

and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing the said Bankrupts, or either of them, and such accountants, clerks and servants as they may deem necessary for assisting them in investigating the affairs, adjusting the accounts, and getting in the estates, moneys, and effects under the said Commission, or in the effectuating the matters and things aforesaid, or any of them, and to their making such remuneration to the other person or persons so to be employed, as they the said Assignees may deem reasonable and proper, out of the estates of the said Bankrupts; and to authorise the said Assignees generally to take such measures in the arrangement and settlement of the affairs, estate and effects of the said Bankrupts as they shall from time to time think necessary, reasonable, just and beneficial for the estate and Creditors of the said Bankrupts; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees taking such security or securities, and for such time as they may think proper, for any debt or debts due, or to become due, to the estates of the said Bankrupts; or for the purchase-money or purchase-moneys for all or any part of their, or either of their, real or personal estates and effects; and on other special matters.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Lister, of Shelf, in the Parish of Halifax, in the County of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on the 9th day of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Duke William, in Shelf aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees accepting or refusing certain propositions, to be named at the said meeting, relative to the sale and disposal of the real estates of the said Bankrupt, situate at Shelf aforesaid, or of certain parts and parcels thereof; also to the said Assignees releasing the equity of redemption of and in certain part of the real estate of the said Bankrupt, as will be mentioned at the said meeting, to the Mortgagee thereof, to be named at the said meeting; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Howell and William Bennett Baker, of Charles-Street, Cavendish-Square, and of Judd-Street, Brunswick-Square, both in the County of Middlesex, Ironmongers, Dealers and Chapmen, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts' estate and effects, on Saturday the 10th day of December next, 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 and disposing of all or any part of the said Bankrupts' stock in trade, fixtures, household goods and furniture, and all other the personal estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, either by public auction or private contract, or by tender, and together or in lots, and for ready money, or upon credit, or on such security as they shall think proper; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees compounding with any debtors to the said Bankrupts' estate, and taking any reasonable part of the debts in discharge for the whole, or giving time or taking security for the payment of such debts respectively, or to submit any dispute between such Assignees and any persons concerning any matter relating to such Bankrupts' estate to the determination of arbitrators, to be chosen by the said Assignees and the major part in value of such Creditors and the party with whom they shall have such dispute; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing an accountant, or other person, at the risk of the estate, if they shall think fit, to investigate the books and make up the accounts of the said Bankrupts, and to collect and get in the outstanding debts due or owing to the said Bankrupts' estate, and to pay the said accountant, or other person so employed, such remuneration for his trouble as the said Assignees shall deem reasonable; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees prosecuting or defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, for the recovery and protection of any part of the Bankrupts' estate and effects; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying certain costs incurred previously to the opening of the said Commission in and about the said Bankrupts' affairs, and the endeavouring to arrange the same; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Matthew Pennington, of Burton Leonard, in the County of York, Common Carrier, Dealer and Chapman, are requested

to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Saturday the 10th day of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Falcon Inn, within the City of York, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting any action or actions, suit or suits, at law or in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, or taking and receiving part of any debt in discharge of the whole, or taking any security for payment of the same, and submitting to arbitration, compounding, or compromising, or settling any accounts, debts, demands, differences, or disputes relating to the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, or any part thereof, and to sanction all such lawful acts as the said Assignees may have done or shall do relative to the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees proceeding to tax the bills of costs of certain persons, who will then be named, and who have proved or made claim for the same against the said Bankrupt's estate, or submitting the same to the arbitration of such Barrister at law as may be then appointed for settling the said bills of costs; also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling, by public auction or private contract, such part or parts, or the whole of the said Bankrupt's real estate, as may be found necessary to satisfy the demands of the Creditors who shall prove their debts against the said Bankrupt's estate, and to authorise them if they shall see proper to buy in the same, or any part thereof, and to resell the same, either by public auction or private contract; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Thompson, of Upper Thames-Street, and College-Hill, in the City of London, Wine-Merchant, Hop-Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Saturday the 10th day of December next, 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 Assignee selling and disposing of the Bankrupt's real and personal estate, either together or in separate parcels, and at one or more time or times, and either by public auction or private contract, and for such price or prices, and to be paid for in such manner as the said Assignee shall see fit; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee in his discretion commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action or actions, suit or suits, at law or in equity, for the recovery of, or protection of any of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; and compounding, submitting to arbitration, accepting part in discharge of the whole, taking security, or giving time for the payment of, or otherwise agreeing to any accounts, debts, claims, or demands due to or from the said Bankrupt's estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee employing any accountant to assist in the collecting and getting in of the debts due to the said Bankrupt's estate, and examining the said Bankrupt's accounts, or the accounts of his Debtors or Creditors, and allowing such accountant such remuneration for his trouble as to the said Assignee shall seem meet; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee at his discretion paying and discharging all costs and expences incurred in the preparing and perfecting a deed of trust of the said Bankrupt's estate, and all other expences connected with the said Bankrupt's estate shortly previous to the issuing of the Commission; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Simon Hardy, late of Wisbech, in the Isle of Ely, in the County of Cambridge, Draper and Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet on Saturday the 10th day of December next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at the Mason's Hall Tavern, in Mason's Alley, Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, for the purpose of receiving proposals to compound for the debts of the said Bankrupt, and of considering of the expediency and propriety of superseding the said Commission of Bankrupt now in force against the said Simon Hardy, and all persons having claims upon the said Bankrupt who may not have proved their debts, are also requested to attend accordingly.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Luke, of Mark-Lane, in the City of London, Wine-Merchant, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Friday the 9th day of December