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AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 7th day
of *September* 1838,

PRESENT.

The **QUEEN's** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, made with the advice of His Privy Council, and bearing date the twenty-third of March one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, after reciting, amongst other things, that it had been represented to His Majesty at the Council Board, by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that they had given directions that His Majesty's troops serving in the several British colonies and possessions abroad, should, in certain cases, be paid in British silver and copper money, and that with a view of securing the circulation of such money in those colonies, it would be expedient that an Order in Council should be issued, declaring that in all those colonies where the Spanish dollar was then either by law, fact, or practice, considered as a legal tender for the discharge of debts; or where the duties to the Government were rated or collected, or the individuals had a right to be paid in that description of coin, that a tender and payment of British silver money, to the amount of four shillings and four pence, should be considered as equivalent to the tender or payment of one Spanish dollar, and so in proportion for any greater or less amount of debt; His said late Majesty was pleased to approve of what was proposed in the said representation.

And whereas it is expedient that the said recited Order in Council should be revoked, so far as respects Her Majesty's colonies and possessions in America and the West Indies, be it therefore, and it is hereby Ordered, by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that so far as respects Her Majesty's colonies and possessions in America, and in the West Indies, the said recited Order shall be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

And the Right Honourable Lord Glenelg, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 14th day
of *September* 1838,

PRESENT.

The **QUEEN's** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board, the draft of a Proclamation, regulating the rate at which certain foreign coins are to pass current in Her Majesty's West India colonies; Her Majesty, having taken the same into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the said Proclamation do take effect and come into force, in each of Her Majesty's said colonies, upon, and from and after, such day as shall be, for that purpose, limited by the Governor, or Officer administering the Government, of each of

the said colonies respectively, by any Proclamations to be by them respectively, for that purpose, issued in each of such respective colonies:

And the Right Honourable Lord Glenelg, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions for causing publication to be made hereof within Her Majesty's said colonies.

C. C. Greville.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS the coin current in Our West India colonies, including Our province of British Guiana, consisting partly of the current coin of the United Kingdom, and partly of Spanish, Mexican, and Columbian gold coin, called doubloons, and of Spanish, Mexican, and Columbian silver coin, called dollars; and it is expedient that the rate at which the said doubloons and dollars shall circulate in Our said colonies should be ascertained and fixed. Now, therefore, We, by the advice of Our Privy Council, have thought fit to declare and ordain, and, by the advice aforesaid, we do hereby declare and ordain, that throughout the whole of Our said colonies the said doubloon shall circulate and be received in payment as being of the full value of sixty-four shillings sterling, current money of the United Kingdom, and the said dollar shall circulate and be received in payment as being of the full value of four shillings and two pence sterling, like current money of the United Kingdom. And in all payments to be made in any of Our said colonies, tender of payment in doubloons and dollars, or either of them, at the rate aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be a lawful tender, in the same manner as if such tender had been made in the current coin of the United Kingdom.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this fourteenth day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, and in the second year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 7th day of September 1838,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS since the abolition of slavery throughout the British colonies, plantations, and possessions abroad, the marriage laws of the said

colonies, plantations, and possessions have been found inappropriate to the altered condition thereof, and inadequate to the increased desire for lawful matrimony therein: and whereas it is expedient and necessary to amend the said marriage laws, and to adapt the same to the altered state and condition of society in the said colonies, plantations, and possessions, it is, therefore, hereby ordered by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that, from and after the taking effect of this Order, it shall be lawful for any minister of the Christian religion, ordained or otherwise set apart to the ministry of the Christian religion, according to the usage of the persuasion to which he may belong, to publish, within the colonies of British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, the Cape of Good Hope, and Mauritius, or any of them, banns of marriage between persons desirous of being joined together in matrimony, and such publication shall be made in an audible manner some time during public divine service on a Sunday, in the face of the congregation before whom such minister shall officiate in the parish in which both or one of the parties to be married shall dwell, and shall contain the Christian and other name and surname and place of abode of each of the said parties, and shall be so published by some such minister for three Sundays preceding the solemnization of the marriage, during the morning service, if there be service in the morning, or if there shall be no morning service then during the evening service; and if the parties to be married shall dwell in different parishes the banns shall be published in like manner in both such parishes; and if the said parties shall be of different persuasions the banns shall be published in like manner before each of the congregations to which the said parties may respectively belong, whether both the said congregations shall assemble in the same parish or not. And where one or both of the parties shall dwell in any extra-parochial place; then if there be a congregation of the persuasion to which any such party shall belong assembling for public divine worship as aforesaid in such extra-parochial place, the banns of the party or parties dwelling in such extra-parochial place shall be published in manner aforesaid in such extra-parochial place; and if there shall be no such congregation in such extra-parochial place, then the banns of such of the parties to be married as shall dwell in such extra-parochial place shall be published in manner aforesaid in some parish next adjoining to such extra-

parochial place; and in cases where the banns shall have been published in different places the officiating minister at either of the said places shall, on the request of both or either of the parties whose banns shall have been published as aforesaid, give to the party requiring the same a certificate of the banns having been duly published in the place of which he is an officiating minister, and on the production of such certificate to the officiating minister of the other place where the banns were published, or of such certificates to any other such minister as aforesaid in the parish or extra-parochial place to which one of the parties shall belong, it shall be lawful for such minister where the banns were published, on receiving such certificate from such other minister where the banns were published, or for such minister as aforesaid, to whom the certificates of such ministers of both places where the banns were published, on receipt of such certificate or certificates (as the case may be) to solemnize matrimony between the said parties according to such form and ceremony as shall be in use or be adopted by the persuasion to which the minister solemnizing such marriage shall belong; provided that whenever the form and ceremony used shall be other than that of the united church of England and Ireland, each of the parties shall, in some part of the ceremony, make the following declaration:

"I do solemnly declare that I know not of any lawful impediment why I, *A. B.*, may not be joined in matrimony to *C. D.*, here present."

And each of the parties shall say to the other?

"I call upon these persons here present to witness that I, *A. B.*, do take thee, *C. D.*, to be my lawful wedded wife (or husband)."

And it is hereby further ordered, that no minister shall be obliged to publish banns between any persons whomsoever, unless the persons to be married shall, two days at the least before the time required for the first publication of such banns respectively, deliver, or cause to be delivered, to such minister, a notice of their true christian and other names and surnames, and a description of their place or respective places of abode, in such parish or extra-parochial place as aforesaid, and of the time during which they have dwelt in such place or places; and that it shall not be lawful for any minister to solemnize any marriage after three calendar months from the last publication of banns of such marriage; and in all cases where three calendar months shall have elapsed

without the marriage having been solemnized, the publication of such banns shall be void: and before the said parties can be married by banns, it shall be necessary to republish banns anew, in manner and form aforesaid, as if no banns had ever been published between them.

And be it further enacted, that no such minister as aforesaid, who shall solemnize any marriage after due publication of banns as aforesaid, between persons, both or one of whom (not being a widow or widower) shall at the time of such marriage be under legal age, shall be answerable, or responsible, or liable to any pain, penalty, or proceeding, for having solemnized such marriage without the consent of the parents or guardians, or other person (if any) whose consent is required by law, unless such parents or guardians, or other person, or one of them shall forbid the marriage, and give notice thereof to such minister before he has solemnized the same; and in case such marriage shall be forbidden as aforesaid, and such notice shall be given as aforesaid, the publication of the banns for such marriage shall be absolutely void.

And it is hereby further ordered, that where by any law in force, or which may hereafter be in force, in any of the colonies to which this Order applies, by which licences for marriage, without the publication of banns, may be granted or issued in any such colony by the governor thereof, or any other civil authority therein, it shall be lawful for the parties intending marriage, or either of them, to require that such licence shall authorise the solemnization of the marriage, in respect of which such licence is applied for, in any place where, and by any minister by whom, such marriage could have been solemnized by virtue of this Act if banns thereof had been published as aforesaid.

"And whereas it may happen that in some of the colonies to which this Order applies, or in some parts thereof respectively, there may not be any such minister as aforesaid, or not a sufficient number of such ministers to afford convenient facilities for marriage, and it is expedient to provide for such cases:"

It is therefore further ordered, that in every such case, and whenever the same shall happen in any of the said colonies, it shall be lawful for the governor of such colony to appoint by writing, under his hand

and official seal, one or more such fit and proper person or persons as he shall from time to time deem necessary or expedient, to be called the marriage officer, to solemnize marriages within such part or parts of the colony in which such appointment shall be made, as the governor shall from time to time direct: and it shall be lawful for the governor at any time, and from time to time, to revoke and cancel any such appointment or appointments, and to alter, vary, enlarge, or contract the district or districts in which any person so appointed shall have power or jurisdiction to celebrate marriage, for any cause which to him shall seem meet; and every such appointment shall specify the part or district within which the person thereby appointed shall have power and jurisdiction to celebrate marriage; and, until some law shall be made, passed, allowed, and promulgated for regulating marriages by persons so appointed, it shall be lawful for the governor, and he is hereby required to direct, declare, and promulgate the manner by which the intention of parties to marry before any such marriage officer shall be made public; provided always, that it shall not be lawful for any such marriage officer to solemnize marriage between persons, one or both of whom shall be under lawful age (unless in the case of a widow or widower), after such marriage shall be forbidden, and notice thereof given to him by any person having lawful authority to forbid the same: provided always, that in every marriage before any such marriage officer not celebrated according to the form of the united church of England and Ireland, the parties shall, in some part of the ceremony, respectively make the declarations hereinbefore set forth, as in the case of marriage by any such minister as aforesaid: provided also, that every such minister as aforesaid may nevertheless publish banns and celebrate marriage under and by virtue of this Order in any part or district within which any such marriage officer shall have power or jurisdiction to celebrate marriage, as fully as if no such marriage officer had ever been appointed.

"And whereas it may happen that the parents or parent, guardians or guardian of one or both of the parties to be married may be *non compos mentis*, or absent from the colony, or otherwise incapable in law or in fact of consenting, or may be induced unreasonably and improperly to withhold his, her, or their consent to a proper marriage, or may be dead:"

It is therefore hereby ordered, that in case any such parent or guardian whose consent is necessary to a marriage, shall be *non compos mentis*, or absent from the colony, or otherwise incapable as aforesaid of consenting, or shall withhold his, her, or their consent to any marriage; or in case there shall be no person capable of consenting, it shall be lawful for any person desirous of marriage, to whose marriage such consent is necessary, but cannot be given, or is withheld, to apply, by petition, to the chief civil judge, or person officiating as such for the time being, of the colony, who is hereby empowered to proceed upon such petition in a summary way, and in case the marriage proposed shall, upon examination, appear to him to be proper, the said chief civil judge, or person officiating as such, shall judicially declare by his order, in writing, that such marriage is proper and may be solemnized forthwith; and every marriage duly solemnized in pursuance, or under the authority or direction of such order, shall be as good, valid, and effectual, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, as if such consent as aforesaid had been duly given thereto.

And it is hereby further ordered, that after the solemnization of any marriage under or by virtue of this Act, it shall not be necessary, in support of such marriage, or in any action, suit, or proceeding where the same may come into question, to give any proof of the actual dwelling of the parties married, or of either of them, before the marriage, or that the banns were published, or that the marriage was solemnized in the place, and by a person, where and by whom the same ought to have been published and solemnized respectively, nor shall any evidence be received to prove the contrary.

And it is hereby further ordered, that in no case whatsoever shall any suit or proceeding be had in any court or before any jurisdiction whatsoever, to compel the celebration of any marriage, by reason of any promise or marriage-contract entered into, or by reason of seduction, or of any cause whatsoever which shall arise after the taking effect of this Order, any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding: provided, always, that nothing herein contained shall prevent any person aggrieved from suing for or recovering damages in any court, or by any proceeding wherein and whereby damages may be lawfully recovered for breach of promise of marriage, or for seduction, or other cause as aforesaid.

And in order to preserve evidence of marriages,

and to make the proof thereof certain and easy, and for the direction of such ministers and marriage officers as aforesaid in the registration thereof, it is hereby further ordered, that from and after the passing and taking effect of this Order, all marriages (except marriages by special licence to marry at any time and place where such special licences can be lawfully granted), shall be solemnized with open doors, between the hours of (eight) in the forenoon and (four) in the afternoon, in the presence of two or more credible witnesses, beside the minister or marriage officer who shall solemnize the same; and that immediately after the solemnization of every marriage, an entry thereof shall be made in a marriage-register book, to be kept for that purpose, by some such minister or marriage officer as afore-

said, or in some safe custody for the place in which marriages may be solemnized; and in every such entry in every such register it shall be expressed that the marriage was had by banns or licence; and, if both or either of the parties married by licence be under age, and not a widow or widower, that it was had with the consent of the parents or guardians, or other person or persons having lawful authority to withhold consent to the marriage, or after such order of the chief civil judge, or other person officiating as such as aforesaid, and shall be signed by the minister or marriage officer, as the case may be, with his proper addition, and by the parties married, and shall be attested by such two witnesses; and every such entry shall be in the form or to the effect of the following specimen:

ORIGINAL REGISTER.

1838, Marriages Solemnized at *George Town*, in the Parish of _____ in the County of _____ 1838.

No.	When Married.	Names and Surnames.	Ages.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	After Banns or Licence.	Consent by whom given, or Judge's Order.
1	1st August, 1838.	John Williams Lucy Chambers	Full Age Minor	Bachelor Spinster	Carpenter	—	After Banns	Henry Chambers, the Father.

Married in the Wesleyan Chapel at *George Town* aforesaid, after Banns, by me,
A. B., Wesleyan Minister.

This Marriage was solemnized between us { John Williams } in the presence of us { C. D.
Lucy Chambers } { E. F.

And of every such entry, at the same time, before the parties depart, shall then and there be made on a separate piece of paper, parchment, or vellum, a Duplicate Original Register, in which the same matter shall be entered, and signed and attested by the same parties, in manner or to the effect of the following specimen:

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL REGISTER.

1838, Marriages Solemnized at *George Town*, in the Parish of _____ in the County of _____ 1838.

No.	When Married.	Names and Surnames.	Ages.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	After Banns or Licence.	Consent by whom given, or Judge's Order.
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This Marriage was solemnized between us { John Williams } in the presence of us { C. D.
Lucy Chambers } { E. F.

Examined with the Original Register, by me,
and found to be correct, A. B.

Which said duplicate original register shall be left in the hands of the minister or marriage officer by whom the marriage was solemnized; and every such duplicate original register shall, within one calendar month from the date thereof, be transmitted to the colonial secretary of the colony, if there be one, and all such duplicates shall be filed and safely preserved by him in his office; and every such original register, and also every copy thereof, certified under the hand of the minister or marriage officer who for the time being shall have the lawful custody of the original, to be a true copy, and every such duplicate original register, and also every copy thereof, certified under the hand of such colonial secretary to be a true copy, shall respectively be good evidence of the facts therein recorded, in pursuance of this Order, in and before all courts and proceedings whatsoever, in which it shall be necessary to give evidence of the marriage to which the same shall relate.

And it is hereby further ordered, that it shall be lawful for all persons at all reasonable times in the day (except Sundays) to search the original register book, and also the file of duplicate original registers, in the presence of the person for the time being having the care of the same respectively, or his deputy, and to have a true copy or true copies of any entries or entry therein, or filed as aforesaid, certified under the hand of the minister, marriage officer, or officer for the time being respectively having the custody of the original or duplicate original register as aforesaid (as the case may be), which true copies or copy such minister, marriage officer, or colonial secretary, is hereby required to make, examine, and certify under his hand to be a true copy, in the form of the duplicate original register, except that the same shall be headed "certified copy (or copies) of original (or duplicate original) marriage register" (as the case may be), and shall be dated on the day, month, and year, when the same shall be delivered.

And it is hereby further ordered, that in order to meet the expence, and as a remuneration for the trouble occasioned by the performance of any duty under this Order, the following fees shall be demandable and payable before the performance of the duty to which the same respectively relate, that is to say—

For solemnizing and registering a marriage, and transmitting the duplicate original to the Colonial Secretary, four shillings.

For every general search not directed to any particular entry, four shillings.

For every search for a particular entry, two shillings.

For every search for two or more particular entries, and not exceeding four entries, one shilling each.

For every search for any number of particular entries exceeding four, four shillings.

For every such certified copy as aforesaid, two shillings.

Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall prevent any clergyman of the established church of England and Ireland from receiving, for any duty performed by him under this Order, such fees or payments as have heretofore been customarily paid to such clergyman, according to the rules of the said church, for the performance of such duties respectively: provided always, that nothing in this Order contained shall authorise or require any clergyman of the established church aforesaid, to solemnize marriage in any other manner than is prescribed by the rubrick: provided also, that it shall be lawful for the Governor to authorise such marriage officers as aforesaid, to receive such further or other remuneration as he shall from time to time think the nature of their duties shall reasonably require.

And it is hereby further ordered, that if any person shall unlawfully, wilfully, and maliciously erase, obliterate, or destroy, or cause or procure to be erased, obliterated, or destroyed, any such original register or duplicate original register as aforesaid, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on being duly convicted thereof, shall be liable to be imprisoned in the common gaol in the jurisdiction in which he shall be tried and convicted thereof, for any term not less than three nor exceeding twelve calendar months; and if any person shall unlawfully and wilfully forge or alter, or falsely make or cause or procure, or permit to be forged or altered, or falsely made, any such original register, or duplicate original register, or any certified copy thereof respectively, or shall knowingly and wilfully deliver, offer, utter, or put off any such forged, false, or altered copy, he shall be liable for such his offence, on conviction thereof, to be imprisoned in such gaol as aforesaid, for any term not exceeding eighteen months, nor less than six months.

And it is hereby further ordered, that it shall and may be lawful for the respective local legislatures of the said colonies of British Guiana, Trinidad, Saint Lucia, the Cape of Good Hope, and Mauritius, by any ordinance to be by them for that purpose made, to provide for the better adaptation of this present Order to the local circumstances of such colonies respectively, provided that such ordinance be not in contradiction or repugnant to any of the provisions of this Order; and that all such ordinances be made, confirmed, or disallowed, as the case may be, in the manner and according to the rules provided by law in reference to any other ordinances of the said respective local legislatures.

And whereas since the abolition of slavery in the British colonies, plantations, and possessions abroad, doubts have arisen and exist as to the validity of certain marriages contracted and solemnized previous to the abolition of slavery in the said colonies, plantations, and possessions, between slaves, and between parties one of whom was a slave, and also in some cases between free persons of colour, and, since the abolition of slavery, between apprentices and other persons of free condition, by ministers of the christian religion other than clergymen of the united church of England and Ireland; and it is expedient and necessary that all such doubts should be removed, and such marriages and reputed marriages should be ascertained and confirmed, and that all persons who may have solemnized any such marriages or reputed marriages, or who have in any manner assisted thereat, should be indemnified from and against all pains, penalties, forfeitures, and proceedings to which such persons, or any of them, may be liable therefor. It is, therefore, further ordered, that all marriages which at any time before the taking effect of this Order shall have been solemnized in any of the colonies to which this Order applies, by or before any such minister of the Christian religion as aforesaid, shall be, and the same are hereby declared to be, and to have been, from the time of the solemnization thereof respectively, good, valid, and effectual, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, any law or usage to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding; and all pains, penalties, forfeitures, and proceedings of whatsoever kind or description which any such Christian minister may have incurred or become liable to before the taking effect of this Order, by reason of his having solemnized or assisted at any marriage whatsoever, or in anywise in relation thereto, is

and are hereby remitted, released, repealed, and made void.

And whereas in the colonies in which marriages have been celebrated as aforesaid, registers thereof have been duly made and kept by such ministers as aforesaid, who officiated thereat, it is therefore further ordered, that all such registers and all copies thereof respectively, certified under the hand of the person for the time being having the lawful care of the same to be true copies, shall be, and are hereby declared to be, good evidence of such marriages as aforesaid respectively, as fully as if such registers had been made and kept, and such certified copies had been made respectively by persons appointed by law to make and keep the same, and shall be received in evidence in all courts, and before all judges and magistrates.

And it is hereby further ordered, that the better to preserve evidence of marriages so registered, and to facilitate the proof thereof, every person in whose custody any register lawfully is or shall be at the time, shall, within six months after the promulgation of this Order, to which the same extends, respectively make, or cause to be made, a fair and correct copy of every such register, and of every entry therein contained. And it shall be lawful for any such christian minister as aforesaid, to examine, verify, and correct (if and where found incorrect) by the original, any such copy of a register kept by the persuasion to which he belongs, and to take the same before any magistrate, and make and sign the following declaration, which any magistrate to whom the same shall be tendered, is hereby authorised and required to receive, and to certify, in manner following, that is to say:

I, *A. B.* [*describe the persuasion to which he belongs*], do hereby solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare, that I have carefully examined this copy, beginning the day of [*month and year*], and ending on the day of [*month and year*], and containing pages, and entries of marriage, with the original register, and I believe the same to be throughout a true and faithful copy of the original register, of which it purports to be a copy. (Signed) *A. B.*

The said *A. B.* appeared this day of , before me, *C. D.*, one of Her Majesty's justices of the peace in and for , and made and signed the above declaration in my presence. (Signed) *C. D.*

Which declaration and magistrate's certificate thereof shall be entered and signed at the end of the copy to which it relates, and the copy shall be then securely sealed up and forthwith sent to the colonial secretary as aforesaid, to be by him kept with the registers of marriages in his office, where the same may be searched and every copy of any entry therein certified under his hand to be a true copy, shall be of the same force and effect as any certified copy whatsoever made by him, is or can be, and which certified copies he is hereby required to make, and may receive payment for as in other cases.

And if any such minister as aforesaid shall wilfully make and sign any such declaration, knowing the same to be false, he shall be liable to the pains and penalties to which persons guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury are liable.

And whereas, in consequence of imperfect instruction in the Christian religion, and from other causes, many marriages, *de facto*, have taken place between persons, one or both of whom were in the condition of slavery, but which marriages, *de facto*, have never been sanctioned by any public ceremony, or formally registered; and in many such cases the parties have had offspring of such last-mentioned marriages; and it is expedient that provision should be forthwith made for enabling such persons to confer upon their children the benefit of children born in lawful wedlock: it is therefore further ordered, that it shall be lawful for all persons having contracted marriage as last aforesaid at any time within one year after the coming into operation of this Order, duly to solemnize the marriage ceremony before any clergyman of the established church, or in any other manner authorized by this Order; and every person so recognizing a previous marriage, *de facto*, shall at the same time make and sign the following declaration, which shall also be attested by the witnesses present, and signed by the minister or marriage officer before whom the ceremony is performed.

We, *A. B.* and *C. D.*, do hereby severally, solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare, that on the
day of _____, in the year _____, or
thereabout, at _____, we, the said *A. B.*
and *C. D.*, intermarried with each other, and that we
have had issue of the said marriage _____ children,
and no more, namely:—[*Here state the names and
ages of the children, and if any be dead state the fact.*]

(Signed)

A. B.

X. Y.

C. D.

And such marriage ceremony shall have relation back to the time of the marriage, *de facto*, and all such children shall be deemed and taken to have been born in holy wedlock, and shall possess and enjoy all the rights, privileges, and advantages of persons born in lawful wedlock; and to preserve evidence thereof a duplicate original declaration shall then and there, before the parties depart, be made, signed, and attested in the same manner, and the original declaration shall be appended to and kept with the original register; and the duplicate original declaration shall be appended to, sent, and kept with the duplicate original register, and shall, for all purposes of evidence, be deemed part thereof respectively: provided always, and it is hereby declared, that such last-mentioned ceremony and declaration may be performed and made without the previous publication of banns or a licence.

And it is hereby further ordered, that where, in any colony to which this Order applies, any other language than English shall be commonly used, the governor shall cause a true and faithful translation of this Order, and particularly of the several forms and declarations herein contained to be made, expressing the true intent and meaning thereof; and such translation, when promulgated by the governor, may be lawfully used by all persons speaking such language; and everything done under this Order, by means of such translation, shall be as valid and effectual, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, as if the same had been done in the original language of this Order, any law or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

And it is hereby further ordered, that the word "governor" in this Order shall be taken to mean the governor or other officer lawfully administering the government of such colony; and the word "parish," in colonies divided into parishes, shall be taken in its ordinary sense, and in colonies not divided into parishes shall be taken to mean such other districts or divisions as for civil purposes are equivalent to parishes; and the term "extra-parochial place" shall be taken to mean any place not included in any such parish, district, or division; and if in any case there be no such district or division, or if it be uncertain to what kind of district or division the word "parish" is hereby intended to apply, the same shall be determined and officially declared by the governor.

And it is further ordered, that this Order shall take effect and come into operation, in the colony of Mauritius, on the first day of February one thousand

eight hundred and thirty-nine; in the colony of the Cape of Good Hope, on the said first day of February one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine; and in all other colonies to which it applies or extends, on the first day of December one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

And it is further ordered and declared, that within the meaning and for the purposes of this Order, all islands and territories dependent upon any of the colonies to which this Order applies or extends, and constituting parts of the same colonial government, shall respectively be taken to be parts of such respective colonies.

And the Right Honourable Lord Glenelg, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 7th day of September 1838,

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS so much of the Act made in the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, for the abolition of slavery throughout the British colonies, for promoting the industry of the manumitted slaves, and for compensating the persons hitherto entitled to the services of such slaves as relates to the apprenticeship of such manumitted slaves, hath ceased or may shortly be expected to cease to be in force, in the colonies of British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, and Mauritius; and whereas it is expedient that provision be made by law for regulating within the said colonies, respectively, the relative rights and duties of masters and servants; it is therefore hereby ordered by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that within each of the said colonies of British Guiana, Trinidad, St. Lucia, and Mauritius, the various rules and regulations hereunto subjoined and comprised in the following chapters shall henceforth be observed, and shall have the force and effect of law.

And it is further ordered, that all laws, statutes, and ordinances in force in the said colonies, or any of them which are or shall be in anywise repugnant

to, or inconsistent with, this present Order, shall be, and the same are hereby repealed.

And it is further ordered, that for the purposes and within the meaning of this present Order, the officer lawfully administering the government of any of the said colonies, shall be deemed and taken to be the governor thereof; and that for the purposes and within the meaning of this present Order, the word "servant" shall be construed and understood to comprise any person employed for hire, wages, or other remuneration, to perform any handicraft or other bodily labour in agriculture or manufactures, or in domestic service, or as a boatman, porter, or other occupation in which the emancipated population of the said colonies or any of them were usually employed while in a state of slavery or as apprenticed labourers; and that for the purposes and within the meaning of this present Order, the word "masters" shall be construed and understood to comprise any person, whether male or female, employing for hire, wages, or other remuneration, any person falling within the before mentioned description of a servant; and that for the purposes and within the meaning of this present Order, the words "contract of service" shall be construed and understood to comprise any agreement, whether oral or written, whether express or implied, into which any persons falling within the before mentioned description of the word servant, shall enter with any other person or persons for the performance of any work or labour of any kind hereinbefore particularly mentioned; and that for the purposes and within the meaning of the present Order, the words "stipendiary magistrate" shall be construed and understood to comprise such magistrates only as shall be included in any special commission of the peace to be, from time to time, addressed to them in the name and on the behalf of Her Majesty by the governor, for the time being, of the colony to which such magistrates may belong for the execution of this present Order; and that for the purposes and within the meaning of this present Order, the words "chief civil judge" shall be construed and understood to mean in the colony of British Guiana the chief justice of the Court of Civil and Criminal Justice of Demerara, and in the colony of Trinidad the chief judge of the Court of First Instance, and in the colony of St. Lucia the first president of the Royal Court, and in the colony of Mauritius the first president of the Court of Appeal.

And it is further ordered, that all words in this Order and in the said regulations importing the singular number or the masculine gender only, shall be understood to include several persons as well as one person, and females as well as males, unless it be otherwise specially provided, or there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction.

And it is further ordered, that the governor of each of the said colonies, respectively, shall immediately upon the receipt by him of this present Order, publish, or cause to be published, a Proclamation reciting at length the whole of the present Order, and stating the day of the month and year on which the same was so received by him; and from that day the said Order shall take effect and have the force of law in each of the said colonies respectively. Provided, that, if this Order shall arrive in any of the said colonies before so much as aforesaid of the said recited Act of Parliament shall have ceased to be in force therein, the operation of this Order in any such colony shall be suspended until so much as aforesaid of the said Act shall have so ceased to be in force therein, but no longer.

And the Right Honourable Lord Glenelg, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

CAP. I.

On the Repeal of the existing Law.

Sec. 1. All laws in force in any of the colonies aforesaid, respecting contracts of apprenticeship, or service to be entered into within the limits of the said respective colonies, between any master and servant, or respecting the rights and duties of masters and apprentices or servants, in such their relation to each other, or respecting the mode of enforcing such contracts, and the penalties to be inflicted in case of the breach or non-performance thereof, or respecting the dissolution of such contracts, are repealed.

2. The before mentioned repeal shall not annul or effect any contract entered into within any of the said colonies previously to the taking effect therein of a certain Order made by Her Majesty in Council, on the thirtieth day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, relating to contracts of apprenticeship or service entered into either without or within the limits of the said respective colonies.

3. Nevertheless any contract of apprenticeship or

service to be performed within any of the said colonies shall be liable to be set aside in the manner and by the authority hereinafter mentioned, whatever may have been the date thereof, upon reasonable proof being made to the satisfaction of such Petty Sessions as hereinafter mentioned, that either of the parties to such contract was induced to enter into the same by any fraud, misapprehension, misrepresentation, or concealment.

CAP. II.

On the Formation or Entering into of Contracts of Service.

Sec. 1. No contract of service shall be of any force or effect within any of the colonies aforesaid, unless the same shall be made within the limits and upon the land of the colony in which the same is to be performed.

2. No contract of service shall be in force within any of the said colonies for more than four weeks from the date thereof, unless the same shall be reduced into writing, with all the formalities subsequently mentioned.

3. No written contract of service shall be in force within any of the said colonies, unless it shall be signed with the name, or, in case of illiterate persons, with the mark, of each of the contracting parties in the presence of a stipendiary magistrate, nor unless such stipendiary magistrate shall subscribe the written contract in attestation of the fact that it was entered into by the parties voluntarily, and with a clear understanding of its meaning and effect.

4. No such written contract for service shall be valid for more than one year from its date.

5. Every such written contract shall expire at the close of the stipulated time of service without any notice on either side for that purpose.

6. Every such written contract shall specify, as accurately as may be, the general nature of the employment in which the servant is to be engaged.

7. When the contract is for work to be performed not by the piece, but by the time, it shall specify, as precisely as may be, the number of hours of daily labour, and the hours of the day at which such labour is to commence and to be suspended, and to recommence and to terminate.

8. In cases in which the remuneration or any part of it is to be made not in money but in kind, the contract must specify, with all practicable precision,

the nature and amount and quality of the articles to be supplied to the servant, and the time when, and the places or place at which such articles are to be delivered.

9. No servants' wages, if contracted for in money, may be paid in kind, or if contracted for in kind may be paid in money, or in any other than the stipulated kind, except by the express consent of the servant.

10. All contracts of service shall be drawn up as nearly as possible in the following terms :—

" Be it remembered, that on this day
of , in the year of our Lord
 , A. B. of
and C. D. of appeared
before me, E. F. a stipendiary magistrate of the
colony of , and in my presence
signed their names or marks (as the case may be)
to the following contract of service.

" The said A. B. agrees to hire the services of
the said C. D., and the said C. D. agrees to render
to the said A. B. his services in the capacity of a
for calendar
months, commencing on the day of
 in the year .

And it is further agreed between the said parties,
that the said C. D. shall be employed in [field
labour], or as [a household servant], or [as a
boatman] (as the case may be), and that the hours
of labour of the said C. D. shall not be more than
daily, commencing at the hour of
and terminating at the hour of
with [one hour] (or as the case
may be) for breakfast at of the clock,
and [one hour] (or as the case may be) for dinner,
at of the clock, daily. And it is
further agreed, that the said A. B. shall pay to the
said C. D., as such servant as aforesaid, wages at
and after the rate of by the [day,
week, month, or year.] (as the case may be), and
and that such wages shall be paid on the
day of each [week, or month] (as the case may
be). And it is further agreed, that the services of
the said C. D. shall be partly or wholly (as the
case may be), remunerated by the delivery to the
said C. D. of the various articles and allowances
specified in the list hereunto subjoined, which shall
be of such amounts and qualities as are specified
in the said list, so far as such specification is pos-
sible. [Here add any special engagement com-

patible with the law, and not adverted to in this
form.]

(Signed) " A. B.
" C. D."

" The preceding agreement was signed by the
above-named parties in my presence, on the day
and year above written, voluntarily, the same
being, as far as I am able to judge, fully under-
stood by them respectively.

(Signed) " E. F.
" Stipendiary Magistrate."

CAP. III.

On the Apprenticeship of Children.

Sec. 1. Children above the age of ten, and under
the age of sixteen years may be apprenticed by their
fathers, or, in the case of fatherless children, by their
mothers, or, in the case of orphans, by their guardi-
ans, to any trade in the practice of which any peculiar
art or skill is requisite.

2. No child may be apprenticed as a labourer in
husbandry, or in the manufacture of colonial produce.

3. The apprenticeship of such children may be for
any time not exceeding five years.

4. Any person of the full age of sixteen years, or
upwards, may, by his or her consent, be apprenticed
to any trade, in the practice of which any peculiar
art or skill is required, for any term not exceeding
five years.

5. The law respecting apprentices in England
shall, as far as may be practicable, be applied to the
case of such apprenticeships as aforesaid; but there
shall be no apprenticeship of any kind, or under any
circumstances, of persons as labourers in husbandry,
or in the manufacture of colonial produce. All en-
gagements for those purposes must be made in pur-
suance of the rules contained in the second chapter
of these regulations.

6. Provided that the powers which in England are
vested in the justices of the peace for enforcing or
dissolving contracts of apprenticeship, and for autho-
rizing the making of such contracts, shall, in the said
colonies, be vested in the stipendiary magistrates
thereof respectively.

CAP. IV.

On the enforcement of Contracts of Service.

Sec. 1. The stipendiary magistrates shall have an
exclusive jurisdiction for the enforcement of all con-
tracts of service, and for imposing all penalties for
the breach, neglect, or non-performance thereof.

2. This jurisdiction shall be exercised in a summary manner.

3. For ensuring regularity and method in the exercise of this summary jurisdiction, the governor of each colony shall prepare forms of proceeding to be observed on lodging complaints, in issuing summonses, in the citation of witnesses, in the pronouncing awards and sentences, in issuing warrants or orders for the execution of such awards or sentences, and generally for the complete carrying of the powers of the stipendiary magistrates into execution; which forms shall be submitted by such governor to the chief civil judge of each such colony respectively; and, being approved by such judge, the same shall be observed in all proceedings before the said stipendiary magistrates.

4. All such forms of proceeding shall, from time to time, be revised, repealed, or amended, by the authority, and in the manner aforesaid, as occasion may require.

5. No sentence, award, or order made by any stipendiary magistrate in the execution of the jurisdiction so vested in him, shall be liable to be reversed, set aside, appealed from, or questioned, by any court of justice in any of the said colonies, except on the ground of an unlawful assumption of power, or other illegality on the part of such stipendiary magistrate; but the same, when consistent with law, shall, to all intents and purposes, be binding, final, and conclusive.

6. For all acts done by any stipendiary magistrate in the exercise of the jurisdiction hereby vested in him, such magistrate shall have, and be entitled to, the same protection and indemnity as by any law in force in the colony any magistrate is entitled to claim, or to have, in respect of any act by him done in execution of the powers vested by law in him.

7. On complaint preferred, and proof made before any stipendiary magistrate, that any servant has neglected to perform his stipulated work, or that he has performed it negligently or improperly, or that by negligence or other improper conduct he has injured the property of his master entrusted to his care, the magistrate may, in his discretion, adjudge the servant to any one or more of the following penalties; that is to say, a pecuniary penalty for the benefit of the master, not exceeding one month's wages, or the commitment of the servant to prison, with or without hard labour, for any term not exceed-

ing fourteen days, or the dissolution of the contract of service.

8. On complaint preferred and proof made by a servant before any stipendiary magistrate that his master has not paid the servant's wages, or delivered to him the articles stipulated for, or that the articles so delivered were not of the prescribed amount and quality, or that by the negligence, or other improper conduct of the master, the contract of service has not been faithfully performed, or that the master has ill used the servant, the stipendiary magistrate may make order for the payment of the wages in arrear, or for the delivery of the stipulated articles, or for compensation to be made to the servant for any injury by him sustained by such negligence or improper conduct of the master, or by his non-fulfilment of the contract, or by his ill usage of the servant; and if such order be not complied with according to the exigency and tenor thereof, the magistrate shall and may issue a warrant for the seizure and sale of the goods of the master, or so much thereof as may be requisite for making such compensation; and failing any sufficient distress, the magistrate shall and may make order for the commitment of the master to prison, for any time not exceeding one month, unless compensation be sooner made. The magistrate may also in any of the cases aforesaid, if he shall see fit, order the contract of service to be cancelled, either in addition to, or in substitution for, any such order as aforesaid.

9. Nothing herein contained shall prevent, or be construed to prevent, any proceeding before the ordinary tribunals of the colony for any ill usage of a servant by his master, or of a master by his servant, if the stipendiary magistrate shall decline to entertain any such case, and shall see fit to refer the same to the ordinary course of law.

10. If any question shall arise between a master and a servant respecting the meaning of their contract, or the rights of either party under the same, or the obligation imposed on either party thereby, it shall be lawful for the stipendiary magistrate, on the application of either party, to arbitrate between them; and his award, on all such questions so brought before him, shall be conclusive without appeal.

CAP. V.

On the Subordination of the Stipendiary Magistrates to the Governor, and of the Police to the Stipendiary Magistrates.

Sec. 1. Every stipendiary magistrate shall hold his

office during Her Majesty's pleasure, and shall be liable to be suspended therefrom by the governor of the colony, until Her Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

2. Every such magistrate shall act for such district or districts as shall from time to time be assigned for that purpose by the governor. Every such magistrate shall be obedient to the lawful commands of the governor in all things relating to the duties of the office of such magistrate. Every such stipendiary magistrate shall be bound to make to the governor such general or special reports of his proceedings in the discharge of such his duty as the governor shall from time to time require of him.

3. The stipendiary magistrates shall from time to time, as occasion may appear to them to require, or where they shall be so directed by the governor, meet together in petty sessions, at which sessions not less than two such stipendiary magistrates shall ever be present; and it shall be lawful for such stipendiary magistrates, in petty sessions assembled, to associate with themselves one ordinary justice of the peace, and no more; and such stipendiary magistrates and justice, or the majority of them may, in such petty sessions assembled, exercise any of the powers hereby vested in the stipendiary magistrate separately, provided that no such petty sessions be convened except by the previous sanction of the governor of the colony, which sanction may be given either for holding such sessions periodically, at some times and places to be appointed by him, or for holding the same for any special occasion at any particular time and place.

4. All constables and other officers of police in the said colonies, respectively, shall obey and carry into execution all lawful orders and warrants of the respective stipendiary magistrates or of any such petty sessions as aforesaid.

CAP. VI.

Respecting the Combination of Masters and Workmen.

Sec. 1. The Act of the British Parliament passed in the sixth year of the reign of George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to repeal the Laws relative to the Combination of Workmen, and for other purposes therein mentioned," shall be in force in the said colonies, and applied in the administration of the law therein, so far as it may be practicable to apply the same; but the powers thereby vested in the justices of the peace in England shall in the said colonies be

vested in the said stipendiary magistrate, and the power thereby vested in any court of general or quarter sessions shall in the said colonies be vested in the said before-mentioned court of petty sessions, and the power thereby vested in Her Majesty's superior courts of Westminster shall in the said colonies respectively be vested in the superior courts of civil and criminal justice thereof; and for the better adaptation of the said Act of Parliament, to the circumstances of the said respective colonies, such analogous forms of proceeding shall be prescribed, in manner aforesaid, by the governor of each such colony respectively, with the sanction of the chief judge of the same. C. C. Greville.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorises the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that Robert John Smith, of Wycombe-abbey, in the county of Buckingham, commonly called the Honourable Robert John Smith, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Chipping Wycombe, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough of Chipping Wycombe, in the room of the said Robert John Smith, now a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued as aforesaid, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 24th day of September 1838.

JAS. ABERCROMBY, Speaker.

Downing-Street, September 27, 1838.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Cooper, Esq. to be Judge of the Province of South Australia.

War-Office, 28th September 1838.

7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Nenon, Armstrong, from the 30th Regiment, to be Pay-

master, vice Thomas Stevenson, who reverts to his former half-pay. Dated 28th September 1838.

2d Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Powell, from the half-pay of the 14th Foot, to be Lieutenant, repaying the difference, vice Moore, appointed Paymaster to the 57th Foot. Dated 28th September 1838.

Ensign Henry William Stisted to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Powell, who retires. Dated 29th September 1838.

Frederick Connor, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stisted. Dated 29th September 1838.

47th Foot, Ensign Alan James Gulston to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Allan, who retires. Dated 28th September 1838.

Walter Douglas Phillipps Patton, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Gulston. Dated 28th September 1838.

64th Foot, Captain Thomas Landers, from the half-pay of the 39th Foot, to be Captain, vice Goring, deceased. Dated 28th September 1838.

69th Foot, Percival Fenwick, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Coates, promoted. Dated 28th September 1838.

BREVET.

Captain Giovanni Gouder, of the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment, to be Major in the Army, with local and temporary rank. Dated 28th June 1838.

MEMORANDUM.

The names of the Lieutenant, on half pay of the 5th Garrison Battalion, are Coakley *Leevis*, and not Coakley *Lewis*, as heretofore stated.

Whitehall, September 22, 1838.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Robinson Grey, late of Silksworth, in the county palatine of Durham, but now of Norton, in the said county, Esq. second surviving son of Thomas Robinson Grey, late of Norton aforesaid, Esq. a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and grandson of Chipchase Grey, of Sunderland, in the said county palatine, by Anne, his wife, daughter of Thomas Robinson, of Sunderland aforesaid, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of his cousin William Robinson, late of Silksworth aforesaid, Esq. deceased, the only child and heir of William Robinson, who was the brother of Anne, the wife of Chipchase Grey before-mentioned, henceforth take and use the surname of Robinson, instead of that of Grey, and also bear the arms of Robinson; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Office of Commissioners of Compensation,
No. 25, Great George-Street, West-
minster, September 21, 1838.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Commissioners will proceed to consider the contested claims (according to the priority of the number of each case) in the several counties in the island of JAMAICA, on the days and in the order after mentioned, at twelve o'clock on each day, when the parties interested, or their agents, will attend accordingly, viz.

The contested cases in the several parishes in the county of Middlesex, together with those in the parish of Kingston, on Wednesday the 17th day of October next, and on every succeeding Wednesday until further notice.

The contested cases in the several parishes in the county of Cornwall, together with those in the several parishes in the county of Surrey (except the parish of Kingston), on Monday the 22d day of October next, and on every succeeding Monday until further notice.

The Commissioners will also proceed to consider the contested claims (according to the priority of the number of each case) in the under-mentioned colonies, on the days and in the order after mentioned, at twelve o'clock on each day, when the parties interested, or their agents, will attend accordingly, viz.

The contested cases in the several colonies of St. Lucia, Antigua, Montserrat, St. Christopher, Nevis, Honduras, Bermuda, and Bahamas, on Tuesday the 16th day of October next, and on every succeeding Tuesday until further notice; and

The contested cases in the several colonies of Barbadoes, St. Vincent, Dominica, Grenada, Virgin Islands, Tobago, British Guiana, and Trinidad, on Thursday the 18th day of October next, and on every succeeding Thursday until further notice.

By order of the Board,

Henry Hill, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Catholic Chapel, situated in the parish of St. John, Maddermarket, in the city of Norwich, in the district of Norwich, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 20th day of September 1838, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th William 4, chap 85.

Witness my hand this 22d day of September 1838,
Francis John Blake, Superintendent Registrar.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT PLYMOUTH.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
September 14, 1838.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice,

hal on Tuesday the 16th October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Admiral Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Dock-yard at Plymouth, several lots of

Old Stores,

Consisting of old Rope, Shakings, Spun Yarn, Unlayed Yarn, Canvas, Hemp Top-pings, Tyers and Rakings, Ocham, old Iron, &c. &c. &c.

all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots, must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

CONTRACTS FOR VEGETABLES AT DEPTFORD AND WOOLWICH.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualing and Transport Services, Somerset Place, September 27, 1838

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 25th October next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's ships at Deptford and Woolwich with Vegetables.

The contract to be for three years, commencing on the 1st April 1839.

The conditions of the contracts may be seen at the said Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorised in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words, "Tender for Vegetables," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £100, for the due performance of each of the contracts.

London Docks.

London Dock-House, New Bank-Buildings, September 26, 1838.

NOTICE is hereby given, that unless the goods, which have been sold at this Company's Rummage Sales, shall be taken away within fifteen days from this date, they will be destroyed, pursuant to the conditions of sale.

The particulars and buyers' names may be ascertained, by application to the Accountant, at the Superintendent's Office at the Docks.

J. D. Powles, Secretary.

East India-House, September 26, 1838.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company do hereby give notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House, in Leadenhall-street,

on Tuesday the 9th of October next, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon until six in the evening, for the purpose of taking a ballot, in pursuance of the following requisition, viz.

"We, the undersigned, Proprietors of East India Stock, duly qualified according to law, desire that the question of the proposed grant of £5000, to the estate of the late Mr. Fraser, may be decided by ballot.

(Signed)

Chas. Forbes.

Thos. Marriott.

Chas. Blake.

Fielder Jenkins.

J. Poynder.

Chas. Grant.

W. Wigram.

John Cotton.

John Shepherd.

Hy. St. Geo. Tucker."

The question alluded to in the foregoing requisition, and upon which the ballot is to be taken, is as follows, viz

"That this Court approve the resolution of the Court of Directors of the 5th September, granting the sum of £5000 to the estate of the late Mr. William Fraser, Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General at Delhi, upon the grounds therein stated, subject to the confirmation of another General Court."

The said resolution and the several documents upon which it is formed, are open at this House, for the perusal of the Proprietors.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children.

September 24, 1838.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the stated Quarterly General Meeting of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital will be held on Wednesday the 3d day of October next, at ten o'clock in the morning precisely, to elect a Vice-President of the Corporation in the room of the Right Honourable Sir John Nicholl, deceased; and on other business.

By order,

Morris Lievesley, Secretary.

Globe Insurance, London,

September 27, 1838.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Globe Insurance Company will be held at the Company's Office, in Cornhill, on Thursday the 11th day of October next, at one o'clock precisely, for the election of a Director, in the room of Ralph Nicholson, Esq. deceased. The ballot to commence at one and close at three o'clock.

By order of the Board,

John Charles Denham, Secretary.

Kellewerris Consols Mining Company.

19, Austin Friars, September 27, 1838.

THE Directors hereby give notice, that 1730 shares are absolutely forfeited for want of payment of the third call of ten shillings per share, due on the 28th day of June last.

The following are the numbers of the scrips of five shares each, making in the whole 1730 shares in the above Company, which are absolutely forfeited:

11	643	1050	1208	1282	1512	1816
12	644	1051	1209	1283	1513	1820
104	645	1052	1210	1309	1514	1830
105	658	1064	1211	1358	1515	1831
106	659	1065	1212	1359	1516	1832
107	663	1069	1213	1360	1517	1836
108	674	1070	1214	1380	1518	1837
109	675	1073	1215	1393	1519	1838
110	676	1074	1219	1440	1520	1881
205	677	1076	1220	1441	1521	1893
206	682	1078	1221	1443	1522	1894
401	683	1079	1222	1444	1523	1914
402	684	1080	1225	1445	1524	1917
403	685	1081	1231	1446	1525	1913
409	709	1082	1232	1447	1526	1914
410	710	1083	1233	1448	1527	1915
407	713	1084	1234	1449	1528	1918
469	714	1085	1335	1450	1529	1919
470	715	1086	1236	1457	1558	1981
471	716	1087	1237	1458	1601	1916
472	720	1088	1338	1459	1675	1997
473	812	1089	1239	1460	1674	1998
474	813	1090	1240	1461	1675	1999
475	814	1091	1241	1470	1677	2000
477	815	1092	1242	1471	1678	2006
479	816	1093	1243	1474	1690	2007
480	817	1094	1244	1480	1691	2012
481	818	1124	1245	1481	1696	2019
482	819	1115	1247	1482	1697	2020
493	825	1126	1248	1483	1701	2031
573	826	1127	1251	1489	1711	2035
575	859	1128	1254	1490	1702	2038
584	851	1129	1255	1491	1703	2039
591	893	1130	1256	1492	1704	2195
614	909	1131	1257	1494	1705	2016
615	1033	1138	1259	1495	1717	2199
616	1036	1182	1261	1496	1725	2234
629	1037	1183	1261	1497	1726	2235
630	1038	1184	1262	1500	1728	2216
631	1039	1185	1263	1501	1720	2241
632	1040	1196	1264	1502	1781	2242
633	1041	1199	1265	1503	1781	2242
634	1042	1200	1266	1501	1781	2248
635	1043	1201	1267	1505	1809	2341
636	1044	1202	1268	1505	1810	2345
637	1045	1203	1269	1507	1811	2350
638	1046	1204	1270	1508	1812	
639	1047	1205	1271	1509	1813	
640	1048	1206	1272	1510	1814	
642	1049	1207	1278	1511	1815	

Henry Tribe, Secretary.

Alliance Marine Assurance Company.

THIS is to give notice, that an Extraordinary General Court of the Alliance Marine Assurance Company will be held at the Office of the Company, in Bartholomew Lane London, on Wednesday the 10th day of October next, at twelve o'clock at noon for one in the afternoon precisely, for the election of a Director, in the room of William Kay, Esq. deceased.—Dated this 27th day of September 1838.

Frederick Secretan, Superintendent.

Alliance British and Foreign Life and Fire Assurance Company.

THIS is to give notice, that an Extraordinary General Court of the Members of the Alliance British and Foreign Life and Fire Assurance Company will be holden on Wednesday the 10th day of October next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Office of the Company, in Bartholomew Lane, London, for the purpose of electing a Director, in the room of William Kay, Esq. deceased.—Dated this 28th day of September 1838.

A Hamilton, Secretary.

Boringdon Park Mine.

No. 2, White Lion-Court, Cornhill.
September 21, 1838.

THE Directors give notice, that, conformable to the power vested in them by the 16th clause of the rules and regulations, they hereby declare forfeited all shares in the above Company, upon which the third call, of ten shillings per share, shall not have been paid, on or Monday the 1st day of October next.

S. Clare, Secretary.

Wheat Gilbert Tin and Copper Mining Company, St. Erth, Cornwall.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, at a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders in the Wheat Gilbert Tin and Copper Mining Company, duly convened, and held at Pearce's Hotel, in the borough of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, on Saturday the 8th day of September instant, it was unanimously resolved, "that the said Company be forthwith dissolved;" and that, at a second Special General Meeting of the said Shareholders, duly convened, and held at Pearce's Hotel aforesaid, on Tuesday the 18th day of September instant, it was unanimously resolved, "that the above-mentioned resolution be adopted and confirmed, and that the said Company be forthwith dissolved."—Dated 18th September 1838.

Signed by C. W. Turner, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, as Wholesale Looking-Glass, Picture-Frame, and Moulding Manufacturers, Carvers, and Gilders, and carried on by us in Bouverie-street, Fleet-street, in the city of London, under the style and firm of Willett and Blanford, was dissolved as and from the 31st day of August last. All debts due to and owing by the late copartnership will be paid and received by William Blanford, at the place aforesaid.—Dated this 25th day of September 1838.

Frances E. G. Willett.

William Blanford.

TAKE notice, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, William Roberts, late of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, but now of Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, and Charles Duncley, of Wolverhampton aforesaid, as Mercers and Drapers at Wolverhampton aforesaid, was, on the 12th day of March last, by mutual consent, dissolved; and that, by the like consent, all debts due from or to our late firm will be paid and received by the said Charles Duncley, by whom our said business has since the said dissolution, and will in future be carried on, upon his sole credit and account.—Dated this 21st day of September 1838.

William Roberts.

Chas. Duncley.

(For Continuation of the Dissolution of Partnerships, see page 2099.)

WEEKLY RETURNS of the Quantities and Price of BRITISH CORN, IMPERIAL Measure, as received from the Inspectors in the following Cities and Towns in ENGLAND and WALES, from which the Prices that govern Importation are calculated, conformably to the Act of the 9th Geo. IV. cap. 60.

Markets.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.		
	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.
	Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.	
Received in the Week ended September 21, 1838.																		
London	5083	0	16207 6 4	968	0	1655 10 1	19381	0	22269 8 4	188	0	369 1 9	917	0	1736 1 8	788	0	1629 12 10
Uxbridge	705	0	2310 4 3	32	0	51 14 6	79	0	174 4 0	7	0	13 19 0	27	0	54 2 0	12	0	22 16 0
Hertford	236	0	726 17 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royston	232	4	675 5 0	—	—	—	10	0	11 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grifford	366	2	1224 15 0	10	0	16 0 0	60	0	66 15 0	83	4	164 12 0	15	0	30 15 0	7	0	14 0 0
Ohelmsford	1594	0	4696 6 4	50	0	79 5 0	4	4	6 6 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	0	73 11 0
Colchester	1097	3	3199 2 0	365	2	584 6 11	73	0	81 8 6	41	2	72 4 6	—	—	—	10	4	17 6 6
Romford	547	0	1959 16 2	13	6	22 0 0	5	2	6 6 0	69	0	130 19 0	47	4	32 7 6	11	0	20 15 0
Widstone	283	4	847 6 0	12	0	18 16 0	4	0	4 8 0	—	—	—	3	0	5 11 0	5	0	8 12 6
Canterbury	903	0	2768 17 0	398	0	658 7 0	170	0	211 10 0	—	—	—	118	0	244 16 0	36	0	62 3 0
Dartford	244	0	773 17 0	5	0	8 15 0	50	0	61 10 0	25	0	46 0 0	—	—	—	5	0	10 10 0
Orchester	712	4	2326 4 0	141	4	224 15 0	50	4	55 15 3	—	—	—	9	4	17 7 0	18	0	33 3 0
Tewkes	365	0	1135 16 0	59	4	103 3 0	254	4	269 2 0	—	—	—	60	0	109 3 0	76	0	129 4 0
Rye	110	0	338 16 0	—	—	—	120	0	143 0 0	—	—	—	40	0	16 0 0	—	—	—
Bedford	337	4	1017 3 0	56	0	83 17 0	48	0	60 3 0	6	7	12 11 0	44	2	81 2 6	12	4	22 15 0
Windsor	40	4	129 2 0	29	4	47 7 0	10	4	13 13 0	37	0	69 9 0	16	4	33 3 0	1	0	1 18 0
Reading	550	0	1852 1 6	12	0	20 5 0	21	0	24 9 0	9	0	18 18 0	—	—	—	5	0	9 15 0
Aylesbury	87	4	249 6 0	2	0	3 4 0	8	0	10 12 6	—	—	—	18	0	33 18 0	12	4	24 16 6
Oxford	404	0	1224 1 6	133	0	197 1 0	73	0	92 12 0	—	—	—	102	0	199 18 6	18	0	32 13 6
Huntingdon	556	4	1616 9 0	61	0	88 6 0	132	0	123 1 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	0	58 1 0
Cambridge	1109	3	3291 13 9	272	4	344 17 9	328	2	347 12 3	45	0	69 5 0	35	6	68 6 0	9	0	15 15 0
Ely	532	3	1521 1 3	22	0	33 12 6	47	0	56 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wisbeach	2840	5	8416 15 7	19	0	26 10 0	570	4	599 7 2	—	—	—	72	0	140 7 0	—	—	—
Ipswich	1845	1	5548 0 0	655	0	1081 7 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	382	4	768 16 0	2	0	3 4 0
Woodbridge	1805	1	5141 5 0	559	7	862 16 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	133	4	260 6 0	39	0	68 2 0
Sidbury	298	2	859 13 0	11	0	16 10 0	45	0	53 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	4	22 19 0
Hadleigh	578	3	1094 14 6	44	7	73 16 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	67	0	135 0 0	25	0	41 0 0
Stow Market	419	0	1182 10 9	10	0	15 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	0	27 6 0	—	—	—
Bury	4071	7	3138 0 6	159	4	244 10 9	155	4	172 9 0	274	0	438 18 0	8	6	15 5 3	11	0	17 12 0
Beccles	460	0	1288 14 6	21	0	33 7 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bungay	671	0	1872 1 0	16	0	25 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lowestoft	56	0	160 14 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norwich	2804	3	7995 14 9	415	0	648 18 6	—	—	—	35	4	55 6 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yarmouth	439	7	1262 11 1	38	0	61 6 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leam	2154	2	6202 15 0	376	0	623 16 6	41	5	43 15 0	186	0	280 9 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thetford	47	4	49 10 2	27	0	37 14 10	—	—	—	70	0	112 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—

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MARKETS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.		
	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.
	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.
Watton	18	0	51 16 0	5	0	7 10 0	—	—	—	10	0	15 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diss	312	0	859 9 6	15	2	21 10 0	12	2	14 6 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
East Dereham ..	335	0	924 8 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harleston	933	1	2313 6 3	8	0	12 0 0	—	—	—	6	0	10 16 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Holt	443	2	1254 6 9	1	5	2 8 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aylesham	148	0	422 16 5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fakenham	734	1	2081 15 9	—	—	—	32	4	37 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North Walsham ..	223	4	610 5 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lincoln	2282	4	6997 16 0	71	4	110 16 6	343	0	356 7 0	—	—	—	139	0	281 11 0	—	—	—
Gainsbrough	954	0	3031 14 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	17 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Glinford Bridge ..	128	0	392 13 0	—	—	—	30	0	37 10 0	—	—	—	8	0	16 19 0	—	—	—
Louth	228	4	667 9 0	1	0	1 12 0	147	0	161 9 0	10	0	19 0 0	22	0	49 8 0	—	—	—
Boston	3349	0	10100 10 6	—	—	—	2340	4	2333 10 7	—	—	—	130	0	258 10 0	—	—	—
Sleaford	331	0	982 6 3	—	—	—	75	0	80 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stamford	200	0	599 14 0	30	0	48 0 0	85	0	103 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Spalding	1083	0	3142 5 6	—	—	—	65	0	67 2 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
York	425	0	1405 5 4	14	0	24 5 6	156	0	161 3 11	4	0	7 8 8	19	0	41 3 4	—	—	—
Leeds	3002	7	10228 11 3	42	0	66 12 0	773	5	979 8 5	—	—	—	333	0	661 16 0	81	3	161 10 3
Wakefield	2703	0	8944 18 6	25	0	38 15 0	389	0	463 0 4	—	—	—	303	0	615 8 0	26	0	46 17 0
Bridlington	—	—	—	—	—	—	188	4	217 14 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beverley	48	4	155 15 6	10	0	15 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	40 0 0	—	—	—
Howden	54	0	163 13 0	—	—	—	50	0	53 15 0	—	—	—	11	0	22 0 0	—	—	—
Sheffield	168	4	579 18 5	5	0	8 0 0	93	0	129 16 3	7	4	14 2 6	15	0	33 12 6	26	2	54 2 9
Hull	119	7	371 9 4	82	0	127 8 0	163	0	172 19 6	—	—	—	12	0	24 0 0	—	—	—
Whitby	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Malton	102	1	327 8 0	6	2	9 16 0	508	5	565 7 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Darham	93	0	302 10 6	—	—	—	100	0	140 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stockton	210	3	683 6 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Darlington	79	5	303 7 4	—	—	—	31	5	41 8 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunderland	236	4	751 10 0	—	—	—	30	0	43 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barnard Castle ..	148	0	553 17 9	—	—	—	4	0	6 16 0	—	—	—	3	0	6 6 0	—	—	—
Wolsingham	85	0	332 11 3	—	—	—	17	4	27 5 5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Belford	65	0	212 6 8	15	0	26 0 0	40	4	54 12 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hexham	125	0	441 14 4	37	4	76 11 3	48	6	72 6 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Newcastle	986	4	3186 1 6	—	—	—	305	6	422 0 5	264	4	544 4 0	42	0	81 0 0	—	—	—
Morpeth	83	0	288 7 6	—	—	—	60	0	82 10 0	3	0	6 0 0	5	0	9 10 0	6	2	11 17 6
Alnwick	—	—	—	16	4	31 19 0	28	4	38 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	4	15 15 0
Berwick	165	6	539 3 6	—	—	—	24	0	30 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carlisle	87	3	337 11 0	18	6	44 19 6	59	5	85 18 6	3	6	8 16 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whitehaven	22	1	93 6 9	7	7	15 12 5	54	0	69 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cockermouth	106	4	407 7 3	48	3	112 9 5	43	1	62 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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MARKETS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.		
	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.
	Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.		Qrs.	Bs.	
Penrith	108	0	427 6 3	22	4	47 6 0	114	4	169 1 6	12	0	30 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Egremont	27	3	114 19 6	11	7	29 0 10	14	4	22 2 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Appleby	49	2	192 1 6	12	2	26 6 9	104	0	150 16 0	6	2	17 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kendal	17	2	63 1 6	—	—	—	2	6	3 12 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chester	46	0	141 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nantwich	214	3	736 8 6	—	—	—	130	3	154 13 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Middlewich	63	4	209 16 3	—	—	—	25	5	34 11 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Four Lane Ends	22	3	87 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liverpool	1572	3	5079 5 5	239	7	313 4 11	1622	6	1678 14 10	—	—	—	75	0	168 15 0	83	0	159 4 0
Ulverstone	11	2	44 5 0	—	—	—	58	4	80 10 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lancaster	63	6	236 8 2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Preston	70	5	249 9 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wigan	83	2	273 13 4	—	—	—	65	3	69 18 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Warrington	281	0	909 14 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manchester	657	2	2394 11 0	—	—	—	254	0	289 19 2	—	—	—	197	0	426 6 6	—	—	—
Bolton	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	7	60 16 1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Derby	113	0	383 15 6	4	0	6 4 0	101	0	136 4 0	—	—	—	10	0	20 10 0	—	—	—
Nottingham	709	0	2345 3 0	—	—	—	181	0	234 16 6	—	—	—	58	0	119 19 0	—	—	—
Newark	700	0	2198 8 9	161	0	254 4 11	137	0	180 7 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leicester	710	0	2309 19 0	207	0	345 18 0	38	0	51 9 0	—	—	—	73	0	148 14 0	5	0	7 15 0
Northampton	973	0	2873 2 0	347	0	480 17 0	105	0	150 0 0	49	0	83 6 0	195	0	324 15 0	105	0	178 2 6
Coventry	27	6	88 18 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Birmingham	768	7	2450 3 3	310	0	541 9 6	145	0	178 15 0	30	0	57 0 0	82	2	173 10 0	166	6	358 18 0
Worcester	869	5	2470 10 6	37	4	58 15 0	15	0	21 0 0	37	4	75 0 0	132	6	267 16 6	54	3	105 2 6
Warminster	466	0	1578 9 0	13	0	20 6 0	113	0	137 8 0	—	—	—	12	4	26 17 6	—	—	—
Denbigh	12	6	51 1 0	—	—	—	3	2	4 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wrexham	136	6	510 10 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carnarvon	18	0	75 8 0	21	0	45 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Haverfordwest	8	6	30 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carmarthen	76	3	268 9 9	—	—	—	58	0	45 4 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cardiff	58	7	187 10 0	—	—	—	125	0	125 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gloucester	393	4	1232 13 10	93	0	138 5 0	600	4	691 0 1	—	—	—	82	4	158 0 0	—	—	—
Cirencester	604	0	1844 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	0	51 5 0	—	—	—
Tetbury	113	5	382 2 10	—	—	—	42	0	55 2 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stow on the Wold	149	0	442 0 4	33	0	51 0 0	10	0	13 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tewksbury	194	4	603 17 8	20	0	31 0 0	78	6	91 1 3	—	—	—	15	0	28 5 0	—	—	—
Bristol	214	2	677 19 4	—	—	—	1016	2	1050 10 0	—	—	—	56	2	118 15 0	7	4	18 0 0
Taunton	562	4	1834 2 1	106	7	163 16 3	31	0	40 8 0	—	—	—	9	0	16 4 0	—	—	—
Wells	No	—	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridgewater	73	1	249 16 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	72	4	137 15 0	—	—	—
Frome	6	0	21 0 0	—	—	—	29	0	35 14 6	—	—	—	6	0	13 16 0	—	—	—

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	Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.				
	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		
MARKETS.																											
Chard	278	1	955	18	2	25	0	37	10	0	28	8	28	9	9												
Monmouth	94	4	337	18	6																						
Abergavenny	61	5	218	5	1																						
Gleystow	22	6	78	12	0																						
Pontipool	50	2	181	6	4																						
Exeter	111	5	352	16	10	35	2	60	15	0																	
Barnstaple	16	2	62	15	6						8	5	7	17	0												
Plymouth	84	5	295	4	0	28	6	47	12	6																	
Tolness	8	0	28	0	0																						
Tavistock	34	0	120	14	0						28	0	30	7	6												
Kingsbridge	None Sold.																										
Truro	16	7	54	0	0	15	0	22	0	0	113	4	113	10	0												
Bodmin	65	0	243	9	7	40	3	23	9	6	38	0	37	6	8												
Launceston	29	7	104	18	0	6	4	10	8	3	9	3	9	19	0												
Redruth						15	0	28	0	0																	
Helstone	29	5	99	12	0	10	1	15	8	0																	
St. Austell	47	2	170	13	6	50	5	90	0	0	16	7	21	7	6												
Blandford	146	4	506	19	0						10	0	11	16	0												
Bridport	7	0	21	0	0																						
Dorchester	150	0	516	12	6						20	0	24	0	0												
Sherborne	59	0	192	2	0																						
Shaston	None Sold.																										
Wareham	243	4	866	12	0	15	0	22	0	0	5	0	6	10	0												
Winchester	295	4	959	11	6	36	0	53	11	0																	
Andover	127	4	423	17	0	Incor. rect.					40	0	50	0	0	97	4	203	12	6							
Basingstoke	154	4	494	1	6						20	0	24	10	0						12	4	25	0	0		
Fareham	150	0	452	3	0	23	4	41	16	6	18	0	16	16	0							6	0	16	4	0	
Havant	416	4	1306	4	0	23	0	36	0	0																	
Newport	317	2	979	6	3	35	0	83	10	0	10	0	10	0	0						3	4	6	9	6		
Ringwood	20	0	63	10	0																						
Southampton	None Sold.																										
Portsmouth	124	4	378	4	0	30	0	45	10	0	15	0	15	15	0							2	0	3	16	0	
GENERAL WEEKLY AVERAGE			61	10	929			32	2	939			22	9	729			36	4	760			39	7	113		
AGGREGATE AVERAGE OF SIX WEEKS WHICH CO- VERS DUTY			70	7				33	9				23	9				38	5				40	0		37	8

THE

AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 25th day of September 1838,

Is *Twenty-nine Shillings and Two Pence* per Hundred Weight,

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN.

Grocers'-Hall,

September 28, 1838.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL, Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

September 25, 1838.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Wright and John Trail, of No. 20, Upper North-place, Gray's-inn-road, Solicitors and Attorneys at Law, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Jno. Wright.

J. Trail.

Liverpool, September 18, 1838.

THE Partnership carried on at Liverpool, Bahia, and Pernambuco, by Thomas Stewart, James Stewart, and John Stewart, under the firm of Stewart, Brothers, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 31st March last.

Thomas Stewart.

James Stewart.

John Stewart.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, as Joiners and Builders, in Salford, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Cochrane and Jones, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts will be received and paid by William Jones, who will carry on the business in future: As witness our hands this 20th day of September 1838.

Archibald Cochrane.

William Jones.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Southall, William Southall, and Samuel Dickinson, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Wholesale Druggists, carried on under the style and firm of Southalls and Dickinson, is and stands dissolved, so far as respects the said Samuel Dickinson, from the 30th day of June last, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said late firm will be paid and received by the said Thomas Southall and William Southall.—Dated the 27th day of September 1838.

Thomas Southall.

William Southall.

Samuel Dickinson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Samuels the younger, Edward Warburton Coulborn, and Richard Owen Coulborn, as Fustian-Manufacturers and Warehousemen, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Samuels, Coulborn, and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by and to the said concern will be paid and received by the said Edward Warburton Coulborn and Richard Owen Coulborn, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated the 1st day of June 1838.

John Samuels, junr.

Edward Warburton Coulborn.

Richard Owen Coulborn.

THE Copartnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, William Wilson, of Maranham, in Brazil, as Merchants and Commission Agents, at Maranham, under the firm of Heskeths, Wilson, and Company, and at Liverpool, under the firm of Thomas Hesketh, has been dissolved and determined by mutual consent.—Dated Liverpool, the 24th day of September 1838.

William Wilson.

Thomas Hesketh.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Sellers and Josiah Morigin, carrying on business at Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, as Stone-Masons, under the firm of Sellers and Morigin, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 20th day of September 1838.

Henry Sellers.

Josiah Morigin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by Mr. Joseph Jones and Company, and Edward Russell Seller, at their Brewery, in Holyhead, in the county of Anglesey, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, as far as relates to the said Edward Russell Seller; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Joseph Jones and Company.—Witness our hands the 18th day of September 1838.

Joseph Jones.

Edward Russell Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between James Billingham and George Bird, and carried on under the firm of Billingham and Bird, China, Glass and Earthenware Dealers, No. 322, Regent-street, parish of Mary-le-bone, county of Middlesex, is dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said firm are to be received by George Bird, and all debts owing by the said firm are to be paid by George Bird. The business will be continued by James Billingham: In witness thereof we set our hand and seal this 27th day of September 1838.

Jms. Billingham.

G. Bird.

THE Partnership carried on by us the undersigned, George Webb, Thomas Baker, John Perrin, and Thomas Sharp, of Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Omnibus Proprietors, under the style and firm of George Webb and Company, was this day dissolved as effects or relates to the said John Perrin; and the said business will in future be carried on by the said George Webb, Thomas Baker, and Thomas Sharp.—Dated this 26th day of September 1838.

George Webb.

The
Thomas x Baker.

Mark of

John Perrin.

Thomas Sharp.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Keating and Redmond, as Ship Brokers and Commission Agents, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 26th day of September 1838.

*John Francis Keating.
W. Redmond.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Bury Fuller and Francis Wheatley Preston, as Attorneys and Solicitors, at Tenbury, in the county of Worcester, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph Bury Fuller.—Dated this 7th day of September 1838.

*J. B. Fuller.
F. W. Preston.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, under the firm of John and James Heaton, in Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, as Printers, Booksellers, Stationers, and Publishers of the Bolton Chronicle Newspaper, was, on the 1st day of June 1837, dissolved by mutual consent: As witness our hands this 24th day of September 1838.

*John Heaton.
James Heaton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Moses Eyland the elder, Moses Eyland the younger, and William Eyland, of Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Saddlers, Ironmongers, Spectacle and Buckle Manufacturers, was this day amicably dissolved, so far as respects the said Moses Eyland the elder, who retires therefrom.—Dated this 21st day of September 1838.

*Moses Eyland, senr.
Moses Eyland, junr.
William Eyland.*

MAJOR CHARLES STEWART, deceased.

ALL persons having any claims or demands on the estate of Major Charles Stewart, late of the Royal Crescent, Bath, and of Kingswood Lodge, near Egham, in the county of Surrey, are requested to send the same immediately to me, in order that they may be examined and paid.

A. S. GREENE, Solicitor to the Executor.
Brighton, September 25, 1838.

Valuable Tin and Copper Mine, Steam Engine, and other Machinery and Materials for sale.

TO be sold by public auction, on Monday the 1st day of October next, by eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at Wheal Gilbert Mine, in the parish of St. Erth, in the county of Cornwall;

All that very extensive and valuable tin and copper mine, called Wheal Gilbert, situate in the parish of St. Erth, in the county of Cornwall, and now in full course of working.

And also the whole of the machinery and materials on the said mine, consisting of a steam engine, of 60 inch cylinder, nearly new and excellently constructed, with boilers, &c. complete; together with the following, amongst other, articles of mine materials, viz. 50 fathoms of main rods and plates, 13½ inch square; 22 fathoms of 8 inch ditto; 82 ditto of 6 inch ditto; bucket rods and joints; 14, 12, 8, and 7 inch boxes and brasses; 7 cisterns and bearers; 42 fathoms 16 inch plunger lift, and 14 fathoms of 14 inch drawing lift complete; 26 fathoms of 13 inch pumps; 3 12 inch working barrels, door pieces and windbores to fit; 8 inch working barrel, door piece and windbore to fit; 3 9 inch pumps; a 7 inch drawing lift complete; 5 horse whins, with ropes, kibbles, and tackle complete; 2 pair capstans, with shears and ropes complete; 4 pair blocks and ropes; the fixtures in the shafts and under ground, all in good working condition; a 30 feet wheel and stamping mill of 12 heads complete; and a 13½ ditto ditto of 8 heads; an under shot wheel with 4 heads; 2 calcipening houses and utensils complete; with a great variety of iron, timber, and other articles, too numerous to mention.

The above mine has been prosecuted with vigour by a scrip company (of which circumstances have rendered the dissolution necessary) at an expence of many thousands of pounds,

and various lodes have been opened, some of which have already produced considerable quantities of ore.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the agents, on the mine; Mr. Grylls, Redruth; or to Mr. William Trenery, Auctioneer and Mine Broker, Redruth.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Westminster, made in a cause *Hipkins v. Ledsam*, with the approbation of Jefferies Spranger, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at the Acorn Tavern, in Temple-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 24th day of October 1838, at four o'clock in the afternoon;

Certain freehold premises, situate in or near Gib-beath, Birmingham aforesaid, late the property of William Dyer, of Birmingham aforesaid, deceased.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) at the said Master's chambers, in the Inner-temple, London; of Messrs. Blackstock, Bun-e, Vincent, and Sherwood, Solicitors, Inner-temple aforesaid; Messrs. Austen and Hobson, Solicitors, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, London; Mr. Thomas Richard Tucker Hodgson, Solicitor, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid; and of Messrs. Palmer and Son, Solicitors, Birmingham aforesaid.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Poole against Poole, the creditors of Edward Poole, late of Harwich, in the county of Essex, Gentleman (who died in the month of March 1817), are, on or before the 2d day of November 1838, to come in and prove their debts before Sir Giffin Wilson, one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, or in default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Tharp versus Tharp*, the creditors of Benjamin Haughton Tharp, Esq. late of the parish of Saint James, county of Cornwall, in the island of Jamaica (who died on his passage to England, in the month of June 1834), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of December 1838, to come in and prove their debts before Nassau William Senior, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

WHEREAS John Jones, of the borough of Rhayader, in the county of Radnor, Flannel-Manufacturer, hath by indenture, bearing date the 22d day of January last, assigned all his estate and effects to trustees therein named, in trust, for the equal benefit of his creditors. Notice is, therefore, hereby given, that the said indenture of assignment now lies at the office of Mr. Williams, Solicitor, Rhayader, for the inspection and execution of such of the creditors of the said John Jones who may be willing to execute the same; and such of the creditors as shall refuse or neglect to execute the said indenture of assignment, or testify their consent, in writing, so to do, on or before the 1st day of December next, will be excluded all benefit arising therefrom.

Rhayader, 17th September 1838.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Handy Davis and Jesse Davis, of Chalford, in the county of Gloucester, Clothiers, Dealers and Chapmen, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, on Tuesday the 23d day of October next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Company's Arms Inn, at Chalford, in the county of Gloucester, to assent to or dissent from the said assignees making such allowance to the said bankrupts as will be named at such meeting, for the maintenance and support of the said bankrupts till their estate shall be wound up and settled; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling and disposing of, by private contract or otherwise, the residue of the real estate of the said bankrupts, or either of them; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Jesse Davis, one of the said bankrupts, continuing in the occupation of the dwelling-house, furniture, and effects at Chalford aforesaid; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against James Orange, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of E. Dakin and Co., are requested to meet the assignee of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, on Thursday the 25th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the George the Fourth Inn, in the town of Nottingham, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignee entering into and completing an arrangement with a certain person claiming to be a creditor of the said bankrupt's estate, and who will be named at such meeting, respecting the proof of his debt tendered at the last meeting of the Commissioners under the said fiat, and also to authorise the said assignee to make and enter into terms with such creditor in reference thereto; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee prosecuting or foregoing any claim or liability against the same person, whose name will be mentioned at such meeting, as an alleged partner with the said bankrupt; and to assent to or dissent from the assignee concurring with the directors of the Northern and Central Banking Company in the sale of the bankrupt's interest in the equity of redemption of certain estates, at Sheldon and Monyash, in the county of Derby, or one of them, to the mortgagee thereof, at the price and sum already offered for the same, or at such sum as will be stated to the meeting hereby convened, and to the handing over of the title deeds of such estates, now in the possession of the said bankrupt, to such mortgagee, and allowing the said bankrupt to receive the whole purchase or consideration money, and apply the same in part discharge of the debt owing to them from the said bankrupt in respect whereof the said bank hold such deeds and claims a lien thereon.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against David Davis, of Merthyr Tydvil, in the county of Glamorgan, Linen-Draper, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Saturday the 20th day of October next, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the office of Messrs. Clarke and Sons, Solicitors, Broad-street, Bristol, to assent to or dissent from the sale and disposal by the assignee of the stock in trade, household furniture, and effects of the said bankrupt, or any part thereof, either by public auction or private contract, or by tender, valuation, or appraisement, or partly by one mode and partly by another, and either for ready money or on credit, as the said assignee shall think fit, without being answerable for any loss to be occasioned thereby; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee making arrangements and concurring with the mortgagees of the leasehold shop and premises, situate in High-street, in Merthyr aforesaid, lately belonging to the said bankrupt, for the sale, by auction or private contract, of such premises, either together or in lots, at such price or prices, as the said assignee shall deem reasonable; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee paying, out of the said bankrupt's estate, certain expenses incurred, under the direction of certain creditors, in travelling and convening meetings of creditors, and also in issuing and superseding a former fiat, previous to the fiat now in prosecution being opened, in endeavouring to effect a compromise, and in relation thereto; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee commencing and prosecuting any action at law, or suit in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said bankrupt's estate or effects; or to the compounding or submitting to arbitration any such action or suit, or otherwise settling or adjusting the same, or any accounts, debts, or disputes of the said bankrupt; and also to the said assignee employing an accountant, or other person or persons, to assist in the collection, getting in, or disposal of the debts, estate, and effects of the said bankrupt, or otherwise in relation thereto, and paying a reasonable sum of money by way of compensation for his or their trouble; and generally to authorise the said assignee to adopt all such measures as he may deem most proper for the investigating and winding up the affairs of the said bankruptcy; and on other special affairs.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Francis Mason, of No. 2, Park-lane, Hyde-park, in the county of Middlesex, Dealer in Horses, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Sir Charles Frederick Williams, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of October next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, and on the 9th day

of November following, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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 first 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 Mr. James Clark, No. 28, St. Swithin's-lane, Lombard-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Feake Sandford, Solicitor, No. 9, Adelphi-terrace, Westminster.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Adam Joseph Kopsch, of Crown-court, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Silk-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Sir Charles Frederick Williams, a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of October next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, and on the 9th of November following, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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 first 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 and of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Clark, 28, St. Swithin's-lane, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Crowder and Maynard, Mansion-house-place.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Edmund Pulein and James Barritt Lowe, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners and Commission-Agents, Dealers and Chapman (carrying on business in copartnership at Manchester aforesaid, and also at Chorley, in the said county of Lancaster), and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Fiat named, or the major part of them, on the 13th day of October next, and on the 9th day of November following, at twelve o'clock at noon on each of the said days, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in Saint James's-square, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination, and the creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of their certificate. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Messrs. Joseph and William Heron, Solicitors, 21, Princess-street, Manchester, or to Messrs. Johnson, Son, and Weatherall, Solicitors, Temple, London.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against William Smith, of Thurmaston, in the county of Leicester, Sock-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Fiat named, or the major part of them, on the 9th day of October next, at nine in the forenoon, and on the 9th day of November following, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Castle of Leicester, in Leicester, in the said county of Leicester, 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 first 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. Thomas Toller, Solicitor, 6, Gray's-inn-square, London, or to Mr. Richard Toller, Solicitor, Leicester.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of June 1838, awarded and issued forth against Charles Thomas, of the Jerusalem Coffee-house, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, late of Lloyd's Coffee-house, in the city of London, Underwriter, afterwards carrying on business at Singapore, in the East Indies, in copartnership with William Renshaw George, under the firm of Charles Thomas and Company, will sit on the 19th of October next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Frederick Thresher Cooke, of Queen's-row, Pinlicko, in the county of Middlesex, Tobaccoist, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of October next, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against George Harrison, of the Coopers' Arms, Strutton-ground, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Licenced Victualler, will sit on the 19th of October next, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 18th day of January 1838, awarded and issued forth against George Cooper, of Darenty, in the county of Northampton, Currier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet (pursuant to adjournment) on the 23d of October next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Peacock Inn, in Northampton, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th of December 1837, awarded and issued forth against John Hoole, of Crookes, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 20th day of October next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Town-hall, in Sheffield, in the said county, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 1st day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Handy Davis and Jesse Davis, of Chalford, in the county of Gloucester, Clothiers, Dealers and Chapman (trading under the style or firm of H. and J. Davis), intend to meet on the 5th day of November next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the George Hotel, in Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under

the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 2d day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Richard Marshall, of the city of Bristol, Carpenter and Undertaker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 26th day of October next, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Commercial-rooms, in the city of Bristol, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 11th day of March 1837, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Johnston, of Lyncombe and Widcombe, near the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in St. James's-square, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts."

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of May 1838, awarded and issued against George Harrison, of the Coopers' Arms, Strutton-ground, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Licenced Victualler, will sit on the 19th day of October next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Frederick Thresher Cooke, of Queen's-row, Pinlicko, in the county of Middlesex, Tobaccoist, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of October next, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Final Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 21st day of April 1837, awarded and issued forth against John Holden and Thomas Makin Fisher, of Manchester, and of Bacup, both in the county of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners, Dealers, Chapman, and Copartners (carrying on business under the firm of John Holden and Company), intend to meet on the 22 day of October next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in St. James's-square, Manchester, to receive the Proof of Debts against the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Fiat, preparatory to the declaration, on the following day, of a First Dividend of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed; and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the last-named day, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act

to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and in order to make a First Dividend of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Fiat.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 21st day of April 1837, awarded and issued against John Holden and Thomas Makin Fisher, of Manchester, and of Bacup, both in the county of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners (carrying on business under the firm of John Holden and Company), intend to meet on the 24th of October next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners' rooms, in Saint James's-square, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, in order to receive the Proof of Debts against the separate estate and effects of Thomas Makin Fisher, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, preparatory to the declaration, on the following day, of a First Dividend of the said separate estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed; and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the last-named day, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of the said Thomas Makin Fisher under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and in order to make a First Dividend of the separate estate and effects of the said Thomas Makin Fisher under the said Fiat.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 21st day of April 1837, awarded and issued forth against John Holden and Thomas Makin Fisher, of Manchester, and of Bacup, both in the county of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners (carrying on business under the firm of John Holden and Company), intend to meet on the 26th day of October next, at eleven in the forenoon, at the Commissioners' rooms, in Saint James's-square, in Manchester aforesaid, in order to receive the Proof of Debts against the separate estate of John Holden, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, preparatory to the declaration, on the following day, of a First Dividend of the said separate estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed; and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the last-named day, at the same hour, and at the same place, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of the said John Holden under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and in order to make a First Dividend of the separate estate and effects of the said John Holden under the said Fiat.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Samuel Williams and John Williams, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Leather-Manufacturers, Leather-Dressers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 1st day of November next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Commissioners' rooms, Saint James's-square, in Manchester aforesaid, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of Samuel Williams, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the following day, at twelve at noon precisely, and at the same place, to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of the said Samuel Williams; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of May 1838, awarded and issued forth against Samuel Williams and John Williams, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Leather-Manufacturers, Leather-Dressers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, intend to meet on the 2d day of November next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Commissioners' rooms, in St. James's-square, in Manchester, in the said county of Lancaster, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the following day, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 26th of April 1838, awarded and issued forth against Gregory Secombe and Samuel Secombe, of Tavistock, in the county of Devon, and of Bude, in the county of Cornwall, Tailors, Drapers, Mercers, Dealers and Chapmen, intend to meet on the 22d of October next, at one in the afternoon, at the Royal Hotel, in Plymouth, in the county of Devon, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the same day, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of October 1837, awarded and issued forth against John Burgess, of Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d day of October next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the King's Head Inn, in Beccles, in the said county of Suffolk, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the same day, at twelve of the clock at noon, and at the same place, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of May 1837, awarded and issued forth against James Orange, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman (trading under the style or firm of E. Dakin and Co.), intend to meet on the 25th day of October next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the George the Fourth Inn, in the town of Nottingham (by adjournment from the same place on the 17th day of September instant), in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" at which time and place the said bankrupt will finish his Examination; and the creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate; and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the same day, at one in the afternoon, and at the same place (by adjournment from the 17th day of September instant), in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where

the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 8th day of March 1838, awarded and issued forth against Christopher Lucas Sharples, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman (trading under the name of Christopher Sharples), intend to meet on the 29th day of October next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Clarendon-rooms, in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, to make a First and Final Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 11th day of March 1837, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Johnstone, of Lyncombe and Widcombe, near the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d day of October next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in St. James's-square, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Ellis Piggott, George Fall, and John Nichols, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Embossers and Printers, Dealers, Chapman, and Copartners, have certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said George Fall hath in all things conformed himself according to the directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and also of an Act, passed in the first and second years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish a Court in Bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said George Fall will be allowed and confirmed by the Court of Review, established by the said last-mentioned Act, unless cause be shewn to the said Court to the contrary on or before the 19th day of October 1838.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Thomas Rogers, of the town of Kington, in the county of Hereford, Innkeeper and Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Thomas Rogers hath in all things conformed himself according to the directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and also of an Act, passed in the first and second years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish a Court in Bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said Thomas Rogers will be allowed and confirmed by the Court of Review, established by the said last-mentioned Act, unless cause be shewn to the said Court to the contrary on or before the 19th day of October 1838.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Samuel Edmunds, of Percival-street, Northampton-square, in the county of Middlesex, Provision-Agent, Cheesemonger, Dealer and Chapman, hath certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Samuel Edmunds hath in all things conformed himself according to the

directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and also of an Act, passed in the first and second years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish a Court in Bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said Samuel Edmunds will be allowed and confirmed by the Court of Review, established by the said last-mentioned Act, unless cause be shewn to the said Court to the contrary on or before the 19th day of October 1838.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Cornelius Wake, of South Brewham, in the county of Somerset, Cattle-Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Cornelius Wake hath in all things conformed himself according to the directions of the Acts of Parliament made and now in force concerning bankrupts; this is to give notice, that, by virtue of an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to bankrupts;" and also of an Act, passed in the first and second years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to establish a Court in Bankruptcy," the Certificate of the said Cornelius Wake will be allowed and confirmed by the Court of Review, established by the said last-mentioned Act, unless cause be shewn to the said Court to the contrary on or before the 19th day of October 1838.

Notice to the creditors of Cleland and Tassie, Joiners, in Glasgow, and Alexander Stewart Cleland, James Thomson, and John Tassie, Joiners there, Partners of the said concern, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

September 21, 1838.

JAMES BUNTEN, trustee on the sequestrated estates of the said Cleland and Tassie, and Alexander Stewart Cleland, James Thomson, and John Tassie, by authority of a general meeting of the creditors on the said estates, which was held on the 14th day of September current, hereby intimates, that a general meeting of the creditors on said estates will be held within the office of Messrs. Tayler and Cross, Writers, 82, Hutcheson-street, Glasgow, on Friday the 19th day of October next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of considering and deciding on an amended and additional offer of composition which was made at, and unanimously entertained by, the said general meeting as fair and reasonable.

THE creditors of Richard Wilkinson, formerly of Tetney, near Grimsby, Lincolnshire, Farmer, and late of Broadley-street, Hull, Yorkshire, Farmer, out of business or employment, an insolvent debtor, who was discharged from the Fleet Prison, in the city of London, are requested to meet at the Granby Inn, in Grimsby aforesaid, on Friday the 19th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the same day precisely, for the purpose of choosing an assignee or assignees of the said insolvent's estate and effects.

Insolvent Debtor.

THE creditors of Jeremiah Seaver, late of Clare Cottage, King's-road, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, but lately a prisoner for debt confined in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, and who has lately taken the benefit of the several Acts of Parliament made and passed for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England, are desired to meet the assignee of his estate and effects, on the 9th day of October next, at twelve of the clock at noon of the same day precisely, at No. 53, Frith-street, Soho-square, in the county of Middlesex, for the purpose of assenting to or dissenting from the said assignee defending a suit in Chancery commenced against him, or taking such steps as he may be advised to do respecting the same.

WHEREAS the assignee of the estate and effects of Robert Mennie, late Barrack-Master of Dartmoor Depôt, an insolvent debtor, lately a prisoner in St. Thomas the Apostle gaol, Exeter, hath caused an account of the said estate and effects, duly sworn to, to be filed in the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; the creditors of the said insolvent are requested to meet the assignee, or Mr. N. M. Buckett, at Pearce's Royal Hotel, in the town of Falmouth, on the 5th day of December next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, when and where the assignee or the said N. M. Buckett, will declare the amount of the balance in his hands, and proceed to make a Dividend with the same amongst the creditors whose debts are admitted in the schedule sworn to by the insolvent, in proportion to the amount thereof, subject to such correction of the rights to receive dividends as may be made according to the Statute. —If any person has a demand which is stated in the schedule, but is disputed therein, either in whole or in part; or if the said insolvent, the said assignee, or the aforesaid N. M. Buckett, or any creditor objects to any debt mentioned therein, such claims and objections must be brought forward at the said meeting, in order that proceedings may be had for the examination and decision of the same according to the Statute.

Insolvent Debtor.—Dividend.

WHEREAS the assignee of the estate and effects of Charles Lowe, formerly of No. 18, Adam-street, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, then of Featherstone buildings, and afterwards of Devonshire-street, Queen-square, in the said county, since of Pump-court, in the Middle Temple, and of No. 2, Tanfield-court, Temple, Attorney's Clerk, and late of Granby-street, in the Hampstead-road, in the said county, Gentleman, an insolvent debtor, lately a prisoner in the Queen's Bench Prison, has caused an account of the said estate and effects, duly sworn to, to be filed in the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors; the creditors of the said insolvent are requested to meet the assignee at Mr. Walthew's office, No. 5, Furnival's-inn, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 1st day of November next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, when and where the assignee will declare the amount of the balance in his hands, and proceed to make a Dividend with the same amongst the creditors whose debts are admitted in the schedule sworn to by the said insolvent, in proportion to the amount thereof, subject to such correction of the rights to receive dividends as may be made according to the Statute.

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