

making any arrangement, by way of compromise, with such person or persons, or submitting to arbitration, or otherwise referring the claim against such person or persons; and generally to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action or actions, suit or suits, at law or in equity, for the recovery and protection of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, or any part thereof; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise referring or settling any debts, demands, causes, differences, disputes or other matters 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 Webster, of Lowdham-Lodge, near Nottingham, in the County of Nottingham, Cattle-Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, and also a Lacceman at Nottingham, (trading as a Partner under the firm of Summers and Company,) are desired to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Saturday the 27th day of February 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 selling or disposing of all or any part of the said Bankrupt's stock in trade, fixtures, household furniture, estate, and all or any other effects whatsoever, whether real or personal, either to the said Bankrupt himself, or to other persons, and either together or in separate parcels, and at one or more time or times, and either by public auction or private contract; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees taking such securities for payment of the same, upon the account of the said Bankrupt's estate, as the said Assignees shall deem expedient; and also to the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting or defending any suit or suits in equity, or action or actions at law, for the recovery, getting in, defending, or prosecuting any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, and compounding any debt or debts due thereto, or submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing to any matter or thing relating to the same; and also generally to authorise and empower the said Assignees to take such measures in and about the conduct and management of the said estate, and the arrangement and settlement thereof as to them shall seem expedient and proper; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Bennett, of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, Earthenware Dealer, Common Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Monday the 1st day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Star Inn, in Deansgate, in Manchester aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees cancelling, annulling, and making void a certain contract entered into between them and a certain person to be named at the meeting, for the purchase of certain freehold premises, part of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees allowing, ratifying, and confirming a certain agreement or compromise entered into between them and the said person so to be named at the said meeting, in consideration of the said contract being so cancelled, annulled, and made void; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of the whole of their interest in the said Bankrupt's freehold estate, unto the said Bankrupt himself, either by private contract or valuation or otherwise, for such price or prices as they shall think fit and reasonable; and also to their accepting and taking such security for the payment of the purchase-money of the same, payable at such time or times, as the said Assignees shall think fit, such security nevertheless to be at the sole risk of the said Bankrupt's estate.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Emerson, of Alford, in the County of Lincoln, Linen-Draper, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Saturday the 27th day of February instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Wind Mill Inn, in Alford aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees offering for sale the estate and interest, or equity of redemption of the said Bankrupt of and in a brick and tiled cottage or tenement, consisting of one room and one chamber, with orchard, yard, and garden adjoining, and one gate or right of stocking on the

common, and four several closes, pieces or parcels of land, containing in the whole, by estimation, twenty-one acres and one rood (more or less), situate at Lissington, in the said County of Lincoln; also the estate and interest, or equity of redemption of the said Bankrupt, of and in the reversion or remainder expectant on the decease of Ann Tweed, widow, aged about seventy-seven years, of and in a mud stud and thatch cottage or tenement, consisting of one room, and one gate or right of stocking on the common, and two closes of meadow or pasture land adjoining, containing altogether by estimation seven acres (more or less), situate at Lissington aforesaid, the whole of which premises are now in mortgage for the sum of £500, and are in the occupation of John Champion, as tenant from year to year; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees carrying into execution a certain contract for sale of a brick and slated dwelling-house and shop, situate in the Market-Place of the Town of Alford aforesaid, with cellars, warehouse, and other outbuildings attached, together with the ground or site thereof, and the yard adjoining the same, now or late in the occupation of the said Bankrupt; also a brick and tiled dwelling-house and shop adjoining the above, now in the occupation of Charles Pinder, Cordwainer; and also a brick and tiled dwelling-house and shop adjoining the last described house, now in the occupation of James Kellock, Tea-Dealer, bearing date the 1st day of December 1829, and made between Henry Wilson and Richard Caldicott, both of Alford aforesaid, Gentlemen, of the one part, and Robert Betts, of Alford aforesaid, Grocer and Draper, of the other part; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Francis Pittes, late of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in the County of Southampton, Auctioneer, Appraiser, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects on Friday the 26th day of February instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Guildhall, in the Borough of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, to take into consideration divers matters relative to the affairs of the said Bankrupt, and the receipts and expenditures of the said Assignees, and particularly to consider of the propriety of authorising the said Assignees to abandon to the several mortgagees of the freehold, leasehold, and copyhold estates late of the said Bankrupt, or any or either of them, the several estates comprised in their said mortgages and to convey, assign and assure the equity of redemption of the said mortgaged estates to the said several mortgagees, or such of them as may be willing to accept the same in discharge of the principal moneys and interest due to them respectively on their said respective mortgages, or otherwise to sell and convey to the said mortgagees, or any or either of them, the said estates comprised in their said mortgages in consideration of such sum or sums of money as may be agreed on between the said Assignees and the mortgagees, or any less sum than the amount of the mortgage money and interest, and to allow the mortgagees to prove the balance under the Commission; and generally to authorise the Assignees to make such other agreements with the said mortgagees as the Assignees shall deem most beneficial to the Creditors under all the complicated circumstances in which the Bankrupt's estate is placed; and farther to assent to and confirm, or otherwise dissent from and disallow the several acts done by the Assignees since their election and appointment as Assignees under the said Commission.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Ebenezer Petherbridge, of Newton-Abbot, in the County of Devon, and William Petherbridge, late of Whitechapel, in the County of Middlesex, Linen-Drapers and Copartners (and carrying on trade in Copartnership as Linen-Drapers, at Newton-Abbot aforesaid), are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, on Saturday the 27th day of February instant, at Eleven 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 said Assignees selling, by private contract or public auction, as they shall think fit, or otherwise disposing of, or giving up to the landlord, the lease or leases of certain premises late in the occupation of the said Bankrupts, or one of them, and also the stock in trade, furniture, and effects of the said Bankrupts, or either of them, and to give such credit for the same, and to take such security for the payment thereof as they shall think fit; and to authorise the said Assignees to pay certain charges and costs incurred in the