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TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1854.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 18, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold Drawing-Rooms at St. James's Palace, on the following days, at two o'clock :
Thursday, 11th May next.

Saturday, 20th May next, { to celebrate Her Majesty's Birth-day.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars, at the Drawing-Room on the 20th of May next.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING-ROOMS, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Ladies, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing-Rooms, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

No presentations will take place at the Drawing-Room on the 20th of May next.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 18, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's Palace, on Friday the 9th June next, at two o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that

their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before Wednesday, the 7th of June next, by twelve o'clock, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having petitions or addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come), to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twelve o'clock, on Wednesday the 7th of June next, and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee; one to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to The Queen; and, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 1st day of *May*, 1854.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make better provision for the spiritual care of populous parishes," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the twenty-seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, in the words following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the

session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act 'of populous parishes,' have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale of certain property belonging to the Prebend of Stoke Newington, in the cathedral church of Saint Paul, in London, and now vested in us.

"Whereas it is by the said Act (amongst other things) enacted, that notwithstanding the charge by that Act created (being a charge created in favour of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne), all the same and the like powers and rights of ownership as are possessed and enjoyed respecting and over any lands, tithes, rent-charges, tenements, or other hereditaments whatsoever, by any absolute owner thereof, shall be enjoyed by us with respect to and over all or any lands, tithes, rent-charges, tenements, or other hereditaments vested, in us under certain Acts therein mentioned (being the Acts under which the property herein-after described, is vested in us), and may, subject to the provisions of the same Acts, and of the now reciting Act, be exercised by us, by proper instruments in writing duly executed according to law; with a certain proviso respecting the application of every sum of money received as the consideration or purchase-money for the sale, transfer, or conveyance by us of any of such lands, tithes, tenements, or other hereditaments, or of any estate or interest therein, and with a further proviso that none of such lands, tithes, tenements, or other hereditaments be sold, transferred, or conveyed, except by the authority of a scheme, and an Order issued by your Majesty in Council ratifying the same:

"And whereas all the lands, tenements, hereditaments, and endowments, formerly belonging to the said Prebend of Stoke Newington (except any right of ecclesiastical patronage), became vested in us on the vacancy of the said prebend, which occurred on or about the third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, by the appointment of the Reverend John Lonsdale, the then prebendary, to the Bishoprick of Lichfield, subject to any legally subsisting lease or leases thereof:

"And whereas application has been made to us for the purchase of all our estate and interest in certain portions of the said lands, tenements, and hereditaments; and, after due consideration, it appears to us to be expedient that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us to be advisable:

"We, therefore, humbly recommend and propose, that we may be authorized and empowered, by instrument or instruments in writing, duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell, and duly to convey, according to the provisions of the said Act, all or any of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments, or endowments heretofore belonging to the said prebend of Stoke Newington, and so vested in us as aforesaid, with their appurtenances, and all our estate, right, title, and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same, and his or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall, upon due calculation and inquiry, appear to us to be just and reasonable:

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them,

in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of London.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 15th day of April, 1854,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches have, in pursuance of the ninth section of an Act, passed in the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for the further amendment of the Church Building Acts," and of the nineteenth and twentieth sections of an Act, passed in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Church Building Acts," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, in the words following; viz.:

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches beg leave humbly to represent that having taken into consideration all the circumstances of the extra parochial place called Ogle Hay, of the district chapelries of Walsall Wood, in the parish of Walsall, and of Stonnall, in the parish of Shenstone, and of the parishes of Norton Canes and Hammerwich, all in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, it appears to them to be expedient to unite and consolidate the whole of the said extra parochial place of Ogle Hay and certain contiguous portions of the said district chapelrics of Walsall Wood and Stonnall, and of the said parishes of Norton Canes and Hammerwich, and to form the same into one consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes for the consecrated church of Saint James, situate at Ogle Hay aforesaid, under the powers or authorities contained in the ninth section of an Act of Parliament passed in the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act for the further amendment of the Church Building Acts,' and in the nineteenth and twentieth sections of an Act of Parliament, passed in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to amend the Church Building Acts,' and that such proposed consolidated chapelry should be named or called 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Ogle Hay,' and that the boundaries thereof should be those hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

"The boundary line of the said consolidated chapelry of Ogle Hay commences at the Catshill Toll-gate, in Icknield-street, by the canal, and proceeds north-westerly along the towing-path of the Wyrley and Essington Canal, as far as the weir that empties the spare water of the canal into the watercourse on Clayanger Common; then proceeds along the middle of such watercourse in

a northerly, north-westerly, again northerly, north-easterly, and easterly direction, as far as the Rising Sun Public-house; and from thence in a straight line easterly through fields marked Nos. 285 and 286 on the title commutation map of the said parish of Norton Canes, and across Norton Common to that part of the boundary of the said parish of Hammerwich which lies in Norton Pool; and from thence south-easterly by the boundary line of the hamlet of Burntwood as far as the Colliery Railway belonging to the Marquis of Anglesey, and proceeds south-westerly and southerly, along the middle of such railway, as far as the South Staffordshire Railway; and from thence crossing the latter railway in a straight line southerly to Watling-street and the said extra parochial place of Ogley Hay then proceeds southerly, south-westerly, and northerly, along the boundary line of the said extra parochial place of Ogley Hay until it reaches the said Wyrley and Essington Canal at the north-eastern corner of Brawn's Coppice; and from thence proceeds north-westerly along the south-western side of such canal as far as Catsbill Toll-gate, where the boundary line of the said consolidated chapelry of Ogley Hay commenced, as the same is more particularly delineated on the map or plan hereunto annexed and thereon coloured green, pink, yellow, red, and buff:

"That the consents of the Right Reverend John, Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield, and also Patron (in right of his see) of the parish church of the said parish of Norton Canes, of the Reverend John Hodges Sharwood, Master of Arts, Vicar and Incumbent of the parish church of the said parish of Walsall, and (as such Vicar) patron of the church of the said district chapelry of Walsall Wood, of the Reverend Robert William Essington, Master of Arts, Vicar and Incumbent of the parish church of the said parish of Shenstone, and (as such Vicar) patron of the church of the said district chapelry of Stonnall, and of Joseph Ashmall, of Ediall, in the parish of Saint Michael Lichfield, in the county of Stafford, William Stubbs, of Hammerwich aforesaid, William Middleton, also of Hammerwich, and John Forster, of Haunch Hall, in the parish of Longdon, in the said county of Stafford, patrons, in trust, of the parish church of the said parish of Hammerwich, have been severally obtained to the formation of the said consolidated chapelry of Ogley Hay, as required by the Acts and Sections hereinbefore mentioned, in testimony whereof the said John, Bishop of Lichfield and the said other persons, as such respective patrons as aforesaid, have signed and sealed this representation.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners beg leave further to represent, that it has been mutually agreed between the said John, Bishop of Lichfield, John Hodges Sharwood, Robert William Essington, Joseph Ashmall, William Stubbs, William Middleton, and John Forster (as such respective patrons as aforesaid), testified as aforesaid (with the approbation of your Majesty's said Commissioners, testified as hereinafter mentioned, and of the said John, Bishop of Lichfield, testified as aforesaid), that the right of presentation and appointment of an incumbent or perpetual curate to serve the said church of Saint James, at Ogley Hay aforesaid, should be vested in, belong to, and whenever occasion may require, be exercised by the Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield for the time being.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect

thereto as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty having taken the said representation, together with the map or plan thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the consolidated chapelry therein mentioned for the consecrated church of Saint James, at Ogley Hay, be accordingly formed, and that the agreement mentioned in the said representation in respect of the right of presentation and appointment of an Incumbent or perpetual Curate to serve the said church be carried into effect, agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts; and that the right of presentation and nomination to the said church shall belong to, and be exercised by, the Bishop of the diocese of Lichfield for the time being, he being the person mentioned in such representation; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Lichfield.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at *Buckingham-Palace*, the 24th day of *April*, 1854.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches have, in pursuance of the sixteenth section of an Act, passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes," and of the third section of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the second and third years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, in the words following; viz.:

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches beg leave humbly to represent that having taken into consideration all the circumstances of the parish of Shinfield, in the county of Berks, and in the diocese of Oxford, it appears to them to be expedient that a particular district should be assigned to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Lambwood Hill Common, in the said parish of Shinfield, under and by virtue of the power or authority contained in the sixteenth section of an Act of Parliament, passed in the fifty-ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled 'An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act passed in the last session of Parliament for building and promoting the building of additional churches in populous parishes,' and in the third section of an Act of Parliament, passed in the second and third years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes,' and that such proposed district should consist of the westernmost part of the said

parish of Shinfield, and also a detached portion thereof locally situate in the parish of Strathfieldsaye, and should be named or called 'The District Chapelry of Lambwood Hill,' and that the boundaries thereof should be those hereinafter mentioned; that is to say: on the south-east by the parish of Swallowfield, on the south-west by the parish of Strathfieldsaye, on the west by the parish of Sulhamsted, on the north-west by the parish of Burghfield, on the north and north-east by the parish of St. Giles Reading, and on the east by the remaining part of the said parish of Shinfield, from which the said district chapelry of Lambwood Hill is separated by an imaginary line drawn along the middle of the turnpike-road leading from Reading to Basingstoke, from the point where such turnpike-road leaves the boundary line separating the said parishes of Shinfield and Saint Giles Reading, at the south-eastern corner of Great Lea Common to the point where such turnpike-road crosses the boundary line separating the said parishes of Shinfield and Swallowfield on Spencer's Wood Common, as such district chapelry of Lambwood Hill is more particularly delineated on the map hereto annexed, and is thereon coloured green.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners beg leave further to represent that it also appears to them to be expedient that banns of marriage should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings and burials, should be solemnized or performed in the said church at Lambwood Hill aforesaid, and that the fees to arise therefrom should be paid and belong to the minister or incumbent of such church for the time being.

"That the consent of the Right Reverend Samuel, Bishop of the said diocese of Oxford, has been obtained thereto, as required by the Acts and sections hereinbefore mentioned, in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this representation.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty having taken the said representation, together with the map thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve thereof, and to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the proposed assignment of a district chapelry to the church of the Holy Trinity at Lambwood Hill Common, in the parish of Shinfield, in the county of Berks, be accordingly made, and the recommendations of the said Commissioners in respect of the publication of banns and the solemnization of marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials, and in respect of the fees to arise therefrom, be carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Acts; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Oxford.

C. C. Greville.

St. James's Palace, May 3, 1854.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Samuel Bignold, Esq., of the city of Norwich, Mayor of that city, Deputy Lieutenant and Magistrate of the county of Norfolk.

St. James's Palace, May 6, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Right Honourable Lord Foley, to appoint

William Handcock Middleton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Cotter, retired.

Downing-Street, May 6, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint J. Heath Haviland, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of Prince Edward Island.

Downing-Street, May 8, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Alexander Bannerman, Knt., now Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Bahama Islands, and their dependencies.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Dominick Daly, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island.

NOTICE.

RUSSIAN CONSULAR OFFICERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the "Exequaturs" heretofore granted by Her Majesty to the former Consul-General and Consuls of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias, in various ports and places throughout Her Majesty's dominions, have been withdrawn; and that no person is recognized or permitted to act within Her Majesty's dominions as Consul-General, Consul, or Vice-Consul, or to perform any other duties as, or to act in any respect as, a Consul, Vice-Consul, Consular Officer, or Agent, on behalf of His Imperial Majesty.

Foreign Office, May 6, 1854.

Crown-Office, May 9, 1854.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Flint.

The Honourable Thomas Edward Mostyn Lloyd Mostyn, in the room of the Honourable Edward Mostyn Lloyd Mostyn, now Lord Mostyn, summoned to the House of Peers.

War-Office, 9th May, 1854.

Royal Horse Guards Blue.

General the Right Honourable FitzRoy James Henry Lord Raglan, G.C.B., Master-General of the Ordnance, from the 53rd Foot, to be Colonel, vice Field-Marshal Henry William Marquis of Anglesey, K.G. and G.C.B., deceased. Dated 8th May, 1854.

53rd Regiment of Foot.

Major-General John McDonald, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Lord Raglan, G.C.B., removed to the Royal Horse Guards Blue. Dated 8th May, 1854.

70th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General George William Paty, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Gage John Hall, deceased. Dated 8th May, 1854.

86th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Lord James Hay to be Colonel, vice Major-General Roger Parke, deceased. Dated 8th May, 1854.

Office of Ordnance, 5th May, 1854.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant George John Young to be First Lieutenant, vice St. John, deceased. Dated 17th March, 1854.
Mathew John Harpley, Gent., to be Veterinary Surgeon. Dated 24th April, 1854.

MEMORANDUM.

The dates of the promotion of the under-mentioned officers have been altered as follows :
First Lieutenant A. L. Kaye to 28th January, 1854.
First Lieutenant W. A. P. Willie to 17th February, 1854.
First Lieutenant C. G. Johnson to 24th February, 1854.
First Lieutenant H. Cardew to 7th March, 1854.
First Lieutenant H. Percival to 12th March, 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Henry Newton Brown to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th May, 1854.

3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Lieutenant William Henry Burgess to be Captain, vice Perrott, resigned. Dated 4th May, 1854.
Joseph Erlam, Esq., late 2nd Queen's Own Regiment of Militia, to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1854.

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant George Barrington, Godbold to be Captain, vice Bliss, resigned. Dated 26th April, 1854.
Charles Foveaux Kirby, Esq., late Captain 14th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to be Captain, vice Nelson, appointed Adjutant to the Depot Battalion at Walmer. Dated 27th April, 1854.
Charles Mortimer, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd May, 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

Cambridgeshire Militia.

Lieutenant Lancelot Reed to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1854.
Robert Murial, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 4th May, 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

Derbysire Militia, 1st Regiment.

To be Lieutenants.

George Webb, Gent. Dated 4th May, 1854.
Hiram Manfull, Gent. Dated 4th May, 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

John Stubbs, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 4th May, 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Alexander Milford Sutherland, Gent., to be Ensign.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

Leonard Bidwell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1854.
Percy Charles Stanhope, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1854. Dated 4th May, 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Bryan Walter Atkinson to be Lieutenant, vice Paterson, resigned. Dated 28th April, 1854.

4th or Duke of Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry) Royal Lancashire Militia.

Ensign Charles Andrew Irwin to be Lieutenant, vice Kershaw, promoted. Dated 5th May, 1854.
Ensign George Arthur Crawford to be Lieutenant, vice Knott, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1854.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Arthur Raymond Pelly, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Hertfordshire Militia.

Bryan Viney Douglas Vernon, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 1st May, 1854.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

2nd Regiment of the Royal Surrey Militia.

Henry Sharp Taylor, Esq., to be Surgeon. Dated 6th May, 1854.

Whitehall, April 20, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Shephard Law, of No. 23, Bush-lane, City, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 1, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Joseph Ivimey, of No. 30, Southampton-buildings, and No. 1, Ampthill-square, Hampstead-road, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 3, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Frederic Morehouse Metcalfe, of Wisbeach, in the county of Cambridge, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

Whitehall, May 4, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Casley, of No. 31, Guildford-street, Russell-square, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Edward Mackeson, of No. 59, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Richard Horn, of No. 78, King William-street, City, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 6, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Sutton Page, of Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a building, named Saint Osmund's Roman Catholic Church, situate in Exeter-street, in the parish of Saint Martin Salisbury, in the county of Wilts, in the district of Salisbury, being a building licensed and used for public religious worship as a Roman Catholic Chapel exclusively, was, on the 2nd day of May, 1854, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 4th day of May, 1854.

J. P. Bickersteth, Deputy Superintendent Registrar.

In the Matter of certain Letters Patent granted to William Ryder, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Roller and Spindle Maker, bearing date the 8th day of February, 1841, for "certain improved apparatus for forging, drawing, moulding, or forming spindles, rollers, bolts, and various other like articles, in metal."

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue and in pursuance of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, holden in the 5th and 6th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions," and of an Act, made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the 2nd and 3rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of the 5th and 6th years of the reign of King William the Fourth, intituled 'An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions,'" and of an Act made and passed in the session of Parliament, held in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending an Act passed in the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of justice in His Majesty's Privy Council, and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,'" and of "The Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852," a petition will be presented to Her Majesty in Council, by the said

William Ryder, praying Her Majesty to grant a prolongation of the term of sole using and vending the said invention granted in the said letters patent to the said William Ryder.

And notice is hereby further given, that on the 14th day of June next, an application will be made to the Right Honourable the Lords of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council, for the said committee to fix an early day for the hearing of the matters contained in the said petition; and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition, must enter a caveat at the Privy Council Office, on or before the said 14th day of June next.

Dated this 25th day of April, in the year of our Lord 1854.

Gregory, Faulkner, and Co., Solicitors, Bedford-row, London; Agents for

Rushton and Armitstead, of Bolton, Solicitors for the said William Ryder.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts 1848 and 1849, and of the Bituminous Shale Company.

SIR JOHN STUART, Knight, the Vice-Chancellor of the High Court of Chancery to whose Court the matter of the winding up of this Company is attached, has this day appointed Harry Smith Styan, of No. 4, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, Official Manager of this Company.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1854.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Bituminous Shale Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all parties claiming to be creditors of this Company are to come in and prove their debts at the Chambers of Sir John Stuart, Knight, the Vice-Chancellor of the High Court of Chancery, to whose Court the matter of the winding up of this Company is attached, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and until they shall so come in, they will be precluded from commencing or prosecuting any proceeding for recovery of their debts.

Saturday, the 3rd day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

BUCKS AND OXON UNION BANK.

MONTHLY RETURN UNDER ACT 7 & 8 VIC., CAP. 113, SEC. 4.

ACCOUNT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the BUCKS and OXON UNION BANK, on Saturday the 29th April, 1854.

<i>Liabilities.</i>			£	s.	d.	<i>Assets.</i>			£	s.	d.	
Paid up Capital	50,000	0	0	Cash in Hand, and in other Banking Houses, Bills of Exchange, Loans and Notes of Hand, Balance of Bank Premises and Preliminary Expenses	397,104	12	2
Current Accounts, Deposits, and other Liabilities	346,865	2	5							
Undivided Profits	239	9	9							
			£397,104	12	2					£397,104	12	2

Bucks and Oxon Union Bank,
Aylesbury, 5th May, 1854.

(Signed)

A. Garrioch, Secretary.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 29th day of April, 1854.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Andover Bank	Andover	Heath and Co.	12835
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Jemmett, Pomfret, & Co.	11033
Aylsham Bank	Aylsham	G. and T. Copeman	4426
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Z. D. Hunt	30210
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Baldock	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	26816
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple	Marshall and Co.	12580
Basingstoke and Odiham Bank	Basingstoke	Seymour, Lamb, and Co.	19591
Bedford Bank	Bedford	T. Barnard and Sons	33921
Bewdley Bank	Bewdley	Nichols, Baker, and Co	13266
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester	H. M. and G. Tubb	14961
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Attwoods, Spooner, and Co.	24963
Birmingham and Warwickshire Bank	Birmingham	J. L. Moilliet and Sons	10533
Blandford Bank	Blandford	Oak and Co.	9184
Boston Bank	Boston	Garfit and Co.	69038
Boston Bank	Boston	H. and T. Gee and Co.	13963
Bridgwater Bank	Bridgwater	J. and J. L. Sealey	7375
Bristol Bank	Bristol	Miles, Miles, and Co.	42560
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank	Broseley	Pritchards, Boycott, & Co.	18446
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	22370
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.	70440
Banbury Bank	Banbury	J. J. and C. Gillett	36238
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	Cobb and Son	26335
Bath City Bank	Bath	G. Moger and Son	3137
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	35494
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Lloyds and Co.	37814
Bradford Old Bank	Bradford, Yorkshire	H. A. & W. M. Harris & Co.	13038
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon	Wilkins and Co.	66078
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton	Hall, West, and Borrer	28268
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington	Harding, Smith, and Co.	12582
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	J. Worledge	2875
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge	Mortlock and Co.	17016
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Messrs. Fosters	45145
Cauterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	33290
Carmarthen Bank	Carmarthen	David Morris and Sons	22370
Chertsey Bank	Chertsey	La Coste and Son	2925
Colchester Bank	Colchester	Round and Green	18249
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank	Colchester	Mills, Bawtree, and Co.	31807
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro	Tweedy and Co.	47169
Coventry Bank	Coventry	Little and Woodcock	6892
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.	21496
Craven Bank	Settle	Alcocks, Birkbecks, & Co.	75716
Cardiff Bank	Cardiff	Towgood and Co.	6570
Chepstow Old Bank, Chepstow Bank, Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank	Chepstow	Bromage, Snead, and Co.	9622
Derby Bank	Derby	W. and S. Evans and Co.	12223
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.	41465
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank	Derby	Crompton, Newton & Co.	27521

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank.....	Devizes	Locke and Co.	10275
Diss Bank	Diss	Oakes, Fincham, and Co.	10587
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank...	Doncaster.....	Cooke and Co.	77571
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank..... }	Darlington	Backhouse and Co.	82785
Devonport Bank..	Devonport	Hodge and Co.	10935
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank	Dorchester	R. and H. Williams	47980
East Cornwall Bank.....	Liskeard	Robins, Foster, and Co.	109087
East Riding Bank.....	Beverley	Bower and Co.	54549
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank	Chelmsford	Sparrow, Round, and Co.....	46241
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.	28632
Fakenham Bank	Fakenham	Gurneys, Birkbeck, & Co.	22192
Farringdon Bank and Bank of Wantage	Farringdon	Barnes, Medley, and Co	6661
Farnham Bank	Farnham	John and Jas. Knight	12373
Faversham Bank.....	Faversham	Hilton and Co.	6486
Godalming Bank.....	Godalming	Mellersh and Keen	6370
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Messrs. Haydon.....	6720
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	29910
Hastings Old Bank.....	Hastings	Smith, Hilder, and Co.....	34420
Hereford City and County Bank.....	Hereford	Matthews and Co.....	19537
Hertford and Ware Bank	Hertford	S. Adams and Co.....	19965
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.....	18617
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon.....	Veaseys, and Co.	47589
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.....	5437
Hemel Hempstead Bank.....	Hemel Hempstead	Smith and Whittingstall	24839
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank.....	Hitchin	Sharples and Co.	37104
Hereford, Ross and Archenfield } Bank, and Ross and Archenfield } Bank	Hereford	Morgan and Co.	22733
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	20337
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, } Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Man- } ningtree and Mistley Bank, and } Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.....	62637
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Mercer, Randall, and Co.	16051
Kington and Radnorshire Bank.....	Kington	Davies and Co.	26031
Knighton Bank	Knighton	Davies and Co.	9077
Knarborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank.....	Knarborough	Harrisons and Co.....	21332
Kendal Bank	Kendal.....	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co....	45220
Kettering Bank	Kettering.....	J. C. Gotch and Sons	8985
Lane End Staffordshire Bank	Lane End.....	C. Harvey and Son	5036
Leeds Bank.....	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	53815
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams, Brown and Co. ...	37200
Leicester Bank	Leicester	Pagets and Kirby	29263
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Molineux and Co.	30765
Lichfield Bank.....	Lichfield	Palmer and Greene	12555
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.....	94874
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank	Llandovery	D. Jones and Co.	19009
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough.....	Middleton and Cradock	7070
Lymington Bank.....	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	4044
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ..	Lynn Regis.....	Gurneys and Co.	35788
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis.....	Jarvis and Co.	11400

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	15714
Manningtree Bank	Manningtree	Nunn and Co.	2565
Merionethshire Bank	Dolgelly	Williams and Son	7673
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	15715
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank ..	Abergavenny	Bailey and Co. .. .	28394
Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, Chepstow Bank, Chepstow Old Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank.....	Monmouth	Bromage, Snead, and Co.....	14485
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell.. ..	26831
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	50263
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Bunny and Slocock	21138
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Eaton, Hammond, and Co.	19386
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Norwich	Harveys and Hudsons	48845
Norwich and Norfolk Bank	Norwich	Gurneys and Birkbeck	77467
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Bank	Nottingham	Hart, Fellows, and Co.	10043
Nuneaton Bank	Nuneaton	Craddock and Co.	3022
Naval Bank, Plymouth ..	Plymouth.....	Harris and Co.	27970
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Everett and Co.....	12792
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	33078
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co.....	10424
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Robinson, Parsons, & Co.....	30440
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank.....	Tonbridge	T. H. and S. Beeching.....	8945
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Co.	10155
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank.....	Hull.....	Pease and Co.	47054
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co.	10721
Peterborough Bank and Oundle Bank	Peterborough	D. Yorke and Co.....	9520
Pembrokeshire Bank	Haverfordwest.....	J. and W. Walters	10246
Reading Bank .. .	Reading	Simonds and Co.	29695
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	30280
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	7034
Rochdale Bank	Rochdale	Clement, Royds, and Co.	4966
Rochester, Chatham, and Strood Bank	Rochester.....	Day and Nicholson ..	8402
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Sons	13911
Rugby Bank	Rugby	A. Butlin and Son.....	12936
Rye Bank.....	Rye	B. C. Pomfret and Co.....	14534
Ross Old Bank, Herefordshire	Ross	Allaway and MacDougal	4248
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ...	Gibsons and Co.	29043
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury	Burton, Lloyd, and Co.	16337
Scarborough Old Bank	Scarborough .. .	Woodall and Co.	24431
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ..	Shrewsbury.....	Rocke, Eytons, and Co.	40622
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank.....	Sittingbourne	Vallance and Co.	2335
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton .. .	Maddison and Pearce ..	15125
Southwell Bank	Southwell.....	Wylde and Co.	12777
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ..	Southampton	Atherley, Fall, and Co.....	3869
Stone Bank	Stone	W. Moore	375
Stafford Old Bank	Stafford	Stevenson and Co. ...	13230

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Stamford and Rutland Bank	Stamford	Eaton, Cayley, and Co.....	33465
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank.....	Shrewsbury	Beck, Downward, and Co.	24708
Taunton Bank.....	Taunton	H. and R. Badcock	26586
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock.....	Gill and Rundle	11574
Thornbury Bank.....	Thornbury	Rolph and Co. ...	7031
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank	Tiverton	Dunsford and Co.	11086
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire	Thrapston	Yorke and Eland	11201
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank	Tring	Butcher and Son	14212
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester	Percival and Co. ...	8488
Town and County of Poole Bank and } Ringwood and Poole Bank	Poole	G. W. Ledgard and Sons	11842
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston	Vivian and Co.	10873
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge.....	Hull, Smith, and Co.	17368
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford.....	Hedges, Wells, and Co.....	8091
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank.....	Warwick	K. Greenway and Co.	24549
Wellington Somerset Bank.....	Wellington	Fox, Brothers, and Co.....	3435
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	47428
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby	Simpson, Chapman, and Co.....	13915
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester	Bulpett and Co.	21207
Winchester and Hampshire Bank	Winchester	Wickham and Co.	4895
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester } Bank	Weymouth	Eliot and Pearce	15060
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- } shire Bank	Wirksworth.....	Arkwright and Co.	38189
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank	Wisbech	Gurneys and Co.	50626
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe	P. and W. Hancock	7369
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ..	Goodricke and Holyoake	13052
Worcester Bank	Worcester	Farley, Lavender, and Co.	9085
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- } bury Old Bank	Worcester	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	69632
Worcestershire Bank	Kidderminster.....	Farley, Turner, and Co.	8702
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ..	R. and W. F. Fryer	11498
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank... }	Yarmouth	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co.....	39800
Yarmouth, Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bart. & Co.	11623
York Bank	York	Swann, Clough, and Co.	45705

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Bank of Westmorland	Kendal.....		11567
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley		9665
Bradford Banking Company.....	Bradford		49597
Bilston District Banking Company	Wolverhampton		8184
Bank of Whitehaven.....	Whitehaven.....		31790
Bradford Commercial Banking Company	Bradford		20250
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company	Burton-upon-Trent.....		59519
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company.....	Chesterfield		10125
Cumberland Union Banking Company	Workington		35390
Cheltenham and Gloucestershire Banking Company.....	Cheltenham		10504
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company	Coventry		24881

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.	Average Amount.	
	£.	
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry	15353
County of Gloucester Banking Company	Cheltenham	118170
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle.....	26812
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	20577
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company	Dudley	35393
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	19918
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	24412
East of England Bank.....	Norwich	24456
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	155873
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	18171
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	36890
Hull Banking Company	Hull	27612
Halifax Commercial Banking Company	Halifax	13645
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	44896
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1533
Herefordshire Banking Company	Hereford	20081
Knareborough and Claro Banking Company.....	Knareborough	28188
Kingsbridge Joint Stock Bank	Kingsbridge	4026
Lancaster Banking Company... ..	Lancaster	64897
Leeds Banking Company.....	Leeds	19559
Leicestershire Banking Company ..	Leicester	84430
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company.....	Lincoln	46695
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company.....	Leamington Priors	12824
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	10602
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company ...	Nottingham	34947
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham.....	29332
National Provincial Bank of England.....	Birmingham.....	410184
North Wilts Banking Company	Hd. Office, 112, Bishopsgate-st., London	
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Melksham	47681
Northamptonshire Banking Company.....	Northampton	77690
North and South Wales Bank.....	Northampton	25610
	Liverpool	44255
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	57227
Saddleworth Banking Company	Saddleworth	2512
Sheffield Banking Company.....	Sheffield	34898
Stamford, Spalding and Boston Banking Company	Stamford	57126
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire } Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Langport	347697
Shropshire Banking Company.....	Shiffnall	46772
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Stourbridge.....	56608
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company.....	Sheffield	22545
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company.....	Sheffield	53320
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Richmond	53341
Storey and Thomas' Banking Company	Shaftesbury	9790
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton	30149
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	13123
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	Not received.
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company.....	Warwick	32427
West of England and South Wales District Bank.....	Bristol	76526
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	74490
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	33291
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch.....	5589
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester	6159
York Union Banking Company	York	70895
York City and County Banking Company.....	York	90605
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	125015

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2864. John Winspear, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Civil Engineer, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners, of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "an improved mode of coating metals, wood, stone, and plaster, to preserve them from decay."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of December, 1853.

2881. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in furnaces for the manufacture of steel."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of December, 1853.

2904. And William Beckett Johnson, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for making bricks and other articles from clay and other plastic materials."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of December, 1853.

2982. And John Gillow, junior, of Northwich, in the county of Chester, Salt Proprietor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of salt."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of December, 1853.

3030. And John Milner, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in connecting the rails of railways."

3045. And Stanislas Tranquile Modeste Sorel, of Paris, France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improved compositions, to be employed as substitutes for caoutchouc, gutta percha, and certain fatty bodies."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 31st day of December, 1853.

3. And Alfred Dawson, of No. 14, Barnes-place, Mile End-road, in the parish of Stepney, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "converting small coal or coal dust, or small coal and coke into solid blocks of fuel."

4. And James Gowans, of Edinburgh, Scotland, Contractor and Builder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for heating and ventilating, and in baths and washing apparatus connected therewith, applicable to dwelling-houses."

6. And Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, and 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in dyeing wool."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of January, 1854.

24. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ventilating carriages and buildings, part or part of such improvements being applicable to the obtainment of motive power."—A communication from John Chilcott and George T. Palmer, both of the city of Brooklyn, State of New York, in the United States of America.

26. And Léon Joseph Pomme, Gentleman, of Paris, in the French Empire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in reducing the friction of axles and axle-trees of carriages."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 5th day of January, 1854.

44. And Henry Sutherland Edwards, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing textile fabrics or materials for the purpose of their better retaining colors applied to them."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of January, 1854.

48. And Richard Husband, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Hat Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the method of ventilating hats or other coverings for the head."

49. And William Garforth and James Garforth, both of Dukinfield, in the county of Chester, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in mechanism or apparatus for retarding or stopping the motion of locomotive engines and other railway carriages."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 9th day of January, 1854.

69. And Ralph Lister, of Scotswood, in the county of Northumberland, Brick Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in distilling apparatus."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of January, 1854.

89. And Patrick O'Malley, of the city of Dublin, Brewer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the manufacture of a new drink or beverage from certain vegetable and other substances, and the conversion thereof into vinegar."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of January, 1854.

199. And George Firmin, of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Contractor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in anchors."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of January, 1854.

282. And Edwards Cole, of Hemmings-row, in the city of Westminster, Leather Case Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the frames of travelling bags."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of February, 1854.

314. And James Samuel, of Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, and Alexander Woodlands Makinson, of New Palace-yard, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, have given the

like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in drying flax, straw, and other fibrous substances."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of February, 1854.

325. And Benjamin Hornbuckle Hine and Anthony John Mundella, of the town of Nottingham, Manufacturers, and Luke Barton, of Hyson Green, in the parish of Lenton, in the county of Nottingham, Mechanic, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of knitted fabrics."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of February, 1854.

750. And Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in sewing machinery."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of April, 1854.

832. And William Crofton Moat, of the Strand, in the city of Westminster, Surgeon, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a machine for crushing, pulverizing, and amalgamating."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of April, 1854.

841. And William Lewis Baker, of Hargreave, in the county of Northampton, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in clock, tower, turret, and other like bells."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of April, 1854.

843. And Zachariah Round, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Plasterer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement or improvements in bricks to be used in certain parts of buildings."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of April, 1854.

876. And Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, and 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in priming fire-arms."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of April, 1854.

887. And Charles Chapel Davis, of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Gas Engineer, &c., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in portable blow-pipe apparatus."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of April, 1854.

908. And Robert Richardson, of No. 26, Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of joining or securing the joints of pipes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of April, 1854.

917. And Richard Jex Crickmer and Frederick William Crickmer, of Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in cannons and field-pieces."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of April, 1854.

934. And Charles Hart, of the Vale of White Horse Iron Works, Wantage, in the county of Berkshire, Agricultural Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the mode of applying power to combined threshing and dressing machines."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of April, 1854.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application, at the said Office of the Commissioners within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

East India-House, May 5, 1854.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing a notice that the undermentioned Insolvent has filed his Petition in the Court at Prince of Wales's Island, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petition filed praying for Relief.

Ponnambalam, late a Trader and Toddy Seller, at Prince of Wales's Island. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, May 5, 1854.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing a notice that the undermentioned Insolvents have filed their Petitions in the Court at Singapore, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petitions filed praying for Relief.

Jenar Labdeen, late a Trader. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

Ferdinand Keun, late a Trader and Planter. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

Adam Saib, late a Trader. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

Neinam Saw, late a Boatman. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

Mustan, late a Boatman. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 8, 1854.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, May 5, 1854.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received a Calcutta Gazette, containing copies of Orders, made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, in the matters of the undermentioned Insolvents, that, unless cause be shewn to the contrary by the day thereby appointed, the said Insolvents will be discharged personally, as well as to their after-acquired property, from all liability for debts, claims, and demands of and against them at the time of filing their petitions for relief under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21.

Thomas Black and Charles McAfee, Insolvents. Day appointed for hearing, 1st Saturday in April, 1855. Date of Gazette containing order, March 11, 1854.

Thomas Black, an Insolvent. Day appointed for hearing, 1st Saturday in April, 1855. Date of Gazette containing order, March 11, 1854.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

East India-House, May 5, 1854.

THE Court of Directors of the East India Company hereby give notice, that they have received Calcutta Gazettes, containing notices that the undermentioned Insolvents have filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the 11th Victoria, cap. 21:

Petitions filed praying for Relief.

William Maffin, of Creek-row, in Calcutta, an Assistant in the Interest Department of the Loan Office of the East India Company, filed 22nd February. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 11, 1854.

Chooneyloll Dutt, of Mullungah, in Calcutta, Pedlar, filed 6th March. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 11, 1854.

David John Martin, of Meredith's-lane, in Calcutta, a Section Writer in the Foreign Department, filed 3rd March. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 11, 1854.

Robert Le Fort Haskins, late of Serampore, an Assistant to Messrs. Hunt, Bray, and Emsley, of the same place, Railway Contractors, but at present of Boituckhannah-lane, in Calcutta, an Inspector of Police, filed 21st February. Date of Gazette containing notice, March 15, 1854.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

CONTRACT for the Supply of **PARCHMENT AND VELLUMS** (England), for one year from the 1st July, 1854, to the 30th June, 1855.

Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
May 1, 1854.

THE Comptroller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office is ready to receive Tenders for different descriptions of

PARCHMENTS AND VELLUMS,

required for the Public Service in England.

Particulars of contract may be obtained and samples of the parchments and vellums, may be seen at the Stationery Office, between the hours of ten and four.

Tenders to be addressed to the Comptroller of the Stationery Office, James-street, Buckingham-gate, to be marked on the cover "Tender for Parchments and Vellums," and to be delivered by twelve o'clock on Monday, 15th May, 1854; after which day and hour no tender can or will be received.

ARMY CONTRACTS.

Commissariat Office,
No. 17, Great Queen-Street, Westminster,
20th April, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons desirous of contracting to supply such quantities of

BREAD, "best seconds," MEAT, OATS, and FORAGE,

as may be required for Her Majesty's Land Forces in Cantonments, Quarters, and Barracks, in the Counties of England severally, in Wales, in North Britain, in the Isle of Man, and in the Channel Islands, for six months from the 1st of June next, inclusive,—

That proposals in writing, sealed and marked on the outside, "Tender for Army Supplies," will be received at the Commissariat Office, No. 17, Great Queen-street, Westminster, until Wednesday the 10th day of May next, at twelve o'clock noon.

Printed forms of tenders, with the conditions of the several contracts specified, may be obtained on application to Assistant Commissary-General Wilson, at this Office, and no others will be received.

CONTRACT FOR FISHING GEAR AND TWINE.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 21, 1854.

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 Tuesday the 9th May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's several Dock Yards with

FISHING GEAR AND TWINE.

Patterns of the articles may be seen at Her Majesty's Dock Yard, at Deptford, and a form of the tender may be obtained at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Fishing Gear and Twine," 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 £500 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR BALTIC HEMP.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 28, 1854.

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 Tuesday the 9th May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying

BALTIC HEMP.

To be delivered at Her Majesty's Dock Yards according to a distribution, which, with a form of the tender, may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Hemp," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

CONTRACT FOR COALS OR PATENT FUEL FOR CORFU.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 28, 1854.

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 Tuesday the 16th May next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering at Corfu,

500 tons of **SOUTH WALES COALS,**

OR

500 tons of **PATENT FUEL.**

Fit for the service of Her Majesty's Steam Vessels.

A form of the tender may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secre-

tary 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 a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £400 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR WOOD HOOPS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, April 28, 1854.

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 11th May next, 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, all such quantities of

WOOD HOOPS.

as shall from time to time be demanded for twelve calendar months certain, and afterwards until the expiration of three months' warning.

Samples may be seen at Her Majesty's Victualling Yard, at Deptford, and the conditions of the revised 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 made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Hoops," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

CONTRACT FOR RUM.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, May 5, 1854.

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 18th 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.

Rum, 20,000 gallons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

The rum to be exempted from the Customs' duties, and parties tendering are to state where it is respectively lying.

Tenders will be received from any firm for any portion of the total quantity not less than 2,000 gallons.

Samples of the rum to be sent in pints for each Import Mark, and the average strength of each Mark Ex to be stated, and not an average of different marks or strengths of several imports; and any parcel of rum that is found not to be of the same quality, mark, or average strength of the sample tendered and accepted, will be rejected by the Officers.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted, are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said Office, or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet

Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said Office, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an Agent on his behalf, should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Rum," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

CONTRACT FOR COALS FOR ATHENS.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, May 5, 1854.

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 Tuesday the 16th 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 Store at Athens.

400 or 500 tons of SOUTH WALES COALS, Fit for the Service of Her Majesty's Steam Vessels.

A form of the tender may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Coals," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £400 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR PEAS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, May 5, 1854.

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 18th 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,

Peas, 300 quarters; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

No tender will be received for a less quantity than 100 quarters.

Samples (not less than 2 quarts) must be produced by the parties tendering.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted, are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office, or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs, at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which

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No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Peas," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT DEPTFORD.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
April 29, 1854.

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 11th May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in Her Majesty's Victualling Yard, at Deptford, several lots of

OLD STORES;

Consisting of Biscuit Siftings, Salt Meat Casks, Staves, Mill Offal, Clothings, Medical Stores, &c., &c., &c.,

all lying in the said Yard.

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

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

Anglo-Mexican Mining Association,
No. 5, Broad-Street-Buildings,
London, May 6, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Further Dividend of two shillings and six pence per share, out of the assets of this Association, will be paid on and after the 12th day of May instant. The certificates are required to be produced before the dividend is paid. Office hours from eleven to three o'clock.

Alfred Godfrey, Secretary.

Royal Naval, Military, and East India Company
Life Assurance Society.

London, May 8, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of the Proprietors of this Society, pursuant to the deed of settlement, will meet and be held at the Office of the Society, No. 13, Waterloo-place, on Friday the 26th instant. The chair to be taken at one o'clock precisely.

The vacancies occasioned by four of the Directors going out of office, on or as of that day, will be filled up, and two Auditors will be appointed.

The Directors going out are immediately re-eligible.

By order of the Court of Directors,
William Montgomery James, Secretary.

Rotterdam, April 30, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership Business heretofore carried on by the undersigned, as Merchants and Shipowners, at Rotterdam, under the firm of Sturenberg, Cankrien, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Richard S. Cankrien.

B. E. Cankrien.

B. A. Mispelblom Beyer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, under the firm of Thomas Wells and Company, of No. 35, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Lithographers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1854.

Thos. Wells.

Joseph Francis Cotterell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Mitchell, Henry Peel, John Horrocks, and Thomas Greenhalgh, carrying on business at Freetown, within Bury, in the county of Lancaster, as Cotton Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Mitchell, Peel, and Company, was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1853, by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the concern will be received and paid by the said Henry Peel, John Horrocks, and Thomas Greenhalgh.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

John Mitchell.

John Horrocks.

Henry Peel.

Thomas Greenhalgh.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Peel and John Mitchell, carrying on business at Bury, in the county of Lancaster, as Spindle and Fly Makers, under the style or firm of Peel and Mitchell, was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1853, by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the concern will be received and paid by the said John Mitchell.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

Henry Peel.

John Mitchell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, William Mills and William Henry Mills, both of Saint Day, in the parish of Gwennap, in the county of Cornwall, as Boot and Shoe Makers, Leather Cutters, and Curriers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by the said William Henry Mills.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

William Mills.

Wm. H. Mills.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Kenyon and Giles Haworth, at Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, as Coal Dealers, under the firm of Kenyon and Haworth, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands the 5th day of May, 1854.

William Kenyon.

Giles Haworth.

128, Mount-street, Grosvenor-square,
London, May 6, 1854.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between us, as Upholsterers, under the name of Charlton, Allen, and Co., was this day dissolved, so far as regards William Wagstaff.

Thomas Charlton.

Thomas Allen.

Wm. Wagstaff.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Parker, John Goodier, William Krauss, and James Parrott, as Commission Merchants, at the city of Manchester, under the firm of Parker and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by Messrs. Goodier, Krauss, and Co., Calenderers, &c., No. 14, Cross-street, Manchester.—Dated the 6th May, 1854.

Joseph Parker.

William Krauss.

John Goodier.

James Parrott.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Thomas Green and Alexander Prince, of No. 4, Trafalgar-square, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agents, and all other our affairs and concerns, was, on the 29th day of September last, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of October, 1852.

Thomas Green.

Alexr. Prince.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between Edmund William Dubois and Charlotte Coplestone, at No. 9, Park-terrace, Park-road, Regent's-park, as Hosiers, Glovers, &c., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts to be received and paid by the above-named Edmund William Dubois.—Dated this 29th April, 1854.

E. W. Dubois.

C. Coplestone.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Orchard and George James Eady, as Attorneys and Solicitors, under the style or firm of Orchard and Eady, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the 25th day of March last, and that all debts due to the said partnership are to be paid to the said George James Eady, who will henceforth conduct the said business alone, and will pay the debts due from the said partnership.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1854.

Thos. Orchard.

George J. Eady.

London, 29th April, 1854.
THE Partnership hitherto carried on by the undersigned, under the firm of Lock and Hardy, Cabinet Makers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

*G. Lock.
 C. Hardy.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us at Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, in the trades or businesses of Grocers, Ironmongers, Hay and Corn Dealers, and Salesmen, was, the 1st day of May, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of May, 1854.

*William Thorn Chambers.
 John Chambers.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Thomas and William Morley, carrying on business as Pawnbrokers and Salesmen, in Dale-street, in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts will be paid and all credits received by the said Thomas Thomas, who will continue the business.—Dated the 4th day of May, 1854.

*Thomas Thomas.
 William Morley.*

Beckingsall and Co., 187, High-street, Cheltenham, Grocers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the business of Grocers, lately carried on by us the undersigned, John Beckingsall, of Cheltenham, John Truby, of Rissington, and Ruth Beckingsall, of Cheltenham (as joint executors and executrix of the late Thomas Beckingsall deceased) at No. 187, High-street, Cheltenham, is dissolved; and all claims against, and accounts due to the late firm are requested to be forthwith respectively sent in and paid to Mrs. Ruth Beckingsall, 187, High-street, Cheltenham.—As witness our hands this 6th day of April, 1854.

*John Beckingsall.
 Ruth Beckingsall.
 John Truby.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Andrews and Henry Elgar, carrying on the business of Coal Merchants, under the firm of Andrews and Elgar, at Ashford, in the county of Kent, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 11th day of April, 1854.

*Henry Andrews.
 Henry Elgar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned, Edmund Barker, late of Rulesgate, and now of Saint Peter's Gate, Reuben Haigh, of Strade, Edmund Lord, of Saint Peter's Gate, and William Sutcliffe, of Gawtholme-place, all in the township of Todmorden and Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, as Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, trading under the firm of Barker and Company, at Square Mill, in Todmorden and Walsden aforesaid, was this day dissolved by mutual consent as to the said William Sutcliffe; and that all debts owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Edmund Barker, Reuben Haigh, and Edmund Lord, by whom the business in future will be carried on.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

*Edmund Barker. Edmund Lord,
 Reuben Haigh. William Sutcliffe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Richard Hope and John Walker, carrying on business at Halsbaw-moor and Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Cotton Manufacturers, formerly in the firm of Hope and Walker, and latterly John Walker and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said John Walker, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1854.

*Rich. Hope.
 John Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Binney, William Thomas Binney, and Robert Binney, all of the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Corn Merchants, and carrying on business at Hull aforesaid, as Corn Merchants, under the style or firm of Thomas Binney and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Thomas Binney; and all debts due to or owing from the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Thomas Binney and Robert Binney, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

*Tho. Binney.
 W. Tho. Binney.
 Robt. Binney.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Dillon and Thomas Hawley, of Miller's-alley, in the city of Coventry, Dyers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or from us the said Charles Dillon and Thomas Hawley, will be received and paid by the said Thomas Hawley.—As witness our hands this 5th day of May, 1854.

*Charles Dillon.
 Thomas Hawley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, in the Fire Clay Works, at Haltwhistle, in the county of Northumberland, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and credits will be received and paid by Messrs. Thomas and James Nelson, Carlisle.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

*John Fawcett.
 Thomas Nelson.
 James Nelson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederick Hilton, John Spencer, and John Skilbeck, as Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, at Holt Town Mills, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of Hilton, Spencer, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said John Spencer; and that all debts due and owing to and from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Frederick Hilton and John Skilbeck, who will in future carry on the business on their own account, under the style or firm of Frederick Hilton and Co.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

*Frederick Hilton.
 John Spencer.
 Jno. Skilbeck.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Edwin Beddoe and Thomas Tindal, as Linen and Woollen Drapers and Silk Mercers, at Bradford, in the county of York, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 4th day of May, 1854.

*Charles Edwin Beddoe.
 Thos. Tindal.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, as Commission Agents, Fruit and Potato Merchants, at the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, has, on this 5th day of May, by mutual consent, been dissolved; and that, by the like consent, all debts due from or to our late firm will be paid and received by the undersigned Joseph Brown.—Dated this 5th day of May, in the year of our Lord 1854.

*James Chapman.
 Joseph Brown.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership business heretofore subsisting and carried on by us the undersigned Thomas Prince and John Soar, as Lace Makers, at Heanor, in the county of Derby, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing by or to the said copartnership, will be paid and received by the said Thomas Prince, who will in future carry on the said trade or business on his own sole account.—As witness our hands this 6th day of May, 1854.

*Thos. Prince.
 John Soar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Eli Lees and Isaiah Brooks, as Brick Makers, at Greenacres Moor, within Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business under the style of Eli Lees, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by or to the late firm will be received and paid by the said Isaiah Brooks.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

*Eli Lees.
 Isaiah Brooks.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Fletcher and Joseph Hague, carrying on business at Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, as Joiners and Builders, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 5th day of May, 1854.

*John Fletcher.
 Joseph Hague.*

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Hogg and Israel White, both of Waltham, in the county of Lincoln, Proprietors of Thrashing Machines, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 5th day of May, 1854.

*Thomas Hogg.
 Israel White.*

THE Partnership between us the undersigned, Alfred Robinson and Robert Haynes, Solicitors, 17, Orchard-street, Portman-square, is this day dissolved by effluxion of time.—Dated this 6th May, 1854.

*A. Robinson.
Robt. Haynes.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Wilkes and John Watson, carrying on business at Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, as Manufacturers of Patent Kettles, Saucepans, and other cooking vessels, under the style or firm of the Patent Saucepan Company, is dissolved as and from the date hereof. All debts due to or owing by the said copartnership, will be received and paid by the said Samuel Wilkes.—Dated the 6th day of May, 1854.

*Sam. Wilkes.
John Watson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Slaughter and Thomas Gladwish, of Nos. 47 and 48, Mark-lane, London, Merchants and Dealers in Hops, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands the 8th day of May, 1854.

*Joseph Slaughter.
Thos. Gladwish.*

CHARLES SHAKESHAF, Deceased.

INFORMATION is desired as to the next of kin of Charles Shakeshaft, formerly of Rotherhithe-wall, Surrey, afterwards of Earl's-court, Kensington, but who died at Keppel-place, Fulham-road, Brompton, Middlesex, on the 7th November, 1843. Any of the next of kin, or any person capable of giving information as to the next of kin, is requested to apply to Mr. G. H. Drew, Solicitor, No. 28, Parliament-street, Westminster, or to John Wills, Esq., Proctor, No. 3, Great Carter-lane, Doctors'-commons, London.

BRITISH GUIANA.

County of Berbice.

PURSUANT to an Order of His Honour William Arrindell, Chief Justice of British Guiana, bearing date 15th December, 1853, made on the petition of the Administrator-General of Berbice, as representing the estate of William Campbell, deceased.

I, the undersigned, Provost-Marshal of British Guiana, advertise, by these presents, for the first, second, and third time, that I, or my lawful deputy, will expose for sale, at public judicial auction, in the month of March, 1855,

The one undivided half share, belonging to the estate of William Campbell, deceased, in and to the plantation Zuidwyck, containing one thousand acres of land, more or less, situate on the west bank of the river Berbice, between plantation Standvastigheid and the abandoned plantation Scotland, with the cultivation buildings, machinery, and further appurtenances thereto belonging (save and except such parts or portions of said estate as have been sold and transported to other parties), as per inventory.

All persons who may have any right, title, or interest in and to the net proceeds of the property above described, are hereby summoned to appear in person, or by attorney, at the Registrar's office for the counties of Demerary and Essequibo, within one calendar month after expiration of the Registrar's advertisement to that effect, which advertisement will be issued twenty-one days after the sale of the said property, for the purpose of delivering into said Registrar's office their respective claims, with all documents and vouchers in support thereof, in order that the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Guiana may proceed to a decision, *præ et concurrentiâ*, on the said net proceeds, on pain, in default thereof, as the law directs.

An inventory of said plantation may be seen at the counting-house of Messrs. John Kingston and Company, No. 6, Crosby-square, London.

Marshal's Office, Georgetown, Demerary, this 5th day of April, 1854.

W. H. HOLMES, Provost-Marshal, British Guiana.

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PURSUANT to an Order of His Honour William Arrindell, Chief Justice of British Guiana, bearing date 15th December, 1853, made on the petition of the Administrator-General of Berbice, as representing the estate of William Campbell, deceased.

I, the undersigned, Provost-Marshal of British Guiana, advertise by these presents for the first, second, and third time, that I, or my lawful deputy, will expose for sale at public judicial auction, in the month of March, 1855;

The one undivided half share belonging to the estate of William Campbell, deceased, in and to the following plantations, to wit: those two lots of land called St. Jan and Zorg and Hoop, now known by the name of New Forest, situate on the east side of the Canje Creek, with all the cultivation, buildings, machinery, and further appurtenances

thereto belonging (save and except such parts or portions of said estate as have been sold and transported to other parties) as per inventory.

All persons who may have any right, title, and interest in and to the net proceeds of the property above described, are hereby summoned to appear in person, or by attorney, at the Registrar's office for the counties of Demerary and Essequibo, within one calendar month after the expiration of the Registrar's advertisement to that effect, which advertisement will be issued twenty-one days after the sale of the said property, for the purpose of delivering into said Registrar's office their respective claims, with all the documents and vouchers in support thereof, in order that the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Guiana may proceed to a decision of *præ et concurrentiâ* on the said net proceeds, on pain, in default thereof, as the law directs.

An inventory of said plantation may be seen at the counting-house of Messrs. John Kingston and Company, No. 6, Crosby-square, London.

Marshal's Office, Georgetown, Demerary, this 5th day of April, 1855.

W. H. HOLMES, Provost-Marshal, British Guiana.

In Chancery.—Between Arthur MacNamara, John Howes, Edward Proom, William Fox, George Westrip, William Seal, and William Martin, Plaintiffs; and Charles Powell, Defendant.

TAKE notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, on the 8th day of June next, or so soon as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. Doria of Counsel for the Plaintiffs, that the Bill filed by the Plaintiffs in this suit may be taken *pro-confesso* against the above named defendant.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

Yours, &c.

HENRY BRADDON, Plaintiff's Solicitor, 12, South-square, Gray's Inn, Middlesex.

To Mr. Charles Powell, the above-named Defendant.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes of Cole v. Eaton and Hocknell v. the Duke of Sutherland, with the approbation of the Vice Chancellor Sir John Stuart, the Judge to whose Court these causes are attached, at the Antelope Inn, in Stone, in the county of Stafford, on Tuesday the 6th day of June, 1854, at 5 o'clock in the evening precisely, in two lots, that is to say:

Lot 1. All that desirable piece of fine old turf land, situate at Walton, near Stone aforesaid, with the pile of building erected thereon, now used as cow houses and coach house, having a frontage to the old turnpike-road leading from Stone to Eccleshall of about 77 yards, and containing by estimation, be the same more or less, 3a. 1r. 27p.

Lot 2. All that desirable piece of fine old turf land adjoining the above-mentioned lot 1, with the six cottages and appurtenances thereon, all tenanted, having a frontage to the aforesaid road of about 79 yards, and containing by estimation, be the same more or less, 3a. 1r. 19p.

The above land being in an elevated situation and contiguous to a good road may be most advantageously laid out for building purposes, and contains within a few feet of the surface a bed of good brick clay.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale, with a plan annexed, may be had (gratis) at the office of Mr. James Fluker, 10, Symonds-inn, Chancery-lane; and Messrs. Clarke, Gray, and Woodcock, 20, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; Messrs. C. D. and S. A. Craig, Solicitors, Shrewsbury; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Charles and Henry Gillard, at their offices in Lichfield and Stafford; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of John Broad, late of Woodford, in the county of Essex, Coach Builder, deceased, and in a cause wherein John Broad is plaintiff and Elizabeth Broad is defendant.

Certain leasehold premises at Woodford, in the county of Essex, late in the occupation of John Broad, deceased, consisting of a dwelling-house, with workshops, drying and other sheds, yard, and garden, which will be sold by auction, by Mr. Newbon, Auctioneer, at the Auction Mart, London, on Thursday the 1st day of June, 1854, at twelve for one o'clock precisely.

The property may be viewed on application to Mrs. Broad on the premises, and printed particulars may be had (gratis) at all the principal inns in the neighbourhood; of Mr. Mark Shephard, Solicitor, 16, Clifford's-inn; of Mr. Wheelock, Solicitor, No. 10, Chancery-lane; of Messrs. Sidney Smith, and Son, Solicitors, 6, Barnard's-inn, London; at the Auction Mart; and of the Auctioneer, Upper-street, Islington.

Ardleigh, Essex.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the cause of Howard v. Tillett and five other causes, with the approbation of the Vice-

Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at the Three Caps Hotel, Colchester, in the county of Essex, on Tuesday the 20th day of June next, at two o'clock, in thirteen lots.

Certain freehold premises situate at Ardleigh, consisting of the King's Head Inn and various plots of land adapted for building and nursery purposes, adjoining the railway station, formerly the property of Mr. Daniel Howard, of Great Clacton, deceased.

Particulars may be had (gratis) in the country, of Messrs. Keeling, Howard, and Inglis, and Messrs. Barnes and Neck, of Colchester, Solicitors; of Mr. J. G. Fenn, Auctioneer, at Ardleigh; and at the place of sale; and in London, of Messrs. Wire and Child, St. Swithin's-lane; Mr. Town, Devonshire-square; and Messrs. Bridges, Mason, and Bridges, 23, Red Lion-square, Solicitors, Agents for Messrs. Keeling, Howard, and Inglis, Vendor's Solicitors.

TO be sold, in one lot, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Jenkin v. Row, with the approbation of Joseph Humphry, Esq., one of the Masters of the said Court, at the Fortescue Arms Hotel, in the borough of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1854, at four o'clock in the afternoon;

An undivided moiety or half part (for the residue of a term of 2000 years, commencing from the 16th day of October, 1840) of and in certain premises, called Upcott, situate in the parish of Bittadown, near Barnstaple aforesaid.

Particulars and conditions of the said sale may be had (gratis) at the said Master's chambers, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London; of Mr. Smale, Solicitor, Bideford, Devon; of Messrs. Coode, Browne, Kingdons, and Cotton, No. 10, King's Arms-yard, Moorgate-street, London; and at the principal Hotels in Barnstaple and Bideford aforesaid.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Hill Mortimer, late of the Albany, Piccadilly, Gentleman, deceased, Robert Green, and Edward Mortimer Green against William Cole Long, the creditors of Thomas Hill Mortimer, late of No. 4, Albany-court-yard, Piccadilly, of Greville-place, Kilburn, and of No. 2, Endsleigh-street, Tavistock-square, all in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased, who died in or about the month of March, 1854, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 5th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Thursday, the 8th day of June, 1854, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Richard Haynes against Henry Forshaw and others, the creditors of John Higginson, late of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of Barbados, in the West Indies, Merchant, who died in or about the month of December, 1834, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of July, 1854, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir William Page Wood, at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Friday, the 7th day of July, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause William George Caldwell and others against Mary Caldwell, Widow, and others, the creditors of William Caldwell, late of Over Knutsford, in the county of Chester, Nurseryman, who died in or about the month of May, 1852, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 29th day of May, 1854, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Thursday, the 8th day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 8th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of William Barrett, deceased, and in a cause of William Bowler and another against John Powell, all persons claiming to be creditors of the above-named William Barrett, late of Jugg's-green, in the parish of Ledbury, in the county of Hereford, Miller, the testator in the proceedings of this matter and cause named, who died in or about the month of August, 1848, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 7th day of June 1854, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of

the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Monday, the 12th day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Dodd against Holbrook, the creditors of James Dodd, late of Caroline-street, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, deceased, who died in or about the month of March, 1830, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts before William Henry Tinney, Esq., one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Monday the 12th day of June, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Dodd against Holbrook, the creditors of Ann Dodd, late of Caroline-street, Bedford-square, and afterwards of No. 15, Pratt-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, deceased (who died in or about the month of October, 1830), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts before William Henry Tinney, 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 from the benefit of the said Decree.

Monday, the 12th day of June, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Clarkson v. Bellion, the creditors of Judith Richardson, late of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died in or about the month of March, 1848), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 3rd day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts or claims before William Henry Tinney, 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 from the benefit of the said Order.

Thursday, the 8th day of June, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1854.

Estate of Mark Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 18th day of April, 1854, Mark Butcher, of Wallingford, in the county of Berks, Clothier, Dealer and Chapman, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein is mentioned, unto John Hyde the younger, of Abingdon, in the said county of Berks, Wholesale Clothier, and William Hilliard, of Wallingford aforesaid, Timber Merchant, in trust for the benefit of themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said Mark Butcher, who should execute the same; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said Mark Butcher, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Richard Deacon, of Wallingford aforesaid, Solicitor, and by the said John Hyde the younger, on the 21st day of April last, in the presence of, and attested by, William Charles Sole, of No. 68, Aldermanbury, London, and by the said William Hilliard, on the 27th day of April last, in the presence of, and attested by, J. Kirby Hedges, of Wallingford aforesaid, Solicitor; and which said indenture will lie for execution by the rest of the creditors at the offices of Messrs. Sole, Turner and Turner, up to and inclusive of the 16th day of May next, and after that time, at the offices of Messrs. Hedges.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that George Hands, of Grandborough, in the county of Warwick, Farmer, hath by indenture, bearing date the 3rd day of May instant, assigned all his personal estate and effects unto Thomas Martin, of Southam, in the said county, Auctioneer, and George Griffin, of the same place, Hat Manufacturer, upon trust, for the equal benefit of all the creditors of the said George Hands who shall execute the said indenture; which indenture was duly executed by the said George Hands, Thomas Martin, and George Griffin, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Edward Poole, of Southam aforesaid, Solicitor; and which indenture now lies at our office, at Southam aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said George Hands.—Southam, May 3, 1854.

POOLE and SONS, Solicitors to the Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Wilson, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, hath by indenture, bearing date the 4th day of May, 1854, assigned all his estate and effects unto George Swallow, of the city of Manchester, in the said county, Merchant, and Daniel Foxwell, of the said city, Card Manufacturer, upon trust, for the benefit of his creditors; and that the said indenture was executed by the said William Wilson, George Swallow, and Daniel Foxwell respectively, on the said 4th day of May, 1854, in the presence of, and is attested by, Richard Claye, of the city of Manchester aforesaid, Solicitor; and such indenture now lies at the office of Messrs. Claye, Welsh, and Claye, Solicitors, No. 22, Princess-street, in Manchester aforesaid, for the inspection and execution by the said creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 1st day of May, 1854, made between James Smith, of the Five Ways, Cradley Heath, in the parish of Rowley Regis, in the county of Stafford, Tailor and Draper, of the first part; Robert Wortley Emery and George Emery, of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, Drapers, thereafter called trustees for themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said James Smith, parties thereto of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said James Smith, of the third part; the said James Smith hath assigned, transferred, and set over, all and every the stock in trade, wares, merchandizes, household furniture, fixtures, plate, linen, china, books of account, debts, sum and sums of money and all securities for money, vouchers and other documents and writings, and all other the personal estate and effects whatsoever and where-soever of him the said James Smith, in possession, reversion, remainder, or expectancy, unto the said trustees, their executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, for the equal benefit of such of the creditors of the said James Smith, as shall execute the same indenture, or consent thereto in writing, within two calendar months from the date thereof; and the same indenture was duly executed by the said James Smith, and the said Robert Wortley Emery, for himself and the said George Emery, his partner, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of Geo. B. Lowe, of Dudley, Attorney-at-Law; and notice is hereby further given, that the same indenture now lies at my office, in New-street, in Dudley aforesaid, for the inspection of, and execution by, the creditors of the said James Smith; and any creditor or creditors who shall refuse to execute the same within the period of two calendar months from the date thereof as aforesaid, will be excluded from all benefit and advantage arising therefrom.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

GEORGE B. LOWE, Attorney, Dudley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 18th day of April, 1854, Thomas Philip Lewis, of Ripon, in the county of York, Draper, has conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects to Charles Brown, and Samuel Watts, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors, of the said Thomas Philip Lewis, who shall execute the said indenture, or otherwise signify their assent thereto; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Thomas Philip Lewis, Charles Brown, and Samuel Watts, respectively, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and is attested by, Robert Milligan Shipman, of Manchester aforesaid, Solicitor; and notice is hereby further given, that such indenture now lies at the offices of Messrs. Sale, Worthington, and Shipman, Solicitors, No. 64, Fountain-street, Manchester aforesaid, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.—Dated the 6th day of May, 1854.

TAKE notice that by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 2nd day of May, 1854, Henry William Howell, of West Drayton, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer, hath assigned all his personal estate and effects whatsoever to Jacob Haynes and Mark Hayes, both of New Brentford, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemongers, as trustees; upon certain trusts therein mentioned, being trusts for the equal benefit of all the creditors of him the said Henry William Howell; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Henry William Howell, and the said Jacob Haynes, and Mark Hayes, the trustees, on the said 2nd day of May, 1854; which said several executions of the said indenture were witnessed by Thomas Anthony Woodbridge, of No. 8, Clifford's-inn, London, Solicitor; and take notice, that the said indenture of assignment is lodged at the office of the said Thomas Anthony Woodbridge, for the perusal and signature of such of the creditors of the said Henry William Howell as may be willing to accept of the provisions thereby made; and that such creditors as aforesaid, as shall neglect or refuse to execute the same, on or before the 2nd day of August next, or within such further time, not exceeding thirty days, as the said trustees shall by writing under their respective hands and seals declare, shall be excluded all benefit arising therefrom.—No. 8, Clifford's-inn, Fleet-street, May 8th, 1854.

Re Boggs, Taylor, and Shand, of Great Winchester-street, London, Merchants.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Final Dividend of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May, 1854, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re William Barnfield the younger, of No. 17, Mark-lane, London, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Third Dividend of 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 16th day of May, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of William Bolderston, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Grocer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—May 6, 1854.

GEORGE MORGAN, Official Assignee,
12, Cook-street, Liverpool.

In the Matter of Henry Allen, of No. 72, Stokes Croft, in the city and county of Bristol, Chemist and Druggist, Dealer and Chapman.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Dividend of 5s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May instant, and on any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and one.—May 5, 1854.

EDWARD MANT MILLER, Official Assignee,
No. 19, Saint Augustine's-place, Bristol.

In the Matter of John Malley, of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Silversmith and Jeweller, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 25th day of May, 1853.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 7, Charlotte-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 16th of May, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAS. S. POTT, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, dated 18th day of August, 1852, against Ann Crawford, of Warden, in the county of Northumberland, Paper Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First and Final Dividend, at the rate of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 21, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday the 13th of May instant, or any following Saturday, between the hours of ten and three. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will and letters of administration.—Newcastle-upon-Tyne, May 5, 1854.

JAMES WAKLEY, Official Assignee.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 26th day of January, 1852, filed and entered of record in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against Lewis Davies, of No. 23, Canton-street, East India-road, in the county of Middlesex, Ship Owner, Dealer and Chapman; this is to give notice, that by an Order of Joshua Evans, Esq., one of the Commissioners of the said Court, bearing date the 4th of May, in the year of our Lord, 1854, such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder annulled.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 4th day of May, 1854, filed against William Hill and Thomas Campion Lawrence, of No. 46, Lime-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Agents, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners in Trade, and they having been 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 19th day of May instant, at two in the afternoon precisely, and on the 23rd day of June next, at one o'clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Charles Lee, No. 35, Moorgate-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Ellis, Phillips, and Salomonson, Solicitor, No. 12, Clements-lane, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 28th day of April, 1854, filed against Nockalls Johnson Cottingham, of No. 6, Argyll-place, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Surveyor, Builder, Contractor, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th day of May instant, and on the 23rd day of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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. 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. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Depree and Austen, Solicitors, No. 9, Lawrence-lane, Cheapside, London, or to Mr. Henry Darvill, Solicitor, Windsor, Berks.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 4th day of May, 1854, filed against Henry Boxall, of Guildford, in the county of Surrey, Carpenter and Builder, now a Prisoner for Debt in Her Majesty's Queen's Bench Prison, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23rd day of May instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 20th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Grantham Robert Dodd the younger, Solicitor, No. 26, New Broad-street, in the city of London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 24th day of April, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District against Joseph J — Wells, of the city of Coventry, Haberdasher, and the said Petition and the proceedings thereunder having by an order of the Court, dated the 5th day of May, 1854, been transferred and removed to Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th of May instant, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 23rd day of June next, at two of the clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Charles Lee, No. 35, Moorgate-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Alfred Goddard, Solicitor, No. 29, King-street, Cheapside, London.

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WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 3rd day of May, 1854, filed against John Featon, of Three Colt-street, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, and he having been 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 18th day of May instant, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, and on the 22nd day of June next, at half past eleven 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. 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. William Bell, No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Goddard, Solicitor, King-street, Cheapside.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 24th day of April, 1854, filed against Ely Kitson, of No. 154, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Saddler and Harness Maker, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th of May instant, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 22nd day of June next, at two o'clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Patrick Johnson, No. 20, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee; whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Burkett, Solicitor, Curriers' Hall, London Wall.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th day of April, 1854, hath been duly filed against Robert Ewin, of High-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Upholsterer, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 17th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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. 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. William Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Edward Pain, Solicitor, No. 5, Gresham-street, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of April, 1854, hath been duly filed against William Holloway, of Watford, in the county of Hertford, Coal and Corn Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of May instant, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 17th day of June next, at half past one of the clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Isaac Nicholson, No. 24, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Thompson, Debenham, and Brown, Solicitors, Salters' Hall, St. Swithin's-lane, London, and St. Albans, Herts.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 8th day of May, 1854, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against James Townsend Wigney, of Huddersfield and Wakefield, both in the county of York, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and

he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Martin John West, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 16th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, on each day, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, 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. 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 Young, of Park-row, Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Robert Thomas Robinson, Solicitor, Huddersfield, or to Messrs. Bond and Barwick, Solicitors, Leeds.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 2nd day of May, 1854, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 3rd day of May, 1854, against Thomas Hind, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Martin John West, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 20th day of May instant, and on the 17th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council Hall, in Sheffield, 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. 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. John Brewin, of Sheffield, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. W. B. Fernell, Solicitor, St. James's-street, Sheffield.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 3rd day of March, 1854, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Goble, of Shoreham, in the county of Sussex, Miller, will sit on the 24th day of May instant, at half past two in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London (by adjournment from the 26th day of April last), 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.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 10th day of March, 1854, awarded and issued forth against Alfred Ford, of No. 44, Lowndes-street, Belgrave-square, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon and Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 23rd day of May instant, at two in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London (by adjournment from the 26th of April last), 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.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 7th day of April, 1854, against Henry Jesse, of Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton, Corn Factor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 24th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon 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 Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 20th day of March, 1854, against Frederick Shove, of Eltham, in the county of Kent, Grocer and Cheesemonger, will sit on the 24th of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 16th day of June, 1852, against Richard Cross, of the town and county of the town of Southampton, Watchmaker and Jeweller, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of May instant, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 5th day of October, 1852, against William Smith, now or late of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 17th day of February, 1854, against Henry Huggins, of Cannon-street, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wood Type Cutter and Printers' Joiner, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1854, filed against Isaac Blackburn and William Sigismund Stibel, of Leeds, in the county of York, Ironfounders and Engine Builders, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of July, 1853, filed against John Ireland, of the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 7th of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Town Hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1852, filed against John Atkinson, of the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Seed Crusher, will sit on the 7th day of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 29th day of October, 1853, against Micah Mellor, of Clare, in the county of Suffolk, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of November, 1853, against William Warrington the elder, of No. 42, Upper Berkeley-street West, Hyde Park Square, in the county of Middlesex, Stainer in Glass, Painter and Glazier, Dealer in Pictures, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy,

in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 1st day of March, 1854, against Robert Mulock Wright and Joseph Smith Anstie, of Broker-wharf, Nos. 41 and 42, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Drysalters, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 1st day of March, 1854, against Robert Mulock Wright and Joseph Smith Anstie, of Broker-wharf, Nos. 41 and 42, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Drysalters, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 1st of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a separate Dividend of the estate and effects of Joseph Smith Anstie, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 23rd day of December, 1851, against John Barrell, of Billericay, in the county of Essex, Grocer and Tallow Chandler, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 24th day of February, 1854, against Henry Groom, of Bray Mills, in the parish of Bray, in the county of Berks, Miller, will sit on the 1st day of June next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 7th day of April, 1854, awarded and issued forth against Henry Jesse, of Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton, Corn Factor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 30th of May instant, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 14th day of December, 1853, against Claudius Alfred Scrivener, of Old Change, in the city of London, Milliner and Flower Merchant, will sit on the 31st day of May instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of March, 1851, against George Henry Bradberry and George Rice Lowe, of No. 18, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Flour Factors, Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of George Rice Lowe, one of the said bankrupts, when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, filed the 30th day of December, 1847, awarded and issued forth against Joseph Windle Cole, of No. 6, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, Merchant (carrying on business at No. 6, Great Winchester-street aforesaid, in copartnership with John Johnson, of the same place, Merchant, under the name, style, or firm of Johnson, Cole, and Company), will sit on the 31st of May instant, at half past one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Dividend of the joint estate and effects of Johnson, Cole, and Company, the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 20th day of March, 1854, awarded and issued forth against Frederick Shove, of Eltham, in the county of Kent, Grocer and Cheesemonger, will sit on the 31st day of May instant, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 7th day of June, 1853, against James Black and Rupert Cope, of Vulcan-wharf, Earl-street, Blackfriars, in the city of London, Iron Merchants and Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 31st day of May instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 6th day of July, 1849, awarded and issued forth against Robert Bishop, of the Oriental Hotel, Vere-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Hotel Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of February, 1854, against Daniel William Lucas and Isaac Dods, of No. 11, Arthur-street West, in the city of London, Hemp and Flax Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen and Copartners, will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 17th day of February, 1854, against Henry Huggins, of Cannon-street, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wood Type Cutter and Printers' Joiner, will sit on the 2nd day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, 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.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of July, 1853, presented and filed against John Ireland, of the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 7th of June next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Townhall, in Kingston-upon-Hull, to make a Second 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1854, presented and filed against Isaac Blackburn and William Sigismund Stibel, of Leeds, in the county of York, Ironfounders and Engine Builders, will sit on the 2nd day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of February, 1854, and now in prosecution against James Crofts, of No. 48, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, Wine and Share Broker, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 1st day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Commissioner will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of March, 1854, against Ssliomia Sterne, of Great Saint Helen's-chambers, Great Saint Helen's, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 31st day of May instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 20th day of March, 1854, against Frederick Shove, of Eltham, in the county of Kent, Grocer and Cheesemonger, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be held before John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 31st day of May instant, at half past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of February, 1854, against Daniel William Lucas and Isaac Dods, of No. 11, Arthur-street West, in the city of London, Hemp and Flax Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, has, on the application of Isaac Dods, one of the said bankrupts, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 30th of May instant, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1836, awarded and issued forth against William Adams, formerly carrying on at the parish of Saint Martin, in the city of Canterbury, the trade or business of a Miller, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Fiat, to be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 30th day of May instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 16th day of March, 1854, against William Jones, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Slater and Plasterer, Dealer and Chapman, has appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, on the 1st day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy in Liverpool, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled

"The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of March, 1854, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against William Duncan, of Saint James'-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Grocer, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 7th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, hearing date the 27th day of March, 1854, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Noah Lee, of Bingley, in the county of York, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 16th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 15th day of February, 1854, against Benjamin Parfitt, of Artillery-street, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Stone Mason, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 5th day of May instant, allow the said Benjamin Parfitt a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court authorised to act in the prosecution of a Petition, for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of January 1854, against Jacob Stone, of Nos. 20 and 21, Little Moorfields, in the city of London, Coach Maker, carrying on trade in partnership with Elizabeth Hill, at the above-named place, did, on the 2nd of May, 1854, allow the said Jacob Stone a Certificate of the second class, and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of February, 1854, against George Brooks, of Westbourne-terrace, Tonbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Tailor, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 5th day of May instant, allow the said George Brooks a Certificate of the second class, and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of June, 1853, against John Strutt, of No. 3, Catherine-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, and also of Buckingham-street, Strand aforesaid, Newspaper Proprietor, Printer and Publisher, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 5th day of May instant, allow the said John Strutt a Certificate of the second class; and that such certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, which was duly filed against John Hodges and John Foster Hodges, of No. 2, New Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, Hosiers, Glovers, and Shirt Makers, Dealers and Chapman, carrying on business in copartnership together under the style or firm of Hodges and Son, at

No. 2, New Bond-street aforesaid, bearing date the 21st day of November, 1853, did, on the 6th day of May instant, allow the said John Foster Hodges his Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Leeds District, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, filed against William Brunton, of Bradford, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, hath allowed to the said bankrupt a Certificate of conformity of the second class, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1854; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, at the expiration of twenty-one days from the date hereof, unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 30th day of November, 1853, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Samuel Bartholomew, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Licensed Victualler, Plumber and Glazier, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 6th day of May, 1854, allow the said Samuel Bartholomew a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of March, 1854, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against John Ashworth, of Litchurch, near Derby, in the county of Derby, Hotel Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 5th day of May, allow the said John Ashworth a Certificate of the third class, subject to a suspension of three months; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the Reverend John Fish, of the parish of Thurstaston, in the county of Chester, Rector of the said parish of Thurstaston, an insolvent debtor, will be held (pursuant to the Acts for the relief of insolvent debtors in England) on Monday, the 15th day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the offices of Mr. James Gill, Solicitor, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the Assignees agreeing to the disposal of a policy of assurance on the life of the insolvent and for other purposes.

Re William Thomas Curtis, late of the city of Worcester, Saddler, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent, William Thomas Curtis, will be held at my offices, No. 37, Upper Temple-street, Birmingham, on Tuesday the 23rd day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, to determine upon the sale of the reversionary interest of the said insolvent in freehold premises situate in St. Paul's-street, in the said city of Worcester.

JAS. HAYWOOD, Solicitor to the Assignees.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Wantage. In the Matter of Henry Jordan, an Insolvent Debtor, No. C. 3.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate may receive a First and Final Dividend of 2s. 5d. in the pound, upon application at my office, in Wantage, any day after the 5th day of May, 1854, between the hours of ten and four. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

W. D. WASBROUGH, Official Assignee.

WHEREAS a Petition of Mary Francis, at present and for thirty weeks now last past residing at No. 63, Chatham-street, in the parish of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and for three years immediately previous thereto, residing at No. 77, Mount Pleasant, in the parish and county aforesaid, and being a Schoolmistress, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Mary Francis, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Mary Francis is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the fore-

noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, for her first examination touching her debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Mary Francis, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Francis, at present and for sixty days now last past residing and carrying on business at No. 95, Brunswick-road, in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Watch Jeweller and Tobacconist, for three years and upwards immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business at No. 68, Russell-street, in the borough and county aforesaid, Watch Jeweller, for two years of the last-mentioned period having a Workshop in Wood-street, in the borough and county aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Francis, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Francis is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Francis, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Adam Patterson, at present and for twelve months now last past residing with his Son-in-law, in Stafford-street, for three months immediately previous thereto residing with his said Son-in-law, in Wilton-street, out of business, for six months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Great Orford-street, for nine months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Brownlow-street, for six months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Moor-place, all in the parish of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, buying and selling Horses on Commission, for eighteen months immediately previous thereto residing at Fairfield, in the parish of West Derby, and county aforesaid, buying and selling Horses on Commission, and for four years and upwards immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business in Seel-street, in the parish and county first aforesaid, Livery-stable Keeper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Adam Patterson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Adam Patterson is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 15th of May instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Adam Patterson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Henry Partridge, at present and for thirteen months last past residing at Grotto Cottage, in Burbury-street, in the parish of Aston, in the county of Warwick, for sixteen months previously thereto residing in Finch-street, in the parish of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and for six months previously thereto residing in Wilton-street, in the said parish of Aston, all which time employed as a Factor's Clerk, and for seven months previously thereto residing in Church-terrace, Bellevue, in the said parish of Handsworth, carrying on business as a Grocer and Provision Merchant, and for one year previously thereto residing in Hunter's-lane, in the said parish of Aston, out of employment, all which said time my wife was engaged in keeping a Ladies' School, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Henry Partridge, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Henry Partridge is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination

touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Henry Partridge, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Sadler, at present and for eleven years now last past, residing at No. 9, Stainforth-street, in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Huckster and Journeyman Gun Barrel Filer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Sadler, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Sadler is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th of May instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Sadler, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Henry Elkington, at present and for twelve months last past residing at King's Heath, in the county of Worcester, and for two years and upwards residing at Summerhill-terrace, in Birmingham, during that period carrying on the profession of an Attorney-at-Law, at No. 34, Colmore-row, in Birmingham aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Henry Elkington, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Henry Elkington is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Henry Elkington, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Adolphus Howlett, of Philip-street, Aston New Town, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and until recently residing at and for two years carrying on business in Snow-hill, and also for the last 8 months carrying on business in Weaman-street, before then of Latimer-street South, and formerly of No. 127, and before then of No. 77, Broad-street, all in Birmingham aforesaid, and being all the time a Carver, Gilder, and Looking Glass Manufacturer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Adolphus Howlett, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Adolphus Howlett is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Adolphus Howlett, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Carter, of Charing, in the county of Kent, Tea Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Ashford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Carter, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Carter is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Carter, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Abraham Dangertield, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Ashford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Joseph Tutt, formerly of Cranbrook, in the county of Kent, Baker and Confectioner, and now of Brabourne, in the said county, Journeyman Baker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Ashford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Joseph Tutt, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Joseph Tutt is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Joseph Tutt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Abraham Dangerfield, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Ashford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Barrow, heretofore of Badger, in the county of Salop, Butler to Robert Henry Cheney, Esq., afterwards of the Swan Inn, Iron-bridge, in the parish of Madeley, in the county of Salop, Innkeeper and Wharfinger, then of the White Hart Hotel, Tetbury, in the county of Gloucester, Innkeeper, Licensed Post-horse Keeper, and Farmer, and now and for six months last past and upwards of Oaken Gates, in the parish of Wombridge, in the county of Salop, Provision Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Shropshire, at Wellington, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Barrow, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Barrow is hereby required to appear before Uvedale Corbett, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Barrow, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Robert Daniel Newill, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, Town-hall, Wellington, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Boustead, formerly of Faugh, in the parish of Hayton, in the county of Cumberland, Innkeeper, and now of Allanwood, in the parish of Wetheral, in the county aforesaid, Innkeeper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cumberland at Carlisle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Boustead, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Boustead is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of May instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Boustead, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard Clegg Sutcliffe, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Carlisle, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Joseph Rush, formerly of Floristown Rigg, in the parish of Rockliff, near the city of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Brick Maker, afterwards of Bent's Farm, in the said parish of Rockliff, Farmer and Brick Maker, then of Loury Hill, near the said city of Carlisle, Brick Maker, lately of Rockliff aforesaid, Brick Maker, and now of Peter's Syke, in the said parish of Rockliff, Brick Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cumberland, at Carlisle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Joseph Rush, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Joseph Rush is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Joseph Rush, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard Clegg Sutcliffe, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Carlisle, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Humfreys, of Llwyn, in the parish of Llanfyllin, and of Llangynog in the parish of Llangynog, both in the county of Montgomery, Esq., an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Montgomeryshire, at Llanfyllin, and an interim order for protection from process having

been given to the said William Humfreys, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Humfreys is hereby required to appear before the said Court on the 26th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Humfreys, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Pugh, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Llanfyllin, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Stone, now and for six months last past residing in Flood-street, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, carrying on the trades or businesses of a Licensed Victualler and Dealer in Coals and Salt, and for nine months previous thereto residing at Great Bridge, in the county of Stafford, carrying on the trade or business of a Provision Dealer, and being also a Clerk in the employ of Thomas Ward, of the same place, Wharfinger, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Dudley, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Stone, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Stone is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 26th day of May instant, at nine of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Stone, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Walker, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at the Court-house, Priory-street, Dudley, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Gears, at present and for about nine months now last past residing in High-street, Kates Hill, near Dudley, in the county of Worcester, and during the whole of that time employed as a working Miner, for about seven months previously thereto residing in Birmingham-street, Dudley aforesaid, Beer-shop Keeper and Miner, for about three months previously thereto residing in Cross-street, Dudley aforesaid, working Miner, for about fifteen years previously thereto residing in Prospect-row, Dudley aforesaid, working Miner, and during a portion of that time, namely, from the year 1847 to the year 1852, in partnership with William Harper, as Butty Colliers, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Dudley, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Gears, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Gears is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 26th day of May instant, at nine of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Gears, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Walker, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at the Court-house, Priory-street, Dudley, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Samuel Gurney Read the younger, formerly of Wroxham, in the county of Norfolk, Police Constable, then of Ormesby, in the said county, Police Constable, then of King-street, in the parish of Saint Peter-per-Mountergate, in the city of Norwich, Dealer in Coal, and Licensed to Sell Beer and Tobacco by Retail, then of Peacock-street, in the parish of Saint Edmund, in the said city, Dealer in Coal, then of the same place, out of business and unemployed, and now of the same place, Police Constable, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Norwich, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Samuel Gurney Read the younger, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Samuel Gurney Read the younger is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Samuel Gurney Read the younger, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Hitchen Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his Office, at Redwell-street, Norwich, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Mason, of Calvert-street, Norwich, Journeyman Ironfounder, previously of Thorold's-buildings, Rose-lane, Norwich, before that of Gas-house Hill, in the hamlet of Thorpe, Norwich, before that of Saint James's-walk, Clerkenwell, Middlesex, before that in lodgings at No. 7, Pickett-place, Pickett-street, Strand, Middlesex, first unemployed, afterwards a Journeyman Ironfounder, before that of Gas-house Hill, Norwich, previously of Calvert-street, Norwich, Journeyman Ironfounder, formerly of Tabernacle-street, Norwich aforesaid, Grocer and Dealer in Tea and Provisions, and Journeyman Ironfounder, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Norwich, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Mason, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Mason is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Mason, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Hitchin Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Redwell-street, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Stephen Peter Wells, of Willow-lane, in the parish of Saint Giles, in the city of Norwich, Merchants' Clerk, previously of Post-office-street, in the parish of Saint John, of Maddermarket, in the said city of Norwich, Merchants' Clerk, and formerly of the Castle Meadow, in the parish of Saint Andrew, in the said city of Norwich, Merchants' Clerk, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Norwich, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Stephen Peter Wells, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Stephen Peter Wells is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Stephen Peter Wells, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Hitchin Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Redwell-street, Norwich, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert de Carle, of Griffin-street, Unthbanks-road, in the hamlet of Heigham, in Norwich, Clerk to a Wine and Spirit Merchant, previously of Newmarket-road, in the hamlet of Heigham aforesaid, before that of Chapel-street, Crook's-place, Norwich aforesaid, and formerly of Saint Clement's-hill, New Catton, Norwich aforesaid, and during all the time aforesaid, Clerk to a Wine and Spirit Merchant, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Norwich, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert de Carle, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert de Carle is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert de Carle, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Hitchin Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Redwell-street, Norwich, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Franklin, at present and for about six months last past residing at the Queen's Arms, Saint Andrew's-street, in the parish of Saint Andrew the Great, in the town of Cambridge, Cambridgeshire, Licensed Victualler, before that for about five months residing at the Bee Hive, in King-street, in the parish of the Holy Trinity, in the said town of Cambridge, Licensed Victualler, before that for about a year residing at Chesterton, Cambridgeshire, and keeping a Shop for the sale of Grocery Goods by retail, and previously for about seven years residing at the Red Bull, in Chesterton aforesaid, Licensed Victualler, and for the latter part of the time a Police Constable, and during all the before mentioned periods occasionally working at his trade of a Millwright, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Franklin, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George

Franklin is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Franklin, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas John Barstow, Clerk of the said Court, at the office of the said Court, No. 16, Sidney-street, in Cambridge, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Harris, at present and for six months last past residing at Totnes, in the county of Devon, and during that period carrying on business as a Baker and Confectioner, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Devonshire, at Totnes, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Harris, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Harris is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Harris, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Theodore Bryett, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Totnes, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Alfred King, of High-road, Southtown, in the county of Suffolk, Baker, Confectioner, and Grocer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk at Great Yarmouth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Alfred King, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Alfred King is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Alfred King, or that have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edmund Reeve Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Regent-street, Great Yarmouth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Farrow Smith, of East Hill-road, Denes, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Baker, Confectioner, and Grocer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Great Yarmouth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Farrow Smith, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Farrow Smith is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Farrow Smith, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edmund Reeve Palmer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Regent-street, Great Yarmouth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Bignell, formerly of No. 72, Elder-street, Coach Maker and Fly Proprietor, having a Workshop at Providence-place, York-road, and now of No. 6, Boss's-gardens, Edward-street, Coachmaker, having a Workshop in Henry-street, both in Brighton, in the county of Sussex, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Brighton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Bignell, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Bignell is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Bignell, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Ewen Evershed, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 151, North-street, Brighton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Fowles, formerly of No. 15, Middle-street, Pewterer, Brassworker, and Gasfitter, in partnership with James Morriss, now deceased, and now of No. 119, Church-street, Pewterer, Brassworker and Gasfitter, both in Brighton, in the county of Sussex, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex at Brighton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Fowles, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Fowles is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estates, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Fowles, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Ewen Evershed, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at No. 151, North-street, Brighton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Richard Boswell, formerly of No. 3, Hanover-place, Gentleman's Coachman, now of the Jolly Brewer, Ditchbury-road, Publican, both in Brighton, in the county of Sussex, his wife, Charlotte Boswell, carrying on the business of a Laundress, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Brighton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Richard Boswell, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Richard Boswell is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Richard Boswell, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Ewen Evershed, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at No. 151, North-street, Brighton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Edward Verrall, of Alfriston, in the county of Sussex, Boot and Shoe Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Lewes, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edward Verrall, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edward Verrall is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Edward Verrall, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edgar Blaker, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Lewes, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Horton, late of No. 4, Piggot-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, previously of No. 20, Wrentham-street, in Birmingham aforesaid, Builder, and formerly of No. 23, Thorp-street, in Birmingham aforesaid, Builder, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Henry Ridley, at present and for ten weeks now last past residing at No. 12, Graham-street, New Hall-hill, out of business, prior thereto for three months residing in King Edward's-road, latter part of such time out of business, and the first part of such time Manufacturer of Patent Boxes, in partnership with William Cairey, both named places being in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, prior thereto for five months residing in that part of Finch-street which is in the parish of Handsworth, near Birmingham, in the said county Manufacturer as aforesaid, at Booth's Dock-yard, Lady Wood, in the said borough, and formerly for nine years residing in Sadler-gate, Derby, in the county of Derby, Chemist and Druggist, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

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In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Hesselbee, at present and for eighteen months now last past residing at No. 1, St. Thomas's-terrace, Wood-street, St. Thomas's, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and carrying on during such period the business of a Builder, and also during the same time acting as one of the Beadles at St. Thomas's Church, Birmingham aforesaid, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Kendall the elder, late and for seven months last past residing at and being the tenant of the Waggon and Horses, Aston-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and there carrying on the business of a Retail Brewer, and for four years previously residing in Great Lister-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and for six years previously residing at No. 28, Great Lister-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and there carrying on the business of a Fruiterer, Grocer, and Potato Dealer, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Davis, at present residing in lodgings at No. 115, Bloomsbury, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and for two years previously thereto residing in Potter-street, Birmingham aforesaid, before then for six months residing in the Aston-road, Birmingham aforesaid, and for four years previously residing at No. 14, Coleshill-street, Birmingham aforesaid, and for three years previously residing in Heneage-street, Birmingham aforesaid, and during the whole of the before-mentioned periods carrying on the business of a Coach Builder, in Potter-street, Birmingham aforesaid, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John White, now and since the 28th day of July last, residing in lodgings, at No. 40, Upper Tower-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and during such residence being a Journeyman Silver Plater, previously thereto for one year and ten months residing at the Burton Beer House, Hockley-hill, Birmingham aforesaid, and during such time carrying on the business of a Retail Beer Seller and Silver Plater, and before then and for about eighteen months residing at No. 56, Hockley-street, Birmingham aforesaid, and being part of such time a Journeyman Silver Plater, and being also during the other part of such time a Silver Plater, on his own account, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Emery, at present and for ten years and upwards last past residing at Gamlingay, in the county of Cambridge, Boot and Shoe Maker (and for about four years of that period renting a small Shop, and carrying on a branch trade at Sandy, in the county of Bedford).

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of James Bidwell, at present and for about six years last past residing on the Histon-road, in the parish of Chesterton, in the county of Cambridge, and previously for about two years residing in Gloucester-street, in the parish of Saint Giles, in the town of Cambridge, in the said county of Cambridge, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Samuel Peacock, at present and for about two years and a half last past residing in the City-road, in the parish of Saint Andrew the Less, and previously for about two years residing in Magdalen-street, in the parish of Saint Peter, both in the town of Cambridge, Cambridgeshire, Bricklayer and Builder, Wife keeping a small General-shop, previously for about six months residing in Fair-street, in the parish of the Holy Trinity, in the said town of Cambridge, Bricklayer, before that for about twelve months residing at Spalding, Lincolnshire, Bricklayer and Sub-contractor for Bricklayer's work on the Great Northern Railway, and formerly for about eleven years residing at the Blackmore Head, Bridge-street, in the parish of Saint Clement, in the said town of Cambridge, Victualler, Cowkeeper, and Bricklayer, and for a part of the time Sub-contractor for Bricklayer's work on the Eastern Counties Railway.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Cambridgeshire, at Cambridge, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 15th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Francis Taylor, now residing in Queen-street, Bridlington Quay, in the parish of Bridlington, in the East Riding of the county of York, Butcher and Meat Salesman, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Yorkshire, at Bridlington, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 22nd day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Brown, of No. 3, Albert-terrace, Hove, in the county of Sussex, Baker and Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Furner, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Sussex, at Brighton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Linn, of No. 167, Western-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Carpenter, and Joiner, having a Workshop at No. 17 $\frac{1}{2}$, Sillwood-street, Brighton, aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Furner, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Sussex, at Brighton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Heath, at present and for nine years last past residing at the Halfway House, in the parish of Bentley, in the county of Stafford, carrying on the trades or businesses of Beer-house Keeper, Licensed Victualler, and Paper Box Maker, and during some part of the said term being a Collector of Taxes for the said parish of Bentley, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Staffordshire, at Walsall, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Ratcliffe, at present and for the last nine years residing at No. 3, in the Crescent, Bridge-street within Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Bury, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 31st day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Charles James Vyner, at present and from the month of May, 1849, residing at Nantwich, in the county of Chester, Clerk to a Solicitor, and previously and from the 1st day of January, 1847, residing at No. 41, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and carrying on business there, and at No. 63, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the same county, as an Attorney and Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Cheshire, at Nantwich, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 25th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Foreman, of Rainbow Corner, North Quay, Great Yarmouth, Baker, Grocer, and Journeyman Miller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Norfolk, at the Tollhouse-hall, Great Yarmouth, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Samuel Farman, formerly of the North Quay, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Baker and Fish Curer, then of the Staff of Life Public House, North Quay, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Publican, Baker, and Fish Curer, now of the Staff of Life Public House, North Quay, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Publican and Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Norfolk, at the Tollhouse-hall, Great Yarmouth, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon at the said Court, on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Robert Sherrington Johnson, formerly of Baker-street, Gorleston, in the county of Suffolk, Baker, now at lodgings, at Saint Andrew's-place, in the hamlet of Southtown, in the said county of Suffolk, out of business, and occasionally employed as an Officer of the High Court of Admiralty.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Norfolk, at the Tollhouse-hall, Great Yarmouth, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Towns, at present and since May, 1851, residing at No. 54, Every-street, Ancoats, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and during the whole of that period, carrying on business as a Provision Dealer at the same place, and for the first ten months, and for the last seven months of such period, working as a Journeyman Mechanic.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 29th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Callum, of Loddon, in the county of Norfolk, Cordwainer, late of the same place, Cordwainer and Grocer, previously of the same place, Cordwainer, Grocer, Meat and Flour Seller, formerly of Brown's-yard, in the parish of Saint Gregory, in the city of Norwich, Cordwainer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Jacob Birch, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Norfolk, at Norwich, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 19th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Hopkins, of the Belle Vue Inn, Lower Southampton-street, Bedford-place, in the parish of All Saints, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Publican, Fly Proprietor, and Dealer in Corn and Coals.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles James Gale, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Hampshire, at Southampton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon at the said Court, on the 22nd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Glover, formerly of Can-lane, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Moulder, then and for five years and upwards of the Gaol Hole, in Etingshall, in the said parish of Sedgley, Moulder, then and for six months of the Vicars-buildings, Melville-street, Lincoln, in the county of Lincoln, Foreman to Messrs. Clayton and Shuttleworth, Ironfounders, and then and for seven days in lodgings with Rebecca Glover, at Coseley, in the said parish of Sedgley, out of employment, and now and since the 15th day of August last, residing at Wallbrook, in the said parish of Sedgley, Moulder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Worcestershire, at Dudley, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 26th day of May instant, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Oliver Newey, at present and for seven months last past, residing at Queen's-cross, in the borough of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, and being a Clerk at an Ironwork, in the borough of Dudley aforesaid, previously thereto for nine months living in New-street, in Dudley aforesaid, carrying on business as a Retailer of Beer, at a house known as the Apollo Tavern, and also being employed as a Clerk aforesaid, and for the period of eighteen months previously thereto, residing in Chapel street, in the parish of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, working as a Journeyman Moulder, before that period for eighteen months living in lodgings in New-street, in Dudley aforesaid, and previously residing in New Mill-street, in Dudley aforesaid, for six months working as a Journeyman Moulder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Worcestershire, at Dudley, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court on the 26th day of May instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

THE estates of William Naismith, sometime Currier and Leather Merchant, in Glasgow, now Boot and Shoe Maker there, were sequestrated on the 5th day of May, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 5th May, 1854.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Mr. John Miller, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor on the said sequestrated estates.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on the 23rd day of May, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, within the Globe Hotel, George-square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at that meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 23rd day of September, 1854, in the event of the period for payment of the said dividend not being accelerated, in the manner provided for in the Statute.

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

WRIGHT and FINLAY, S.S.C.,

21, Thistle-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

The following PERSONS, who, on their several Petitions filed in the Court, have obtained Interim Orders for protection from process, are required to appear in Court as hereinafter mentioned, at the Court-House, in Portugal-street, Lincoln's-Inn, as follows, to be examined and dealt with according to the Statute:

On Wednesday the 24th May, 1854, at Ten o'clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

John Cox, of New-grove Nursery, Regent-street, Mile-end, before then of No. 14, Dyer's-lane, Bromley, both in Middlesex, before then of Marylane Point, Leytonstone, Essex, before then of White Hart-lane, Tottenham, Middlesex, Florist and Gardener, occasionally Assistant to a Nurseryman, and Wife occasionally working as a Tailoress.

Thomas Howe, late of No. 57, Goswell-street, Provision Dealer, and now of Harcourt-cottage, York-road, both in Saint Luke, Middlesex, out of business.

William Thomas Ward, known and sued as William Ward, of No. 120, London-road, Southwark, Surrey, Furniture Broker, Licensed Appraiser, Undertaker, Arrear Collector of Poor Rates of Saint George the Martyr, Southwark, Surrey, also Broker to the South District Highway Board of said parish, and also Broker to the Churchwardens of said parish, for closing the Rector's rate.

On Wednesday the 24th May, 1854, at Ten o'clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

George Cozens, of Baker-street, Enfield, Middlesex, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Tobacconist, Cheesemonger, and Dealer in British Wines.

Matthew Duncomb, of No. 46, Downshire-hill, Hampstead, Middlesex, Baker.

Thomas George Fisher, formerly of No. 6, Mary-street, Kingsland-road, Middlesex, then of No. 3, Arnold-place, Newington Butts, Surrey, Journeyman Printer, afterwards of No. 2, Fitchetts-court, Noble-street, London, Lithographic Printer, then of No. 6, Mary-street aforesaid, then of No. 2, Canal-road, Kingsland-road aforesaid, afterwards of No. 10, East London-place, Cambridge-heath, Middlesex, and now of No. 11, East London-place aforesaid, Journeyman Printer.

George Dearden, of No. 118, Gray's-inn-lane, Holborn, Middlesex, Carpenter, Builder, Packing Case Maker, and Undertaker.

George Black, formerly of Victoria-cottage, Samuel-street, and now of No. 1, Prospect-place, both in Woolwich, Kent, Master Smith, in H. M. Dockyard at Woolwich aforesaid, and also part of the time a Director of the Amazon Insurance Company, Ironmonger-lane, London.

Henry James Beagent, formerly of No. 8, New Park-road, Brixton-hill, Surrey, Horticultural Builder, Hot Water Apparatus Manufacturer, and Boiler Maker, then lodging in Sun-street, Bishopsgate, London, then at Woodford, Essex, then and now of No. 25, Henrietta-street, Saint Luke's, Middlesex, Journeyman Carpenter.

On Thursday the 25th May, 1854, at Eleven o'clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

Benjamin Orchard, formerly of St. Stephen's Farm, Saint Michael's, near Saint Alban's, and occupying the land known as the Verulam Hills Farm, Saint Michael's and now of Pink's Farm, Shenley, near Barnet, and occupying the land at Verulam Hills Farm aforesaid, all in Herts, Farmer.

James Don, formerly of Nicholson-street, Edinburgh, Scotland, out of business, and out of employ, then of No. 13, Berwick-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, Lancashire, first out of business and out of employ, and then Warehouseman's Assistant, then of New York, in the United States of America, occasionally employed as a Warehouseman's Assistant, then of No. 17, Duke-street, Hulme, Manchester aforesaid, then of No. 2, Great Trinity-lane, Doctors'-Commons, then of No. 25, Shaftesbury-place, Aldersgate-street, both in the city of London, then of No. 8, Saint James's-place, Saint John's-wood, Hoxton, then of No. 18, Whitmore-place East, Hoxton Old Town, and then and now of No. 7, Brett's-buildings, Saint John's-road, Hoxton aforesaid, Warehouseman's Assistant, occasionally out of employ.

George Palmer, formerly of No. 3, Patriot-row, Cambridge-heath, then of No. 2, Cambridge-terrace, Hackney, then of No. 2, Gloucester-street, Cambridge-heath, then of No. 15, Suffolk-place, Hackney-road, Journeyman Plumber, Painter, and Glazier, then of No. 11, Essex-place, Mare-street, Hackney, Plumber, Painter and Glazier, then and now of No. 3, Bowling-green-walk, Pitfield-street, Hoxton, all in Middlesex, Journeyman as aforesaid, occasionally said trade on his own account, his Wife a Straw Bonnet Maker to July 1853.

William Glanvill, formerly of No. 93, White Lion-street, Pentonville, Middlesex, Billiard Table Keeper, Coffee-house, and Lodging-house Keeper, then and now of No. 93, White Lion-street aforesaid, Coffee House and Lodging-house Keeper.

John Collins, of No. 13, Tavistock-place, Tavistock-square, Saint Pancras, and during the time whilst residing there renting a shop at No. 12, Norfolk-street, Marylebone, Hatter and Dealer in Caps, and Chorister at the Jewish Synagogue, Margaret-street, Cavendish-square, all in Middlesex.

N.B.—1. Any creditor may attend and give evidence and produce witnesses. Opposition can only be made by the Creditor in person, or by Counsel appearing for him.

2. The petition and schedule, and all books, papers, and writings filed, will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination until two clear days before the hearing.

3. Creditors' assignee may be chosen according to the Statute.

4. Persons indebted to the said Insolvent Debtors respectively, or having any of their effects, are to pay and deliver the same to the Official Assignee, being the Provisional Assignee of the Court, at the said Court and to no other person.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 6th day of May, 1854.

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

James Mort, late of No. 9, Vine-lane, Saint Andrew, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Hat and Cap Manufacturer, Insolvent, No. 77,636 C; Freeman Cohen, Assignee.
Richard John Sattren Robins, late of the Queen's Hotel, Saint Martin-le-Grand, City, out of business, Insolvent, No. 77,637 C; John Wyatt, Assignee.
Walter Edmund Archer, late of the Cross Keys, Saint John's-street, Clerkenwell, Middlesex, Innkeeper, Insolvent, No. 62,950 T; Joseph Manning, Assignee.
Charles John Turner, late of Howard's-row, Plaistow, Essex, Carpenter and Builder, Insolvent, No. 64,130 T; John Creed Dexter, Assignee.
John Thomas Joseph English, late of Sam's Hotel, Strand, Middlesex, Captain 1st West India Regiment, Insolvent, No. 64,210 T; Robert Addams, Assignee.
Robert Rigg, late of No. 8, Great Suffolk-street, Southwark, Surrey, Linen Draper, Insolvent, No. 64,239 T; Robert Wyllie, Assignee.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 6th day of May, 1854.

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

On their own Petitions.

Mary Ann Fisher, late of No. 30, Portland-street, Soho, Middlesex, Cook.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
Thomas Trill, late of No. 24, Apollo-buildings, Walworth, Surrey, Manager of an Export Beer Business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
William Thomas Plumb, late of No. 1, Wellington-place, Old Kent-road, Surrey, Baker.—In the Gaol of Surrey.
Richard Albert Moll, late of No. 20, Clapton-square, Clapton, Middlesex, Professor of Languages.—In the Queen's Prison.
John Brown, late of No. 39, Granville-square, Clerkenwell, Middlesex, Pensioner.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
Walter Blundell, late of No. 6, Hanover-cottages, Saint John's Wood, Middlesex, Surgeon Dentist.—In the Queen's Prison.
John Watt, late of No. 4, Robert-street, Limehouse, Middlesex, Chief Mate of a Trading Vessel.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
John Crocker, late of Goodge-street, Tottenham-court-road, Middlesex, Greengrocer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
Frederick Errington, late of No. 15, Saint George's-place, High-street, Camberwell, Surrey, Jeweller.—In the Gaol of Surrey.
John Dodsworth, late of No. 58, Commercial-road, Lambeth, Surrey, Composer.—In the Gaol of Surrey.
George Frederick White, late of No. 1, Tyer-street, Lambeth-walk, Surrey, Potato Dealer.—In the Gaol of Surrey.
Joseph John Rust, late of No. 21, Little Randolph-street, Camden Town, Middlesex, Tailor.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
Thomas Ludlam the elder, of the Britannia Tea and Coffee-house, No. 75, Little Britain, London, Dissenting Minister.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
Edward Barrett, late of No. 25, Stepney-green, Middlesex, Bookseller, Newspaper and Advertising Agent.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
John Holmes, late of York-chambers, John-street, Adelphi, Middlesex, Managing Agent to the Athenaeum Life Office.—In the Queen's Prison.
Edward Dornan, late of No. 4, Goldsmith-place, Southwark-bridge-road, Surrey, Hatter.—In the Queen's Prison.
Thomas Robert Cooper, late of No. 6, Park-row, Knights-bridge, Middlesex, Modeller and Draftsman.—In the Queen's Prison.

On Petition of Creditor.

George Middleton Ball, late of No. 7, John-street, Saint George-in-the-East, Middlesex, Appraiser.—In the Queen's Prison.

On their own Petitions.

David Harrison, late of Penny-street, Blackburn, Lancashire, Wholesale Butcher.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
John William Mills, late of Cirencester, Gloucestershire, Stationer and Musician.—In the Gaol of Gloucester.
John Firth, late of Little Queen-street, Leeds, Yorkshire, Stone Mason and Contractor.—In the Gaol of York.
Edmund Smith the elder, late of Martin's Bank, Audley, Staffordshire, in no business.—In the Gaol of Stafford.
John Wilbraham Lesingham, late of Snargate-street, Dover, Kent, out of business.—In the Gaol of Dover.
Thomas Leadbeater, late of Mirfield, Yorkshire, Attorney-at-Law.—In the Gaol of York.
William Low, late of Black Boy Hill, Durdham Down, Clifton, Bristol, Blacksmith and Farrier.—In the Gaol of Bristol.
John Bilsborough the younger, late of the Temperance Hotel, Moor-lane, Clitheroe, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
James Gill, late of Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
John Daniels, late of Saint Mark's-place, Anglesea, near Gosport, Southampton, out of business.—In the Gaol of Winchester.
William Clayton, late of No. 16, Wellercoft-street, Middle Hillgate, Stockport, in the county of Chester, Journeyman Joiner.—In the Gaol of Chester.
John Sloman West Herring, late of the White Hart Inn, Saint Thomas the Apostle, Devonshire, Attorney-at-Law.—In the Gaol of Saint Thomas the Apostle.
Elizabeth Lake, late of Torr Down Farm, Swimbridge, Devonshire, single woman, in no business.—In the Gaol of Saint Thomas the Apostle.
Edward Joseph May, late of No. 2, Victory-cottages, Belmont-road, St. Heliers, Jersey, out of business.—In the Gaol of Winchester.
William Mitchell, late of Crawley-road, Horsham, Sussex, Miller.—In the Gaol of Petworth.
James Crawford, late of Pye Bank, Sheffield, Yorkshire, Beerhouse Keeper.—In the Gaol of York.
Thomas Wainwright, late of Hockley, Nottinghamshire, Tailor.—In the Gaol of Nottingham.
James Holdich, late of Eton, near Market Deeping, Northamptonshire, in no business.—In the Gaol of Northampton.
Charles Spring, late of Newtown, Peterborough, Northamptonshire, Baker.—In the Gaol of Northampton.
John Laing, late of Hartlepool, Durham, Publican.—In the Gaol of Durham.
George Farmer, late of Shrewsbury, Salop, Cattle Dealer and Salesman.—In the Gaol of Shrewsbury.
William Taylor, late of Stoney-lane, Warrington, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Richard Greenhalgh, late of Norman-street, Collyhurst, near Manchester, Lancashire, Machinist.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Thomas Henry Allwood, late of No. 27, Brownlow-street, Liverpool Lancashire, Professor of Music.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Thomas Warburton, late of Whitehall-street, Mount Pleasant, Rochdale, Lancashire, Machinist.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Daniel Antrobus, late of No. 18, Polygon, Lower Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Alfred Whaley Sanderson, late of No. 12, Cable-street, Lancaster, Lancashire, Tea and Coffee Dealer.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Charles Turner, late of Old-lane, Hollinwood, near Oldham, Lancashire, Bricklayer.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Samuel Robinson, late of No. 172, Stretford-road, Hulme, Manchester, Tobacconist.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
Edward Halliley, late of No. 25, Grove-terrace, Leeds, Yorkshire, Cloth Finisher and Dyer.—In the Gaol of York.
Thomas Crofford, late of Elm, near Wisbeach, Isle of Ely, Cambridge, Dealer in Seeds.—In Gaol of Cambridge.

On Creditors' Petition.

Kensington Lewis, late of Stratford-place, Oxford-street, Middlesex, not in any business.—In the Gaol of Exeter.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

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, as hereinafter mentioned, at

the Court-House, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn, as follows, to be dealt with according to the Statute :

On Tuesday the 23rd May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

George Galloway, late of No. 7, Upper Weymouth-street, High-street, Saint Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Oil and Colourman.

On Wednesday the 24th May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock, before the Chief Commissioner Law.

Henry Heffer, late of No. 24, Grafton-street East, Tottenham-court-road, Middlesex, Journeyman Ladies' Boot and Shoe Maker, and also Lodging-house Keeper, Wife formerly carrying on the business of a Laundress.

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 columns of the book kept for that purpose at the Office of the Court, between the hours of Eleven in the Forenoon and Three in the Afternoon, two 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 1 and 2 Vict. c. 110, sec. 105.

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.

Pursuant to the Acts for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England.

See Notice at the End.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and whose Petitions and Schedules, duly filed, have been severally referred and transmitted to the County Courts hereinafter mentioned, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, are ordered to be brought up before the Judges of the said Courts respectively, as herein set forth, to be dealt with according to Law :

Before the Judge of the County Court of Shropshire, holden at the Shirehall, Shrewsbury, on the 23rd day of May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

George Farmer, late of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Cattle Dealer and Salesman, previously in lodgings at

No. 3, Bartholomew-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in no business or occupation, previously of Shrewsbury aforesaid, Cattle Dealer and Salesman, previously in lodgings at No. 2, Pentonville, in the county of Middlesex, in no business or occupation, previously of Brighton, Sussex, Assistant to a Horse Dealer, previously of No. 15, North-street, Lewes, Sussex, in no business or occupation, previously of Burchett's-cottage near Cookfield, in the county of Sussex, Farm Bailiff, previously in lodgings at No. 2, Edward-street, Regent's-park, in the said county of Middlesex, in no business or occupation, previously of No. 54, Hendon-street, Vauxhall-bridge-road, Pimlico, in the said county of Middlesex, Cattle Salesman, previously of No. 11, Burton-street, Pimlico aforesaid, Cattle Salesman, and formerly of Brace Mill, near Shrewsbury aforesaid, Cattle Dealer and Butcher.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the Guildhall, in the City and County of Bristol, on the 25th day of May, 1854, at half past Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Samuel Davies, late of No. 4, King-street, in the city and county of Bristol, out of business, previously residing at the Bee Inn and Tavern, Briery-hill, Ebbw-vale, near Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Accountant, previously residing at and keeping the Bee Inn and Tavern aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Accountant, and formerly of the Bee Inn and Tavern, Victoria Iron Works, near Tredegar, in the said county of Monmouth, Licensed Victualler, and Master of the Victoria Post Office.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry, on Saturday the 1st day of July, 1854, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.

Thomas Bagnall, late of No. 78, Hockley Hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, previously of Grove-lane, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, being employed as a Druggist's Assistant, formerly of No. 61, Islington, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Chemist and Druggist.

John Jones, late of the Willenhall-road, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, Grocer, Baker, and Provision Dealer.

Thomas Bathgate, late and for about three months last past residing at the Scotch Arms, Mount-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and during such residence, carrying on the business of a Retail Brewer, before then and for nearly 4 years residing at No. 72, Parade, Birmingham aforesaid, and during such residence carrying on the business of a Linen and Woollen Draper.

Thomas Smith, late of No. 72, Newhall-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Dealer in Tea and Coffee, previously of No. 110, Bradford-street, Birmingham, aforesaid, Dealer in Tea and Coffee, formerly of No. 21, Lower Priory, Birmingham aforesaid, Dealer in Tea and Coffee, before then of No. 7, Upper Priory, Birmingham aforesaid, Dealer in Tea and Coffee.

Edward Hawkes, late of No. 39, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, trading under the style or firm of Hawkes and Company, as a Cigar Manufacturer, Tobacconist, and Grocer, lately occupying shopping at the back of the White Lion Inn, Oozell-street, and previously at the back of No. 139, Great Charles-street, both in Birmingham aforesaid, and carrying on business as a Tobacco Pipe Maker, also sometime trading under the name of Edward Miles Hawkes.

Benjamin Stych, of No. 50, Rea-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Journeyman Tool Maker, previously of the Horse and Jockey Inn, Bordesley-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Retail Brewer, and formerly of the Coventry-road, in Birmingham aforesaid, Tool Maker.

N.B.—1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given to the said Prisoner, in writing, which may be left at the Gaol two clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of giving such notice and of the said day of hearing.

2. The petition and schedule will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination at the Office of the Court in London, between the hours of Ten and Four, on this notice being exhibited; 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 of 1st and 2nd Victoria, cap. 110, sec. 105.

N.B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

3. The duplicates of the petitions and schedules, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the Clerks or Assistant Clerks of the said County Courts, for inspection and examination, at the Offices of the said County Courts

respectively, at the Towns aforesaid, and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided according to sec. 106 of the Act.

Insolvent Debtors' Court.—Dividend No. 74,147 C;

THE creditors of William Blackow, of Pollard-street, Manchester, Porter and Cart Owner, may receive dividend of three shillings and five pence three farthings in the pound, by applying to Messrs. John and William Norris, Solicitors, Marsden-street, Manchester, on and after the 16th day of May instant—Bills and securities to be produced.

All Letters must be Post-paid.

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