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A DISPATCH was yesterday received at this Office, from Admiral the Honourable Sir Robert Stopford, G.C.B. addressed to R. More O'Ferrall, Esq. of which the following is a copy :

*Princess Charlotte, off St. Jean d'Acre,
November 8, 1840.*

SINCE my letter of the 4th, another explosion has taken place of a magazine of live shells, from a smouldering fire under the rubbish of the former, which it had been found almost impossible entirely to subdue ; one marine of the Benbow was killed, and several others slightly hurt ; but I regret to say, that gallant Officer, Captain Collier of the Castor, who had so distinguished himself in the attack, was severely wounded, having his leg fractured, and several other hurts of a slighter description, which require his removal to Malta ; and the Castor, having her bowsprit badly wounded, and other masts and spars shot away, I have ordered her and the Wasp, having her foremast disabled, into Malta to refit, and rejoin me with all dispatch.

One thousand prisoners have been sent away in the Turkish Flag Ship, eighteen Officers, and a party of soldiers, by the Talbot, to Constantinople, and two thousand to Beyrout, by the Bellerophon, Thunderer, Revenge, and Edinburgh ; and the garrison being placed in a state of order and tolerable security, under Sir Charles Smith, is to be left with three thousand Turkish troops under Selim Pasha, and about two hundred and fifty marines, under Lieutenant Colonel Walker, with the protection of the Pique and Stromboli, and occasional visits of other ships, as circumstances require.

The Hazard resumes her station at Tyre, and Commodore Napier proceeds from Beyrout to take charge of the squadron off Alexandria ; Benbow, Magicienne, and Daphne at Scanderoon and the neighbourhood.

The people of the country seem very firm in the cause, and keep the neighbourhood clear of Mehemet Ali's troops ; abundance of ammunition and stores have been found in the place, and arms have been sent in the Benbow and Powerful for distribution to the inhabitants to the northward. Among those who surrendered themselves was the Polish Colonel Shultz, the Chief Engineer, who has been sent as a prisoner to Constantinople ; he was wounded, and says it was quite impossible to withstand such an incessant stream of fire as was poured from our guns, which I found, on going round the ramparts with Sir Charles Smith, had torn and almost demolished many of the embrasures, and disabled the guns in such a manner, that it did appear extraordinary that the garrison should have made so good a defence, for the state of devastation was beyond description.

When I see the effects of our fire upon so formidable a fortress, I cannot help feeling the greatest obligations to every Officer and man engaged in this enterprise. The cool, steady, and beautiful style in which the ships and vessels, through shoals and banks, came into their positions, and the noble spirit that animated the whole, in the destructive fire opened and maintained against a very smart return from the forts and batteries, were most gratifying, and drew forth my admiration, being enabled, in the steamer, to observe the simultaneous attacks on both faces ; but where all were animated with the same spirit, and each did his duty to my heart's content, it cannot be possible for me to single out cases of individual merit ; I may be allowed to observe, however, that in confiding to Captain Fanshawe, my Flag Captain (who had been of great service to me in the previous details and arrangements, on this and former occasions during the expedition), the charge of conducting my Flag Ship, while it behoved me to survey and direct the whole, he most ably fulfilled his trust.

Lieutenant Glanville, my Flag Lieutenant, besides

the duties he had to perform in the signals, was actively employed in the boats communicating with the different ships along the line of the two divisions as necessity required; I would therefore beg to recommend him to their Lordships' notice, and I should feel gratified by any mark of approbation their Lordships may be pleased to bestow on the senior Officers of each class for their gallant conduct, in common with all, on this important occasion.

I have, &c.

(Signed) ROBERT STOPFORD, Admiral.

Admiralty, December 14, 1840.

DESPATCHES were yesterday received at this office from Rear Admiral the Honourable George Elliot, C. B. and Commodore Sir J. J. Gordon Bremer, C. B., addressed to R. More O'Ferrall, Esq., of which the following are copies or extracts:

SIR, *Wellesley, Chusan, July 6, 1840.*

My last letter of the 22d ultimo, No. 38, will have acquainted the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty of my arrival in Macao Roads in Her Majesty's Ship Wellesley, bearing my broad pendant on the 21st of that month, and of my having established a blockade of the port and river of Canton, and I have now the honor to apprise you, for their Lordships' information, that, on the 24th of June, I sailed from Macao Roads accompanied by Her Majesty's Schooner Young Hebe and four transports, and on the 1st instant reached the anchorage under the Buffalo's Nose, where I found the Conway and the other ships of war and transports which I had directed Captain Bethune to conduct to that place, having been joined by the Atalanta and Queen war steamers on my way thither.

The next day the fleet proceeded to an anchorage off the great island of Chusan, and I despatched Captain Bethune of the Conway, accompanied by the Master of the Wellesley in the Atalanta steam sloop, to reconnoitre the harbour and sound the passage, and having so done, they returned in the evening; and on the following day, (the 4th instant) I went on in the Wellesley in tow of the Atalanta, followed by the whole fleet.

On the flood tide making, I anchored in the Wellesley abreast of the town; the Conway and Alligator took up positions in front and flank of a rugged hill, surmounted by a temple, and which is a very strong position. In the course of the afternoon, the Rattlesnake and several of the transports anchored, and the rest were visible from the hills above the town. Twelve Chinese war junks had followed us from the lower anchorage, and eleven others were in the port, and had anchored in a sort of line of battle, and the Chinese troops were busily employed in placing guns on the different quays along shore.

I entertained the strongest hope that the display of a force so overwhelming as ours, would have induced submission, and I therefore issued the summons of which a copy is inclosed.

The Chinese Vice Admiral, who is Commander-in-

Chief of all the forces and garrisons in the district, was present in his junk, and the summons was conveyed to him by Commander John Vernon Fletcher, of the Wellesley, and Lord Viscount Jocelyn, (who has done me the honour of attaching himself to my personal staff,) attended by the Rev. Mr. Gutzloff, the first Chinese interpreter to Her Majesty's Superintendents of trade. They returned at the expiration of about an hour, accompanied by the Vice Admiral, the Flag or Port Captain, several other naval and military persons of rank, the chief civil magistrate, and others of the authorities. A conference of some length ensued. I endeavoured, through Mr. Gutzloff, to make them clearly understand that insult and aggression on the part of their officers, to an extent no longer bearable, had obliged Her Britannic Majesty to seek redress; that my orders were to take military possession of this island and its dependencies, and that as the force I had with me precluded all possible chance of their successful resistance, I earnestly entreated them to spare the great effusion of blood and yield at once. They departed about 8 P.M. with the fullest understanding of the terms, and said "the fault would be theirs, if delay in returning an answer to our summons should be productive of hostilities!" No answer was given during the night, and the sounds of gongs and other warlike demonstrations were audible throughout.

As the day dawned on Sunday the 5th instant, I found the quays and shore lined with troops in considerable force, while from the mastsheads numbers were seen on the plain between the suburbs, and on the city walls, situated about fourteen hundred yards in the valley. They had placed a body of troops on the Temple hill, together with three guns in position, twenty-one guns were in line on the different wharfs, and on a round tower of solid masonry they had five guns. The war junks were hauled on shore in line, with their rudders unbung, and presented thirty-four guns, and forty-five large gingals. A quantity of arms of all kinds were collected, which the mandarins were employed the whole morning in distributing to the troops and others: in fact, the waving of their flags, and every other demonstration evinced a determined spirit of hostility.

The flood tide at noon brought the mass of the transports in, and I still entertained a hope that when the Chinese saw the troops preparing to land in full force, they would negotiate; but having waited until half past two P. M., I judged that further forbearance would be useless, and, therefore, at that moment a single shot was fired from the Wellesley at the round tower, falling as I had intended at the foot of it, without doing the slightest injury. This shot was instantly answered by the whole line of the Chinese feeble defences, and caused a return from the squadron, the whole of which were now present, as noted in the margin,* the Cruiser, Algerine, and Queen steamer having just anchored.

The cannonade lasted only seven or eight minutes. The Chinese troops had fled - their battery on the Custom-house Wharf was destroyed; four junks shot to pieces, and not one person remained visible in the town.

* Wellesley, Conway, Alligator, Cruiser, Algerine, Rattlesnake, Young Hebe, and Atalanta and the Queen steamers.

The right wing of the 18th Royal Irish regiment, under the command of Major Adams, and the Royal Marines of the squadron, under the command of Captain Ellis, of the Wellesley, forming the advance, then landed, and were immediately followed by detachments of Her Majesty's 26th and 49th regiments, the Madras Artillery, and Sappers and Miners, and the Bengal Volunteer corps, and the residue of the troops; and at fifty minutes after two P. M., I had the satisfaction of seeing Her Majesty's colours, hoisted on the first military position in the Chinese Empire, conquered by Her Majesty's forces.

The Mandarins, and the whole of the Chinese troops, had now retired within the city in rear of the suburbs, from the walls of which they kept up an occasional fire when any of our force appeared on the plain.

By four o'clock P. M., two nine pounders were landed, and in position within four hundred yards of the wall; and in the course of the night six other nine pounders, and two howitzers, were in battery, together with two mortars.

From the display of flags, the beating of gongs, and the fire kept up by the troops in the city, a vigorous resistance seemed to be threatened, and myself and Brigadier Burrell anticipated that their folly would force on us the dreadful necessity of a breach and escalade; fortunately for humanity this was not the case, for as this morning dawned, the reconnoitering officer discovered that the bridges were destroyed, and that the city had been evacuated. In the night a temporary bridge was thrown over the canal, and the southern and the principal gate forced, by which Her Majesty's 49th regiment marched in, and Her Majesty's colours were soon after displayed on the walls of Chusan.

In so dense a population, it is almost impossible to form an estimate of the number of actual soldiers; but I am inclined to think that from five to six hundred were in the suburbs, on the hill, and in rear of it, in reserve; whilst probably as many more were in the city, the walls of which were lined on the whole extent of their southern face.

It is a source of great gratification to me, to think that so few lives have been lost on this occasion. I believe that twenty-five may be the extreme number, and these were all soldiers. This may be ascribed to the fire of the ships being directed solely to the junks and batteries.

The only casualty in the squadron consists of one seaman wounded on board the Conway. The ships were struck repeatedly, but no damage was done to them of the slightest consequence.

Captains Bethune, Maitland, and Kuper, of Her Majesty's ships Conway, Wellesley, and Alligator, Commanders Giffard and Fletcher of the Cruizer, and Wellesley, Lieutenant Mason of Her Majesty's brig Algerine, Mr. Brodie, Master, R. N. commanding Her Majesty's troop ship Rattlesnake, and Mr. C. E. Hodgkinson, Mate, R. N. commanding Her Majesty's schooner Young Hebe, together with every officer, seaman, and marine in the squadron, including the Commanders and Officers of the Honourable Company's steam vessels of war Adalanta and Queen, displayed a zeal and alacrity which I am convinced would have ensured success in a much more important service than this; and I gladly seize on

this occasion to express my best thanks to Captain Maitland for the unremitting attention he has paid to the details of the expedition, and for the valuable assistance he has rendered me during its progress.

The Royal Marines, under Captain Ellis, maintained the high character of their corps for steadiness and soldier-like good conduct.

My thanks are also due to Viscount Jocelyn, Military Secretary to Her Majesty's Plenipotentiaries, for his readiness on all occasions.

I am happy to inform their Lordships, that the best understanding has existed between Brigadier Burrell and myself; and that every branch of the two services has most cordially co-operated for the promotion of the public service.

Nor can I conclude without recording my satisfaction at the zeal, intelligence, and perseverance of the Masters' of the transports, in bringing their vessels into harbour, and the regularity of their conduct throughout.

I have, &c.

(Signed) J. J. GORDON BREMER,
Commodore of the First Class, and
Commander-in-Chief.

BREMER, by special appointment, Commander in Chief of the British naval forces,

BURRELL, by special appointment, Commander in Chief of the British land forces,

Have the honour to inform his Excellency the Vice-Admiral, that they have come here by the commands of the Sovereign of Great Britain, having under their orders powerful naval and land forces, for the purpose of landing and occupying the Island of Tinghae, and its dependencies.

If the inhabitants of the said islands do not oppose and resist our forces, it is not the intention of the British Government to do injury to their persons and property.

This measure of taking possession has become necessary, from the insulting and unwarrantable conduct of the Canton high officers, "Lin" and "Tang," last year, towards Her Majesty's specially appointed Chief Superintendent Elliot, and other British subjects.

It is necessary for the safety of the British ships and troops, that your Excellency should immediately surrender the Island Tinghae, its dependencies and forts, and we therefore summon your Excellency to surrender the same peaceably, to avoid the shedding of blood. But if you will not surrender, we, the Commodore and Commander, shall be obliged to use warlike measures for obtaining possession.

The official messenger who transmits the letter will only wait an hour for an answer. When this time is elapsed, and your Excellency refuses to surrender, and does not return an answer, we shall then immediately open a thundering fire upon the island and fort.

(Signed) J. J. GORDON BREMER.
GEORGE BURRELL.

4 July, 1840.

A similar paper was written and addressed to the chief magistrate of Chusan District and the Commandant of Tinghae City, signed and sealed as above.

Melville, Chusan Harbour,
17 July, 1840.

SIR,

In continuation of my proceedings, as detailed in my letter of the 30th ultimo, (No. 9), I beg to acquaint you, for the information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that in passing Amoy, on the 2nd instant, I stood into the mouth of that port, and sent Captain Bouchier, in Her Majesty's ship *Blonde* in, with a letter from Lord Viscount Palmerston, for the Chinese Minister of Peking, to be delivered to the Chinese authorities of the place. For a detail of Captain Bouchier's proceeding, I would refer you to the accompanying copy of his letter, under date the 4th instant, by which it appears, that Officer had no chance left but that of returning the wanton attack on an unarmed boat, with only four boys, and Mr. Thorn, the interpreter (who had a very narrow escape,) in her, and on his ship; and I am happy to add that the situation permitted him utterly to destroy every gun and fortification without injury to the city or its inhabitants. From off Amoy, I proceeded to join the squadron at Chusan without loss of time, and arrived off Deer Island, a little below Chusan, and within sight of the shipping, late on the evening of the 5th, and on the following morning, a steamer having been sent down during the night to tow the *Melville* past the narrows, I learnt that the expedition had landed the day before, and were in quiet possession of the place. I proceeded immediately to Chusan, in the steamer, where I have since been chiefly employed in the various duties devolving on me. After the experience of a few days, it became evident that the civil administration of these populous islands, must be executed on shore, and I therefore requested Brigadier General Burrell to undertake it, and have given him the appointment of Civil Governor.

On the 10th instant, I despatched the *Blonde*, Conway, Cruiser, Algerine, and Queen Steamer, with Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary, Captain Elliot, to Ning-po, for the purpose of landing one of Lord Palmerston's letters for the Chinese Minister, and on the 13th instant, I proceeded there in the *Atlanta* steamer. The authorities were found to be extremely civil, and, although they declined forwarding the letter, as contrary to their customs, as they had an open Chinese copy of it in their hands, for twenty four hours, there can be little doubt of the Court of Peking having been made fully acquainted with it. In the correspondence which took place, the style is totally different from what was ever known before, claiming no mark of superiority whatever, but treating us perfectly as equals, no longer calling us barbarians, but honourable Officers of the English nation. I cannot doubt but that the wholesome lesson they received at Amoy from the *Blonde*, and the effects of their foolish show of resistance at this place, have mainly contributed to this change. Their alarm was evidently great, they were sinking junks at the mouth of the river, and adding to their batte-

ries; and a small encampment was placed on the opposite hill, with numerous banners, more apparently for display than utility. Having given notice that the ports would be closed, I returned on the 15th instant, and the blockade was commenced.

The stoppage of the enormous trade which is usually passing on this coast cannot but create difficulties of a serious nature; and from a few expressions relative to Lin having been the cause of all their present distresses, I trust a strong feeling may spring up against the policy pursued at Canton by that high officer.

On the capture of the City and suburb of Chusan, they were entirely deserted, and the return of the inhabitants is slow; but everything will continue to be done to produce confidence and to protect them in their peaceful occupations. The people in the country seem to have got over much of their alarm; and considerable supplies are now brought to market of vegetables, poultry, pigs, and some cattle, so that in these respects our prospects have gradually improved, and the love of money, will, it is to be expected, soon bring in any other supplies that may be required.

Not having been able to hire any of the opium, or other of the fast sailing vessels into Her Majesty's service, I have selected the *Kite* brig and *Kroenar* ship from among the transports; and these vessels are now preparing to receive their guns, being already in Government hire.

I beg to inclose, for their Lordships' information, the public declaration which I have made.

I have the honour, &c.

(Signed) GEORGE ELLIOT,
Rear Admiral and Commander-in-Chief.

SIR,

Her Majesty's Ship Blonde,
at Sea, July 4th, 1840.

I have the honour to report to you, that, in obedience to your orders, I anchored in Her Majesty's ship under my command off the town of Amoy on the 2nd instant; and hoisting a flag of truce, endeavoured to open a communication with the authorities, but the only persons who visited the ship were servants of the Mandarin's, and of such inferior note as not to admit of my entrusting them with your communication for the Admiral, who was not himself in the port; I however sent on shore to say to the Mandarin, that I should send an Officer to wait on him with your communication, at the same time explaining the nature of a flag of truce, to which they replied very well, and begged that he might land at the fort.

I then sent an Officer, accompanied by a gentleman speaking Chinese, in a boat bearing a flag of truce, directing him to land at the fort; but on his reaching it, he found a body of two or three hundred soldiers drawn up to oppose his landing, and they were directed to return on board with abusive and opprobrious language. I now adopted other measures to communicate, which proved equally ineffectual.

During this time the military and people were

bringing down guns and men, and making other warlike demonstrations, and continued thus employed until the night closed in. As the day dawned of the 3d, we observed that they had formed an encampment on the beach, and had placed five guns, à fleur d'eau, a little to the eastward of a casemate battery, they already had, at the entrance of the inner harbour, and that some of the larger junks were brought down and armed, while a number of smaller ones were being filled with troops, and placed in the vicinity of Her Majesty's ships, as if with the intention of boarding. Unwilling to notice these hostile preparations, while there was a possibility of avoiding a rupture, Her Majesty's ship merely prepared for battle until the sea breeze set in, when I weighed, and running within four hundred yards, anchored with springs upon our cable upon the angle of the casemate battery, so as to command it and the junks at the same time.

I now made another attempt to communicate through Mr. Thorn, the gentleman attached to this ship as interpreter (who very handsomely volunteered his services at great personal risk) in the jolly boat, unarmed and bearing a flag of truce; but the troops were brought to the beach, and he was repulsed with abusive language and threats; and, contrary to all usage, a fire commenced upon his boat, the batteries opening at the same moment on Her Majesty's ship. I instantly hauled the flag of truce down, and returned the fire; our first broadside dismantled the greater part of the guns in the eastern battery, and the second silenced both, putting to flight the troops formed in the neighbourhood. I then confined the fire of this ship entirely to the fort and armed junks, and continued until the former was in ruins, and the latter had disappeared, excepting one, whose crew having abandoned her, I sent an officer to throw her armament into the sea, and set her on fire. During this affair the neighbouring hills were crowded with spectators, and the inner harbour with trading vessels, both of which might with equal facility have been destroyed, but I considered that in confining the chastisement to those who had insulted Her Majesty's flag, and outraged a law acknowledged by all civilized nations, I should best follow out your views.

I am happy to say this service was performed without the loss of a man on board Her Majesty's ship, but that of the enemy must have been severe, as the dead were streved upon the beach in numbers, where encamped. Conceiving that any other attempt at amicable communication would be fruitless, I weighed with the evening tide, in the further prosecution of your orders.

It only remains to me to state, that the conduct of the Officers and ship's company under my command, and the Officer and party of Royal Artillery embarked on board, was entirely satisfactory, and I am happy in having this opportunity to acknowledge the assistance I have, upon all occasions, received from Mr. Coulson, the Senior Lieutenant, in the formation of a young ship's company.

I have, &c.

(Signed) T. BOURCHIER, Captain.

PUBLIC DECLARATION by the Honourable George Elliot, C.B. Rear-Admiral of the White, and Commander in Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed, and to be employed, in the East Indies, and the Seas adjacent.

THE chief city of the Tchusan Islands having fallen to Her Majesty's arms, it becomes necessary, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, to provide for the government of these islands, and any other Chinese towns or districts which may hereafter be surrendered or reduced during the actual disputes with the government of China.

Now, therefore, I do hereby declare, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, that the laws, customs, and usages of China (every description of torture excepted), shall continue to obtain for the government of all native people within any such towns or districts, and that they shall continue to enjoy all their lawful property, and be entitled to all such protection as they have or ought justly to have enjoyed under the government of the Emperor of China, and that they shall only be liable to such taxes and impositions as they were lawfully liable to under the dominion of the Emperor of China.

And, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, I do further declare, that the civil, fiscal, and judicial administration of the government aforesaid, shall, in all cases, be exercised by or under the special appointment or warrant of the officer in chief command of the land forces, forming part of the expedition to China.

And, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, I do further declare, that all persons whatever (not natives of the land: whether subjects of Her Majesty or not, and not subject to the Mutiny Act, or to the general law for the government of the fleet, committing crimes and offences within the government aforesaid, amounting to felony according to the law of England, shall be liable to trial for the same at the most convenient British Court having criminal Admiralty jurisdiction; and I do further declare, that for the above purpose, the officer administering the government aforesaid, shall have full power and authority to commit and hand over to the senior naval officer any person or persons charged on oath with committing such felonious offences, to be tried before the most convenient British Court having Admiralty jurisdiction.

And, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, I do further declare, respecting all lesser offences than felony, committed by persons not natives of the land, that the officers administering the government aforesaid, shall have full authority to make such rules and regulations, and to impose such penalties, either by fine or imprisonment, or both, for enforcement of such rules and regulations as may seem necessary to him from time to time.

And, pending Her Majesty's pleasure, having regard to the special state of circumstances, I do hereby declare, that the officer administering the government aforesaid, shall have full authority to deport any person whom he may consider it

expedient to send away for reasons of public safety.

Given under my hand and seal, on board Her Majesty's ship Melville, in the port of Ting Hai Hieu, in the island of Grand Tchusan, this 8th day of July 1840, in the fourth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria.

(Signed) GEO. ELLIOT.

By command of the Commander-in-Chief,

(Signed) JAMES A. SMITH.

Whitehall, December 14, 1840.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, nominating and appointing John Hamilton Earl of Stair to be Keeper of the said Seal, in the room of George Duke of Argyll, deceased.

War-Office, 15th December 1840.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Ensign Lockhart Little, from the 40th Foot, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Wilkinson, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Henry John Baker Tower, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Symons, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 2d Regiment of Dragoons*, Balcarres Wardlaw Ramsay, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Craven, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 7th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Captain Thomas Edmund Campbell to be Major, without purchase, vice Biggs, deceased. Dated 4th November 1840.
- Lieutenant Thomas Paterson to be Captain, vice Campbell. Dated 4th November 1840.
- 13th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant Edward Rudston Read, from the half-pay of the Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Wint, deceased. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 14th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Richard Hugh Smith Barry, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dawson, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards*, Ensign and Lieutenant John Augustus Udny to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Viscount Cantilupe, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Michael Bruce, Gent. to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Udney. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Scots' Fusilier Guards*, John George Thomas Sinclair, Esq. (Page of Honour to the Queen Dowager) to be Ensign and Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 1st Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Gardiner, from half-pay of the 2d Garrison Battalion, to be Lieutenant, vice Butt, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Thomas James Parker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gardiner, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Charles Edgcombe Davenport, from the 94th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Edgcombe, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Spencer George Augustus Thursby, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Parker. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 2d Foot*, Ensign John Henry Grant, from the 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Ralph, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign George Edward Alexander Tobin, from the 11th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dickinson, appointed to the 7th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Demetrius Wyndham Grevis James to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Honeywood, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Francis Gildea, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 4th Foot*, Lieutenant John Snodgrass to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hilton, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Frederick Paul Haines to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Snodgrass. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Theobald Pepper Roberts, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Haines. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 5th Foot*, Captain Charles Jones, from half-pay of the York Chasseurs, to be Captain, vice Clunce, appointed Paymaster. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Francis Richard Pyner to be Captain, by purchase, vice Jones, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Second Lieutenant William John Campbell to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pyner. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Herbert Venn Stephen, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 7th Foot*, Lieutenant Douglas John Dickinson, from the 2d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Keane, appointed to the 33d Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 9th Foot*, Lieutenant John Urban Vigors, from the Ceylon Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Farrant, promoted in the 69th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 10th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Morton Grove Mansel, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Grant, promoted in the 2d Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 11th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Henry Edward Montresor, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Tobin, promoted in the 2d Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 13th Foot*, Lieutenant James H. Fenwick to be Captain, by purchase, vice Debnani, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

- Ensign William Williams to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fenwick. Dated 15th December 1840.
- John Head, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 17th Foot, Surgeon Robert Dunkin Smyth, from the 76th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Milligan, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 22d Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Campbell, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Grant, appointed to the Staff. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 25th Foot, Captain Peter Browne, from the half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice John Henry Cooke, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Skeffington Bristow to be Captain, by purchase, vice Browne, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign James Ogilvy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bristow. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Henry Edward Samuel Rudyerd, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ogilvy. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 26th Foot, Lieutenant Henry David Williams, from the 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Margary, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Bartholomew O'Brien, from the 2d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Maule, promoted. Dated 16th December 1840.
- 33d Foot, Lieutenant the Honourable John Arbutnot Keane, from the 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Erskine, appointed Adjutant. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 35th Foot, Major Benjamin Francis Dalton Wilson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Butler, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Captain John Gordon to be Major, by purchase, vice Wilson. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Frederick English to be Captain, by purchase, vice Gordon. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Thomas Teulon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice English. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Henry Skinner, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Teulon. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Serjeant-Major George Gore to be Quartermaster, vice John Connon, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 36th Foot, Captain Charles Ashmore to be Major, by purchase, vice L'Estrange, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 38th Foot, Gentleman Cadet George Wilson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Maxwell, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 39th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Newport Tinley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Innes, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign James C. Harvey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tinley. Dated 15th December 1840.
- James Henry Archer, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Harvey. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 40th Foot, Philip William Miller, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Little, appointed to the 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 54th Foot, Lieutenant John Ross Wheeler to be Captain, by purchase, vice Wells, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Thomas Mostyn to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wheeler. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Alfred Robert Margary, from the 26th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Williams, who exchanges. Dated 16th December 1840.
- De la poer Trench Bookey, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mostyn. Dated 15th December 1840.
- John Charles Hill Jones, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Daubeney, appointed to the 55th Foot. Dated 16th December 1840.
- 55th Foot, Lieutenant Hector M'Caskill to be Captain, by purchase, vice Barrell, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign John George Schaw to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice M'Caskill. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Ensign Frederick Sikes Daubeney, from the 54th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Schaw. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 57th Foot, Ensign Warren Ahmuty to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Junor, deceased. Dated 25th August 1840.
- Ensign Henry Braddel Croker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ahmuty, whose promotion, by purchase, has been cancelled. Dated 15th December 1840.
- James Morphett, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Raikes, promoted in the 62d Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Justin Edward Daniel MacCarthy, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Croker. Dated 16th December 1840.
- 60th Foot, Second Lieutenant Webbe Butler to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Maxwell, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Henry Robinson, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Butler. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 62d Foot, Ensign Frederick Thornton Raikes, from the 57th Foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice English, appointed to the 72d Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 63d Foot, Ensign William Kenny to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Crompton, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Francis Charles Annesley, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kenny. Dated 15th December 1840.
- 66th Foot, Captain Charles Henry Darling, from the half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice William Joshua Crompton, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.
- Lieutenant Le Marchant Carey to be Captain, by purchase, vice Darling, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ensign James Hunter Blair Birch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Carey. Dated 15th December 1840.

Arthur Blount, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Birch. Dated 15th December 1840.

Gentleman Cadet Maximilian Montague Hammond, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 15th December 1840.

68th Foot, Lieutenant William Cross to be Adjutant, vice Johnston, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 15th December 1840.

69th Foot, Lieutenant Stewart Erskine Rolland, from the 98th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Coates, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.

72d Foot, Captain the Honourable George Warren Edwardes, from half-pay 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice Lewis Xavier Leslie, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.

Lieutenant Charles Moylan to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edwardes, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

Lieutenant John Thomas Joseph English, from the 62d Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Brien, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ensign George Ramsay Perceval to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Moylan. Dated 15th December 1840.

William Parke, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Perceval. Dated 15th December 1840.

76th Foot, Surgeon William Milligan, M. D. from the 17th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Smyth, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.

77th Foot, Serjeant-Major Patrick M'Carthy to be Adjutant (with the rank of Ensign), vice Bradshawe, promoted. Dated 15th December 1840.

79th Foot, Captain Robert M'Cleverty, from the 94th Foot, to be Captain, vice James W. Dalgety, who retires upon half-pay Unattached. Dated 15th December 1840.

83d Foot, Lieutenant Thomas John St. Aubyn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Grey, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ensign Charles Wilson Austen to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice St. Aubyn. Dated 15th December 1840.

James Foster, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Austen. Dated 15th December 1840.

88th Foot, Lieutenant William Mackie to be Captain, without purchase, vice Ellison, deceased. Dated 2d December 1840.

93d Foot, Ensign Francis H. Crawford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Neilson, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

Robert Lockhart Ross, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Crawford. Dated 15th December 1840.

94th Foot, Captain John Stoddard, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice M'Cleverty, appointed to the 79th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.

Thomas Crawford Poole, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Davenport, appointed to the 1st Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.

97th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Boyd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stannus, who retires. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ensign Alfred Padley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Boyd. Dated 15th December 1840.

Arthur John Loftus, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Padley. Dated 15th December 1840.

98th Foot, Lieutenant William Coates, from the 69th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Rolland, who exchanges. Dated 15th December 1840.

2d West India Regiment, Quartermaster John Harpur to be Adjutant (with the rank of Ensign), vice Potts, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 15th December 1840.

Serjeant-Major Edward William Irwin (Quartermaster-General's Department in the West Indies) to be Quartermaster, vice Harpur. Dated 15th December 1840.

3d West India Regiment, Arthur Onslow Creighton, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Young appointed to the 70th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.

James Stewart, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Second Lieutenant Christopher Garstin to be First Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Vigors, appointed to the 9th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.

Ensign Henry Skinner, from the 35th Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, vice Garstin. Dated 16th December 1840.

BREVET.

Captain Charles Jones, of the 5th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 10th January 1837.

Captain Peter Browne, of the 25th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 10th January 1837.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels James Nisbet Colquhoun, of the Royal Artillery, and Ralph Carr Alderson, of the Royal Engineers, to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, on a particular service, from 9th October 1840.

To have the local and temporary rank of Major, on a particular Service.

George Frederick Hernan, Esq. Dated 15th December 1840.

William Lockyer Freestun, Esq. Dated 15th December 1840.

STAFF.

Staff-Assistant-Surgeon John Stewart to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Royal Military College, vice Smyth, promoted in the 76th Foot. Dated 15th December 1840.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Joynt Gordon Grant, from the 22d Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice M'Credie, deceased. Dated 15th December 1840.

Henry O'Hara, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Francis William Grant, deceased. Dated 15th December 1840.

MEMORANDUM.

The Christian names of Ensign Mills, of the 89th Regiment, are William Huntley.

Whitehall, December 10, 1840.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Francis Campion, of Thorne, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, December 11, 1840.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Hardcastle Mousley, of Derby, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Edward Hailstone, of Bradford, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, December 12, 1840.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Griffiths, of Bishop's Castle, in the county of Salop, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Independent Meeting-house, situated at Buntingford, in the parish of Layston, in the county of Hertford, and in the district of Royston and Buntingford, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 5th day of December 1840, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th William 4, chap. 85.

Witness my hand this 10th day of December 1840.
Henry Thurnall, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next session, for leave to bring in a Bill to alter, amend, and enlarge the powers and provisions of an Act, passed in the forty-eighth year of King George the Third, intituled "An Act for enabling Sir Oswald Mosley, Baronet, to grant certain lands and hereditaments, in the parish of Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, for the purposes of the Manchester Public Infirmary, Dispensary, Lunatic Hospital and Asylum, and for vesting the property and effects belonging to the said Charity in Trustees, for the benefit thereof;" and also to incorporate the Trustees of the said Charity, and to make other provisions and grant other powers for better enabling them to carry into execution the purposes thereof.—
Dated this 4th day of December 1840.

No. 19930.

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London Steam Dock.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the next session, for leave to bring in a Bill for making and maintaining a certain dock, in the parishes of Saint Nicholas and Saint Paul, Deptford, in the county of Kent, to be situate on the south side of, and communicating with, the River Thames, adjoining Her Majesty's Dock-yard, at Deptford, with all proper and necessary depôts, basins, sluices, drains, channels, feeders, locks, embankments, wharfs, piers, jetties, quays, vaults, warehouses, bridges, engines, cranes, roads, approaches, avenues, buildings, and other works, in the said parishes of Saint Nicholas and Saint Paul, Deptford, for the reception of steam ships or vessels, and other vessels and craft; and for making, constructing, and maintaining all proper and necessary cuts, sluices, locks, and other works, for supplying the said dock with water from the said River Thames.

And notice is hereby also given, that duplicate plans of the said dock, and other works, with sections of the several proposed cuts, together with books of reference, containing the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and occupiers of the property proposed to be taken for the purposes thereof, will be deposited, for public inspection, on or before the 30th day of November instant, with the Clerk of the Peace for the said county of Kent, at his office, in Maidstone, in the said county; and a copy of the said plans and sections, together with a book of reference thereto, so far as relates to each of the said parishes of Saint Nicholas and Saint Paul, Deptford, will also be deposited, for public inspection, on or before the 31st day of December next, with the parish clerks of those parishes respectively, at their respective places of abode.

And notice is hereby also given, that it is intended by the said Bill to take power to levy, collect, and take tolls, rates and duties, for the purposes thereof.

Dated the 5th day of November 1840.

Jas. Phillips, 33, Clements-lane, } Solicitors.
Timo. Tyrrell, Guildhall, }

London and Blackwall Railway.

WHEREAS the London and Blackwall Railway Company, under their Act of Parliament, passed in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for making a railway from the Minories to Blackwall, with branches, to be called the Commercial Railway," and of another Act, passed in the second and third years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for extending the line of the railway between London and Blackwall, called 'the Commercial Railway,' and for amending the Acts relating thereto," are authorised and required to contract for and to sell such superfluous lands as might be purchased by the said Company, or any estate or interest in such lands, first offering to sell the same to the person, or to the several persons, whose lands or premises shall immediately adjoin the lands so proposed to be sold

by notice, to be inserted twice in the London Gazette, and twice in two London newspapers; now the said Company do hereby give notice, that they propose immediately to sell and dispose of the superfluous lands mentioned in the schedule hereto, and more particularly described in a plan, which may be seen at the office of the Company, at No. 10, America-square, in the city of London; and they do, therefore, hereby first offer to sell the same lands to the person, or to the several persons, whose lands or premises immediately adjoin the lands so proposed to be sold, for such price or prices as may be agreed upon between such person or persons and the said Company, or (in case of disagreement as to price) as shall be ascertained by a jury, in the manner directed by the said first-mentioned Act; and that unless such person or persons shall be desirous of purchasing such lands so proposed to be sold, and shall signify such his or their desire and intention in that behalf to the said Company, within thirty days after this offer of sale, the said Company will proceed to sell and dispose of such lands to any other person or persons, in such manner as they shall think fit, and as they are or shall be authorised by their said Acts of Parliament, or otherwise, to do. Dated this 11th day of December 1840.

WILLIAM ROUTH, Chairman.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

Parish of St. Mary Matfelon, otherwise White-chapel.

A piece of vacant ground, extending from the east side of Abel's buildings to the west side of Hawkin's-court, on both sides the railway, and at the backs of the messuages Nos. 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, and 90, Rosemary-lane.

A piece of vacant ground, at the back of a messuage No. 3, White Lion-street, and on the south side of the railway.

Parish of St. George.

A piece of vacant ground, extending from the east sides of Christian-street and Princes-place to Grove-street, and on each side of the railway.

A piece of vacant ground, at the backs of messuages, Nos. 1 and 2, in the New-road, extending to Cannon-street-road, and on each side of the railway.

A piece of vacant ground, extending from Walburgh-street to Anthony-street, at the backs of messuages, Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, in Upper Chapman-street.

A piece of vacant ground, extending from Little Union-street to Charles-street, on each side of the railway.

A piece of vacant ground, on each side of the railway, in Lucas-street, abutting towards the west on King's Arms-gardens.

Parish of St. Dunstan, Stebonheath, otherwise Stepney.

A piece of vacant ground, on each side of the railway, and on the west side of Stepney-causeway.

A piece of vacant ground, in Cross-row and Ratcliffe-square, and on the north side of the railway.

A piece of vacant ground, on each side of the railway, extending from Ratcliffe-square to George-street.

A piece of vacant ground, between Nos. 1 and 5, Regent-street, and on the south side of the railway.

Parish of St. Anne, otherwise St. Anne Lime-house.

A piece of vacant ground, on each side of the railway, between Nos. 5 and 9, Island-row.

A piece of vacant ground, in the Mitre, on the west side of Three Colt-street, and south side of the railway.

A boat-builder's yard and hereditaments, called Norway-wharf, with entrance from the Commercial-road, in the occupation of Messrs. Forrest.

Parish of All Saints, Poplar.

A piece of ground, on the north side of Garford-street, with the smith's shop and shed thereon, in the occupation of Mr. Joseph James Sheffield.

WILLIAM ROUTH.

THOMAS ROBINSON WILLIAMS, formerly of Norfolk-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, but now of West-street, Well-street, Hackney, in the said county, Gentleman, hereby give notice, that I intend to apply to Her Majesty in Council, for a prolongation, for the further term of seven years (or such other term, not exceeding seven years, as Her Majesty shall please) of my term of sole using and vending my invention of improvements in the making of hats, bonnets, and caps, and in the covering of them with silk and other materials with the assistance of machinery, granted to me, my executors, administrators, and assigns by certain letters patent, bearing date the 11th day of September 1828, within that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called England, the dominion of Wales, and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed; and I, the said Thomas Robinson Williams, do hereby give further notice, that I intend to apply to the Right Honourable the Lords comprising the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Honourable Privy Council, on the 15th day of January next (if the Judicial Committee shall meet or be sitting on that day, or otherwise on the first day after the said 15th day of January next upon which the Judicial Committee shall meet or be sitting) for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of my said petition, for such prolongation of the said term, as hereinbefore mentioned; and all persons desirous of being heard, in opposition to the prayer of the said petition, are hereby required to enter caveats at the Privy Council-office on or before the said 15th day of January next.—Dated this 7th day of December 1840.

THOMAS ROBINSON WILLIAMS.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

VALENTIA HARBOUR LIGHT-HOUSE,
WEST COAST OF IRELAND.

Ballast-Office, Dublin, November 12, 1840.

THE Corporation for preserving and improving the port of Dublin hereby give notice, that a Light-house has been built on the north east point of Valentia Island, from which a fixed white light will be exhibited on the evening of the 1st of February 1841, and thenceforth will be lighted from sun-set to sun-rise.

Specification given of the Position of the Tower, &c. by Mr. Halpin, the Inspector of Light-houses.

The Light-house is erected within the old building of Cromwell's Fort, on the western side of the principal entrance to Valentia Harbour,

and bears from Reenadrólaan Point, S. E. by E., distant $1\frac{1}{2}$ nautic miles;
and bears from Doulus Head, S. S. W. $\frac{3}{4}$ W., $1\frac{1}{2}$ nautic miles;
and bears from Clacka-vallig (sunken rock), W. by S., $1\frac{3}{4}$ cables' length.

The light will be a fixed white light, open to seaward, from N. W. to S. S. E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., and elevated 54 feet above the level of high water springs, 60 feet above the mean level of the sea.

The light, kept open, will lead clear of Reenadrólaan Point, and also of the Harbour Rock within the entrance.

Shelving rocks, partly covered at high water, extend three quarters of a cable's length from Cromwell's Fort.

The bearings given are magnetic.—Var. $28\frac{3}{4}$ W.

By order,

H. Vereker, Secretary.

CONTRACTS FOR SLOP CLOTHING,
BUTTONS, THREAD, AND LINEN.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, December 3, 1840.

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 24th December instant, at one o'clock they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, the under-mentioned articles, viz.

Blue Wove Worsted Jackets, 20,000 number.
Knited Worsted Stockings, 15,000 pairs.
Wove Worsted Stockings, 10,000 pairs.

One third of each to be delivered by the 28th of February; another third by the 30th April; and the remainder by the 30th June next.

Worsted Caps, 8000 number.

Half to be delivered by the 28th of February, and the remainder by the 30th April next.

White Wove Worsted Jackets, 4000 number.

Worsted Mitts, 1000 pairs.

Blue Baize, 15,000 yards.

Black Horn Buttons, 500 gross.

Black Thread, 300 pounds.

Brown Linen, 800 yards.

To be delivered by the 28th of February next.

Samples of the articles, and 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"; and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value, for the due performance of the contracts.

CONTRACTS FOR FLOUR, WHEAT, AND
PEAS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, December 11, 1840.

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 17th December instant, at one o'clock they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, the under-mentioned articles, viz.

American Flour (the produce of the United States), in Bond, 300 tons; half to be delivered in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards.

Wheat, Red, 1700 quarters; Wheat, White, 800 quarters; half of each to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards.

Peas, 500 quarters; half to be delivered in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards.

Samples of the wheat and peas (not less than two quarts of each), and also of the flour, must be produced by the parties tendering.

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"; and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

Bank of England, December 10, 1840.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice That a General Court will be held at the Bank, on Thursday next the 17th instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the charter; which is also made special, for the purpose of taking into consideration Addresses of congratulation to Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness Prince Albert, on the birth of the Princess Royal.

John Knight, Secretary.

Commercial Dock Company.

Commercial Dock-Office, 106, Fenchurch-Street, December 15, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the transfer-books of this Company will be shut on Thursday the 31st instant, and opened again on Saturday the 9th January; and that, pursuant to Act of Parliament, a General Court of Proprietors will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 106, Fenchurch-street, London, on Friday the 8th of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of declaring a half-yearly dividend.

By order of the Board of Directors,

H. K. Smithers, *jux.* Secretary.

Imperial Fire-Office, Sun-Court, Cornhill, December 15, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of Proprietors will be held at this House, on Monday the 4th January next, between the hours of one and three o'clock in the afternoon, to elect four Directors and one Auditor, in the room of the Directors and Auditor who will then go out of office, in pursuance of the deed of settlement.

By order of the Board,

P. Milner, Accountant.

South Australian Company.

4, New Broad-Street London, December 12, 1840.

THE Directors request the attention of those Proprietors, who have not claimed the option of paying up the instalments on the recent issue of shares, to the following notice, viz. the Directors give notice, that a call of £2 10s. per share, on those shares in this Company, recently issued, on which the deposit only is paid, is required, according to the allotment, to be paid on or before Friday the 15th of January next, at the Banking-house of Messrs. Ladbrokees, and Company, Bank-buildings, London, pursuant to the provisions of the deed of settlement.

By order of the Board of Directors,

Edmund J. Wheeler, Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between John Moseley, of Wheelock, in the parish of Sandbach, in the county of Chester, Brewer, lately carrying on business with Samuel Farr, deceased, and subsequently with Ann Farr, his widow, at Wheelock aforesaid, as Brewers, under the firm of the Wheelock Brewery Company, was this day dissolved by the mutual consent of the undersigned John Moseley and Ann Farr.—Dated this 7th day of December 1840.

John Moseley.

Ann Farr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business at No. 37, Milk-street, Cheapside, Woollen Warehouses, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of December 1840.

John Clayton.

Charles Hart.

Aberdeen, December 11, 1840.

THE Copartnership carried on under the firm of John Ronalds and Company, Ship-Builders, in Aberdeen, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

John Ronalds.

Robt. Bowman.

John Vernon.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned Mary Ann Wright and Elizabeth Mary Danels, of Devonshire-place, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Schoolmistresses, was dissolved, on the 18th day of November instant, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the partnership must be paid to Mr. John Brooks, No. 2, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Solicitor.—Dated this 28th day of November 1840.

Mary Ann Wright.

Elizabeth Mary Danels.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Richard Fleetwood and Edward John Gairdner, in the business of Appraisers and Upholsterers, at No. 19, Judd-street, Brunswick-square, under the firm of Messrs. Fleetwood and Gairdner, will, from and after the 25th day of December next, be dissolved; and from thenceforth the business will be carried on by the said Richard Fleetwood, on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 14th day of December 1840.

R. Fleetwood.

E. J. Gairdner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on under the name of the Prescally Slate Company, between the undersigned, John Cumming, Isaac Solly the younger, Frederick Foster Quin, and Thomas Rennie Hutton, in the Prescally Slate Quarries, in the county of Pembroke, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, as far as regards the said Thomas Rennie Hutton.—Witness our hands this 22d day of August 1840.

Thos. R. Hutton.

I. Solly, jun.

Frederic F. Quin.

John Cumming.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Greenwood, of Spring-head, near Haworth, in the parish of Keighley, in the county of York, Esq., William Cockcroft Greenwood, and James Greenwood, both of Spring-head aforesaid, Gentlemen, and carrying on business together as Woolstaplers, at Keighley and Heckmondwike, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Joseph Greenwood and Sons, hath been this day dissolved by mutual consent: As witness our hands this 5th day of December 1840.

Joseph Greenwood.

William Cockcroft Greenwood.

James Greenwood.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the business of Agent and Collector of Rents, lately carried on in Copartnership, at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, by us the undersigned, Robert Ashcroft, formerly of Manchester aforesaid, but now of Wigan, in the said county, and John Ashcroft, of Manchester aforesaid, terminated on the 25th day of March last, by effluxion of time, and that the said business has since the said 25th day of March, and will in future be carried on by the said John Ashcroft alone, the said Robert Ashcroft having retired from the said late partnership business: As witness our hands this 2d day of June 1840.

Robert Ashcroft.

John Ashcroft.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Margaret Cockin, Thomas Seamer, and John Fisher Cockin, carrying on business at No. 5, Milk-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, as Silk-Manufacturers, was, so far as concerns the said Margaret Cockin, dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of July 1840: As witness our hands this 14th day of December 1840.

Margaret Cockin.
Thomas Seamer.
John Fisher Cockin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Dunkin and William Watson, carrying on business at the city of Canterbury, and at Herne Bay, in the county of Kent, as Linen-Drapers, under the firm or style of Dunkin and Watson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the copartnership will be respectively received and paid by the said William Watson, who will carry on the business at Canterbury on his own account.—Dated this 11th day of December 1840.

William Dunkin.
William Watson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between the undersigned, William Evans and John Evans, carrying on the business of Grocers, Tea-Dealers, and Tallow-Chandlers, in the city of Hereford, under the firm of William and John Evans, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said William Evans, by whom the said businesses will be carried on in future on his own account.—Dated this 7th December 1840.

John Evans.
William Evans.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between the late John Marshall and the undersigned Joseph Margett's Pierson, of Hitchin, in the county of Herts, Brewers and Maltsters, under the firm of Marshall and Pierson, and continued, since the decease of the said John Marshall, between the undersigned Charles Marshall, as Executor of the said John Marshall, and the said Joseph Margett's Pierson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and the business will in future be carried on by the said Joseph Margett's Pierson alone.—Dated this 10th day of December 1840.

Chas. Marshall.
J. M. Pierson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the agreement for an intended Partnership between the undersigned, John William Cotterell and Cyprian James Cotterell, as Painters, Plumbers, and Glaziers, No. 77, Manchester-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, hath been, by mutual consent, abandoned and relinquished; and that, if any such partnership ever subsisted between them, the same, by such consent, is hereby dissolved.—Dated this 4th day of November 1840.

J. W. Cotterell.
Cyprian James Cotterell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately carried on between us the undersigned, Thomas Hilder, of Selmeiston, in the county of Sussex, and James Hilder, of Bodiam, in the same county, Farmers, was, on the 11th day of October now last past, dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 30th day of November 1840.

Thos. Hilder.
James Hilder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, John Collier and David Henry Collier, in the business of Cotton Twist and Weft-Dealers, carried on under the name, style, or firm of John Collier, in High-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Collier, who continues the business on his own account: As witness the hands of the parties this 9th day of December 1840.

John Collier.
David Henry Collier.

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, as Manufacturing Braziers, at No. 7, Bartholomew-squares, Old-street, Saint Luke's, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts to be received and paid by the undersigned Richard Moss, at the above premises.—Dated this 11th day of December 1840.

Richard Moss.
Jonathan Bradfield.

London, December 12, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) between us the undersigned, as Silk-Brokers, at No. 26, Throgmorton-street, was this day dissolved.

John Knowles.
Henry Rodwell.
George Russell Parker.
John Thomas King.
Henry W. Eaton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business at Winsford, in the county palatine of Chester, as Salt-Manufacturers, under the firm of Wood, Harrison, and Co. and latterly that of John Wood and Co. was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 30th day of June 1839: As witness our hands this 24th day of August 1840.

John Wood.
Mary Holden.
John Johnson.
W. Worthington.
Robt. P. Hadfield.
Thos. Firth.
Wm. Johnson.
Edwd. Harrison.
Elizabeth Brown.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of December 11, 1840:]
115, Constitution-street, Leith,
December 10, 1840.

I HAVE ceased to be a Partner of the Forth Marine Insurance Company, carrying on business here, in London, and elsewhere.

John Murdoch.

WM. GLOVER, Witness.
JN. McCALLUM, Witness.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Counties of Demerary and Essequibo.

PURSUANT to authority granted by his Honour the Chief Justice of British Guiana, bearing date the 28th day of September 1840;

I, the undersigned, Acting Provost Marshal of British Guiana, in the name and behalf of William Austin, Clerk, for himself and de rato cavens, J. B. Bruce, surviving deliberating executors to the last will and testament of George Sanders, deceased, do hereby, by edict, cite all known and unknown creditors in Europe of George Sanders, deceased, his estate and effects (boedel), to appear in person, or by their attorneys, at the Roll-court for the counties of Demerary and Essequibo, in the colony of British Guiana aforesaid, to be holden at the Court-house, in the Guiana Public-buildings, in George-town, in the month of May 1841, in order then and there to render their respective claims, properly substantiated and in due form, against the said George Sanders, deceased, his estate and effects (boedel).

Whereas in default of which, the non-appearers will be proceeded against according to law.

Marshal's office, George-town, Demerary and Essequibo,
this 19th day of October 1840.

GEO. WIGHT, Acting Provost Marshal.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Counties of Demerara and Essequibo.

THE undersigned, in the capacity of Acting Provost Marshal of British Guiana, advertises, by these presents, for the first, second, and third time, that he (or the Provost Marshal for the time being) will, by virtue of a Sentence of the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice for the counties of Demerara and Essequibo, in the colony of British Guiana, dated the 12th day of June 1840, at the instance of

George Henry Loxdale, attorney of Thomas Murray, of Liverpool, Merchant, holden by transfer and cession of action of the hereinafter mentioned mortgage, versus the proprietor or proprietors, representative or representatives, of Plantation Bremen, now called Cullen, cum annexis, situate on the west sea coast of the county of Essequibo; and in pursuance of an order of his Honour the Chief Justice of British Guiana, dated the 9th day of July 1840, expose for sale at public auction, in the month of September 1841;

The sugar plantation Cullen, comprising the land, buildings, machinery, cultivation, and further appurtenances, situate on the west sea coast of Essequibo, in the county of Essequibo, and colony of British Guiana aforesaid.

The judgment or price concurrent on the net proceeds of the said plantation, Cullen, cum annexis, will be held by the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of and for the counties of Demerara and Essequibo, in the colony of British Guiana aforesaid, three months after the day of sale, for which purpose all those who may pretend to have any right, title, or interest in and to the said net proceeds of the said sale, are her by summoned by him, the said Acting Provost Marshal, to appear in person, or by their attorneys, to lay their claims, in due form, before the Honourable the Supreme Court of Justice, at the Roll-Court for the counties aforesaid, to be holden at the Court-house, in the Guiana Public buildings, in George-town, in the month of December 1841, on pain that the non appearers will be proceeded against according to law.

An inventory of the said property will be seen at the Counting-houses of Messrs. Hall, McGarel, and Co. No. 32, Fenchurch street, London, and Messrs. Heemskerk, Brothers, of Amsterdam.

Mar-shal's Office, George-town, Demerara and Essequibo
this 19th day of October 1840.

GEO. WIGHT, Acting Provost Marshal.

TO be peremptorily resold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Streeter versus Whitmore, with the approbation of John Edmund Dowdeswell, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at the Greyhound Inn, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on Saturday the 26th day of December instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon;

A freehold estate, situate at Croydon aforesaid, consisting of three messuages or dwelling houses, shops, and premises, adjacent to each other, viz a messuage or tenement, since converted into two dwelling houses, shop and premises, in the occupation of Pasquell Cattaneo, Watch Maker and Jeweller.

A messuage or tenement and shop garden, and premises, in the occupation of James Giles, Poulterer; and a messuage or tenement, shop, and premises, in the occupation of John Robinson, Furniture Broker.

Printed particulars whereof may be had (gratis) at the said Master's office, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane; of Messrs. Staunland and Long, Solicitors, 9, Bouverie-street, Fleet-street; and of Messrs. Blake Auctioneers, Croydon; at the Artichoke Inn, Newington causeway; and at Garraway's Coffee-house, Change alley, London.

YORKSHIRE.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes of Cradock versus Piper, and Parkinson versus Piper, with the approbation of John Edmund Dowdeswell Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at the Black Swan Inn, at Pickering, in the north riding of the county of York, early in the month of January 1841, on a day hereafter to be appointed, of which due notice will be given;

Certain freehold estates, late the property of Robert Piper, formerly of Pickering aforesaid, Esq. deceased, situate in the several townships of Pickering and Hartoft, in the north riding of the county of York.

Printed particulars whereof may shortly be had (gratis) at the chambers of the said Master, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London; at the Black Swan Inn, Pickering; of Mr. Watson, Solicitor, Pickering; of Mr. Piper, Solicitor, Pickering; Messrs. T. and C. Walker, Solicitors, Malton; Mr. Grandon, Solicitor, Pickering; Messrs. Dyneley, Coverdale, and Lee, of No. 4, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors; and Messrs. Hicks and Marris, and Messrs. Williamson and Hill, Gray's-inn, London, Solicitors; and Messrs. Milne, Parry, and Milne, Solicitors, Temple.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Moran versus Elstob, any persons of person claiming to be the next of kin of Joseph Wilson, formerly of Little Stanhope-street, May-fair, and of Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, but at the time of his death (which happened on or about the 18th day of June 1820) a prisoner in the Queen's Bench Prison, are or is, by their Solicitors, forthwith to come in and prove such their kindred before John Edmund Dowdeswell Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his office, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, or in default thereof such persons or person will be excluded the benefit of the said Order.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Gladstone against Dakin, the creditors of Sybella Georgiana Scarisbrick, late of Golborne-park, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died in or about the month of October 1839), are forthwith to come in and prove their debts before Samuel Duckworth 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 excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Youde against Jones, the heir or heirs at law of Thomas Watkin Youde of Plas Madoc, in the county of Denbigh, Esq. deceased (who died on or about the 24th day of August 1821), are, on or before the 21st day of January 1841, to come in and prove his, her, or their claims before Samuel Duckworth, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, or in default thereof he, she, or they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Martin against Gurney, the creditors of Samuel Martin, late of the city of Norwich, Banker (who died in the month of January 1839), are forthwith 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 be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Clark versus Squance, the creditors of George Shears, late of the parish of St. Sidwell, in the county of the city of Exeter, Maltster (who died in or about the month of January 1839), are, by their Solicitors, forthwith to come in before William Wingfield, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers in Southampton buildings, Chancery-lane, London, and prove their debts, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in causes Sharnan against Heath, and Howe versus Keene, the creditors of Thomas Mason, late of the Plough Public-house, in Rochester-row, Westminster, Victualler, deceased (who died in or about the month of July 1830), are, on or before the 14th day of January 1841, to come in and prove their debts before William Brougham, 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.

THIS is to give notice, that by an indenture, bearing date the 3d day of December 1840, and made between William Buddle, of Emscote, in the borough of Warwick, in the county of Warwick, Coal-Merchant, of the one part; and William Banister Shaw, of the borough of Warwick aforesaid, Accountant, of the other part; the said William Buddle hath assigned all his estate, moneys, debts, and effects whatsoever to William Banister Shaw, his executors, administrators, and assignees, as trustee, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of him, the said William Buddle, and that the place of abode of the said William Banister Shaw is the borough of Warwick; and that the said indenture was duly executed, as well by the said William Buddle as by the said William Banister Shaw, on the said 3d day of December 1840; and that the execution of the said indenture by the said William Buddle, and by the said William Banister Shaw, was attested by William Edward Buck and Thomas Heath, both Solicitors, and that the said borough of Warwick is the place of abode of both the said Solicitors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indentures of lease, and of release and assignment, the lease bearing date the 27th day of October 1840, and the release and assignment bearing date the 28th day of October 1840, Henry Doble, of Morice Town, in the county of Devon, Surgeon, hath released, assured, and conveyed all his estate to Joseph Hancock Balkwill, of Plymouth, in the said county of Devon, Cavalist, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, as trustee, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Henry Doble, and that the same indenture of lease was executed by the said Henry Doble, and the said indenture of release and assignment was executed by the said Henry Doble and Joseph Hancock Balkwill, respectively, on the said 28th day of October 1840; and that the execution of the said indenture of lease by the said Henry Doble, and the execution of the said indenture of release and assignment by the said Henry Doble and Joseph Hancock Balkwill, respectively, was attested by Nicholas Were, of Plymouth aforesaid, Attorney at Law; and further notice is hereby given, that the same indenture of release and assignment remains at the office of Messrs. Prieaux and Were, for the signatures of the creditors of the said Henry Doble.—Dated this 9th day of December 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 9th day of December 1840, Michael Leopold Parnell, of No. 32, Little Queen's-reel, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Ironmonger, hath conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever to Jeremiah Wynn, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Factor, and Frederick Walton, of Wolverhampton aforesaid, Factor, as trustees, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of him the said Michael Leopold Parnell; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Michael Leopold Parnell, Jeremiah Wynn, and Frederick Walton, respectively, on the said 9th day of December 1840; and which indenture was witnessed by William Williams, of No. 31, Alfred-place, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, and H. J. Humphreys, of No. 39, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the said county of Middlesex, Solicitor; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said William Williams, at No. 31, Alfred-place aforesaid for the signature of all the said creditors.—Dated this 11th day of December 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indentures of lease and release, bearing date, respectively, the 8th and 9th days of December 1840, John Edwards, of Hope-street, in the town of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Baker, hath conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects whatsoever, to Thomas Rogers, of Hope-street, in the town of Wrexham aforesaid, Publican, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of him the said John Edwards; and that the said indentures were duly executed by the said John Edwards on the 9th day of December, and the executions thereon, respectively, by him were severally attested by Thomas Hughes, of Wrexham aforesaid, Solicitor, and William Jones, his Clerk; and that the said indenture of release was duly executed by the said Thomas Rogers on the 9th day of December instant, and the execution thereof attested by the said Thomas Hughes and William Jones; and notice is hereby further given, that the said deed of release now lies at my office, in Wrexham, for execution by the creditors of the said John Edwards, who have not already executed the same; and such of his creditors as shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, or assent thereto, on or before the 9th day of March next, will be excluded any benefit arising therefrom.—Dated this 9th day of December 1840.

THOS. HUGHES, Solicitor to the Assignee.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 10th day of December instant, Robert Rolling, of No. 29, Waring-street, in the city of London, Chusemonger, has conveyed and assigned all his stock in trade, goods, wares, merchandizes, household furniture, and all other his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, to Thomas Acocks, of Old Fish-street, in the city of London, Merchant, upon trust, for himself and all the creditors of the said Robert Rolling, who should execute the said indenture; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Robert Rolling and Thomas Acocks on the 10th day of December instant, and the execution of the said indenture, by the said Robert Rolling and Thomas Acocks, is attested by John Lawrence, of No. 25, Old Fish-street, in the city of London, Solicitor; and that the said indenture now lies at the

office of Messrs. B. and J. Lawrence, and Taylor, of No. 25, Old Fish-street aforesaid, for execution by any other of the creditors of the said Robert Rolling.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 3d day of December instant, James Jones, of the Mount Pleasant Inn, situate at Brynmawr, in the parish of Llanelly, in the county of Brecon, Victualler, has assigned all his personal estate and effects, and the money to arise from the sale of his real estate, unto Nicholas Price, of the town of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Gentleman, and Henry Collins Williams, of the same place, Brewer; upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Jones; and which said indenture was duly executed by the said James Jones, and Nicholas Price, and Henry Collins Williams, on the said 3d day of December instant, and the execution by them, respectively, was and is attested by Mr. William Forster Batt, Attorney at Law, Abergavenny. And notice is hereby further given; that the said indenture now lies at the office of Messrs. Morgan and Batt, Solicitors, High-street, Abergavenny, for the inspection and signature of the creditors of the said James Jones; and that those creditors who shall refuse or neglect to execute, or accede to the same, within two calendar months from the date thereof, will be excluded from all benefit arising therefrom; and all persons who are indebted to the estate of the said James Jones are requested to pay the amount of their respective debts forthwith to the said Messrs. Morgan and Batt, who are authorised by the trustees to receive the same.—December 8, 1840.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Joseph Brookhouse, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Watch and Lock-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, on Thursday the 7th day of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Mr. Borough, Solicitor, in Derby aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling or disposing of the stock in trade, fixtures, household furniture, and other effects of the said bankrupt, either by public auction or private contract, or by valuation, or partly by either mode, and either to the said bankrupt, or to any other person or persons, and either for ready money or on credit, and upon such terms and conditions as to the said assignees shall appear to be the most advantageous to the said bankrupt's estate; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Armistead Sedgwick, of Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on the 6th day of January 1841, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the office of Messrs. Price Deakin, and Dent, Solicitors, in George-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignee selling by private contract, to a person to be named at the meeting hereby convened, the portion now remaining unsold of the stock in trade of the said bankrupt, and also the household furniture and fixtures of the said bankrupt, in the premises in Mill-street, in Macclesfield aforesaid, where he carried on trade; and also all the interest (if any) of the said assignee in the remainder now to come and unexpired of the term for years granted to the said bankrupt in the same premises, for the sum of one thousand pounds (subject to deduction as hereinafter mentioned), to be paid by four equal instalments of two hundred and fifty pounds, the first instalment to be paid on possession of the said stock in trade, furniture, and fixtures being given to the purchaser thereof, and the three remaining instalments to be severally and respectively paid on the 14th day of February next, the 14th day of August next, and the 14th day of February 1842, and such three remaining instalments to be secured by three several promissory notes of the said person to be named at the said meeting, to be severally payable to the said assignee, or his order, at a London Banking house, on the three several days last-mentioned, and to be also secured by a warrant of attorney of the said person to be named at the said meeting, to confess a judgment in an action of debt, with a defazance to the same warrant, providing for payment of the said three last instalments on the three several days last-mentioned, and stipulating that, on any default in payment,

According to such provision, the whole of the instalments unpaid on such default, shall immediately thereupon become due and payable; and to assent to or dissent from the said assignee allowing to the said person to be named at the said meeting, and deducting from the amount of the said instalment to be paid, on possession as aforesaid, the amount of the profits (if any) which have arisen from the 28th day of October last, in the carrying on by the said assignee of the said bankrupt's trade, after payment of all expenses incurred from the said last-mentioned day, in carrying on the same trade; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Samuel Lowe, now or late of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Carpet-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Friday the 8th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the office of Mr. William Talbot, Church-street, in Kidderminster aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling or disposing of all or any part of the stock in trade, household furniture, fixtures, and other the personal estate and effects of the said bankrupt, by public auction or private contract, or partly by both, and either in one or more lot or lots, or by tender, and at their discretion to reject the highest tender and accept a lower tender or sum of money, at such time and place, price or prices, and upon such terms as to them shall appear reasonable, and to any person or persons who shall be willing to treat for the same, and to give such credit or take such security, whether personal or otherwise, for the purchase moneys thereof respectively, as the said assignees in their discretion shall think proper, and, in case of such sale or sales by auction, to buy in and resell the same in manner aforesaid, and at the risk and expence of the estate of the said bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees working up materials and purchasing materials, and generally carrying on the said bankrupt's trade or business, for the benefit and at the risk of his estate, for such time as may be necessary for selling off the whole or any part of the said bankrupt's stock in trade, and to their employing the said bankrupt, or any other person or persons, in conducting the said trade, or in any other way for the benefit of the said bankrupt's estate; and to their paying and allowing to the bankrupt, or to such other person or persons, out of the moneys to be received by the said assignees belonging to the said bankrupt's estate and effects, such wages and compensation, for his or their trouble therein, as to them may seem proper and reasonable; and also to the said assignees paying and discharging all rents, taxes, or servants' wages, and other outgoings now due and payable from the said bankrupt's estate, or to become due and payable during such period of time as the said assignees may continue in possession of the said bankrupt's house, shop, and premises, and an advantageous disposition can be fairly effected, but so as that the said assignees shall not in anywise be liable to answer for or make good any loss, or damage which may arise or happen by reason of such continuance, or of their actings or doings therein; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees employing any person or persons they may think proper to collect and get in the outstanding debts and effects belonging to the said bankrupt's estate, and to make up and adjust the books and accounts of the said bankrupt, and to the assignees making to such person or persons compensation for his or their trouble, as may appear to the said assignees proper and reasonable; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits, at law or in equity, for recovery of or concerning any part of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, and particularly in defending a certain action brought by John Swinford Bassett against the Sheriff of Worcester; and to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or in anywise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and generally to authorise the said assignees to act for the benefit of the estate of the said bankrupt in such manner as shall seem to them most beneficial; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against John Hedley, of the borough of Morpeth, Chymist and Druggist, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on the 15th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the offices of Messrs. Tyzack and Lietch, Solicitors, Tyne-

street, North Shields, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignee concurring in certain sales of the reversionary interest of John Hedley, late of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Surgeon, deceased, in or to certain freehold premises, situate in or near Sunderland near the Sea, in the county of Durham aforesaid, and in or to certain leasehold premises, situate in South Shields aforesaid, and which reversionary interest is expectant on the death of a lady aged fifty three years, or thereabouts, and is intended to be sold for the benefit of the estate of the said John Hedley, deceased; and to assent to or dissent from the said assignee releasing any right or interest, or supposed right or interest, legal or equitable, of the said bankrupt as heir at law or administrator of the said John Hedley, deceased, or of him the said assignee, in or to the said reversionary interest in the said before-mentioned freehold and leasehold premises, or either of them, for the making a perfect title to any purchaser of all or any part of the said freehold or leasehold premises, or for the greater satisfaction of such purchaser; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee compounding, settling, and adjusting certain debts due to the estate of the said bankrupt; and also to the said assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action or actions at law, or suit or suits in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding or submitting to arbitration any such action or suit, or otherwise settling, compounding, and adjusting any accounts, debts, or disputes of the said bankrupt, or other matter relating to the said bankruptcy; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee paying and discharging, out of the funds of the said bankrupt's estate, the costs and expenses incurred, previous to the issuing of the said Fiat, in endeavouring to effect a composition or arrangement between the said bankrupt and his creditors, with a view to save the expenses of the said Fiat; and generally to authorise the said assignee to adopt all such measures as he may deem most proper for arranging and winding up the affairs of the said bankruptcy; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against John Leigh, of Consall, in the county of Stafford, Coal-Owner, Coal-Merchant, Flint-Grinder, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, on the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the George Inn, in Stafford, in order to assent to or dissent from all or any of the several matters, things, and proceedings hereinafter mentioned being done, taken, prosecuted, or effected, at the sole cost and risk of the said bankrupt's estate, and with or without security for all or any of the said matters, things, and proceedings, that is to say, first, whether or not the said assignees shall obtain surveys and valuations of the real estate, and either alone or jointly with any mortgagee or person or persons having any lien or charge thereon, sell and dispose of all, or any part or parts, of the said bankrupt's real estate, or the equity of redemption thereof, or any other estate or interest therein, and either by public auction or private contract, and whether or not they shall be at liberty to release the said real estate with or without consideration to the mortgagees thereof, and whether or not the said assignees shall otherwise deal with or in reference to the said real estate in any manner they may think proper; second, whether or not the said assignees shall confirm or abandon certain agreements for purchase of real estate, and accept or abandon certain leases, or agreements for leases, the particulars whereof will be mentioned at such meeting, and whether or not they shall deal, with or in reference to such agreements or leases, as the said assignees shall think proper; third, whether or not the said assignees shall inquire into and, if so advised by counsel, take measures to set aside certain judgements entered up against the said bankrupt, and executions issued against him, and under which great part of his personal estate and effects have been sold, the particulars of which judgements and executions will be named at the said meeting, and whether or not the said assignees shall deal, with reference to such judgements and executions, and take such proceedings relative thereto, as they may think proper; fourth, whether or not the said assignees shall take measures to have expunged the proof of certain debts admitted by the Commissioners, where the creditors held security for such debts, payable with interest above the rate of five pounds per centum per annum; fifth, whether or not the said assignees shall be at liberty to pay and charge to the said estate certain costs incurred in or about preparing a deed of

conveyance and assignment of the real and personal estate of the said bankrupt, for the benefit of his creditors, and in, about, or concurring an attempt to compound, settle, or arrange the affairs of the said bankrupt, without proceeding in the said bankruptcy, the bill for which will be produced at the said meeting; sixth, whether or not the said assignees shall pay and charge to the said estate the charges of an accountant employed in and about the accounts and affairs of the said bankrupt, the bill for which will be produced at the said meeting; seventh, to ratify or disallow the acts done by the assignees in the management of or relating to the estate or affairs of the said bankrupt; and generally to assent to or dissent from the said assignees taking all and every such measures on the winding up, arrangement, and settlement of the said bankrupt's affairs as to them shall seem expedient to the interest and benefit of the creditors; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against James Bown, of Melcombe Regis, in the county of Dorset, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Friday the 8th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the office of Mr. Phillips, Solicitor, in Saint Thomas's-street, in Melcombe Regis aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing and prosecuting any, and if any, what actions, or suits at law, or in equity, against certain persons to be named at the said meeting, for the recovery of certain debts due from them to the said bankrupt's estate, or any such part or parts of such debts, respectively, as the said assignees shall consider or be advised, are recoverable; and further to assent to or dissent from the said assignees compounding, compromising, submitting to arbitration or relinquishing and abandoning, the same debts, or any of them, or the claims and demands made by the said assignees in respect thereof, or otherwise, against the several persons above named, or any of them; and on other special affairs.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intitled "An Act to amend the law relating to Bankrupts," it is enacted "That any Trader shall file in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts a Declaration, in writing, signed by such Trader, and attested by an Attorney or Solicitor, that he is insolvent or unable to meet his engagements; the said Secretary of Bankrupts shall sign an authority for inserting the said Declaration in the Gazette, and that every such Declaration shall, after such advertisement inserted as aforesaid, be an Act of Bankruptcy committed by such Trader at the time when such Declaration was filed, but that no Commission shall issue thereupon unless it be sued out within two calendar months next after the insertion of such advertisement, unless such advertisement shall have been inserted within eight days after such Act of Bankruptcy after such Declaration filed, and no Docket shall be struck upon such Act of Bankruptcy before the expiration of four days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in London, or before the expiration of eight days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in the Country."—Notice is hereby given, that a Declaration was filed on the 14th day of December 1840, in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts, signed and attested according to the said Act, by

EDWIN EDMONDS ROUSE, of the city of Worcester, Stationer and Printer, that he is in insolvent circumstances, and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

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WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Treherne, of Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Upholsterer, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq. a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of December instant; and on the 26th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely on each day, 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. Abbott, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Pain and Hatherly, Solicitors, Great Marlborough-street.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against John Halliday, of No. 333, Wapping, in the county of Middlesex, Mast and Block-Maker, 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 28th day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely on each of the said days, 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. George John Graham, No. 21, Basinghall-street, City, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Stevens and Co. Queen-street, Cheap-side.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Charles Clutterbuck, of the Black Prince, No. 64, Clarendon-street, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Herman Merivale, Esq. a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of December instant, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 26th day of January next, 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. G. Green, No. 18, Aldermanbury, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Isaac Ablett, Solicitor, No. 6, Newcastle-street, Strand.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Charles Hawkins, of Tottenham-court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23d day of December instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 26th day of January next, 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. Johnson, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Ashurst, Solicitor, 137, Cheapside.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Lewis Joseph Smith and Philip Summers, of No. 12, Tabernacle-walk, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Fancy Stationers and Printers, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to Joshua Evans, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 30th day of December instant, at two in the afternoon, and on the 26th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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 Mr. Lackington, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Thomas and Yonge, of No. 14, Tokenhouse-yard, Solicitors.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against William Porden Kay and Edward Nicolas Kendall, late of the parish of Douglas, near Fredericks-ton, in the county of York, in the province of New Brunswick, British North America, Brewers, Engineers, and Millers, Dealers and Chapmen, surviving Partners of William Braithwaite, late of the same place, Brewer, Engineer, and Miller, deceased, formerly trading under the style or firm of Braithwaite, Kay, and Company, and which said William Porden Kay is now residing at No. 28, Bedford-street, Commercial-road, in the parish of Stepney, in the county of Middlesex, and which said Edward Nicolas Kendall is now residing at No. 9, Hamilton-terrace, Hyde-vale, in the parish of St. Alphege, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Holroyd, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 2d and 26th days of January next, at twelve at noon precisely on each of the said days, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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 Mr. Edward Edwards, No. 7, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Shoubridge, Solicitor, No. 5, South-square, Gray's-inn.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against William Jones, of Fregaron, in the county of Cardigan, Butter-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 21st day of December instant, and on the 26th of January next, at twelve at noon on each of the said days, at the Wynnstay Arms Hotel, in the town of Dychnuleth, in the county of Montgomery, 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 Messrs. Covelje, Skilbeck, and Hall, Solicitors, 19, Southampton-buildings, Chancery lane, London, or to Messrs. Kough and Saxton, Solicitors, Shrewsbury.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Henry Foot, of Horrabridge, in the county of Devon, Tailor, 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 28th day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on each of the said days, at Whiddon's Hotel, in Plymouth, in the county of Devon, 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 Messrs. Little and Woolcombe, or to Mr. W. J. Little, Solicitors, Deronport, or to Messrs. H. W. and W. C. Sole, Solicitors, 68, Aldermanbury, London.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against John Cockhill, of Almondbury, in the county of York, Shopkeeper, 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 31st day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon on each of the said days, at the Pack Horse Inn, in Huddersfield, in the said county of York; 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 Messrs. Battye, Fisher, and Sudlow, Solicitors, 20, Chancery-lane, London, or to Mr. Stephenson, Solicitor, Holingfirth, near Huddersfield.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Edward Jones, of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Ironmonger, 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 29th day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at ten in the forenoon on each day, at the Wynnstay Arms Inn, in Wrexham aforesaid, 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 Messrs. Richards and Walker, Solicitors, 29, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, or to Mr. Joseph Foster, Solicitor, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against William Gulle Wilde, of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Tanner, 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 28th day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at half past nine of the clock in the forenoon on each of the said days, at the Beaufort Arms Inn, Monmouth, 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 Messrs. Wansey and Tagart, Solicitors, 30, Ely-place Holborn, London, or to Mr. Charles Hassell, Solicitor, Shannou-court, Bristol.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against James Hunter Kellett, of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Cabinet-Maker, Dealer and Chap-

man, 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 2d day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the King's Arms Inn, in Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, and on the 26th day of the same month, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Cross Keys Inn, in Milnthorpe, in the said county, 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 Messrs. Makinson and Sanders, Solicitors, Elm-court, Temple, London, or to Mr. Woodburn Postlethwaite, Solicitor, Ulverston.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of May 1840, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Hoskins, of Hercules court, Broad street, in the city of London, Chronometer-Maker, will sit on the 29th day of December instant, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to receive the Proof of a Debt under the said Fiat.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against William Clark Golland, of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Linen-Draper, Hosier, and Mercer, will sit on the 29th of December instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London (by adjournment from the 4th of December instant), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against James Clarke, of Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, intend to meet on the 23d day of December instant, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Castle Hotel, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have already proved their debts, are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th day of July 1840, awarded and issued forth against William Mason, late of Saint James's-street, in the parish of Saint James, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Hotel-Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 6th day of January 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 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 September 1810, awarded and issued forth against James Anderson, late of Clifton-street, in the city of London, Dealer in Jet, but now of the city and county of Bristol, Scrivener, intend to meet on the 5th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Commercial-rooms, in Corn-street, in the city of Bristol, in order to Audit the Accounts of the As-

signees 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 5th of December 1837, awarded and issued forth against Alfred Birks, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in St. James's-square, in Manchester, 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 9th day of July 1840, awarded and issued forth against Robert Fervall Beeston, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Marble-Mason, Dealer and Chapman, lately carrying on business at Liverpool aforesaid, in partnership with John Carter, under the firm of John Carter and Company, intend to meet on the 9th of January next, at one in the afternoon, at the Clarendon-rooms, in South John-street, in Liverpool, in the said county, 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."

JOHN HERMAN MERIVALE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 29th day of July 1815, awarded and issued forth against Robert Bramley, of Shorter's-court, in the city of London, Bill-Broker, will sit on the 8th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon 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.

JOHN HERMAN MERIVALE, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorised to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 20th day of February 1840, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Carter, of Cheapside, and of Aldermanbury, both in the city of London, Woollen Draper and Tailor, Trader, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 7th of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make an Adjourned 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 28th day of August 1840, awarded and issued forth against William Hodgson, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Sizer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in St. James's-square, in Manchester aforesaid, 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;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the same day, at the same hour, and at the same place, 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 4th day of September 1840, awarded and issued forth against Anthony Smelt, now or late of Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester, Linen and Woollen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 13th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the George Hotel, in Melton Mowbray aforesaid, 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;" and the said Commissioners also intend to meet on the same day, at five in the afternoon, and at the same place, in order 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 17th day of January 1838, awarded and issued forth against John Smith, of Leeds, in the county of York, Joiner and Carpenter, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners' rooms, Commercial buildings, in Leeds aforesaid, 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 20th day of March 1837, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Hopkins, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Carpet-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 8th day of January next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, at the Black Horse Inn, in Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, in order to make a Further 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 5th day of December 1837, awarded and issued forth against Alfred Birks, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 9th day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the Commissioners' rooms, in Saint James's-square, in Manchester, in the said county, in order to make a Further 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.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against William Wilkinson, by the name and addition of William Wilkinson, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said William Wilkinson 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 William Wilkinson 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Joseph Burr, of Wells, in the county of Somerset,

Baizer, 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 Joseph Burr 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 Joseph Burr 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Edward Rowell, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Worsted and Cotton-Manufacturer, 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 Edward Rowell 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 Edward Rowell 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Thomas Fox, of No. 6, Alfred-place, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Carman and Dealer, hath certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Thomas Fox 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 Fox 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against John Cockrell and Edward Cockrell, of Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Wool-Brokers, Dealers and Chapman, hath certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said John Cockrell 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 John Cockrell 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Henry Nicholes, of No. 71, Piccadilly, in the parish of Saint George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex. Confectioner, Dealer and Chapman, hath certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Henry Nicholes 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 Henry Nicholes 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Mark Marks, of 93, Blackman-street, in the borough of Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Carrier and Gilder, 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 Mark Marks 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 Mark Marks 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 5th day of January 1841.

WHEREAS the Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Nathaniel Vyse, of Nuthurst, in the county of Warwick, Farmer and Coach-Proprietor, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and to the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, that the said Nathaniel Vyse 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 Nathaniel Vyse 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 5th day of January 1841.

In the Gazette of Tuesday last, page 2957, col. 1, in the Fiat in Bankruptcy issued against Christopher Hepper, of Bradford, Yorkshire, Auctioneer, &c. in the 9th line from the bottom, for the second meeting to choose assignees, read first meeting to choose assignees, &c.

NOTICE.

December 10, 1840.

THE estates of David Heron, Ship-Chandler, at Broomie-law of Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 10th day of December current.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th December current. The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held, at twelve o'clock at noon, on Monday the 28th day of December current, within the Black Bull Hotel, in Glasgow; and the meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held, at twelve o'clock at noon, on Monday the 25th day of January 1841, within the said Black Bull Hotel, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 10th day of June 1841.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

HANDYSIDE and WILSON, W. S. Agents.

THE estates of Francis Wright, Merchant and Picture-Dealer, in Edinburgh, and late Lessee of the Cowdenbeath Colliery, Fifeshire, were sequestrated on the 9th day of December 1840.

The first deliverance is dated the same day.

The meeting to elect Interim Factor is to be held, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on Friday the 18th day of December 1840, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh; and the meeting to elect the Trustee, or Trustees, and Commissioners is to be held, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on Friday the 8th day of January 1841, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of June 1841.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ROBERT WEBSTER, S. S. C. Edinburgh, Agent.

Erratum in London Gazette of December 8, 1840.

In notice to the creditors of Alexander Duff, Draper, South Bridge-street, Edinburgh, the meeting to elect Trustee and Commissioners was erroneously stated to be held upon 2d December 1841, in place of 2d January 1841.

THE COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 12th day of December 1840.

The following ASSIGNEES have been appointed. Further particulars may be learned at the Office, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, on giving the number of the Case.

Thomas Burnett, late of No. 6, White Horse-street, Lambeth, Carman, an Insolvent, No. 50,170 T.; William Thomas Woods, Assignee.

Samuel Bruce, late of Bacup, Lancashire, Builder, an Insolvent, No. 54,169 C.; John Stones, Assignee.

Joshua Wood, late of Wellington-road, Ashton-under-Lyne, Bricklayer, an Insolvent, No. 54,170 C.; John Stones, Assignee.

John Harries, late of Castlebythe, Pembroke, Farm Bailiff, an Insolvent, No. 54,278 C.; John Jenkins and George Parry, Assignees.

Daniel Buckley, late of the Knowl, Stayley-bridge, Chester, Shoe-Maker, an Insolvent, No. 54,253 C.; James Mills, Assignee.

James Edward Hiles, late of the Abbey Fore-gate, Shrewsbury, Porter-Dealer, an Insolvent, No. 50,203 T.; Joshua Schiefeld the younger, Assignee.

Frederick Young, late of No. 41, Worship-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, out of business, an Insolvent, No. 50,203 T.; Thomas Danby, Assignee.

William Apperley, late of Newent, Gloucester, Labourer, an Insolvent, No. 54,715 C.; John Morse, Assignee.

Joseph Varley, late of Market-place, Wigan, Lancashire, Publican, an Insolvent, No. 54,759 C.; Thomas Bell, Assignee.

Thomas Sowerby, late of Friargate, Preston, Flogger, an Insolvent, No. 54,727 C.; John Whalley and William Charney, Assignees.

Charles Birch Crisp, late of Somerset-square, Bristol, Accountant, an Insolvent, No. 54,693 C.; Thomas Hawkins and John Newth, Assignees.

Hester Higgs, late of No. 6, Townsend-street, Cheltenham, out of business, an Insolvent, No. 54,691 C.; William Henry King, Assignee.

James Alway, late of Wellington, Somerset, Carpenter, an Insolvent, No. 54,815 C.; William Day Horsey, Assignee.

James Robinson, late of Guiseley, near Otley, York, out of business, an Insolvent, No. 54,192 C.; William Douson, Assignee.

Richard Thompson, late of Hanass-lane, Sunderland, Ballast-Keelman, an Insolvent No. 54,218 C.; Nathaniel Grace Lambert, Assignee.

William Poulter, late of St. George's, Bridge-street, Norwich, Baker, an Insolvent, No. 54,666 C.; Robert Banks, Assignee.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 12th day of December 1840.

ORDERS have been made, vesting in the Provisional Assignee the Estates and Effects of the following Persons :

(On their own Petitions.)

Robert William Charles Wittey, late of No. 23, Great New-street, Fetter-lane, London, Clerk to a Tailor.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

James George Richards, late of No. 15, Seymour-place, Euston-square, Middlesex, Attorney at Law.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Brownjohn, late of No. 19, Hosier lane, West Smithfield, London, Whitesmith.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Archer, late of No. 106, London-wall, London, Machine-Maker.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Quilter, late of No. 1, Windmill street, Milton next Gravesend, Kent, Livery-Stablekeeper.—In the Fleet Prison.

Joseph Budworth Sharp, late of No. 4, Barnsbury-street, Islington, Middlesex, Distiller's Clerk.—In the Fleet Prison.

Henry Smith, late of No. 12, Castle-street East, Oxford-market, Middlesex, Silversmith.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

William Phillips, late of No. 51, Molyneux-street, Edgeware-road, Middlesex, Baker.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

James Botson McClary, late of No. 32, Chiswell-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, Clerk to a Paper-Hanger.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Barnet Lipman, late of No. 13, Coventry street, Haymarket, Middlesex, Lodging-House-keeper.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

William Edward Follit, late of Elliot's-row, St. George's-road, Southwark, Surrey, Traveller to a Tobacconist.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Stephen Joseph Wicks, late of No. 26, Skinner-street, Somers'-town, Middlesex, Boot and Shoe-Maker.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Norris, late of No. 48, Duke-street, Saint James's, Middlesex, Steward to a Nobleman. In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Lewis Dodson Giroud, late of No. 17, Tavistock-place, City-road, Middlesex, Silver Chaser.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Pain, late of Brewers court, Richmond, Surrey, Journeyman Tallow-Chandler.—In the Gaol of Kingston-on-Thames.

Robert Hulnden, late of High-street, Riegate, Surrey, out of business.—In Horsemonger lane Gaol.

Henry James Flight, late of No. 9, Victoria road, Picnic, Middlesex, Assistant to a Tailor.—In the Queen's Bench Prison.

William Houlder, late of No. 1, Saint Thomas-place, Dover-road, Surrey, Ironmonger.—In the Queen's Bench Prison.

Leopholdo Boffi, late of No. 12, Silver-hill-terrace, Tivoli, near Hastings, Sussex, Jeweller.—In the Gaol of Horsham.

Joseph Schofield Shaw, late of Warrington-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, Druggist.—In Lancaster Castle.

John Swift, late of Knattou-beath, Wolstanton, near Newcastle-under-Lyme, Stafford, Retailer of Beer.—In the Gaol of Stafford.

James Aubrey Vere Moore, late of Blossoms-street, suburbs of York, out of business. - In York Castle.

Hart Harrow, late of Richmond, Yorkshire, Hair-Dresser.—In York Castle.

James Hitchin, late of Rimmington, near Gisburn, Yorkshire, Servant.—In York Castle.

John Nelson Kennedy, late of Little Horton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, Draper.—In York Castle.

John Biddle, late of No. 14, Tavistock-street, Leamington-priors, Warwickshire, Journeyman Bricklayer.—In the Gaol of Warwick.

Robert Jackson, late of Staindrop, Durham, Agricultural Labourer.—In the Gaol of Durham.

James Merchant, late of Cardiff, Cooper.—In the Gaol of Cardiff.

Francis Peachey, late of Hurst per point, Sussex, Servant.—In the Gaol of Horsham.

George Payne, late of Axminster, Devon, out of business.—In the Gaol of Saint Thomas Apostle.

THE COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

N.B.—See the Notices at the end of these Advertisements.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court, having filed their Schedules, are ordered to be brought up before the Court, at the Court-House, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, on Tuesday the 5th day of January 1841, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute.

John Walpole Ireland (sued and committed as John Walpool Ireland) formerly of No. 7, Simpson's-place, Hackney-road, Middlesex, Brewers' Cooper, previously of No. 23, Huntingdon-street, Kingsland-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Cooper, and late of the Hartfordshire Brewery, No. 7, Red Lion street, Kingsland-road, Middlesex, Retail Beer-Seller and Licenced Common Brewer.

John Seward, formerly of No. 16, Bedford-place, Commercial-road East, and late of No. 25, Hayfield-place, Mile-end-road, both in Middlesex, Baker.

Frederick Hogarth Lloyd (sued and committed as Frederick Lloyd), formerly of Peru-cottage, Southampton-street, Camberwell, next and late of No. 8, William-terrace, South Lambeth, New-road, Surrey, Master Mariner, out of employ.

Henry Wilson, formerly of Union-street, Borough, then of No. 1, Wellington street, London bridge, then of Wellington street aforesaid, and of No. 21, Grove-lane, Camberwell, Gocer, and late of Grove lane aforesaid, all in Surrey, out of business, during part of the time Secretary to the Hothorn Improvement Company.

John Green, formerly of No. 7, Wenlock road, City-road, Middlesex, then of Norwood, Middlesex, and afterwards of High-street, Strood, Kent, Lighterman and Dealer in Canure, then of Stepney-green, Middlesex, and late of Mason-street, New Peckham, Surrey, out of business and employment.

Henry Barker, formerly of No. 1, Cow-alley, Frieschool-street, and also of Stony-lane, both in Horselydown, Southwark, Surrey, Blacksmith, and late of No. 1, Cow-alley aforesaid, Journeyman Blacksmith.

Joseph Middleditch, formerly of No. 1, Waterloo-street, Portland-street, Walworth-common, Surrey, Waiter, and late of the Albion Dining-rooms, No. 34, Bucklersbury, in

the city of London, Eating-Housekeeper, lately residing at No. 57, Paradise-street, Rotherhithe, Surrey, out of business.

William Turner, late of No. 3, Britannia-place, Wandsworth-road, Surrey, Baker.

James Peachey, formerly of No. 42, York-street, Westminster. Middlesex. Pawnbroker and Silversmith, part of the time residing at Ramsden-heath, near Billericay, Essex, afterwards of Mottingham, near Eltham, Kent, then of Douloigne, in the kingdom of France, then lodging at Mrs. Wise's, Smith-street, Somers'-town, Middlesex, out of business or employment then at the Bull and Crown, Chingford green, Essex, Publican, then lodging at Mr. Turner's, Baker, Chingford green aforesaid, and late lodging at No. 1, John-street, Titchfield terrace, Regent's-park, in the county of Middlesex, out of business or employment.

On Thursday the 7th day of January 1841, at the same Hour and Place.

William Nelms, late of Cheshunt-street, Cheshunt, Herts, Baker, Grocer, Cheesemonger, Dealer in Butcher's Meat, and General Shopkeeper, and part of the time also of the Queen Victoria, Tanner's-hill, Cheshunt-street, Cheshunt aforesaid. Licenced Retailer of Beer.

Benjamin Balls, formerly of No. 131, Oxford-street, Hair-Dresser and Perfumer (his wife for some time carrying on the business of a Milliner there), afterwards and late of No. 131, Oxford-street aforesaid, and also late of No. 12, James-street, Haymarket, all in Middlesex, managing the business of a Hair-Dresser and Perfumer, at No. 131, Oxford-street aforesaid.

Thomas Eroy, formerly of No. 8, Mansion House-street, Kennington-lane, Lambeth, Journeymen Hatter, and late of No. 23, in the same street, both in Surrey, Hatter

Richard Henry Iredale, formerly of Newnham-street, Edgeware-road, Bricklayer and Plasterer, and late of No. 35, Riding-house lane, Portland-place, Mary-le-bone, both in Middlesex, Oil and Colourman

Thomas Heath the elder, formerly of the parish of Lewkhoe, near Thame, Oxford-hire, Farmer, next of No. 11, Ebury-street, Pimlico, Middlesex. Cowkeeper, Dairyman, and Cheesemonger, next of the same place, managing the same business for John Slater, of No. 7, South Lambeth-street, Surrey, Butcher, and next and late of the same place, out of business (sued and committed as Thomas Heath).

Richard Batten, formerly of No. 19, Gloucester-terrace, New-road, Commercial road East, Tailor, a Lodger, then of No. 19, Broad-street, Batcliff, Tailor, a Lodger, then of No. 19, Gloucester-terrace aforesaid, Tailor, a Lodger, then of No. 19, Broad street, Batcliff aforesaid, and lastly of No. 8, New Suffolk street, Turner street, Commercial road East, Tailor, a Lodger, all in Middlesex.

Jonathan Burton (sued as J. Burton), formerly of No. 83, Connaught-terrace, Paddington, Middlesex, Auctioneer, House-Agent, and Wine Merchant, at the same time living private at No. 51, Devonshire-street, Queen-square, Middlesex, then of No. 66, Queen-street, Cheapside London, Wine-Merchant, at the same time living private at No. 63, Lamb's Conduit-street, Middlesex, and late of No. 12, George yard, Lombard-street, London, Wine-Merchant, at the same time living private at No. 8, Winchester place, Clerkenwell, Middlesex.

William Bardin Graham (sued and committed as William Graham), formerly of Wells, Somersetshire, Surveying Officer in the Excise, then of Church-hill, Woolwich, Kent, out of employ, then of the Grecian Hotel, Devereux-court, Strand, Middlesex, Book-keeper, and an occasional Waiter, then of William-street, Woolwich, Clerk to a Builder, afterwards Second Steward on board the City of Hamburg Steamer, then of Richard-street, Woolwich, Clerk to a Builder, afterwards Steward of the City of Edinburgh Steamer, residing at Richard-street and William-street, Woolwich, and late of Charles-street, Woolwich, Kent, Clerk to a Builder.

Joseph William Parker (sued and committed as Joseph Parker, and sometimes known by that name), late of No. 7, Skinner-street, Saint John-street-road, Clerkenwell, part of the time of Southgate, near Edmonton, Middlesex, Watch Case Secret Springer and Polisher.

TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given, by entry thereof in the proper page and column of the book kept for that purpose at the Office of the Court, between the hours of Ten in the Forenoon and Four in the Afternoon, three clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of entering such notice and of the said day of hearing; but in the case of a Prisoner, for the removal of whom for hearing in the country an order has been obtained, but not carried into effect by the Creditors, notice of opposition will be sufficient if given one clear day before the day of hearing.

N. B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street.

2. The petition and schedule, and all books' papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination, until the last day for entering opposition inclusive; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act 7 Geo. 4, c. 57, sec. 76, or 1 and 2 Vict. c. 110, sec. 105, as the case may be.

3. Notice to produce at the hearing any books or papers filed with the schedule, must be given to the Officer having the custody thereof, within the hours above mentioned on any day previous to the day of hearing.

4. Opposition at the hearing can only be made by the Creditor in person, or by Counsel appearing for him.

All Letters must be post paid.

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