

to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Hodgson, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Merchant, Roller of Metals, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet on the 23d day of May instant (instead of the 12th day of May instant, as previously advertised), at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Royal Hotel, in Birmingham aforesaid, in order to decide upon accepting or refusing such offer of composition as was made by the said William Hodgson to the Creditors assembled at a meeting, held at the Royal Hotel, in Birmingham aforesaid, on the 3d day of March last.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Francis Downing the younger, of Huddersfield, in the County of York, Wine, Spirit, and Hop-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Tuesday the 27th day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the White Horse Inn, in Huddersfield aforesaid, for the purpose of assenting to or dissenting from the said Assignees selling or disposing of the whole or any part of the said Bankrupt's stock in trade, household furniture, and other effects, either by public auction or private contract, or by valuation, and at such price or prices, and upon such terms and conditions, as to money or credit, as to the said Assignees may seem fit; and also for assenting to or dissenting from the said Assignees selling and disposing of the book and other outstanding debts due to the said Bankrupt's estate, and either for ready money or on credit as may be deemed advisable; and also for assenting to or dissenting from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting any action or actions at law, or suit or suits in equity, for the purpose of recovering or compelling payment of any debt or debts due to the said Bankrupt's estate, or other property belonging thereto; and also for assenting to or dissenting from the said Assignees accepting a composition in satisfaction of any of such debts, or other claims of the said Assignees in respect of such estate; or submitting such debt or debts, or other claim, to arbitration, or releasing or otherwise agreeing any debt or debts, demand, or other matter relating thereto, to any person or persons, or to allow time for payment of any such debt or debts, or instalment or composition thereon respectively; and generally for assenting to or dissenting from the said Assignees taking such other steps and proceedings in such manner as they may consider advisable for the benefit of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Cheshire, late of Aylesbury, in the County of Buckingham, Grocer and Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 12th day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees taking such proceedings in equity as may be necessary, to enable the said Assignees to obtain a certain sum of money which has lately fallen due to the said Bankrupt's estate, by the death of the mother of the Bankrupt's wife; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Fowler, of Finsbury-Place, Finsbury-Square, Livery Stable-Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Saturday the 24th day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action or actions at law, or suit or suits in equity, for the recovery or protection of any part of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of the whole or any part of the stock in trade, household goods, furniture, fixtures, and other estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, to any person or persons whomsoever, either by public sale or private contract, or partly by public auction and partly by private contract, at such time or times, and

for such price or prices, and either for ready money or on credit as they the said Assignees may think fit and proper; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees retaining or employing the said Bankrupt, or any other person or persons, as accountants or clerks, in the investigation and making out the accounts of the said Bankrupt's estate, or in collecting, recovering, and receiving the debts and effects due or belonging to the said Bankrupt's estate, or otherwise in winding up the affairs of the said Bankrupt, and making the said Bankrupt, or such other person or persons, such allowance or compensation for his or their services respectively, as to the said Assignees shall seem meet; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any suit, differences, or disputes respecting or concerning the said estate and effects; and to the Assignees compounding with any debtor or debtors to the Bankrupt's estate, and accepting such composition or compositions in full satisfaction and discharge of the debt or debts to be compounded as aforesaid; and to the said Assignees giving time to several persons who may be indebted to the said Bankrupt's estate, or any of them, for the payment of their debts, or any part thereof; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Haynes the elder, George Day, George Haynes the younger, and William Lawrence, of Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan, Bankers and Copartners, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts' estate and effects, on the 26th day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Public Rooms (Mr. John Harrison's), on the Burrows, at Swansea aforesaid, to consider and determine whether an Order made by the High Court of Chancery, on or about the 23d day of June 1827, in the said Bankruptcy shall or shall not be further prosecuted; and also to consider and determine whether the said Assignees shall adopt any other proceedings in equity or at law, or at law and in equity, touching certain deeds, papers, writings, securities, bills, notes, and moneys delivered by the said Bankrupts, or some or one of them, between the 19th and 25th of December 1825; or to the use of, Sir William Kay, Price, and Co. Bankers, London (the then agents of the said Bankrupts), or whether the said Assignees shall submit all or any matters or matter in difference between them and the said Sir William Kay, Price, and Co. to arbitration or reference, and to such arbitrator or referee, and upon such terms, and in such manner as may be named and approved of at the said meeting; and also to consider and determine whether the said Assignees shall file a bill in equity to compel specific performance of an agreement, bearing date on or about 17th day of March 1825, and made between Thomas Harris and the said George Haynes the younger, on behalf of the said George Haynes the elder and himself, whereby, for the considerations therein mentioned, the said Thomas Harris agreed to assign a certain messuage or dwelling-house and premises, then and now in the occupation of Mrs. Elizabeth Dalton, situate on the Burrows, in the said Town of Swansea, to the said George Haynes the elder and George Haynes the younger, for the residue of the term therein mentioned; and whether the said Assignees shall pay to the said Thomas Harris the sum of £25, in addition to the sum of £200 specified in the said agreement, the said George Haynes the younger having, immediately or very soon after the said written agreement was signed, given a verbal promise to pay the said further sum of £25 to the said Thomas Harris; and the said Thomas Harris having expressed his readiness to execute the said assignment on payment of the said sum of £25, in addition to the said sum of £200.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Vaughton, of Winchester-Wharf, Clink-Street, Borough of Southwark, and of Princes-Place, Kennington, both in the County of Surrey, Coal-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Saturday the 24th day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee disputing and resisting the several claims made by persons, whose names and particulars whereof will be stated at the meeting, upon the leases of the Bankrupt's wharf and premises, in Clink-Street, and Princes-Place aforesaid, and to his selling and disposing thereof, notwithstanding such claims, together with the whole or any part of the effects of the said Bankrupt, either by public