

the said Assignees shall seem just and reasonable; or to make such compensation to the said Assignees, or either of them, who shall be willing to undertake to collect, recover, get in, receive, wind up, and adjust the said debts and affairs of the said Bankrupt's estate, instead of employing an accountant, or other person or persons, for that purpose; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees surrendering any term or terms, estates, or interests in any leases, or agreements for leases, or other contracts, being part of the said Bankrupt's estate (and particularly in such leases, or agreements for leases, or other contracts, which will be submitted to the said meeting), as the said Assignees shall deem expedient; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying the rent and charges of distress, and redeeming the effects now under levy on certain other premises belonging to the said Bankrupt's estate, and reimbursing themselves the charges for which they have made themselves answerable to prevent a disadvantageous sale under the distress; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees reimbursing the petitioning Creditor's expenses previously to the choice of Assignees, and paying the shopmen and servants' wages owing them by the said Bankrupt; and also to confirm all such acts as the said Assignees shall have done, previously to the said meeting, in and about the affairs of the said Bankrupt; and on other special affairs, which will be named at the meeting.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Gedge, now or late of Lower Thames-Street, in the City of London, Fishmonger, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Wednesday the 2d day of June next, at Two of the 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 accepting and receiving from the representatives of a certain person, to be named at the said meeting, deceased, late His Britannick Majesty's Consul-General for the Cape de Verd Islands, a sum to be named at the said meeting, in full discharge and satisfaction of the debt due and owing from the said certain person, or his estate, to the estate of such Bankrupt, and of all claims and demands whatsoever in respect of certain commercial speculations and pecuniary dealings and transactions between the said Bankrupt and the said certain person: and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees, on receipt of such sum, executing to the party claiming to be the executrix or personal representative of the said certain person a general release from the said debt, and all claims and demands in respect thereof, and indemnifying her in respect of the same; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees compounding with the said representative of the said certain person, and any other debtor or debtors to the said Bankrupt's estate, and taking any reasonable part of the debt or debts in discharge of the whole, or giving time, or taking security for the payment of such debt or debts, or submitting any dispute between such Assignees and the said representative of the said certain person and any other persons, concerning any matter relating to such Bankrupt's estate, to arbitration; and also to said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, compromising, or defending any action at law, or suits in equity, or petitions in bankruptcy for the recovering of the said debt so owing from the said certain person, or for the recovering protection or defence of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt; and generally to the Assignees doing and performing all things in relation to the said debt, and the said Bankrupt's estate, which may seem to them reasonable and proper, and beneficial to the estate, and the Creditors under the said Commission.

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 attested by an Attorney or Solicitor, that he is insolvent or unable to meet his engagements, the said Secretary of Bankrupts shall sign an authority for inserting the said Declaration in

"the Gazette, and that every such Declaration shall, after such advertisement inserted as aforesaid, be an Act of Bankruptcy committed by such Trader at the time when such Declaration was filed, but that no Commission shall issue thereupon unless it be sued out within two calendar months next after the insertion of such advertisement, unless such advertisement shall have been inserted within eight days after such act of Bankruptcy after such Declaration filed: and no Docket shall be struck upon such act of Bankruptcy before the expiration of four days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in London, or before the expiration of eight days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in the Country."—Notice is hereby given, that a Declaration was filed on the 8th day of May 1830, in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts, signed and attested according to the said Act, by

CHARLES BRYDONE, of the Borough of Leicester, in the County of Leicester, Carver and Gilder, that he is in insolvent circumstances and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

And on the 10th day of May 1830, by

WILLIAM SMITH, of Warrington, in the County of Lancashire, WILLIAM SOWDEN, of Manchester, in the said County, and JOHN SOWDEN, of Warrington aforesaid, Cotton-Manufacturers and Copartners (carrying on business under the firm of Smith, Sowden, and Company), that they are in insolvent circumstances, and are unable to meet their engagements with their creditors.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date on or about the 18th day of January 1830, was awarded and issued forth against John Whitelock, of Stranton New-Mill, in the County of Durham, Miller, Dealer and Chapman; this is to give notice, that the said Commission is, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, superseded.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Harry Helton Barrett, of Rugby, in the County of Warwick, Wine and Spirit-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 21st of May instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, on the 25th of the same month, at Three in the Afternoon precisely, and on the 22d of June next, at Two in the Afternoon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the second sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Mr. Edward Starling, Solicitor, Leicester-Square, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert James Ball, of Cambridge-House, Camberwell New Road, in the County of Surrey, Schoolmaster and Boarding-House-Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 21st of May instant, at Three in the Afternoon precisely, on the 4th of June next, at One in the Afternoon precisely, and on the 22d of the same month, at Eleven in the Forenoon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in