of November 1897 to George Keeling of Park Cottage Wolstanton aforesaid the administrator of the said deceased's estate) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 20th day of May 1898 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

ARTHUR BOULTON Queen's-chambers, Liverpool-road, Burslem Solicitor for the said Administrator.

Re EMMA JORDAN 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 against the estate of Emma Jordan late of No. 1 Claremont-view South Bath-street Rhyl in the county of Flint deceased the Wife of Thomas Jordan of the same place Gentleman (who died on the 16th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the St. Asaph District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 10th day of February 1898 by James Cartledge Sherwin of Number 21 High-street Hanley in the county of Stafford Music Warehouseman and Herbert Stephenson Sherwin of Number 21 Albert-place Hanley aforesaid Professor of Music the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors on or before the 12th day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they 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 and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April 1898.

GANLIN and WILLIAMS Rhyl Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOSEPH GOOD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Good late of 20 and 22 Hackney-road in the county of Middlesex Clothier deceased (who died on the 30th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved by Thomas Watson Francis of Dowlais House Wanstead in Essex and William Henry Ridge of 49 Spencer-street Clerkenwell the executors therein named on the 24th day of February 1893 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Thomas Watson Francis and William Henry Ridge or to the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 31st day of May 1893 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice, and that they 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 16th day of April 1898.

GEO. and W. WEBB 39 New Broad-street, E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

GEORGE HAIGH Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Haigh late of 225 Bradford-road, in the city of Manchester in the county of Lancaster deceased (who died on the 15th day of December 1874, and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 10th day of October 1876, by Sarah Haigh Widow of the said George Haigh (now deceased) and Henry Robinson of Pine Cottage Peover in the county of Chester Farmer the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said surviving executor on or before the 4th day of June next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

RICHARD PAGE Duchy-chambers, 4 Clarence-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said surviving Executor.

JOHN KNOWLES GLAZE BROOK Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Knowles Glazebrook late of Lymm Hall in the county of Chester deceased (who died on the 13th day of November 1897 and whose will was proved in the Chester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 31st day of December 1897, by John Brooks Close Brooks of Birtles Hall in the said county of Chester Banker and Thomas Henry Rushton Halliwell Hall Bolton in the county of Lancaster Gentleman the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 4th day of June next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

RICHARD PAGE, Duchy-chambers, 4, Clarence-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Executors.

CHARLES EDWARD CRESPEL Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Edward Crespel late of No. 103 rue Royale Lille in France Officer of the Legion of Honor ex-Mayor of Lille and ex-President of the Chamber of Commerce deceased (who died on the 17th day of May 1897 and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were granted by the Principal Probate Registry at London on the 30th day of March 1898 to Arthur Willson Crosse the Attorney of Mathilde Emilie Sophie Crespel the lawful Widow and relict of the deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 16th day of May 1898, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

CROSSE and SONS, 7, Lancaster-place, Strand, London, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

JOHN MEADOWS 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 claims or demands against the estate of John Meadows formerly of the county borough of Leicester Wine and Spirit Merchant and late of No. 28 Norton-road Hove in the county of Sussex deceased (who died on the 21st day of December 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of March 1898, by Arthur Henry Bennett of Leicester aforesaid Solicitor one of the surviving executors therein named), are hereby required to

send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 15th day of June next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

MACAULAY and BENNETT 4 Market-street, Leicester Solicitors for the Executors.

THOMAS ASHTON Esquire 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 debt or claim against or affecting the estate and effects of Thomas Ashton late of Ford Bank Didsbury in the county of Lancaster and Hyde in the county of Chester Esquire (who died on the 21st January 1898 and whose will with two codicils was proved on the 14th day of April 1898 in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by Thomas Gair Ashton, Edward Tootal Broadhurst, and Edward Donner the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars of such debts or claims to the said executors at the office of their Solicitors Messrs. Cunliffes and Greg No. 56 Brown-street Manchester on or before the 28th day of May next after which day the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said Thomas Ashton for the benefit of the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for any claim of which they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

CUNLIFFES and GREG, 56 Brown-street Manchester Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM MASHITER 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 claims or demands against the estate of William Mashiter late of the Elms Romford in the county of Essex Esquire deceased (who died on the 2nd day of March 1898, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of April 1898 by Elizabeth Annie Mashiter and Reginald William Crosse the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 16th day of May 1898, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and they 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of April 1898.

CROSSE and SONS 7 Lancaster-place, Strand, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN SHANK Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of John Shank late of 5, Beaufort-gardens St. John's Lewisham Kent Gentleman formerly a Banker at the London Cattle Market (who died on the 8th day of March 1898 and whose will was proved by Thomas Shank and Charles Richard Cutler the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 30th day of March 1898) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of May 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose debts claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

MORTEN OUTLER and CO. 99 Newgate-street London, E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS HEPTON Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35 intitled "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 Thomas Hepton late of 74 Bedford-street South in the city of Liverpool Gentleman (who died on the 5th January 1898 and whose will was on the 22nd day of March 1898 proved by William Forshaw Wilson and Elizabeth Wilkinson the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are required to send particulars of their debts claims and demands to the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 16th day of May 1898 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Hepton among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 16th day of April 1898.

LACIES BIRD WILSON and TODD 1 Union-court, Castle-street Liverpool Solicitors for the Executors.

Re WILLIAM HOLMES Deceased,

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. chap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Holmes late of Cressage in the county of Salop Innkeeper and Farmer deceased (who died on the 29th day of April 1897) and letters of administration with the will annexed of whose estate and effects were granted to Mary Ann Holmes the Widow of the deceased on the 19th day of June 1897 by the Shrewsbury District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said administratrix at the offices of the undersigned her Solicitors on or before the 9th day of May next; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Holmes deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she 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 16th day of April, 1898.

SPROTT and MORRIS College-hill Shrewsbury Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

MARY WOOD Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Wood late of Town Mills, Tiverton, Devon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of March 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of May 1897 by Frederick Wood of Tiverton aforesaid Bank Manager and the undersigned Thomas Anstey the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Thomas Anstey on or before the 17th day of May next after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

THOMAS ANSTEY 39 St. Peter-street, Tiverton, Devon.

ELIZABETH FROST Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intitled "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 Elizabeth Frost deceased late of No. 15 Eland-road Lavender-hill in the county of Surrey Widow (who died on the 18th day of February, 1898, and whose will was proved by William Elligott and William Crane the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the eighth day of March 1898), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims or demands to me the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 16th day of May 1898 and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the

parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

WALTER M. WILCOCKS, 8 New-inn, Strand
Solicitor for the said Executors.

PERCIVAL WELSH Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim as next-of-kin according to the Statutes for distribution of intestate's estates or as creditors or otherwise against the estate of Percival Welsh late of Northumberland House Finsbury Park in the county of Middlesex and formerly of No. 22 Elsworth-road South Hampstead in the same county Gentleman of no occupation (who died on the 18th day of November 1897 and administration to whose estate was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 30th day of March 1898 to Percival John Dixon) are hereby required to send in and prove their claims to the undersigned as Solicitors to the said administrator on or before the 28th day of May 1898 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

W. T. ELLIOTT and CRAWLEY 5 Verulam-buildings Gray's-inn London W.C. Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re JOHN OGLE WALLACE Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35 section 29.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Ogle Wallace formerly of Etal Villa North Shields in the county of Northumberland Ship Store Merchant but late of Wyvern Westoe in the county of Durham Marine Paint Manufacturer deceased (who died on the 30th day of November 1897) and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of February 1898 by Helen Letitia Wallace of Wyvern Westoe aforesaid Widow one of the executors therein named (the other executors having renounced probate) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Watson Dendy and Burton on or before the 31st day of May 1898 after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and she 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 or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th April 1898.

WATSON DENDY and BURTON 141 Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for the said Executrix.

ALFRED MORRISON Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty cap. 35 intitled "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 Alfred Morrison late of Fonthill House in the county of Wilts and No. 16 Carlton House-terrace in the county of London Esquire deceased (who died on the 22nd day of December 1897 and whose will was proved by Charles Morrison of Basildon in the county of Berks Esquire and Walter Morrison of Malham Tarn near Settle in the county of Yorks, Esquire, M.P. the surviving executors therein named on the 6th day of April 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Charles Morrison and Walter Morrison at No. 53 Coleman-street in the city of London or to the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 27th day of May 1898 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice, and that they 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 15th day of April 1898.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP and CO. 17 Throgmorton-avenue in the city of London, Solicitors for the above-named Executors.

Re JOHN SHEPHERD SPENCE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors or any persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Shepherd Spence late of 329 Goldhawk-road, Shepherd's Bush in the county of Middlesex, Physician and Surgeon deceased (who died on the 1st day of February 1898 and to whose estate a grant of letters of administration was made in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to William Spence of 18 Grazebrook-road Stoke Newington retired Civil Servant a creditor of the deceased on the 6th day of April 1898) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said William Spence on or before the 19th day of May 1898 after which date the said William Spence will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

STANLEY EVANS and CO. 20 Theobalds-road, Bedford-row, London W.C.

Re WILLIAM BUTLIN Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 against the estate of William Butlin late of Rugby in the county of Warwick Shepherd deceased (who died on the 15th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of April 1898 by Richard Over of Rugby aforesaid Secretary to the Rugby Townhall Company Limited the sole executor therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the said executor on or before the 18th day of May 1898 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April 1898.

WRATISLAW and THOMPSON Rugby Solicitors for the said Executor.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Angelina O'Donnell late of No. 47 Kensington Park-gardens London W. Widow deceased (who died on the 15th day of March 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of April 1898 by Henry Hunter Murdoch of Calverley Lodge Tunbridge Wells Kent Esquire one of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 16th day of May 1898 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

WOODCOCK RYLAND and PARKER 15 Bloomsbury-square London W.C. Solicitors for the Executor.

AMELIA MARY HADOW Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Amelia Mary Hadow late of 18 Southwick-street Cambridge-square in the county of Middlesex Spinster who died on the 20th day of February 1898 and whose will was proved by Henry Hadow and Samuel Bircham the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of April 1898 are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of May 1898 after which date the said

executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this fourteenth day of April 1898.

BIRCHAM and CO. 46 Parliament-street Westminster S.W. Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY WILLIAMS Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Henry Williams late of Number 24 High-street Aberdare and Number 1 Stanley-road Serghenith both in the county of Glamorgan Wheelwright and Builder (who died on the 28th day of February 1898) are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned Solicitors for Elizabeth Williams of Number 24 High-street Aberdare aforesaid Widow the administratrix of the said Henry Williams on or before the 7th day of May next; after which day she will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have received notice.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

LEWIS and JONES Merthyr Tydfil.

HENRY BAILEY Deceased.

Notice pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Henry Bailey late of East Retford in the county of Nottingham retired Butcher who died on the 31st day of December 1897 are to send particulars thereof before the 28th day of May 1898 to the undersigned the Solicitors to Thomas Bailey Esq. Hesse near Hull, Ben Haigh Esq. J.P. Retford and Michael Fletcher Esq. Bank Manager, Retford the executors of the will of the said deceased; after the said 28th day of May 1898 the assets of said deceased will be distributed having regard only to claims then notified.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

MEE and CO. Retford, Solicitors.

Miss ELLEN CHEESBROUGH Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Ellen Cheesbrough late of 45 Old Row Armley in the city of Leeds Spinster deceased who died on the 23rd day of October 1897 and whose will (with four codicils thereto) was proved in the Wakefield District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of December following by Frank Jackson and Herbert James Valters the executors therein named are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors on or before the first day of June 1898 after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

BENSON BAILEY 65 Albion-street Leeds Solicitor for the said Executors.

JOSEPH NEWPORT Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Joseph Newport late of the Globe Public House Upper Tollington-road Holloway who died on the 1st October 1897 and letters of administration to whose personal estate was granted to Mrs. Eugenie Newport on the 4th day of November 1897 are hereby required to send particulars to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of May next after which time the administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto and she will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

HUNTERS and HAYNES 9 New-square Lincoln's-inn W.C. Solicitors for the Administratrix.

FREDERICK HOWARD PULLEIN Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Frederick Howard Pulein late of the Wilderness Crowborough, Sussex deceased (who died on the 11th day of December 1897 and whose will was proved on the 6th day of April 1898 by Walter William Atkinson and Catherine Pulein the executors therein named) are required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 20th day of May next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

ATKINSON and DRESSER 30, Finsbury-circus, London Solicitors for the said Executors.

ROBERT STRUTT Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 85.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Robert Strutt late of Polestead Suffolk Farmer and Dealer deceased who died on or about the 16th day of March last and whose will was proved in the Bury St. Edmunds District Registry on the 16th day of April instant by the executors therein named are hereby required to send full particulars thereof in writing to me the undersigned on or before the 9th day of May next after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.
 —Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

CHARLES J. GRIMWADE Hadleigh Suffolk
 Solicitor for the Executors.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster made in the matter of the estate of Samuel Kelsall late of 6 John Dalton-street in the city of Manchester Estate Agent intestate deceased and in an action between Frederick Goldsworthy on behalf of himself and all other the creditors of Samuel Kelsall deceased against Emily Caroline Kelsall the creditors of the said Samuel Kelsall deceased late of 6 John Dalton-street Manchester in the county of Lancaster who died in or about the month of November 1897 are on or before the 17th day of May 1898, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Edward Watson of the firm of Messrs. Watson and Booth of 3 Mount-street in the said city of Manchester the Solicitors of the defendant the administratrix 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 Registrar of the Manchester District at his chambers, situate at Duchy-chambers Clarence-street Manchester on Friday the 27th day of May 1898, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 16th day of April 1898.

A. ERNEST STEINTHAL Assistant Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 10th day of March 1898 by Thomas Rowland Major of 76 Oxford-street Old Trafford in the county of Lancaster and 14 Thorniley-brow Dantzic-street in the city of Manchester Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above named Thomas Rowland Major who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 30th day of April to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to John William Withnell of 20 Booth-street Manchester Accountant the Trustee under the said deed or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend of 20s. in the pound proposed to be declared.—Dated this 15th day of April 1898.

P. HOLKER JORDAN and BOWDEN 78 Cross-street Manchester Solicitors for the above named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 26th day of March 1897 by James Brooks of Marlock in the county of Somerset lately Hotel Keeper.

THE creditors of the above named James Brooks who have not already sent particulars of their debts and claims are required on or before the 29th day of April 1898 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of such debts or claims to Henry Wilson Marillier of Bank-chambers, Yeovil in the county of Somerset, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said Deed of Assignment or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

H. W. MARILLIER.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 20th day of October 1897, by William Edward Cridland of the George Hotel, Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above named William Edward Cridland who have not already sent particulars of their debts and claims are required on or before the 29th day of April 1898 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of such debts or claims to Henry Wilson Marillier of Bank-chambers, Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said Deed of Assignment or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final

Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.
H. W. MARILLIER.

In the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.
 In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 9th day of March 1898.

To Hervey Guy Francis Edward De Montmorency of the Naval and Military Club 94 Piccadilly W.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of Thomas Sadler of 6A Vigo-street in the county of London Tailor and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Times newspaper and the posting of a copy of such Notice and of the Order for substituted service herein by registered post addressed to you at the Naval and Military Club before named shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 17th day of April 1898.

JAMES R. BROUGHAM Registrar.
McKENNA and CO. 10 Princes-street Hanover-square W. Solicitors.

In the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.
 In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 17th day of March 1898.

To Wentworth Gore of No. 92 Jermyn-street Piccadilly in the county of London.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of Dane's Discount Company Limited whose registered office is situate at Nos. 11 and 12 Clement's-lane Lombard-street in the city of London and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Times newspaper and the sending of a sealed copy of the above-mentioned Bankruptcy Notice together with a sealed copy of the Order addressed to you at No. 92 Jermyn-street Piccadilly aforesaid shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 16th day of April 1898.

JAMES R. BROUGHAM Registrar.
F. GRAHAM-EMANUEL Portland House Guildhall E.C. Solicitor for the Judgment Creditors.

In the County Court of Hampshire holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In Bankruptcy, No. 9 of 1898.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 14th day of April 1898.

To James Millmore late of Brooklyn Villa Shanklin in the Isle of Wight Coal Merchant.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by J. R. Wood and Co. Limited whose registered office is at 345 Gray's-inn-road in the county of London and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Isle of Wight County Press 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 at 37 Quay-street Newport Isle of Wight on the 25th day of April 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon on which day you are required to appear and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 14th day of April 1898.

E. F. BLAKE Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).
Mr. Registrar Hood.
 No. 00363 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the British Gold Fields of West Africa, Limited.

TAKE notice that by an Order dated the 8th day of February, 1898, made by the High Court of Justice upon the application of the Official Receiver and Liquidator, it was ordered that the following persons be appointed a Committee of Inspection, to act with the said Official Receiver and Liquidator, namely:—Charles Arkell, of 116, Bute Docks, Cardiff, Glamorgan; Duncan Warren Carter, of 29, Montague-street, Russell-square, London, W.C.; John Fiddy, of 21, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C.; Arthur James Parker, of Lloyd's, London, E.C.; John Morrow Campbell, of First Avenue Hotel, High Holborn, London, W.C.; Robert Henry Household, of Woodlynch, Kew Gardens, Surrey; and Louis Meldal, of the Elms, Riverscourt-road, Ravenscourt Park, London, W. (holding a general power of attorney from James Ingham, a creditor of the said Company).—Dated this 18th day of April, 1898.

G. S. BARNES, 83, Carey-street, Lincoln's-Inn, London, W.C., Senior Official Receiver and Liquidator.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.
RECEIVING ORDERS.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
1230	Gluckstein, S. M. ...	60, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	Journalist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 25, 1898	408 of 1898	April 15, 1898	190	Creditor's...	Sec 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1231	Hoskin, Charles (trading as Ratcliffe, Hoskin, and Co.)	Formerly of 1, Uxbridge-villas, Paget-road, Dulwich, in the county of London, now of Little Gubbins, Harold Wood, Essex	Preserve Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 1, 1898	276 of 1898	April 15, 1898	193	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1232	Hounsell, George Collins (lately carrying on business as Hounsell Brothers)	7, Queen-square, in the city of London, and residing at the Anchorage, Riverside, Twickenham, Middlesex, lately carrying on business at 60, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 22, 1898	388 of 1898	April 15, 1898	191	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1233	Idle, George H. (trading as Gray, Idle, and Co.)	Now and lately carrying on business at 16, West Smithfield, Middlesex	Provision Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Mar. 15, 1898	344 of 1898	April 15, 1898	189	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1234	Ragan, Walter Scott ...	832A, Old Kent-road, lately carrying on business at 123, New Cross-road, both in the county of London	Fish Frier, lately Green-grocer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	April 14, 1898	491 of 1898	April 14, 1898	183	Debtor's	
1235	Samuels, Joseph (trading as H. Samuels and Co.)	266, High-street, Stratford, Essex	Tailor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	April 16, 1898	507 of 1898	April 16, 1898	192	Debtor's	
1236	Jones, David	67, Monk-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, lately carrying on business at 64, Cardiff-street, Aberdare aforesaid	Now of no occupation, lately Fruiterer	Aberdare ...	April 16, 1898	12 of 1898	April 16, 1898	11	Debtor's	
1237	Davy, Frederick	2, Top-o'-th'-Croft, 'Boot-lane, Smithills, near Bolton, carrying on business at White Lion Brow, Bolton, Lancashire	Coachbuilder	Bolton	April 15, 1898	17 of 1898	April 15, 1898	17	Debtor's	
1238	Dean, John (trading as John Dean and Co.)	Residing at 218, Manchester-road, and carrying on business at Prospect Shed, Windsor-street, both in the city of Bradford	Manufacturer	Bradford	April 16, 1898	31 of 1898	April 16, 1898	30	Debtor's	
1239	Holgate, William	Residing at 66, Waterbarn-street, and carrying on business at Ivy-street Sawmills, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Joiner and Builder ...	Burnley... ..	Mar. 31, 1898	14 of 1898	April 14, 1898	12	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1240	Radford, William Henry	Anslow, near Burton-on-Trent, carrying on business at Market-place, Burton-on-Trent, both in Staffordshire	Fruit and Potato Merchant	Burton-on-Trent	April 14, 1898	12 of 1898	April 14, 1898	11	Debtor's	
1241	Smith, Thomas Henry ...	50, Glenroy-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, and carrying on business at 58, Carlisle-street, Cardiff aforesaid	Ironmonger	Cardiff	April 13, 1898	32 of 1898	April 13, 1898	32	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
1242	Brown, Jacob ...	Lake Cottage, Market-street, Cheltenham ...	Hawker	Cheltenham ...	April 14, 1898	10 of 1898	April 14, 1898	11	Debtor's	
1243	Fletcher, George...	New Inn, Sawley-road, Long Eaton, Derbyshire	Innkeeper... ..	Derby	April 15, 1898	13 of 1898	April 15, 1898	13	Debtor's	
1244	Shepherd, Thomas ...	4, Mayor's Well-street, Durham, county of Durham, lately carrying on business at Alma-terrace, Giles-gate, Durham	Builder, lately Builder and Slater	Durham	April 13, 1898	5 of 1898	April 14, 1898	5	Debtor's	
1245	Wayborn, Thomas John	1, Mount Pleasant-road, Exeter	Late Dairyman	Exeter	April 13, 1898	15 of 1898	April 13, 1898	15	Debtor's	
1246	Chandler, Samuel William	South Meads Farm, Bisley, near Stroud, Gloucestershire	Farm Bailiff	Gloucester ...	April 16, 1898	6 of 1898	April 16, 1898	6	Debtor's	
1247	Jackson, James	26, St. Ann-street, in the city of Leeds ...	Joiner and Cabinet Maker	Leeds	Feb. 25, 1898	28 of 1898	April 15, 1898	45	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
1248	Scrubbs, Joseph and Scrubbs, Harry (carrying on business in copartnership together under the style of Joseph Scrubbs and Son)	Lately residing at 3, Lovell-terrace, now at 70, Peel-street Residing at 84, Albert-grove At Fleet-street, all in the city of Leeds ...	Butchers	Leeds	April 13, 1898	48 of 1898	April 13, 1898	44	Debtor's	
1249	Hough, Martha	18A, Church-gate, Loughborough, in the county of Leicester	Draper, Wife of John Hough	Leicester	Mar. 22, 1898	22 of 1898	April 4, 1898	22	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1250	Rimington and Hallam	Victoria-road, Belgrave, in the county borough of Leicester	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Leicester	Mar. 29, 1898	25 of 1898	April 14, 1898	23	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1251	Fewtrell, Edward ...	Beach Farm, Linley, in the county of Salop	Farmer	Leominster ...	April 14, 1898	8 of 1898	April 14, 1898	6	Debtor's	
1252	Southall, Deakin, and Co.	The London Mills, Leek, in the county of Stafford	Silk Manufacturers ...	Macclesfield ...	April 5, 1898	4 of 1898	April 15, 1898	3	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1253	Taylor, Randolph Cooper	219A, City-road, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, and formerly residing at 8, Thornwood-avenue, Gorton, and prior thereto at the Elms, Didsbury-road, Heaton Norris, all in the county of Lancaster	Beerseller... ..	Manchester ...	April 16, 1898	32 of 1898	April 16, 1898	24	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
1254	Pryce, Henry Charles ...	21, Horse-street, Dowlais, in the county of Glamorgan	Bootmaker ...	Merthyr Tydfil	April 15, 1898	5 of 1898	April 15, 1898	5	Debtor's	
1255	Gwatkin, Edwin William	Goytre Wharf, Goytre, and carrying on business there and near the Bridge at Usk, both in the county of Monmouth	Builder and Assistant Overseer	Newport, Mon.	April 15, 1898	12 of 1898	April 15, 1898	12	Debtor's	
1256	Benbow, George Morgan	The Welsh Warehouse, China-street, Llan-idloes	Tailor and Draper ...	Newtown ...	April 16, 1898	4 of 1898	April 16, 1898	4	Debtor's	
1257	Brown, George Frederick	Lately carrying on business at Rectory-road, and residing at Robinson-road and Wellingborough-road, all in Rushden, in the county of Northampton	Shoe Manufacturer ...	Northampton ...	April 16, 1898	9 of 1898	April 16, 1898	9	Debtor's	
1258	Williams, Frederick ...	Coltishall, Norfolk ...	Ironmonger ...	Norwich ...	Mar. 30, 1898	12 of 1898	April 15, 1898	11	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1259	Worswick, Alexander James (trading as James Worswick)	26, Turf-lane, Hollinwood, near Oldham, in the county of Lancaster	Builder ...	Oldham ...	April 14, 1898	2 of 1898	April 14, 1898	2	Debtor's	
1260	Timmins, Samuel Richard	71, Otter-street, Derby, in the county of Derby, lately residing and carrying on business at 46, Palmerston-road, Boscombe, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants	Draper's Manager, lately Draper	Poole ...	Mar. 23, 1898	6 of 1898	April 15, 1898	6	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
1261	Parry, Richard Vaughan	Valeswood, Nesscliffe, Salop ...	Shopkeeper ...	Shrewsbury ...	April 16, 1898	4 of 1898	April 16, 1898	4	Debtor's	
1262	Brough, Frederick John	16, Trentham-road, Longton, Staffordshire, and lately residing at 10 and 12, Trentham-road, Longton aforesaid	Joiner and Picture Framer	Stoke - upon - Trent and Longton	April 16, 1898	9 of 1898	April 16, 1898	6	Debtor's	
1263	Bragg, Robert ...	68B, High-street, Clapham, in the county of Surrey	Gentleman ...	Wandsworth ...	Mar. 26, 1898	15 of 1898	April 14, 1898	10	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
1264	Kay, John ...	16, Cambridge-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and 69, Queen-street, and 122, Hardybutts, and 32, School-lane, all in Wigan aforesaid, also lately carrying on business at 84, Scholes, also in Wigan, and also at 16, Cambridge-street aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Dealer, lately Outdoor Licensed Beerseller	Wigan ...	April 15, 1898	6 of 1898	April 15, 1898	6	Debtor's	

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Berendt, Henry ...	3, Charterhouse-buildings, Goswell-road, in the county of London	Clock Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	388 of 1898	April 26, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 25, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Gluckstein, S. M. ...	60, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	Journalist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	408 of 1898	April 29, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
F 2 Herrmann, Adolphus Edward (carrying on business as A. Herrmann and Co.)	1, Cedar-villas, Mill-lane, West Hampstead, in the county of London, carrying on business at 37, St. Mary-axe, in the city of London	Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	482 of 1898	April 26, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	April 15, 1898
Hoskin, Charles (trading as Ratcliffe, Hoskin, and Co.)	Formerly of 1, Uxbridge-villas, Paget-road, Dulwich, in the county of London, now of Little Gubbins, Harold Wood, Essex	Preserve Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	276 of 1898	April 29, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Hounsell, George Collins (lately carrying on business as Hounsell Brothers)	7, Queen-square, in the city of London, and residing at the Anchorage, Riverside, Twickenham, Middlesex, lately carrying on business at 60, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	388 of 1898	April 29, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Idle, George H. (trading as Gray, Idle, and Co.)	Now and lately carrying on business at 16, West Smithfield, Middlesex	Provision Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	344 of 1898	April 27, 189	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Tressler, Carl Ernst Amandus Ferdinand Leopold (formerly carrying on business as Tressler and Co., then first as C. Tressler and Co., and then and now as C. Tressler)	Formerly carrying on business at 16, Mark-lane, and then at 17, Gracechurch-street, both in the city of London, and now at 9, Ridge-road, Hornsey, and formerly residing at 28, Balfour-road, Highbury New Park, then at 15, Ashley-road, Hornsey Rise, and now at 9, Ridge-road, Hornsey, all in Middlesex	Merchant and Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	450 of 1898	April 28, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
White, W. A. ...	Inverness-terrace, Hyde Park, but whose present address the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain, a Member of the Junior Constitutional Club, Piccadilly, in the county of London, and domiciled in England	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	13 of 1898	April 27, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 14, 1898
Williams, Thomas ...	150, Stockwell-road, Brixton, Surrey	Baker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	439 of 1898	April 27, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	May 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 5, 1898
Fine, Jacob	12, Bute-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan	Furniture Dealer, Draper, and Glazier	Aberdare ...	9 of 1898	April 26, 1898	2 P.M.	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	May 9, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Aberdare	April 13, 1898
Sheppard, Henry James	64, High-street, Bedford, Bedfordshire, lately carrying on business at 64, High-street, Bedford aforesaid, and at Bromham-road, Bedford aforesaid, and at Clapham and Oakley, in the county of Bedford	Florist	Bedford ...	4 of 1898	April 29, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Swan Hotel, Bedford	May 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Shirehall, Bedford	
Clarkson, Joseph Henry	3, Herbert-place, Fox Hollies-road, Acocks Green, Warwickshire	Accountant Clerk	Birmingham ...	28 of 1898	April 27, 1898	11 A.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	May 20, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	April 14, 1898

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Simmons, Charles Edward	32, Clifton-road, Balsall Heath, Worcestershire	Gas Fitter ...	Birmingham ...	29 of 1898	April 28, 1898	11 A.M.	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham	May 9, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	April 14, 1898
Davy, Frederick ...	2, Top o' th'-Croft, Boot-lane, Smithills, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business at White Lion Brow, Bolton aforesaid	Coachbuilder ...	Bolton ...	17 of 1898	April 29, 1898	11 A.M.	16, Wood - street, Bolton	May 2, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley - street, Bolton	April 16, 1898
Coates, John ...	Residing at 113, Little Horton-lane, and now or lately carrying on business at 7, Godwin-street, both in the city of Bradford	Yarn Merchant and Commission Agent	Bradford ...	28 of 1898	April 26, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	May 25, 1898	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	
Onyett, T. E. ...	Lately carrying on business at Petty Cury, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, in partnership with one W. Parker, as Drapers, and now residing at Brockenhurst, 17, Sandycombe-road, St. Margaret's, in the county of Middlesex	... ..	Brentford ...	5 of 1898	April 28, 1898	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.	May 17, 1898	2.15 P.M.	Townhall, Brentford	
Jellie, John Stephenson	Llantrissant House, the Avenue, Clifton, in the city of Bristol	Schoolmaster ...	Bristol ...	25 of 1898	April 27, 1898	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	May 6, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Spiller, Charles Henry	Residing at the Albion Beerhouse, 23, Wilder-street, in the city and county of Bristol, and carrying on business at the Albion Beerhouse aforesaid	Beerhouse Keeper	Bristol ...	26 of 1898	April 27, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	April 22, 1898	1 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	April 7, 1898
Radford, William Henry	Anslow, near Burton-on-Trent, and trading at the Market Place, Burton-on-Trent aforesaid, both in Staffordshire	Fruit and Potato Merchant	Burton - on-Trent	12 of 1898	April 28, 1898	3 P.M.	Midland Hotel, Station - street, Burton-on-Trent	May 18, 189	12 noon	Court - house, Station-street, Burton - on-Trent	

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Woods, Thomas Henry	Smallthorn-place, Woodville, Derbyshire	Late Carpenter and Builder	Burton-on-Trent	11 of 1898	April 28, 1898	3.30 P.M.	Midland Hotel, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	May 18, 1898	12 noon	Court-house, Station-street, Burton-on-Trent	April 16, 1898
Lewis, Thomas	Residing in lodgings at 1, Chapel-terrace, Pontycymmer, Glamorganshire, formerly residing and carrying on business at the Ffaldau Hotel, Pontycymmer, and recently trading at 1, Chapel-terrace, Pontycymmer	Now out of business, formerly Licensed Victualler, recently Beer Seller	Cardiff	25 of 1898	April 28, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 29, Queen-street, Cardiff	May 13, 1898	10 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Mar. 22, 1898
Debenham, Daniel (Deceased)	Late of Betchworth, Brookham, Surrey	Late Builder	Croydon	12 of 1898	April 26, 1898	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.				
Holliday, Samuel	Residing and carrying on business at Britannia-road, Morley, Yorkshire	Smallware Dealer and Mill-hand	Dewsbury	17 of 1898	April 26, 1898	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	May 3, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	April 7, 1898
Cohen, Philip	14, Albion-road, Stoke Newington, county of London		Edmonton	8 of 1898	April 27, 1898	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.	May 2, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Court-house, Edmonton	April 15, 1898
Wayborn, Thomas John	1, Mount Pleasant-road, Exeter	Formerly Dairy-man	Exeter	15 of 1898	May 5, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	May 5, 1898	11.30 A.M.	The Castle, Exeter	April 13, 1898
Leighton, Thomas	2, Ripon-street, Great Grimsby	Potter and General Dealer	Great Grimsby	16 of 1898	April 26, 1898	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	May 5, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	April 7, 1898
Johnson, Frederick Thomas	Baltic-yard, Knott-street, Deptford, Kent	Firewood Merchant	Greenwich	8 of 1898	April 26, 1898	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	May 3, 1898	1 P.M.	Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich	
Morris, Joseph	28, Clifton-street, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Liqueur and Cordial Manufacturer	Kingston-upon-Hull	13 of 1898	April 26, 1898	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	May 9, 1898	2 P.M.	Court-house, Townhall, Hull	April 14, 1898
Hough, Martha	18A, Church-gate, Loughborough, Leicestershire	Draper, Wife of John Hough	Leicester	22 of 1898	April 26, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	May 5, 1898	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Forrester, John ...	Market - street, Craven Arms, in the county of Salop	Butcher ...	Leominster ...	6 of 1898	April 27, 1898	2.30 P.M.	2, Offa-street, Hereford	May 5, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Leominster	
Kelly, John Joseph ...	Residing at 17, Cumberland-avenue, and carrying on business at 220, Mill-street, and 17, Pitt-street, all in the city of Liverpool	General Draper ...	Liverpool ...	23 of 1898	April 27, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	April 28, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government - buildings, Victoria - street, Liverpool	
Landes, Jean... and Reicher, Joseph ... (carrying on business under the style or firm of Landes and Reicher)	Residing at 268, Bury New-road, Higher Broughton, Manchester Residing at 5, Norfolk-street, Bury New-road, Manchester aforesaid Both carrying on business at 50A, Faulkner-street, Manchester	Merchants ...	Manchester ...	25 of 1898	April 28, 1898	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Byrom-street, Manchester	May 2, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Quay - street, Manchester	April 15, 1898
Bramwell, Andrew (now trading as Cooper and Co., and lately as Bramwell and Co.)	Residing at 11, Seafeld-terrace, and trading at 114, South Taylor-street, both in South Shields; county of Durham, and late of 32, Pudding Chare, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Provision Dealer and Commission Agent	Newcastle-on-Tyne	16 of 1898	April 27, 1898	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	May 3, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	April 16, 1898
Lunn, Walter...	Tarset Inn, Tarset, in the parish of Bellingham, Northumberland	Innkeeper...	Newcastle-on-Tyne	15 of 1898	May 3, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	May 3, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	April 16, 1898
Lord, James ...	Byfield, Northamptonshire	Butcher and Baker	Northampton ...	8 of 1898	April 27, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, County Court - buildings, Sheep - street, Northampton	May 10, 1898	12 noon	County - hall, Northampton	
Collier, Joseph Henry	Residing in lodgings at Minerva-street, lately residing at Spring-road, both in Bulwell, Nottingham	Assistant Surgeon	Nottingham ...	21 of 1898	April 26, 1898	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	May 6, 1898	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	April 16, 1898

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Hunter, John...	Ala-road, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire, and also carrying on business at Porthneigwl, in the parish of Llandegwning, in the same county, as a partner in the firm of Hunter and Howells	Contractor and Brick and Tile Manufacturer	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	1 of 1898	May 3, 1898	11.45 A.M.	Crown Hotel, Pwllheli	May 9, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Police Court, Portmadoc	
Bould, Joseph	Residing at 354, Uttoxeter-road, Longton, Staffordshire, and carrying on business at Brewery-yard, Longton aforesaid	Wholesale Cabinet-Maker and Upholsterer	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	6 of 1898	April 28, 1898	2 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent	April 28, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent	April 13, 1898
Sutcliffe, Arthur	6, Cutsyke-terrace, Castleford, carrying on business at Crossley-street, Featherstone, both in Yorkshire	Builder and Contractor	Wakefield	14 of 1898	April 26, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	May 5, 1898	11 A.M.	Court-house, Wood-street, Wakefield	April 16, 1898
Tibbitts, Thomas William	Now residing in lodgings at 22, High Bullen, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, and lately carrying on business at 267, High-street, West Bromwich, in the said county of Stafford, and at 3, Beech-street, Monument-road, and at Gloucester-street, both in the city of Birmingham	Butcher	West Bromwich	4 of 1898	May 4, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, West Bromwich	May 4, 1898	2.15 P.M.	County Court, West Bromwich	April 14, 1898
Kay, John	16, Cambridge-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and 69, Queen-street, and 122, Hardy-bütts, and 82, School-lane, all in Wigan aforesaid, also lately carrying on business at 84, Scholes, also in Wigan, and also at 16, Cambridge-street aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Dealer, lately Outdoor Licensed Beer-seller	Wigan	6 of 1898	April 28, 1898	3 P.M.	16, Wood-street, Bolton	May 5, 1898	10.45 A.M.	Court-house, King-street, Wigan	April 15, 1898

ADJUDICATIONS.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Herrmann, Adolphus Edward (described in the Receiving Order as Adolphus Herrmann) (carrying on business as A. Herrmann and Co.)	1, Cedar-villas, Mill-lane, West Hampstead, in the county of London, carrying on business at 37, St. Mary-axe, in the city of London	Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	482 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 13, 1898
Osborne, William Henry	The King's Arms, 147, St. George's-road, Southwark, Surrey, and of the Crown and Anchor, Paul - street, Finsbury, and the King's Arms, Hampton Court, both in the county of Middlesex	Publican	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	327 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 12, 1898
Proctor, Charles	Carrying on business at 106, Green-street, Bethnal Green, in the county of London	Furniture Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	362 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 17, 1898
Ragan, Walter Scott	832A, Old Kent-road, lately carrying on business at 123, New Cross-road, both in the county of London	Fish Frier, lately Greengrocer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	491 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 14, 1898
Rhodes, Mary Joseph Matthew Thomas Stanislas Aloysius Basildd (described in the Receiving Order as Stanislas de Rhodes)	294, Lordship-lane, Dulwich, Surrey ... ..	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	317 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	Mar. 11, 1898
Samuels, Joseph (carrying on business as H. Samuels and Co.)	266, High-street, Stratford, Essex	Tailor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	507 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
Jones, David	67, Monk-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, lately carrying on business at 64, Cardiff-street, Aberdare aforesaid	Now of no occupation, lately Fruiterer	Aberdare	12 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
Davy, Frederick	2, Top-o'-th'-Croft, Boot-lane, Smithhills, near Bolton, carrying on business at White Lion Brow, Bolton, Lancashire	Coachbuilder	Bolton	17 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 15, 1898
Dean, John (trading as John Dean and Co.)	Residing at 218, Manchester-road, and carrying on business at Prospect Shed, Windsor-street, both in the city of Bradford	Manufacturer	Bradford	31 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
FitzClarence, the Honourable W. G.	3, Teville-terrace, Teville-road, Worthing, Sussex	Gentleman	Brighton	82 of 1897	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 11, 1898
Radford, William Henry	Anslow, near Burton-on-Trent, carrying on business at Market-place, Burton-on-Trent, both in Staffordshire	Fruit and Potato Merchant	Burton-on-Trent	12 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 14, 1898
Brown, Jacob	Lake Cottage, Market-street, Cheltenham	Hawker... ..	Cheltenham... ..	10 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 14, 1898

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Fletcher, George	New Inn, Sawley-road, Long Eaton, Derbyshire	Innkeeper	Derby	13 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 15, 1898
Firth, Arthur Owen	Easthorpe, Mirfield, in the county of York	Rag and Oil Merchant and Farmer	Dewsbury	13 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 19, 1898
Drury, Samuel, sen.	Formerly of Silverdale-mews, Silverdale-road, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, now of 6, South-road, Newhaven, in the said county of Sussex	Livery-stable Proprietor	Eastbourne and Lewes	1 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	Mar. 22, 1898
Wayborn, Thomas John	1, Mount Pleasant-road, Exeter	Late Dairyman	Exeter	15 of 1898	April 13, 1898 ...	April 13, 1898
Chandler, Samuel William	South Meads Farm, Bisley, near Stroud, Gloucestershire	Farm Bailiff	Gloucester	6 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
Brocklesby, William	Lately residing at 88, Bayswater-row, Roundhay-road, in the city of Leeds, and carrying on business at the Wholesale Fish Market, Leeds, now residing at 5, Rossington-grove, Leeds	Lately Fish Salesman, now out of business	Leeds	46 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 2, 1898
Scrubbs, Joseph, and Scrubbs, Harry (carrying on business in partnership together under the style of Joseph Scrubbs and Son)	Lately residing at 3, Lovell-terrace, now at 70, Peel-street Residing at 84, Albert-grove At Fleet-street, all in the city of Leeds	Butchers	Leeds	48 of 1898	April 13, 1898 ...	April 13, 1898
Fewtrell, Edward	Beach Farm, Linley, in the county of Salop	Farmer	Leominster	8 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 13, 1898
Forrester, John	Market-street, Craven Arms, in the county of Salop	Butcher	Leominster	6 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	Mar. 24, 1898
Bidgway, Frank	Lately carrying on business at 26, Ardwick-green, Manchester	Lately Stationer	Manchester	17 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	Mar. 5, 1898
Taylor, Randolph Cooper	219A, City-road, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, and formerly residing at 8, Thornwood-avenue, Gorton, and prior thereto at the Elms, Didsbury-road, Heaton Norris, all in the county of Lancaster	Beerseller	Manchester	32 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
Pryce, Henry Charles	21, Horse-street, Dowlais, in the county of Glamorgan	Bootmaker	Merthyr Tydfil	5 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 15, 1898

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Gardner, Joseph	37, Westmoreland-terrace, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Wholesale Fancy Stationer	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	13 of 1898	April 13, 1898 ...	Mar. 12, 1898
Gwatkin, Edwin William	Goytre Wharf, Goytre, and carrying on business there and near the Bridge at Usk, both in the county of Monmouth	Builder and Assistant Overseer	Newport, Mon.	12 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 15, 1898
Trow, Thomas	The Bridge End Shop, Newtown, in the county of Montgomery	Grocer	Newtown	3 of 1898	April 13, 1898 ...	April 5, 1898
Brown, George Frederick	Lately carrying on business at Rectory-road, and residing at Robinson-road and Wellingborough-road, all in Rushden, in the county of Northampton	Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton	9 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	April 16, 1898
Worswick, Alexander James (trading as James Worswick)	26, Turf-lane, Hollinwood, near Oldham, in the county of Lancaster	Builder	Oldham	2 of 1898	April 14, 1898 ...	April 14, 1898
Q Cox, Harry (trading as C. Cox and Co.) ...	97, Christchurch-road, Boscombe, in the county of Hants ...	Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant ...	Poole... ..	5 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 12, 1898
Riley, Owen	122, Moss-lane East, Moss Side, near Manchester, Lancashire	Grocer	Salford	8 of 1898	April 16, 1898 ...	Mar. 16, 1898
Dennis, William Albert	36, Hendon-road and 50, Hedley-street, both in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham	Fruiterer, Pawnbroker, and Clothier	Sunderland	11 of 1898	April 13, 1898 ...	Mar. 14, 1898
Broadbent, James (trading as J. and M. Broadbent)	38 and 40, Cavendish-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster	Fishmonger	Ulverston and Barrow-in-Furness	18 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	Mar. 3, 1898
Kay, John	16, Cambridge-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and 69, Queen-street and 12, Hardybutts and 32, School-lane, all in Wigan aforesaid, also lately carrying on business at 84, Scholes, also in Wigan, and also at 16, Cambridge-street aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Dealer, lately Outdoor Licensed Beerseller	Wigan	6 of 1898	April 15, 1898 ...	April 15, 1898

ORDERS ON APPLICATIONS TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made.
Elliott, John James (trading as Elliott and Co.)	108B, Stokes' Croft and 77, Castle-street, both in the city and county of Bristol	Boot Dealer... ..	Bristol ...	10 of 1898	April 1, 1898	Composition of 7s. 6d. in the pound on all provable debts, the costs of and incident thereto to be paid out of the estate. The Receiving Order rescinded and the estate of the debtor be vested in Mr. Herbert William Freshwater as Trustee
Dawes, Walter	1, Dunkery-villas, St. Mary's- road, Tonbridge, Kent	Collector of Taxes ...	Tunbridge Wells	13 of 1897	Mar. 16, 1898	Payment in priority of debts directed to be so paid in the distribution of the property of a bankrupt and payment of all the proper costs and charges and expenses of and incident to the proceedings and all fees and percentages payable to the Official Receiver and the Board of Trade out of moneys in the hands of the Official Receiver belonging to the estate. The debtor shall pay after receiving credit for any money received by the Official Receiver on sale of his furniture, &c. (less expenses), £20 per annum until all creditors who have proved and whose debts are provable have been paid 10s. in the pound on the amount of their respective debts, the said £20 per annum to be paid by three equal instalments, viz., £6 13s. 4d. on the 25th February, £6 13s. 4d. on the 25th March and £6 13s. 4d. on the 25th July, in each year, the first instalment to be paid on the 25th February, 1898. Payment of the Composition secured by the bond of Edward Newman Knocker, of Southborough, Kent, Esquire. Composition approved and Receiving Order made against the said Walter Dawes on the 1st day of July, 1897, discharged

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Clark, William Peter ...	14, High-street, St. John's Wood, and 104, High-street, St. John's Wood, both in the county of London, and Broad-street House, Wormwood-street, in the city of London	Butcher	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	80 of 1898	April 30, 1898 ...	William Foster Gresham	91, Cannon-street, London, E.C.
Dawe, Joseph	7, Eastcheap, in the city of London, and of 74, Upper Tollington-park, Hornsey, Middlesex	Auctioneer, Trade Valuer, and Gauger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	821 of 1895	May 4, 1898 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Goldston, Frederick Henry	Residing and carrying on business at 187, Caledonian-road, Islington, in the county of London	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	43 of 1898	May 4, 1898 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Krahn, Herbert (lately carrying on business as the London Stock and Share Syndicate)	2, Broad-street-buildings, in the city of London, lately carrying on business at 25, New Broad-street, in the city of London, and of 55, Waldemar-avenue, Putney Bridge, Middlesex	Stock and Share Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	449 of 1893	May 4, 1898 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Moss, Herbert Mann ...	Carrying on business at 55, Great Titchfield-street, in the county of London, and residing at Esk House, Cedars-road, Hampton Wick, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1517 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Oscar Berry	Oscar Berry and Carr, Monument House, Monument-square, E.C.
Tanner, Samuel	Fern Villa, Llanwnda, Carnarvonshire	Railway Secretary	Bangor	1 of 1898	May 3, 1898 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Roberts, Henry John ...	Hereford Lodge, Bloomfield-gardens, in the city of Bath	Commercial Traveller ...	Bath	13 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Receiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Hughes, Samuel Nelson ...	Pavenham, Bedfordshire, lately residing at Ramsey Hollow, Huntingdonshire	Farmer	Bedford	8 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Alfred Ewen, Official Receiver	St. Paul's-square, Bedford
Gardiner, James William	13, Graham-street, Newhall Hill, in the city of Birmingham	Baker	Birmingham	24 of 1897	May 6, 1898 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Marke, Edward George ...	2, Victoria-place, Gravelly Hill, Warwickshire	Chemist and Druggist ...	Birmingham	64 of 1897	May 6, 1898 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Mayo, Thomas Cecil (trading as Comerford Mayo and Co.)	Residing at the Laurels, King's-road, New Oscott, formerly trading at 109, Bradford-street, Birmingham, now 100, Nursery-road, Lozells, Birmingham, all in Warwickshire	Varnish and Oil Merchant ...	Birmingham	43 of 1897	May 6, 1898 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Spurr, Harriet Dexter ...	2, Haven-bank, Boston, Lincolnshire	Widow	Boston	9 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Richard John Ward, Official Receiver	31, Silver-street, Lincoln

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Churchill, Edwin Albert...	3, Beaufort-villas, Kew, Surrey, lately trading at 178, High-street, Acton, Middlesex	Of no occupation, lately Butcher	Brentford ...	33 of 1896	May 3, 1898 ...	Cecil Mercer, Official Receiver	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Bartlett, Henry ...	61, Preston-street and 29, Castle-street, Brighton	Builder ...	Brighton ...	72 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Gotley, William Edwin ...	43, Elton-road, Bishopston, in the county of Gloucester	Late Rate Collector, now out of employment	Bristol ...	65 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Receiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Newton, Henry ...	Residing at 51, Redland-road, and carrying on business at 75, Victoria-street, both in the city and county of Bristol	Provision Broker ...	Bristol ...	92 of 1894	May 4, 1898 ...	Edward Thomas Collins	39, Broad-street, Bristol
Porter, Thomas Morgan ...	Residing at 1A, Brunswick-square, and trading at 19, Old Market-street, in the city and county of Bristol	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Bristol ...	52 of 1896	May 2, 1898 ...	Frederick James Ackland	22, Clare-street, Bristol
Miller, George ...	Lately 2, Queen-street, now 161A, King-street, and 72, Calster-road, all in Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Tobacconist ...	Great Yarmouth ...	8 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Millicham, Robert George	Woodfield, Weston Beggard, Herefordshire, formerly of Purlbrook, Weston Beggard	Farmer ...	Hereford ...	18 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	M. J. G. Scobie ...	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Welsh, Robert ...	Market Cross-chambers, Market-place, Huddersfield, in the county of York, lately carrying on business at 6, Queen-street, Huddersfield aforesaid	Solicitor ...	Huddersfield ...	13 of 1895	May 4, 1898 ...	J. Arthur Binns, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Chambers, 19, John William-street, Huddersfield
Edmondson, James Edward	119, Victoria-road, Hyde Park, in the city of Leeds	Grocer... ..	Leeds ...	21 of 1898	May 12, 1898 ...	John Bowling, Official Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds
Hardcastle, John ...	42, Broad-street-avenue, in the county of London, and of Calverley-chambers, Leeds, in the county of York, and of Elmete House, Sherburn, in the county of York	Chartered Accountant and Financial Agent	Leeds (by transfer from the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy)	89 of 1893	May 12, 1898 ...	John Bowling, Official Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds
Watson, Lawrence (lately trading as the Darbyshire Dairies)	Lately trading at 31, Upperhead-row, at 154, Tong-road, and at Hyde Park Corner, all in Leeds, at 7, Prospect-street, and 17, Chapel-street, both in Bridlington, and at Victoria-road, Scarborough, all in the county of York, now residing at 4, Park-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York	Lately Milk-seller and Dairyman, now out of business	Leeds ...	139 of 1895	May 12, 1898 ...	John Bowling, Official Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Beamand, Richard William	Market-street, Craven Arms, Salop	Formerly Ironmonger, now out of business .	Leominster	2 of 1898	May 4, 1898 ...	M. J. G. Scobie ...	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Morris, George	The Exchange Vaults, Ludlow, in the county of Salop, lately residing at the Star Vaults, Corve-street, Ludlow aforesaid	Auctioneer and late Licensed Victualler	Leominster	3 of 1898	May 4, 1898 ...	M. J. G. Scobie ...	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Clarke, Richard	Somerford Booths Mill, near Congleton, Cheshire	Corn Miller	Macclesfield... ..	5 of 1896	May 4, 1898 ...	Arthur C. Procter, Official Receiver	23, King Edward - street, Macclesfield
Bidder, Phoebe	Residing at 3, Green Park-steet, Aberavon, Glamorganshire, and carrying on business at 3, Green Park-street aforesaid, and the Market, Aberavon	Greengrocer, Widow	Neath	12 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Denton, Frederick, and Allen, Joseph (trading as Denton and Allen)	Irthlingborough, in the county of Northampton	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Northampton	36 of 1897	April 30, 1898 ...	Augustus Cufaude Palmer	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton
Smith, David Berkin	28 and 30, Bridge-street, Northampton... ..	Provision Dealer	Northampton	32 of 1897	April 30, 1898 ...	Augustus Cufaude Palmer	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton
Fysh, Herbert William	Shipdham, Norfolk... ..	Miller and Baker	Norwich	15 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Neale, John (Deceased)	Late of Rockland St. Andrew, Norfolk	Late Builder and Iron-monger	Norwich	21 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Cook, William Thomas	Cocklespill Farm, Pill, St. Stephen's-by-Saltash, in the county of Cornwall	Farmer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	7 of 1898	May 4, 1898 ...	Thomas Henry Geake, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Ellis, John Phillips	17, West-street, Millbrook, in the county of Cornwall	Baker and General Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	2 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Thomas Henry Geake, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Jones, George	Spithead, Dartmouth, in the county of Devon...	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer and Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	11 of 1896	May 4, 1898 ...	Thomas Henry Geake, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Stephens, Ernest	Turnpike House, near Ivybridge, and lately of Fore-street, Ivybridge, in the county of Devon	Lately Butcher, now of no occupation	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	39 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Thomas Henry Geake, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Outler, Edmund	103, Christchurch-road, Boscombe, Bournemouth, Hampshire	Butcher	Poole... ..	3 of 1898	May 6, 1898 ...	Frederick Aston Dawes, Official Receiver	City-chambers, Salisbury

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Roberts, Robert	12, New Market-square, Blaenau Festiniog, Merionethshire	Formerly Writing Slate Manufacturer, now Quarry Timekeeper	Portmadoc and Fes- tiniog	4 of 1896	May 3, 1898 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Stanfield, George, the younger	Formerly of Colpoy-street, now residing at 14, Park-street, Southsea, in the county of Hants	Bird Fancier and General Dealer	Portsmouth	33 of 1896	May 10, 1898 ...	John Cornelius Mo- berly, Official Receiver	Cambridge Junction, High- street, Portsmouth
Whitaker, Samuel Jen- kinson	Lately residing at 31, Hall-gate, and trading at 54 and 150, St. Sepulchre-gate, all in Don- caster, now residing at 14, Regent-square, and trading at 54, St. Sepulchre-gate, both in Doncaster, Yorkshire	Ironmonger, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer	Sheffield	34 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Joseph Horner Glover, Incorporated Ac- countant	6, Priory-place, Doncaster
Bush, Charles	Timsbury, in the county of Somerset	Tailor	Wells... ..	6 of 1897	May 4, 1898 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Re- ceiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Cheeseright, Herbert James, and Cheeseright, Laura Selina (trading as Cheeseright and Co.)	86, Lichfield-street, and residing at 74, Bath- road, Wolverhampton 86, Lichfield-street, and residing at 74, Bath- road, Wolverhampton	Draper Draper	Wolverhampton Wolverhampton	34 of 1897 33 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Charles Clare Walker...	104, Fore-street, E.C.
Williams, John	The Nag's Head Inn, Mount-street, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Innkeeper	Wrexham	19 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Harris, Henry (formerly carrying on business as F. Harris)	Residing at 1, Moss-street, in the city of York, and carrying on business at 26, Blossom- street, in the city of York	Upholsterer and General House Furnisher	York	88 of 1897	May 3, 1898 ...	Edward Towler Wil- kinson, Official Re- ceiver	28, Stonegate, York

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Chapman, Arthur and Chapman, Edward (trading as Chapman and Son)	Residing at 9, Bulwer-road, Leytonstone, Essex Residing at 54, St. Paul's-road, Burdett-road, in the county of London Vulcan Iron Works, Rhodeswell-road, Limehouse, in the county of London	Engineers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	596 of 1896	1d.	Supplemental	April 27 and 28, 1898, or any subsequent Wednesday or Thursday between 10 and 2	Henry W. Figg and Sons, 37, Upper Thames-street, London, E.C.
Graburn, Edmund Bromehead	Albion House, North Park, Croydon, in the county of Surrey	Clerk in the Accountant and Receiver-General's Office of the General Post Office, in the city of London	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	21 of 1891	3½d.	Fourth and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.O.
Hulme, James	Denton House Farm, Denton, in the county of Lancaster	Farmer	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	20 of 1897	10s.	First and Final	Forthwith	122, Katherine-street, Ashton- under-Lyne
Roberts, Edward John	35, High-street, Bethesda, Carnarvon- shire	Butcher	Bangor	15 of 1894	1½d.	Further Sup- plementary	April 30, 1898	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Williams, Owen	25, Bangor-street, Carnarvon, Carnarvon- shire	Tailor and Draper	Bangor	7 of 1894	5½d.	Supple- mentary	April 30, 1898	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Laycock, George Henry	Queen-street and Dodworth-road, both in Barnsley, in the county of York	Butcher	Barnsley	1 of 1897	5s. 2d.	First and Final	Aug. 7, 1897... ..	Office of Trustee, William Carr, 27, Regent-street, Barnsley, Incorporated Ac- countant
Hemus, Joseph William and Juxon, Charles (trading as J. W. Hemus and Co.)	Residing at 569, Stratford-road, Bir- mingham Residing at 75, Golden Hillock-road, Small Heath, Birmingham Trading at 19, 20, and 21, Temple-street, and 79 and 81, Worcester-street, and lately 8, Old-square, Birmingham, all in Warwickshire	Dealers in India-rubber Goods and Cycle Ac- cessories	Birmingham	54 of 1897	5s. 4½d.	First and Final	April 28, 1898	71, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Hemus, Joseph William (Separate Estate)	569, Stratford-road, Birmingham	Dealer in India-rubber Goods and Cycle Ac- cessories	Birmingham	54 of 1897	3s. 4d.	First and Final	April 28, 1898	71, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Savage, John	Residing at 79, Maudsley-street, Black- burn, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at Maudsley-street Heald and Reed Works, Maudsley-street, Blackburn aforesaid	Reed and Heald Maker...	Blackburn	13 of 1897	8s. 11½d.	First and Final	April 23, 1898 ..	68, Victoria-street, Blackburn

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Burns, Alfred Leonard ...	67, Bradshaw-gate, Bolton, Lancashire ...	Tailor and Draper ...	Bolton ...	34 of 1897	4s. 10½d.	First and Final	May 2, 1898 ...	11 and 13, John William-street, Huddersfield
Legg, William ...	Othery, Somersetshire ...	Corn Factor and Miller...	Bridgwater ...	12 of 1896	4s. 5d.	First and Final	April 26, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 5B, Hammet-street, Taunton
Davidson, John James ...	33, Castle-street, Carlisle ...	Cycle Agent ...	Carlisle ...	12 of 1896	3s. 4½d.	First and Final	April 23, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Serman, Francis George (trading as F. G. Serman and Co.)	Bourton-on-the-Water, Gloucestershire ...	Printer, Stationer, and Newspaper Proprietor	Cheltenham...	14 of 1897	1s. 1½d.	First and Final	April 20, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Gloucester
Willgoose, Arthur ...	271, Osmaston-road, Derby, Derbyshire ...	Plumber ...	Derby ...	44 of 1896	13s. 4d.	Composition	April 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Randall, Jane Musgrave	6, Nothe-parade-terrace, Weymouth, in the county of Dorset	Of no occupation, Spinster	Dorchester ...	4 of 1896	4½d.	Supplementary	April 27, 1898 ...	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Dashwood, Francis Dundas	2, Spa-road, Gloucester ...	Gentleman ...	Gloucester ...	33 of 1895	5s.	First	April 22, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Station-road, Gloucester
Lacey, John ...	Healing, near Great Grimsby, and Upper Burgess-street, Great Grimsby	Farmer and Coal Dealer	Great Grimsby ...	15 of 1897	4s. 8½d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Inwood, Joseph ...	High-street and Bridge-street, Godalming, in the county of Surrey	Corn and Coal Merchant	Guildford and Godalming	18 of 1897	10s.	First	May 2, 1898 ...	Coal Office, South Western Railway, Kingston-on-Thames
Johnson, William ...	Residing and carrying on business at East-gate, Beverley, in the East Riding of the county of York	Fruit Merchant ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	15 of 1897	3s. 11d.	First and Final	April 29, 1898 ...	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Crannage, Frederick ...	High-street, Newtown, in the county of Montgomery	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Newtown ...	1 of 1897	1s. 7d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury
Thomas, David Williams	5, Bridge-street, Tonypandy, Glamorgan-shire	Beer Dealer ...	Pontypridd ...	23 of 1897	7½d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
de Bussy, Gustave Huller	Hawthorn Cottage, Bockhampton, Hampshire	A Baron of France, of no occupation	Poole...	4 of 1896	8½d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Friend, John Melbourne	Kimpton, near Andover, Hampshire ...	Farm Bailiff ...	Salisbury ...	3 of 1898	10s. 1d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Robbins, John Robin ...	1, Gullet-passage, Shrewsbury, Salop ...	Hairdresser ...	Shrewsbury ...	2 of 1898	2s. 6d.	First and Final	April 27, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury
Pascoe, William ...	Monument-place, Helston, Cornwall ...	Retired Engineer ...	Truro... ..	36 of 1896	4s. 0½d.	First and Final	April 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro
Dawes, Walter ...	1, Dunkery-villas, St. Mary's-road, Ton- bridge, Kent	Collector of Taxes ...	Tunbridge Wells ...	13 of 1897	2s. 6d.	Composition First instal- ment	April 25, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Lewis, Simon John ...	Residing at 1, Bartley-street, Philip-street, Bedminster, Bristol, lately residing and carrying on business at Midsomer Norton, Somersetshire	Temperance Drinks Manufacturer	Wells... ..	10 of 1897	7s. 6d.	Composition	May 2, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.
Grover, Thomas	5, Minden-road, Anerley, Surrey, and 41, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, formerly trading at 60 and 61, St. Stephen's-chambers, Telegraph-street, London	Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	725 of 1893	May 5, 1898, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hancock, George Edward	134, Norwood-road, West Norwood, lately carrying on business at 62, Railton-road, Herne Hill, 7, Lawn-terrace, East Hill, Wandsworth, and 23, Church-road, Upper Norwood, all in Surrey, and formerly of 204, Regent-street, in the county of London	Dyer and Cleaner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1085 of 1896	May 5, 1898, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Keeble, William	Merlin's Cave, 131, Rosoman-street, Clerkenwell, Middlesex	Licensed Victualler	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1184 of 1894	May 6, 1898, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Lange, Francis Edward	33, Finsbury Park-road, Middlesex, and of 13, Knightrider-street, in the city of London, lately carrying on business at 317, Regent-street, Middlesex	Fur Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1251 of 1895	May 6, 1898, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Marshall, Edwin, the elder	Lately residing at 88, Gooch-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, and carrying on business at 88, Gooch-street aforesaid, and at Smithfield Market, Birmingham aforesaid, but now residing in apartments at Lordswood-road, Harborne, Staffordshire	Out of business, formerly Fruiterer and Fruit Salesman	Birmingham ...	87 of 1889	May 19, 1898, 10.30 A.M., County Court, Birmingham
Sherwood, Isaac, jun. and Sherwood, Frederick (trading as Isaac Sherwood and Sons and the English Petroleum Lamp Company)	Residing at 35, Gillott-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire Residing at the Cottage, St. Mary's-road, Harborne, Staffordshire At 44 to 50, Granville-street and Cumberland-street, Birmingham aforesaid	Lamp Manufacturers	Birmingham ...	11 of 1897	May 19, 1898, 10.30 A.M., County Court, Birmingham
Brown, Sydney	25, North Parade, Bradford	Printer and Stationer	Bradford	81 of 1885	May 3, 1898, 10 A.M., County Court, Manor-row, Bradford
Harris, Isaac Jacob	Residing at 23, Roberts-place, Bradford, and trading at 3, Hall Ings, Bradford, and formerly residing and trading at 188, Lumb-lane, Bradford, Yorkshire	Tailor	Bradford	79 of 1893	May 3, 1898, 10 A.M., County Court, Manor-row, Bradford
Saunders, Thomas	107, Wellington-road, Dudley, Worcestershire ...	Sewing Machine Dealer	Dudley	26 of 1894	May 10, 1898, 11 A.M., Court-house, Priory-street, Dudley
Austin, John	Crianlarich, Churchdown, Gloucestershire, lately 266, Broad-street, Birmingham, and the Peacheries, Lower Caversham, Oxfordshire	Nursery Grower	Gloucester	3 of 1898	May 24, 1898, 12 noon, Shirehall, Gloucester
Miller, William John	Residing at 87, Charlotte-road, Egreymont, in the county of Chester, lately carrying on business at 11, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster	Tailor and Draper	Liverpool	33 of 1896	May 18, 1898, 11 A.M., Court-house, Government-buildings, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Fletcher, Thomas Samuel	Residing at 10, Mill-street, Brierley Hill, Staffordshire	Butter Merchant's Manager	Stourbridge	3 of 1895	May 11, 1898, 12 noon, Court-house, Hagley-street, Stourbridge

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Ground named in Order for refusing an absolute Order of Discharge.
Bingham, Catherine ...	Late of 26, Southampton-street, Strand, in the county of London; whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Spinster	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1596 of 1894	Mar. 16, 1898	Discharge granted	
James, James Henry Harris	Broad-street House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, and Grampound Road, Truro, Cornwall	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1282 of 1894	Feb. 3, 1898	Bankrupt discharged subject to the following condition, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, viz.:—Bankrupt shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court, by the Trustee, for the sum of £8,206. 16s. 9d., being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court for the sum of £8,206 16s. 9d., the £1 10s., costs of Judgment, having been paid by the bankrupt to the Trustee, and further ordered that the bankrupt be at liberty at any time after the expiration of two years from the date of this Order, to apply for a modification thereof	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Nathan, Isaac	153, Bethnal Green-road, Bethnal Green, in the county of London	Lampmaker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	557 of 1896	Mar. 11, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th March, 1901	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; had contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living and by gambling; and had on a previous occasion made a Composition or arrangement with his creditors

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Perkes, Thomas (trading as Perkes, Adams, and Co.)	40, Bensham Manor-road, Thornton Heath, Surrey, carrying on business at 15, Swallow-street, St. James's, and 12, Ham-yard, Wardour-street, in the county of London	Gunmaker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	686 of 1897	Mar. 18, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 18th March, 1900. (Public Examination concluded 9th July, 1897)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors
Pike, Henry Robert	9 and 11, Fenchurch-avenue, in the city of London	General Merchant, carrying on business with Percy Naylor and Henry Grimes as Naylor, Pike, and Grimes	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	608 of 1892	Mar. 11, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th March, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by a rash and hazardous speculation
Solomon, Arthur	Lately carrying on business at 164, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, and lately residing at Homelyn, Kingston-road, Merton, Surrey, whose present address the Petitioning Creditor was unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1676 of 1892	Mar. 22, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 22nd March, 1901. (Public Examination concluded 21st February, 1893)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had failed to account satisfactorily for a deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Stokes, Henry	18, Ravenscourt - gardens, Ravenscourt Park, Middlesex	A Retired Major in Her Majesty's 4th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	301 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1898	Discharge granted	
Strickland, Charles	58, Castle-street, Oxford-street, W., lately carrying on business at 23, Princes-street, Cavendish-square, London, W., and lately residing at 81, Messina-avenue, West Hampstead, London, N.W.	Late Music Publisher, now of no occupation, lately carrying on business as a Director of Mathias and Strickland Limited, of 23, Princes-street afore-said	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	863 of 1896	Mar. 22, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 22nd March, 1900. (Public Examination concluded 25th August, 1896)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Thomas, John ...	Carrying on business at 54, Holborn-viaduct, in the city of London, and residing at Fern House, 40, Hernehill, Surrey	Commission Agent and Manager of the Bray Stud and Rivet Company, and Director of Public Companies	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	396 of 1889	Mar. 15, 1898	Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 15th September, 1898	That the bankrupt had been guilty of misconduct in relation to his property and affairs by overestimating his assets and inserting them in his statement of affairs as sufficient to pay 20s. in the pound, whereas such assets were worthless and have realized nothing
Webster, George and Binnie, John ... (trading as George Webster and Co.)	Residing at Albert Hall-mansions, Middlesex Residing at Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria At 29, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and Melbourne aforesaid	Warehousemen and Co-partners	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1890 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1898	Discharge granted	
Wilkins, Cecil Francis	18, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, and also residing at 72, St. Ermin's-mansions, Caxton-street, Westminster, in the county of London	Bullion Broker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	657 of 1897	Mar. 8, 1898	Discharge suspended for four years from the date of the conclusion of the Public Examination, viz., 20th July, 1897. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 20th July, 1901	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations, and by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Newton, James Ernest...	Kirn, Clyde-road, Wallington, Surrey	Mercantile Clerk...	Croydon ...	18 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years as from 15th March, 1898	Bankrupt had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Smith, Joshua ...	New-street, Ossett, in the county of York, lately residing and carrying on business at Market-place, Ossett aforesaid	Registrar of Births and Deaths, lately Grocer	Dewsbury ...	21 of 1897	Mar. 8, 1898	That the bankrupt be discharged subject to the following condition, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, namely:—He shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury, by the Official Receiver, for the sum of £100, being part of the balance of debts provable in the Bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Paterson, James Henry	Now residing at 44, Monega-road, Forest Gate, Essex, lately at 3, Percy-terrace, Fairfax-road, Green Lanes, Tottenham, Middlesex	Clerk in Her Majesty's Customs	Edmonton ...	6 of 1891	Mar. 14, 1898	Discharge granted. Order made 23rd March, 1891, setting aside £50 a year out of debtor's salary towards payment of his debts, now rescinded	

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Penney, Walter Barnes.	24, Antill-road, Page Green, Tottenham, Middlesex	Licensed Victualler's Manager	Edmonton	8 of 1898	Mar. 14, 1898	Discharge suspended for four years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 14th March, 1902	Proof of facts set out in sub-sec. 3 (A.), (D.), and (F., viz. :—That bankrupt had brought on his bankruptcy by gambling), sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Cumberland, Arthur	Exbury-road, Catford, Kent...	Gentleman	Greenwich	22 of 1896	Feb. 25, 1898	Discharge refused	Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.) (D.), (F.), and (K.) sub-sec. 3, sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Harding, David...	7, Elfin-villas, Broad-street, Teddington, Middlesex	Builder and Decorator	Kingston, Surrey	15 of 1897	Mar. 4, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years	Proof of facts mentioned in sec. 8, sub-sec. 3 (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.), and (K.), Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Norman, Edward	Morpeth, Northumberland	Nurseryman and Seedsman	Newcastle-on-Tyne	29 of 1897	Mar. 24, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years from date of Order (liberty to apply if bankrupt can make any proposal to his creditors)	Proof of facts (B.) and (C.) named in sub-sec. 3, sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Roberts, Robert	12, New Market-square, Blaenau Festiniog, Merionethshire	Formerly Writing Slate Manufacturer, now Quarry Timekeeper	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	4 of 1896	Mar. 23, 1898	That the bankrupt be discharged subject to the following conditions, to be fulfilled before the signing of this Order, namely:—Consent to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Carnarvon, holden at Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog, by the Official Receiver, for the sum of £20, being the balance or part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment, and that upon the required consent being given Judgment be entered against the bankrupt in the said Court for the sum of £20, together with £1 10s. for costs of Judgment	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Pharaoh, James Dawson	Eagle's Head Inn, Over Kellett, and carrying on business at Eagle's Head Inn, Over Kellett, at Whinray-hill Quarry, Halton, near Over Kellett, and at Timpany Quarry, Millstone Quarry, and Lime Kiln Quarry, all near Carnforth, Lancashire	Innkeeper and Farmer, Stonemason, Limeburner, and Quarry Master	Preston	1 of 1894	Mar. 22, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable grounds of expectation of being able to pay them

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Thomas, Henry	6, Queen's-road, Erith, Kent, late of Glencairn, Fulwich-road, Dartford, Kent	Solicitor's Clerk	Rochester	42 of 1889	Dec. 5, 1889 ...	Jan. 12, 1898 ...	Debts paid in full

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED AND RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	Date of Rescission and Annulment.	Grounds of Rescission and Annulment.
Mackenzie, John Colville Alexander Gruinard (described in the Receiving Order as J. C. Mackenzie)	Lately residing at 40, Queensborough-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of London, now of Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, in the city of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1327 of 1895	Dec. 18, 1895 ... Date of Adjudication Dec. 20, 1895	April 13, 1898 ...	It having been proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the whole of the debts of the said John Colville Alexander Gruinard Mackenzie have been paid in full

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Carter, Loranoe William ...	Now residing at 90, Oxford-terrace, in the county of London, and lately carrying on business at Dashwood House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London	Lately a Director of a Public Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	878 of 1898	Holtom, John ...	7, Union - court, Old Broad - street, London, E.C.	April 7, 1898
Dodd, Alexander Russell ...	24, Montagu-street, Portman-square, in the county of London	Surgeon	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	263 of 1898	Preston, Arthur Edwin	8, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, London, E.C.	April 2, 1898
Henochsberg, Joseph ...	44, Broad-street House, in the city of London, and Stranraer, Clifton-gardens, Maida Hill, in the county of London, carrying on business at 44, Broad-street House aforesaid	Mining Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	869 of 1898	Stephens, James Henry	6, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, London, E.C.	April 14, 1898
Hotine, Frederick M., and ... 2 Roberts, John (trading as John Roberts and Co.) ...	Halfa House, Fenny-road, Acton, Middlesex 99, Regent-street and 37, Cumberland Market, both in the county of London	Billiard Table Manufacturers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	310 of 1898	Shoolbred, Claude Frederick	34, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C.	April 7, 1898
Wildman, E.	47, Bridge-road, Hammersmith, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1510 of 1897	Carter, George Henry	1, Queen-street, Cheapside, London, E.C.	April 18, 1898
Snoad, George	464, High-road, Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex	Oil and Colour Man ...	Brentford	6 of 1898	Figg, William Henry	37, Upper Thames-street, E.C.	April 14, 1898
Elliott, John James (trading as Elliott and Co.)	108B, Stokes' Croft and 77, Castle-street, both in the city and county of Bristol	Boot Dealer	Bristol	10 of 1898	Freshwater, Herbert William	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol, Chartered Accountant	April 15, 1898
Foster, Herbert Josiah ...	Lately residing at Aldwick Lodge, Longbridge-road, Barking, now residing at Enderley, Ditton Court-road, Westcliff, Southend-on-Sea, and trading at Town Quay Wharf, St. Margaret's Wharf, and Morgan's Quay, Barking, and High-street, Hornchurch, all in the county of Essex	Wharfinger, Steam Hauler, Scarifying and Road Rolling Contractor, and Merchant in Coal, Coke, Timber, Brick, Lime, Cement, and General Building Material	Chelmsford	5 of 1898	Davis, Frederic William	15, Coleman-street, E.C. ...	April, 12, 1898
Nicholson, George Robert ...	46, Church-street, Shildon, county of Durham	Ironmonger	Durham	8 of 1898	Hall, John Thompson	Union-buildings, 18, Northgate, Darlington, Chartered Accountant	April 15, 1898
Cox, Harry (trading as C. Cox and Co.)	97, Christchurch-road, Boscombe, Hampshire ...	Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant	Poole	5 of 1898	Poppleton, George Graham	164, Aldersgate - street, London, E.C.	April 16, 1898
Creighton, Robert J. ...	The Manor House, Aller, Langport, Somerset-shire	Major	Yeovil	12 of 1897	Marillier, Henry Wilson	Yeovil	April 16, 1898

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.
JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 to 1890.

WINDING-UP ORDERS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The Badminton Cycle and Components Company Limited	27, Walbrook, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice ...	0036 of 1898	April 6, 1898 ...	Feb. 1, 1898
<i>The following</i>	<i>Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 15th April, 1898.</i>				
The Dixon-Fletcher Carriage, Cab, and Funeral Furnishing Company Limited	Bickerstaffe-street, St. Helens	Liverpool	1 of 1898	April 1, 1898 ...	Mar. 15, 1898

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Riviera Hotel Company Limited,	The Riviera Hotel, Maidenhead	Windsor	1 of 1898	Creditors, April 28, 1898 ... Contributories, April 28, 1898	12.30 P.M. 1.30 P.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's inn, London, W.C.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DIVIDEND.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Liquidator.	Address.
Alfred Shaw and Company Limited	39, Eastcheap, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00207 of 1896	May 3, 1898...	George Stapylton Barnes, Official Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

Pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Act, 1890, and the Rules thereunder, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.
JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

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The first deliverance is dated the 14th April, 1898.

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