

Parish of Manchester, and County of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Saturday the 17th day of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, at the York Hotel, in Manchester aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees, at the risk and expence and for the benefit of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, carrying on, working and continuing the business of the said Bankrupt, for such period as they shall think proper, or shall be then fixed upon by the said Creditors, and either for general purposes or only for the purpose of working up and finishing all, or such part as they shall think proper, of the materials and goods which may be in process of manufacture, and to empower the said Assignees for that purpose to make such arrangements with the said Bankrupt, or with any other person or persons, to be fixed upon by them, for obtaining his or their service for carrying on the same business, as to them shall seem expedient, and to engage and hire or continue work people, servants, clerks, and managers, at such wages and salaries as they shall think fit, and to lay out any sum or sums of money upon the said Bankrupt's estate, or in the purchase of materials or articles to be used in carrying on such business, and generally to enter into such agreements, and to make, do, and transact all such payments, acts, sales, and other proceedings, as shall in the opinion and judgment of the said Assignees be requisite and proper for the purposes aforesaid, at the risk and for the benefit of the Creditors seeking relief under the said Commission; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying and discharging, out of the said Bankrupt's estate, all such sum or sums of money as since the issuing of the Commission have been, or may hereafter be, advanced or paid, for, in, or about the carrying on of the said business; and generally to confirm the proceedings of the provisional Assignee with respect to the carrying on the business of the said David Holt since his Bankruptcy; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of, or joining with the mortgagee or mortgagees thereof in the sale and disposal of, the freehold and leasehold estates of the said Bankrupt, and also of the whole or any part or parts of the stock in trade, goods, furniture, fixtures, machinery, debts, estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, by public auction or by private contract, or partly by public auction and partly by private contract, and either to the said Bankrupt, or to any other person or persons whomsoever who may be willing to become the purchaser or purchasers thereof, at a valuation or appraisement, or otherwise, for such price or prices as can be reasonably had and obtained for the same, and either for ready money or upon credit, with or without taking security for the purchase-money, or any part thereof, as to the said Assignees shall seem expedient; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing a proper person or persons to collect, keep possession, and make sales of all or any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, as also an accountant or accountants to examine and investigate the books and accounts, and to collect the debts owing to the said Bankrupt's estate, and to allow and pay, out of the said Bankrupt's estate, the expences already incurred, or hereafter to be incurred, in or about the matters aforesaid; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee or Assignees compounding with any debtor or debtors of the said Bankrupt's estate, for any debt or debts due from them, and taking any part of such debts in discharge of the whole, and also to their giving such time, or taking such security for the payment of the same, or any part thereof, as to the said Assignees shall seem proper; and to or from their submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any dispute or difference, now existing, or which may at any time hereafter arise, respecting or in anywise concerning the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, or any part thereof; 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 or protection of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to their settling and arranging the same on such terms as the said Assignees shall think expedient; 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 Bankrupt as they shall from time to time think necessary, reasonable, just, and beneficial for the estate and Creditors 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 George Baker Billows, of the Town and County of Poole,

Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Tuesday the 20th day of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, 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 or disposing of all or any part of the said Bankrupt's freehold estates, and also the stock in trade, household furniture, plate, linen, and other effects, either by public auction, private contract, valuation, appraisement, or otherwise, as the said Assignees shall think proper, and in such lots or parcels, at such times or places, at such prices, upon such terms and conditions, either for ready money or upon such credit, as the said Assignees shall think proper, with full liberty to, and for the said Assignees, at any such auction, to buy in and afterwards resell the said estate and effects, or part thereof respectively, in such manner as they shall think proper, without being answerable for any loss or diminution in price at any such resale, or for any expence which may have been occasioned by any such buying in and the resale; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying off and discharging any mortgages, liens, or other charges or incumbrances, upon the estate of the said Bankrupt if they shall think proper; or to the said Assignees joining or concurring with any mortgagee or mortgagees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, in effecting any sale or sales thereof, as the said Assignees may think proper; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees preferring any petition or petitions to the Lord High Chancellor; or to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees being allowed the costs, charges, and expences of and relating or incidental to any petition or petitions which they might have been advised to present to the said Lord High Chancellor, for the purpose of expunging any proof of debt or proofs of debts, previously to the said 20th day of December, or adopting such other proceedings, either at law or in equity, as they may be advised, or might have been advised, to take for the benefit of the said Bankrupt's estate previously to the time aforesaid, at the costs, charges, and expences of the said Bankrupt's estate, and generally to authorise and empower the said Assignees to take such measures in the management and arrangement of the said Bankrupt's affairs, and relative to his estate and effects, and to pay thereout such costs, charges, and expences as may have already been incurred, or may hereafter be incurred; and also to confirm all such acts as the said Assignees shall have done in and about the affairs of the said Bankrupt previously to 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 Jeffery Ludlam, of Wood-Street, Cheap-side, in the City of London, Hosier, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the surviving Assignee of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Saturday the 17th 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 receive his report of the state of a certain suit now pending in the Court of Chancery, instituted by Samuel Seaman and others, for the purpose of establishing their claim to the arrears (of very large amount) of certain annuities charged upon an estate in Jamaica, called the Catherine-Hall Estate, and to which suit the said Assignee is a party as one of the defendants, in virtue of a mortgage made of the said Catherine-Hall Estate to the Bankrupt, and to consider whether the Bankrupt's estate will derive any benefit from the further prosecution of the said suit, or from prosecuting any claim under the said mortgage; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee relinquishing and giving up, or not prosecuting, or for his otherwise dealing with the Bankrupt's claim under the said mortgage, in such manner as the said Assignee may deem most advantageous or most expedient for the Bankrupt's estate, and the interest of the Creditors thereunder, and so as that a final dividend may be made; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Parish, Thomas Parish, James Stafford, and Thomas Hardwick, late of Holloway's-End, in the County of Stafford, Copartners and Glass-Manufacturers, are requested to meet the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, on Monday the 19th day of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Offices of Mr. George Grazebrook, in Stourbridge, in the County of Worcester, to assent to or