

auCTION or private contract, by valuation or appraisement, and either for ready money, or upon credit, as to the said Assignee shall appear most advantageous to the estate, or to his relinquishing the same, and abandoning such property to such claimants, or to his concurring in any sale or contract for sale already made relative thereto, or otherwise to deal therewith as he may deem best; and also to authorise the said Assignee employing an accountant, or the late clerk to the Bankrupt, to make up his books, to collect, settle, get in, and adjust the outstanding debts and affairs of the said Bankrupt, making such allowance out of the effects of the said Bankrupt to him for his trouble as the said Assignee shall think right; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee paying out of the proceeds of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, the wages or salary due to the Bankrupt's said clerk, and the wages due to John Webb, and to all or any other of the Bankrupt's servants at the time of his Bankruptcy; and also to take into consideration, and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits at law, or in equity, for the recovery, preservation, or defence of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, and to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing or settling 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 John Elliot, late of Harraby, in the Parish of Saint Cuthbert, Carlisle, in the County of Cumberland, Cattle Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Friday the 23d day of May instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Office of Mr. Ewart, Solicitor, Carlisle, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee selling and disposing of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, either by public sale or by private contract, or partly by public sale and partly by private contract, and upon such credit and terms as the said Assignee shall think fit; and also to assent to or dissent from any sale or sales that may have been made by the said Assignee of part of the said Bankrupt's stock of sheep, and his reimbursing himself out of the said Bankrupt's estate the expences thereby incurred; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending any actions at law or suits in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to his compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing to 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 Samuel Smart, of Devizes, in the County of Wilts, Grocer, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Monday the 26th day of May inst. at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Talbot-Inn, Bath-Street, in the City of Bristol, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of all or any part of the stock in trade, and all other the personal estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, either by public sale or private contract, at a valuation or otherwise, as they in their discretion may see fit, and upon such terms and conditions, and to any person or persons, and to give such time for payment, and accept such security for the same as they shall think expedient; also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting an action at law against the Sheriff of the County of Wilts, to recover the value of certain property taken and sold by him, under and by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued against the said Bankrupt, at the suit of Thomas Kite, of Devizes aforesaid, Innholder; also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying and allowing to the petitioning Creditor certain expences incurred by him prior to the appointment of Assignees; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, or taking such other means as the said Assignees shall deem expedient for recovery or preservation of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any debt, matter, or thing relating thereto; and generally to authorise and empower the said Assignees to act for the benefit of the said Bankrupt's estate, in such manner as they may think advisable; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Nokes, of Marsh-Gate, Westminster Bridge-Road, in

the County of Surrey, Victualler, 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 Three o'Clock in the Afternoon 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 selling by private contract or public auction, the leasehold interest of the said Bankrupt of and in the Crown and Cushion Public-House, in Westminster Bridge-Road aforesaid; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling, by private contract or public auction all or any part of the said Bankrupt's household furniture, stock in trade, goods, chattels, effects and fixtures, in and upon the said Bankrupt's premises; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing an accountant or accountants, or other fit person or persons, to conduct and manage the business of the said Bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or proceeding with a certain action at law against the Sheriff of Surrey, and one of his Officers, the nature of which will be then and there explained; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any other actions at law or in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Joyner, Robert Surridge, and Joseph Sumpter Joyner, of Romford, Bankers, are requested to meet, on Friday the 23d day of May instant, at half-past Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon 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 Assignees giving up, relinquishing and assigning over to the said Joseph Joyner, the household furniture, plate, linen, china, books, wines, and other effects belonging to him, at and before the issuing of the Commission, and specified in an inventory, which will be there exhibited; and also to assent to or dissent from a proposal which will be then and there made, relative to the services rendered by the Assignees, and to their conduct in discharge of their trust under the said Commission.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Job Cutler, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Button-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Friday the 23d day of May instant, at Eleven in the Forenoon precisely, at the Office of Mr. Joseph Parkes, Solicitor, in Temple-Street, Birmingham aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees, at such time or times, and at such place or places as they shall think proper, selling or disposing of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, of what nature or kind soever, whether real or personal, in possession, remainder, expectancy, or otherwise, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whomsoever, by private contract, at a valuation, appraisement, or otherwise, for the best price or prices that can be reasonably obtained for the same, and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees, should they offer for sale by public auction any part of the estate or effects of the said Bankrupt, buying in such estate or effects, or any part thereof, and afterwards reselling the same, at such time or times and in such lot or lots as they the said Assignees shall think proper, without being answerable or accountable for any loss or diminution in price at such resale; and also 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 of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto, or to certain claims made upon the said Bankrupt's estate; and on other special affairs.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to Bankrupts," it is enacted "That if any Trader shall file in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts a Declaration, in writing, signed by such Trader, and"