

of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, and of redeeming any part thereof that shall have been pledged, with the moneys belonging to the said bankrupt's estate, and at the entire risk of such estate; and to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling and disposing of any part or parts of the estate and effects, goods, chattels, and property, whether real or personal, of the said bankrupt, by private contract, at the risk of the bankrupt's estate, at or for the amount of a valuation, appraisalment, or otherwise as they shall think fit; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing actions at law against debtors to the said bankrupt's estate, and to the assignees discontinuing and settling such actions, or any of them, upon such terms as the assignees may think fit; and to their compounding and taking less than the whole in full satisfaction and discharge of any doubtful or bad debt owing to the said bankrupt's estate, and referring or submitting to arbitration, or otherwise settling, agreeing, and arranging any such action, suit, proceeding, dispute, or difference now or at any time hereafter existing or arising respecting the said bankrupt's estate; also to sanction and confirm the employment of an accountant by the said assignees; and to assent to or dissent from the said assignees continuing to employ such accountant to manage and investigate, arrange and settle the business affairs, books, and accounts of and relating to the said bankrupt's estate, and to pay the accountant such remuneration as the said assignees shall consider reasonable; and on other special matters.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Samuel Mitchell, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Merchant, Factor, Dealer and Chapman (carrying on business in the firm of Mitchell, Brothers, and Co., and also in the firm of Samuel Mitchell and Co.), are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on the 14th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the offices of Mr. Brown, Solicitor, in Sheffield aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling by public auction or private contract, and either at a valuation or otherwise, and in such manner as the said assignees shall think fit, and to any person or persons, and for such price or prices, and upon such terms as may appear to the said assignees most advantageous, or as shall be fixed at such meeting, the share and interest of the said assignees of and in the residuary real and personal estates of Thomas Riddell, sometime since of the lordship of Myton, in the county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Merchant, deceased, or of the proceeds of a sale or sales thereof, regard being had to the equitable claim which Mrs. Eliza Mitchell (the wife of the said Samuel Mitchell) might prefer in respect of the same; and also to consider and decide, for the guidance of the said assignees, what, in the opinion of such meeting, would be a proper sum to be regarded as the amount or proportion in respect of which the said Mrs. Eliza Mitchell would be entitled to claim; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees instituting, prosecuting, or defending any suits or proceedings, or submitting to arbitration, compromising, or otherwise adjusting or agreeing all or any disputes or differences, claims and demands whatsoever, which might arise for or relating to the interest of the said assignees, of and in the estate and effects late of the said Thomas Riddell, deceased; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against John Parsons, of Pleasley-hill, in the parish of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Maltster, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Wednesday the 13th day of April 1842, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Swan Inn, in Mansfield aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling and disposing of the real and personal estate of the said bankrupt, either by public auction or private contract, or partly by public auction and partly by private contract, at a valuation or otherwise, at different times and places, and either for ready money or upon credit, or partly for ready money and partly on credit, with or without in either case taking any security for the purchase moneys, or any part thereof, and also without the said assignees being account-

able or liable for any loss of purchase moneys if sold on credit; also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees, at the risk of the said bankrupt's estate, buying in at any sale or sales by auction all or any part of the property aforesaid, real and personal, and again offering the same for sale by public auction or private contract with the like powers and authorities as aforesaid, and without the said assignees being answerable or liable for any loss or difference in price which may occur thereby; also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees compounding, releasing, or otherwise adjusting any debt or debts due and owing to the said bankrupt's estate from any person or persons whomsoever; also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits, at law or in equity, for the recovery or protection of or concerning any part of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, and to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or in any manner agreeing in any matter or thing relating thereto; also to ratify and confirm the giving up and quitting possession to the said bankrupt's landlord of the farm and lands, in the parish of Mansfield aforesaid, lately held and occupied there by the said bankrupt; and also all sales, agreements, payments, compositions, arrangements, and other acts and deeds, matters and things which shall, previously to the said proposed meeting, have been made, done, and entered into, or shall thereafter be entered into by the said assignees in connection with the said bankrupt's estate and effects; and generally to authorize and empower the said assignees to adopt such other steps as they may be advised or think necessary for the benefit of the creditors of the said bankrupt; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved, or may previously prove, their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Spencer Rogers, of Dale-hall, near Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Earthenware Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, carrying on business under the firm of John Rogers and Son, are requested to meet the assignees of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, on Tuesday the 12th day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Sheet Anchor Inn, in Whitmore, in the said county of Stafford, in order to assent to, ratify, confirm, and allow, or to dissent from and disallow, all and every or any of the acts, transactions, payments, sales, matters, and things which may have been then done, made, and effected by the said assignees, or the messenger or the provisional assignee under the said fiat, for or in relation to the bankrupt's estate and effects; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling and disposing of, either wholly or partly by public auction, or wholly or partly by private contract, or upon valuation, appraisalment, or otherwise, in the discretion of the said assignees, for such price or prices as to them shall seem most beneficial for the creditors, the whole or any part or parts of the real or personal estate and effects of the said bankrupt, or the equity or right of redemption of the assignees therein, to any person or persons whomsoever who shall be willing to purchase the same; and in case of such sale or sales by public auction, to assent to or dissent from the said assignees, from time to time, buying in, at the entire risk of the said bankrupt's estate, all or any part of the property which shall be put up to sale, at such price or prices as they may think proper, and again offering the same for sale and selling the same, without being liable or answerable for any loss or deficiency which may arise in price or value upon resale; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees, if they deem it expedient, joining or concurring with any legal or equitable mortgagee or mortgagees of any part of the property of the said bankrupt in a sale or sales thereof, by auction or private contract, with like powers to buy in and resell, or concur in buying in and reselling the same, without incurring any responsibility for loss or diminution of price upon such resale; and to authorize or dissent from the said assignees pursuing the operations hitherto carried on by the bankrupt in reference to the getting and disposing of clay under a lease or agreement affecting certain tenements in Cornwall; and also to assent to or dissent from the making of any of the sales aforesaid, either for money or upon credit, or security, or upon such other terms or conditions as the said assignees may think proper, and to allow the mortgagee or mortgagees, or such other person or