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*Convention between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French, additional to the Convention of April 3, 1843, relative to Post-office arrangements.*

Signed at Paris, December 12, 1854.

[Ratifications exchanged at Paris, December 22, 1854.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the Emperor of the French, alike animated by the desire of improving, by means of a new Convention, the Postal Service between the two countries, have named as their Plenipotentiaries for that purpose; that is to say:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable Henry Richard Charles, Lord Cowley, a Peer of the United Kingdom, a Member of Her Majesty's Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of the French;

His Majesty the Emperor of the French, M. Edward Drouyn de Lhuys, His Minister and Secretary of State of the Department of Foreign Affairs, Vice-President of the Senate, Great Cross of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour, &c., &c.;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:—

## ARTICLE I.

The postage to be collected in France and Algeria upon paid letters addressed to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, as well as upon unpaid letters originating in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, shall be as follows:

1. For every paid letter, forty centimes per seven grammes and a half, or fraction of seven grammes and a half.

2. And for every unpaid letter, eighty centimes per seven grammes and a half, or fraction of seven grammes and a half.

Reciprocally, the postage to be collected in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland upon paid letters addressed to France and Algeria, as well as upon unpaid letters originating in France and Algeria, shall be as follows:

1. For every paid letter, four pence per quarter of an ounce British, or fraction of a quarter of an ounce British.

Sa Majesté la Reine du Royaume Uni de la Grande Bretagne et d'Irlande, et Sa Majesté l'Empereur des Français, également animées du désir d'améliorer, au moyen d'une nouvelle Convention, le Service des Correspondances entre les deux pays, ont nommé pour leurs Plénipotentiaires à cet effet, savoir:

Sa Majesté la Reine du Royaume Uni de la Grande Bretagne et d'Irlande, le Très Honorable Henri Richard Charles, Lord Cowley, Pair du Royaume Uni, Conseiller de Sa Majesté en Son Conseil Privé, Chevalier Grand-Croix du Très Honorable Ordre du Bain, Son Ambassadeur Extraordinaire et Plénipotentiaire près Sa Majesté l'Empereur des Français:

Sa Majesté l'Empereur des Français, M. Edouard Drouyn de Lhuys, Son Ministre et Secrétaire d'Etat au Département des Affaires Etrangères, Vice-Président du Sénat, Grand-Croix de l'Ordre Impérial de la Légion d'Honneur, &c., &c.;

Lesquels, après s'être réciproquement communiqué leurs pleins pouvoirs respectifs, trouvés en bonne et due forme, sont convenus des Articles suivants:—

## ARTICLE I.

Le port à percevoir en France et en Algérie sur les lettres affranchies à destination du Royaume Uni de la Grande Bretagne et d'Irlande, ainsi que sur les lettres non-affranchies originaires du Royaume Uni de la Grande Bretagne et d'Irlande, est fixé, savoir:

1. Pour chaque lettre affranchie, à quarante centimes par sept grammes et demi, ou fraction de sept grammes et demi;

2. Et pour chaque lettre non-affranchie, à quatre-vingts centimes par sept grammes et demi, ou fraction de sept grammes et demi.

Réciproquement, le port à percevoir dans le Royaume Uni de la Grande Bretagne et d'Irlande sur les lettres affranchies à destination de la France et de l'Algérie, ainsi que sur les lettres non-affranchies originaires de la France et de l'Algérie, est fixé, savoir:

1. Pour chaque lettre affranchie, à quatre pence par quart d'once Britannique, ou fraction de quart d'once Britannique;

2. And for every unpaid letter, eight pence per quarter of an ounce British, or fraction of a quarter of an ounce British.

#### ARTICLE II.

The rate at which the Post Office of France shall account to the British Post Office, for paid letters addressed to Great Britain, forwarded by the French exchanging Offices to the British exchanging Offices, as well as for unpaid letters originating in Great Britain, forwarded by the British exchanging Offices to the French exchanging Offices, shall be as follows :

1. For paid letters addressed to Great Britain, the sum of sixty centimes per thirty grammes, net weight;

2. And for unpaid letters originating in Great Britain, the sum of one franc twenty centimes per ounce British, net weight.

Reciprocally, the rate at which the British Post Office shall, on its side, account to the Post Office of France for paid letters addressed to France and Algeria, forwarded by the British exchanging Offices to the French exchanging Offices, as well as for unpaid letters originating in France and Algeria, forwarded by the French exchanging Offices to the British exchanging Offices, shall be as follows ;

1. For paid letters addressed to France and Algeria, the sum of one franc per ounce British, net weight ;

2. And for unpaid letters originating in France and Algeria, the sum of two francs per thirty grammes, net weight.

#### ARTICLE III.

The payment on account of the sea conveyance of letters contained in the mails which the respective Offices of Exchange transmit to each other by means of merchant-ships plying in the Channel, shall be equally divided between the British Post Office and the Post Office of France. These payments shall be made to the commanders or owners of the said vessels at the rate of one penny, or ten centimes, per letter.

#### ARTICLE IV.

The conditions under which newspapers, gazettes, periodical works, stitched books, pamphlets, sheets of music, catalogues, prospectuses, announcements and notices of various kinds, whether printed or lithographed, forwarded from one of the two countries addressed to the other, are to be exchanged, shall be regulated hereafter by a special Convention which shall be based upon the principle of compulsory prepayment to destination, and of the removal of every duty or tax which would otherwise be payable by the persons to whom newspapers and the other printed papers enumerated above are addressed.

#### ARTICLE V.

The present Convention, which shall be considered as additional to the Convention of the 3rd of April, 1843, shall be ratified; the ratifications shall be exchanged at Paris as soon as possible; and it shall be put into execution on the 1st January, 1855.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Convention, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done in duplicate at Paris, the twelfth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

(L.S.) COWLEY.  
(L.S.) DROUYN DE LHUYS.

2. Et pour chaque lettre non-affranchie, à huit pence par quart d'once Britannique, ou fraction de quart d'once Britannique.

#### ARTICLE II.

Le prix dont l'administration des Postes de France devra tenir compte à l'administration des Postes Britanniques, pour les lettres affranchies à destination de la Grande Bretagne, livrées par les Bureaux d'Echange Français aux Bureaux d'Echange Britanniques, ainsi que pour les lettres non-affranchies originaires de la Grande Bretagne, livrées par les Bureaux d'Echange Britanniques aux Bureaux d'Echange Français, est fixé, savoir :

1. Pour les lettres affranchies à destination de la Grande Bretagne, à la somme de soixante centimes par trente grammes, poids net ;

2. Et pour les lettres non-affranchies originaires de la Grande Bretagne, à la somme d'un franc vingt centimes par once Britannique, poids net.

Réciproquement, le prix dont l'administration des Postes Britanniques devra, de son côté, tenir compte à l'administration des Postes de France pour les lettres affranchies à destination de la France et de l'Algérie, livrées par les Bureaux d'Echange Britanniques aux Bureaux d'Echange Français, ainsi que pour les lettres non-affranchies originaires de la France et de l'Algérie, livrées par les Bureaux d'Echange Français aux Bureaux d'Echange Britanniques, est fixé, savoir ;

1. Pour les lettres affranchies à destination de la France et de l'Algérie, à la somme d'un franc par once Britannique, poids net ;

2. Et pour les lettres non-affranchies originaires de la France et de l'Algérie, à la somme de deux francs par trente grammes, poids net.

#### ARTICLE III.

Les frais résultant du transport par mer des lettres comprises dans les dépêches que les Bureaux d'Echange respectifs se transmettront réciproquement par la voie des bâtiments du commerce naviguant dans le Canal de la Manche, seront supportés, par moitié, entre l'administration des Postes Britanniques et l'administration des Postes de France. Les frais seront payés aux capitaines ou armateurs des dits bâtiments à raison d'un penny, ou dix centimes, par lettre.

#### ARTICLE IV.

Les conditions d'échange des journaux, gazettes, ouvrages périodiques, livres brochés, brochures, papiers de musique, catalogues, prospectus, annonces et avis divers, imprimés, lithographiés, ou autographiés, adressés de l'un des deux pays dans l'autre, seront réglées ultérieurement par une Convention spéciale qui sera basée sur le principe de l'affranchissement obligatoire jusqu'à destination, et de l'abolition de tout droit ou taxe à la charge des destinataires des journaux et autres imprimés ci-dessus désignés.

#### ARTICLE V.

La présente Convention, qui sera considérée comme additionnelle à la Convention du 3 Avril, 1843, sera ratifiée; les ratifications en seront échangées à Paris aussitôt que faire se pourra; et elle sera mise à exécution le 1 Janvier, 1855.

En foi de quoi les Plénipotentiaires respectifs ont signé la présente Convention, et y ont apposé le sceau de leurs armes.

Fait à Paris, en double original, le douzième jour du mois de Décembre, mil-huit cent cinquante-quatre.

*Whitehall, December 27, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Honourable and Reverend John Thomas Pelham, B.A., to the Rectory of Saint Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, void by the death of the Reverend John Hume Spry, D.D.

The Queen has also been pleased to grant unto the Reverend William Stone, M.A., the place and dignity of a Canon of the metropolitan church of Canterbury, void by the death of the Reverend John Hume Spry, D.D.

*War-Office, 29th December, 1854.*

*1st Regiment of Foot, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward A. G. Muller to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William James Gillum. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Taaffe. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Francis Bythcsea. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Rowland. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*4th Foot, Captain John Josiah Hort to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Augustus Edward Henry Ansell. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Jasper Hall. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant James Barton. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant M. Hamilton Dowbiggin. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Patrick Robertson, vice Hort. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*9th Foot, Captain Duncan Munro Bethune to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Robert Daunt. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant T. E. Bowerbank Dent. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Burden. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Frederick Smith. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*14th Foot, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Sir James Edward Alexander, K.C., to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William Hanbury Hawley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Grogan. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Barlow. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*17th Foot, Captain Thomas Ormsby Rutledge to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Clement H. J. Heigham. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Earle. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard William Cradock. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*18th Foot, Brevet-Major George Frederick S. Call to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William Henry Graves. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Joseph George Wilkinson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Swinburn. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*19th Foot, Captain John Lewis Richard Rooke to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant M. L. Blake. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Leonard Douglas Hay Currie. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard Doyle Barrett. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard Fielding Morrison. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Clay, vice Rooke. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*20th Foot, Brevet-Major James B. Sharpe to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Henry James. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant James George Hay. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Stephen R. Chapman. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Edward Leet. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*21st Foot, Captain the Honourable James Lyon Browne to be Major without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant John Aldridge. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry FitzHardinge Berkeley Maxse. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Crofton Peddie. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*23rd Foot, Brevet-Major William Pitcairn Campbell to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Henry Bathurst. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Frederick Sayer. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Trevelyan John. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Capel Clerke. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*28th Foot, Brevet-Major Mottram Andrews to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Henry William Dennie. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Dundas Malcolm. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Sussex Lennox Aubry B. Messiter. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Orlando Robert Hammond Orlebar. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**30<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major Edmund Augustus Whitmore to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William John Brook. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Edward N. Falkner. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William James Robertson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**33<sup>rd</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George V. Mundy to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Thomas Basil Fanshawe. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant T. S. Vacher. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant C. Carter Barrett. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Walter G. Nugent. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles E. Mansfield, vice Mundy. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**34<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major John Simpson to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant David Steuart. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant G. E. Brown Westhead. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Garville William Puget. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Robert Campbell. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**38<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major John W. S. Smith to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Archibald C. Snodgrass. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Frederick Beswick. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Thomas Eyre Lambert. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Honourable Charles John Addington. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**39<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major Arthur Herbert to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William Greenham. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant James Agnew. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Wilson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Thomas J. Dixon. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**41<sup>st</sup> Foot**, Captain Robert Pratt to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Charles P. Bertram. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Robert FitzRoy. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Allan. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**42<sup>nd</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major John Cameron Macpherson to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Rowland A. Fraser. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Chetham M'Leod. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant R. Campbell Cuninghame. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Montgomery. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**44<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Captain William MacMahon to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Edward Ogle Streatfield. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Mansfield. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard Preston. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Francis William Thomas Caulfield. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**46<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major Arthur George Vesey to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Charles Somerville M'Alister. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Reginald Hesketh. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Augustus Fane. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Alfred Henry Waldy. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**47<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major John Lardner to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Charles Elgee. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles Aldersey Stevenson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard George Ellison. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant FitzWilliam Frederick Hunter. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Sampson Pilkington, vice Lardner. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**49<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Captain Lachlan H. G. Maclean to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Fanshawe William Gostling. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Henry Lamb. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard D. Astley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**50<sup>th</sup> Foot**, Brevet-Major Henry Edwin Weare to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Daniel William Tupper. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Raymond Herbert White. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Mangles. Dated 29th December, 1854.

55th Foot, Brevet-Major John Coats to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William Barnston. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Frederick Cockayne Elton. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Richard England. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Richard Hume. Dated 29th December, 1854.

57th Foot, Captain John Auchmuty to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant George Herman Norman. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George Udney Hague. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Edward Brown. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Alexander Lester Copland. Dated 29th December, 1854.

62nd Foot, Captain Wm. F. Dickson to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Charles Cooch. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Glyn Grylls. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Joseph Sanderson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

63rd Foot, Captain Charles Higginbotham to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Thomas Johns. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Newenham. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Jekin Cockburn. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant F. Logan Townshend Paterson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

68th Foot, Captain H. Harpur Greere to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William Henry Seymour. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Harrison W. J. Trent. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry White. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Cavendish C. Fitz Roy. Dated 29th December, 1854.

71st Foot, Brevet-Major Robert D. Campbell to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant John Ignatius Macdonell. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles Francis Smith. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Francis Segrave. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Brent Neville. Dated 29th December, 1854.

77th Foot, Captain William Forbes to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captain without purchase.*

Lieutenant W. Molesworth Cole Acton. Dated 29th December, 1854.

79th Foot, Captain William M'Call to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Charles Millns Harrisson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Scott. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Holford Stevenson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant James Herbert Freme. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Mure, vice M'Call. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Lieutenant without purchase.*

Ensign Celestine George Durant, from the 94th Foot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

88th Foot, Captain Edward Norton to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Thomas Gore. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry J. Le Marchant Baynes. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Jackson Wray. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry William Grogan. Dated 29th December, 1854.

89th Foot, Brevet-Major the Honourable Charles Daly to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant John M. Cuppage. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Carrick Darby. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Arthur H. H. Mercer. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Alfred Nixon. Dated 29th December, 1854.

90th Foot, Captain Duncan Campbell to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Robert Dymock Vaughton. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Harry Denison. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Hope Crealock. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Garnet J. Wolseley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

93rd Foot, Brevet-Major John Alexander Ewart to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant William G. Drummond Stewart. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Somerset M. Clarke. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant E. S. F. G. Dawson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Mark George Sprot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

95th Foot, Captain John Fitz-Thomas Dennis to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Alexander J. J. Macdonald. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Anthony Morgan. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant George L. Carmichael. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Frederick James Taylor. Dated 29th December, 1854.

97th Foot, Brevet-Major Robert Colvill to be Major, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Edward D. Harvest. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant C. H. Lumley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry George Woods. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Edward Kent Jones. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Richard Annesley, vice Colvill. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Rifle Brigade, Major Wilmot Henry Bradford to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Majors without purchase.*

Captain Frederick Robert Elrington. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Brevet-Major Lord Alexander George Russell. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Captain Joseph Wilkinson, vice Bradford. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant John Ross. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Bagenall Brewster. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Honourable Henry Clifford. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Alfred Manners Drummond. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Arthur Nixon. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Francis Walter Balfour. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Coote Buller. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Honourable B. Reynolds Pellet. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Arthur Frederick Warren. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant James Rowles. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Gore Lindsay. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Thomas Harvey Bramston, vice Elrington. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Claude Thomas Bouchier, vice Lord A. G. Russell. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Honourable George Barrington Legge, vice Wilkinson. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Lieutenants without purchase.*

Ensign George Robert Saunders. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Christopher Edward Musgrave. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Charles Browne Dashwood. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Percyvall Hart Dyke. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign John Plumtre Carr Glyn. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Henry Stewart Ryder. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign John Croft Moore. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Lionel S. T. M. Cary. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign George Henry Grey. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*War-Office, 29th December, 1854.*

*4th Dragoon Guards.*

*To be Lieutenants without purchase.*

Cornet the Honourable M. FitzMaurice Deane, vice Brigstocke, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Cornet John Arthur Bragge. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Cornet Edward Rowe Fisher. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*5th Dragoon Guards.*

*To be Lieutenants without purchase.*

Cornet Thomas Lewis Hampton. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Cornet Henry Hird Hay. Dated 29th December, 1854.

1st Dragoons, Cornet Gilbert Metcalfe Robertson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Coney, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*2nd Dragoons.*

*To be Captains without purchase.*

Lieutenant Francis Sutherland, vice Williams, deceased. Dated 24th November, 1854.

Lieutenant George Buchanan, vice Sutherland, whose promotion on the 8th instant has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Herbert Edwards, vice Buchanan, whose promotion on the 15th December has been cancelled. Dated 15th December, 1854.

*To be Lieutenants without purchase.*

Cornet Duncan M'Neill, vice Edwards. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Cornet Henry Edwardes Handley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

4th Light Dragoons, Cornet John Clark, Riding Master, to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Cornet William Winstanley, from the 16th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

6th Dragoons, Cornet Alfred Henderson White to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir J. M. Stewart, Bart., who retires. Dated 29th December, 1854.

John Evans, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice White. Dated 29th December, 1854.

11th Light Dragoons, Cornet George Ashby Maddock to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Houghton, deceased. Dated 23rd November, 1854.

Lieutenant E. Harnett, from half-pay of the 15th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Maddock, whose promotion on the 8th instant, has been cancelled. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Veterinary-Surgeon William Partridge to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Gloag, appointed to the Staff in Turkey. Dated 29th December, 1854.

17th Light Dragoons, Cornet Henry Baring, from the 10th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Battalion-Surgeon George Brown to be Surgeon-Major, vice Wright, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Assistant-Surgeon C. R. Nicoll to be Battalion-Surgeon, vice Brown. Dated 29th December, 1854.

William Ralph Lane, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Nicoll. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain Christopher Edward Blackett, from the 93rd Foot, to be Lieutenant and Captain, without purchase, vice Bouverie, killed in action. Dated 29th December, 1854.

7th Regiment of Foot, Llewellyn Price Traherne, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Waller, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

18th Foot.

To be Lieutenants without purchase.

Ensign Arthur Charles Elliot, from the 94th Foot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Charles James Coote. Dated 29th December, 1854.

21st Foot, Sackville George Lane Fox, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Pester, appointed to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 29th December, 1854.

23rd Foot, James Williamson, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

28th Foot.

To be Lieutenants without purchase.

Ensign Henry Clark Worthington, vice Holford, deceased. Dated 29th November, 1854.

Ensign Charles David Ingham, vice Worthington, whose promotion on the 8th December, 1854, has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Ensign Thomas Edmund Adams, from the Royal South Lincoln Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Ingham. Dated 29th December, 1854.

30th Foot, Ensign Charles John Moorsom to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Ross-Lewin, died of his wounds. Dated 8th November, 1854.

Ensign Joseph Fleming to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Moorsom, whose promotion on the 8th instant, has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1854.

To be Ensigns without purchase.

Lieutenant Wm. Kerr, from the Northampton Militia, vice Thompson, died of his wounds. Dated 28th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Rothes Hastings Neville, from the Royal South Lincoln Militia, vice Fleming, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

44th Foot, Ensign Thomas Orton Howorth, from the 3rd West York Militia, to be Ensign without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

47th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Henry Grange, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Saunders, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

57th Foot, Lieutenant Charles George Clarke, from the South Devon Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Bird, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

60th Foot, Honourable Richard Prendergast Vereker to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Travers, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

63rd Foot, Lieutenant Richard Halliday Archer, from the South Devon Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Wyberg, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

68th Foot, Captain Herbert Blount to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Harry Smyth, died of his wounds. Dated 24th November, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles U. Shuttleworth to be Captain, without purchase, vice Blount. Dated 24th November, 1854.

Lieutenant and Adjutant T. de C. Hamilton to be Captain, without purchase, vice Shuttleworth, whose promotion on the 1st December, 1854, has been cancelled. Dated 1st December, 1854.

77th Foot, Ensign H. M. L. Colquhoun to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Maine, deceased. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign G. E. Leggett to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 29th December, 1854.

John George Skene, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Morgan, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

94th Foot, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. Dennis to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Milner, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Captain William Henry Kirby to be Major, without purchase, vice Dennis. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Captain Brotherton Browne, from half-pay, Unattached, to be Captain, vice Whahab, appointed Paymaster. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Justin E. D. MacCarthy to be Captain, without purchase, vice Kirby. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Hamilton Pratt to be Captain, by purchase, vice Browne, who retires. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign William Plumer Gaskell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice MacCarthy. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign G. L. Hedley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pratt. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Josiah Robert Rolls, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hedley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

95th Foot, Brevet-Major Alfred Thomas Heyland to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Champion, died of his wounds. Dated 1st December, 1854.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Martin to be Captain, without purchase, vice Heyland. Dated 1st December, 1854.

To be Lieutenants without purchase.

Ensign G. H. L. Brooke, vice Martin. Dated 1st December, 1854.

Ensign J. W. J. Stockwell, vice Brooke, whose promotion on the 8th instant has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Ensign Norton Knatchbull, from the Royal Wilts Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Stockwell, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

98th Foot, Lieutenant Robert James, from half-pay of the 56th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Browne, appointed to the 84th Foot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Robert Westropp Ellis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James, who retires. Dated 29th December, 1854.

William Blackett, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ellis. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*Rifle Brigade*, Second Lieutenant C. A. P. Boileau to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Godfrey, deceased. Dated 28th November, 1854.

Ensign Alexander Heywood to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Boileau, whose promotion on the 8th instant, has been cancelled. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Ensign F. W. Fremantle to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Heywood, whose promotion on the 22nd December, 1854, has been cancelled. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

*To be Ensigns without purchase.*

James Frederick Henley, Gent., vice Norris, promoted. Dated 24th December, 1854.

Ensign John Clerk, from the 6th Foot, vice Boileau, promoted. Dated 25th December, 1854.

Ensign John Constantine Pester, from the 21st Foot, vice Honourable A. Anson, promoted. Dated 26th December, 1854.

Henry David Baillie, Gent., vice Talbot, promoted. Dated 27th December, 1854.

Edward Samuel Grimshaw Woodford, Gent., vice Fremantle. Dated 28th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Henry Alexander Scriven, from the 4th Middlesex Militia. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*1st West India Regiment*, John Richard O'Meara Lawlor, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Beamish, appointed to the 45th Foot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*3rd West India Regiment*, Ensign Edward Armstrong to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Savage, deceased. Dated 5th October, 1854.

Ensign George Gant Beazley to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Armstrong, whose promotion on the 1st December, 1854, has been cancelled. Dated 1st December, 1854.

*Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment*, Major Percy Hill to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Taylor, who retires. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Captain James Nicol Holmes to be Major, by purchase, vice Hill. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant Kenneth Mackenzie Moffatt to be Captain, by purchase, vice Holmes. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Ensign Edward Wolley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Moffatt. Dated 29th December, 1854.

William Fleming Marson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wolley. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Sharpe to be Adjutant, vice Moffatt, promoted. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*Provisional Depot Battalions.*

Brevet-Colonel John Thomas Hill, from half-pay 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Major John Johnston, from half-pay Unattached, to be Major. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Brevet-Major Donald Angus George Darroch, of the 51st Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Burke, 27th Foot, to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**BREVET.**

Brevet-Colonel Henry Robert Milner, on retired full-pay of the 94th Foot, to be Major-General in the Army, the rank being only honorary. Dated 29th December, 1854.

Captain Brotherton Browne, of the 94th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 23rd November, 1841.

Brevet-Major Brotherton Browne, of the 94th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 11th November, 1851.

Major-General Richard Airey, being the Senior Supernumerary Major-General, to succeed to the vacancy on the fixed Establishment of General Officers. Dated 29th December, 1854.

**HOSPITAL STAFF.**

Acting-Assistant-Surgeon Jeffery Allen Marston, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Grange, appointed to the 47th Foot. Dated 29th December, 1854.

*To be Acting-Assistant-Surgeons.*

Frederick Wilkinson, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Henry Richard Percy, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

John Bayly, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Robert Dade, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

William Henry Corbett, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Randolph Webb, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

James Jardine, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Henry Sherlock, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

Charles O'Callaghan, Gent. Dated 15th December, 1854.

William Ramsay, M.D. Dated 15th December, 1854.

**MEMORANDUM.**

The removal of Ensign Sparke, from the 68th Foot, to a Cornetcy in the 4th Light Dragoons, as stated in the Gazette of the 15th December, 1854, has been cancelled.

The appointment of James Frederick Henley, Gent., to an Ensigncy, by purchase, in the 73rd Foot, as stated in the Gazette of the 22nd instant, has been cancelled.

The Christian names of Ensign Bindon of the 26th Foot, are Charles Hunt, and not Henry Herbert, as previously stated.

The promotion of Major G. B. S. Colman, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, in the 3rd West India Regiment, as stated in the Gazette of the 15th September, 1854, has been cancelled.

*War-Office, December 29, 1854.*

THE Right Honourable the Secretary-at-War has received from His Grace the Duke of Newcastle the following list of Casualties amongst the non-commissioned officers and privates in the Forces under the command of Field-Marshal the



Lord Raglan, G.C.B., from the 27th of November to 5th of December, 1854, both days inclusive.

*Return of Casualties from 27th November to 5th December, 1854, both days inclusive.*

Royal Artillery—1 rank and file, killed.  
Sappers—1 rank and file, wounded.  
1st Regiment of Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.  
4th Foot—1 rank and file, killed.  
9th Foot—3 rank and file, wounded.  
20th Foot—7 rank and file, wounded (2 of whom were omitted in the Return of November 26).  
21st Foot—2 rank and file, killed; 1 serjeant, 2 rank and file, wounded.  
28th Foot—2 rank and file, killed; 8 rank and file, wounded.  
38th Foot—2 serjeants, 3 rank and file, wounded.  
44th Foot—2 rank and file, wounded.  
46th Foot—1 serjeant, killed; 7 rank and file, wounded.  
47th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.  
50th Foot—5 rank and file, killed; 8 rank and file, wounded; 3 rank and file, missing.  
57th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.  
68th Foot—1 rank and file, wounded.  
95th Foot—1 serjeant, wounded.  
1st Battalion Rifle Brigade—1 rank and file killed; 7 rank and file, wounded.  
Ambulance—1 rank and file, wounded.

Total—1 serjeant, 12 rank and file, killed; 4 serjeants, 55 rank and file, wounded; 3 rank and file, missing.

**J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,**  
Adjutant-General.

*Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed, from 27th November to 5th December, 1854, both days inclusive.*

**KILLED.**

29th November, 1854.

28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
3584 Private Michael Fitzgerald

2nd December, 1854.

1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.  
3370 Private John Randall.

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
4189 Private John Cotter  
3069 Owen Doherty  
3726 Richard Nagle  
3734 Lewis McDonald

**ARTILLERY.**

Bombardier Adam Fyfe

4th December, 1854.

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
2150 Serjeant George Dignam

5th December, 1854.

4TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1461 Private Thomas Williams

21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
3230 Private Frederick McDonnell  
3191 Isaac Sewell

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28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1938 Private Patten Smith

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
4028 Private George Bradley  
**J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,**  
Adjutant-General.

*Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates wounded from the 27th November to 5th December, 1854, both days inclusive.*

**WOUNDED.**

26th November, 1854.

(Omitted in last Return.)

20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
3421 Private Matthew Prime, severely  
3424 Charles Wheeler, slightly

27th November, 1854.

**SAPPERS.**

403 Private John Giles, slightly

**1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.**

3386 Private William Barwell, slightly  
3569 Patrick Keough, slightly

28th November, 1854.

38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1313 Serjeant Samuel Winden, slightly  
3558 Private John Nugent, slightly  
1623 John Hannaforth, slightly  
3377 William Ibbs, slightly

29th November, 1854.

28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1992 Private James Steale, slightly

30th November, 1854.

1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
2184 Private John Walsh, slightly

46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
2604 Private Oliver Crowley, slightly

50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
3947 Private John Macdonald, slightly

95TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
2185 Serjeant John Murphy, slightly

2nd December, 1854.

20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
1986 Private Thomas McCormack, severely  
(since dead)  
3628 George Eoulston, severely  
3323 Robert Wilson, slightly

47TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.  
3195 Private Thomas Creehan, slightly

## 50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3396 Corporal Benjamin Inglefield, slightly  
 3103 Private William Cooney, dangerously  
 3393 George Coombs, severely  
 2675 Peter Duncan, dangerously  
 3889 Thomas Harryman, dangerously  
 3567 Miles Groom, dangerously  
 3747 John Hunter, slightly

## 68TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3241 Private Thomas Johnstone, slightly

## 1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

2743 Private Edwin Hudson, severely  
 3349 Ellis Brown, slightly

## AMBULANCE CORPS.

226 Private James McDevitt, severely

3rd December, 1854.

## 49TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3323 Private Michael Farrell, severely

4th December, 1854.

## 1ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3411 Private Martin Hogan, slightly  
 2971 Henry Dew, slightly

## 20TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3901 Private William Davis, slightly  
 3828 Enoch Pindar, slightly

## 28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3506 Private Thomas Lee, severely

5th December, 1854.

## 9TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1890 Private Joseph Crowther, slightly  
 1721 John Hoare, severely  
 3279 Thomas McClure, slightly

## 21ST REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2531 Colour-Serjeant Thos. Rutherford, severely  
 3347 Private John Barrett, severely  
 2330 Daniel Ryan, slightly

## 28TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2792 Private Joseph Take, severely  
 2922 Michael Hagerty, severely  
 1539 Patrick Kelly, slightly  
 3483 Samuel Mountain, severely  
 3696 T. G. Irwin, slightly

## 38TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2754 Serjeant James Neill, severely

## 44TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3820 Corporal William Courtenay, severely  
 1410 Private William Stephenson, severely

## 46TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

2450 Private John Griffiths, severely  
 3190 John Holmes, severely  
 2143 William Cook, slightly  
 3143 Nicholas Connor, slightly  
 1632 Peter Aldridge, slightly  
 2772 Arthur Hawthorn, slightly

## 57TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

3071 Private Richard Sewell, slightly

## 1ST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE.

3613 Private John Coakley, dangerously  
 3466 John Barker, severely  
 2966 George Hammond, slightly

## MISSING.

2nd December, 1854.

## 50TH REGIMENT OF FOOT.

1583 Private Patrick Curnery  
 1111 George Bryan  
 3665 James Howarth

J. B. BUCKNALL ESTCOURT,  
 Adjutant-General.

Office of Ordnance, 28th December, 1854.

## Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Brevet-Colonel Henry Palliser to be a Colonel,  
 vice Jones, promoted to be a General Officer.  
 Dated 13th December, 1854.

Brevet-Major Walter Raleigh Gilbert to be Lieuten-  
 ant-Colonel, vice Palliser. Dated 13th Decem-  
 ber, 1854.

Second Captain George Shaw to be Captain, vice  
 Gilbert. Dated 13th December, 1854.

First Lieutenant Patrick John Campbell to be  
 Second Captain, vice Shaw. Dated 13th Decem-  
 ber, 1854.

Second Lieutenant Edward John Ward to be First  
 Lieutenant, vice Campbell. Dated 13th Decem-  
 ber, 1854.

Brevet-Colonel John Alexander Wilson to be  
 Colonel, vice Grantham, retired. Dated 13th  
 December, 1854.

Brevet-Major Henry Aylmer to be Lieutenant-  
 Colonel, vice Wilson. Dated 13th December,  
 1854.

Second Captain Augustus Frederick Francis  
 Lennox to be Captain, vice Aylmer. Dated 13th  
 December, 1854.

First Lieutenant Arthur William Twiss to be  
 Second Captain, vice Lennox. Dated 13th  
 December, 1854.

Second Lieutenant Alexander Dickson Burnaby  
 to be First Lieutenant, vice Twiss. Dated 13th  
 December, 1854.

Brevet-Major Alexander Irving to be Lieutenant-  
 Colonel, vice Grant, retired on full-pay. Dated  
 13th December, 1854.

Second Captain Charles Stuart Henry to be  
 Captain, vice Irving. Dated 13th December,  
 1854.

First Lieutenant Reginald Curtis to be Second  
 Captain, vice Henry. Dated 13th December,  
 1854.

Second Lieutenant Wilmot Burrows Edward Ellis  
 to be First Lieutenant, vice Curtis. Dated 13th  
 December, 1854.

Brevet-Major St. John Thomas Browne to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Beresford, retired on full-pay. Dated 13th December, 1854.

Second Captain Edmund Henry Reece Flint to be Captain, vice Browne. Dated 13th December, 1854.

First Lieutenant Allan Sievwright to be Second Captain, vice Flint. Dated 13th December, 1854.

Second Lieutenant Charles George Luard to be First Lieutenant, vice Sievwright. Dated 13th December, 1854.

Second Captain Philip Gosset Pipon to be Captain, vice the Honourable R. C. H. Spencer, retired on full-pay. Dated 13th December, 1854.

First Lieutenant Frederick Southcote Seale to be Second Captain, vice Pipon. Dated 13th December, 1854.

Second Lieutenant Henry Auriol Douglas de Vismes to be First Lieutenant, vice Seale. Dated 13th December, 1854.

*Office of Ordnance, 28th December, 1854.*

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

*Gentlemen Cadets to be Second Lieutenants.*

Charles Donnethorne Bevan, vice Temple, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

William Henry Newcome, vice Ravenhill, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

John Robert King, vice Pitt, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Charles Orde Browne, vice F. L. H. Lyon, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Thomas Cumming, vice Tredcroft, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Charles Edmund Southouse Scott, vice Holmes, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

*Corps of Royal Engineers.*

*Gentlemen Cadets to be Second Lieutenants, with temporary rank.*

Francis Arthur Marindin, vice Cowell, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Moreton John Wheatley, vice Hawthorn, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Edward Coysgarne Sim, vice Graham, promoted. Dated 20th December, 1854.

*Admiralty, 27th December, 1854.*

*Corps of Royal Marines.*

First Lieutenant and Adjutant George Stephen Digby, of the Artillery Companies, to be Captain, vice Langley, appointed to the Staff.

First Lieutenant Henry Adair, of the Artillery Companies, to be Adjutant of those Companies, vice Digby.

Second Lieutenant Hollis Henry Nott to be First Lieutenant, vice Digby, promoted.

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

Nathan Worthington, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

*3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.*

Eustace John Wilson Patten, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th December, 1854.

John Robinson Pedder, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Hargreaves, resigned. Dated 27th December, 1854.

Robert Furey, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice O'Farrell, appointed Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 28th December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.*

*Royal North Gloucester Regiment of Militia.*

Ensign Viscount Andover to be Lieutenant, vice Bontein, resigned. Dated 26th December, 1854.

Cecil Frederick Holder, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Andover, promoted. Dated 26th December, 1854.

Thomas Mansfield James, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 26th December, 1854.

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

*Cambridgeshire Militia.*

William James Harrison, late Ensign 88th Regiment of Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Wimper. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

William Tilden Layton, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Bushby. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.*

*Royal Bucks King's Own Militia.*

Ensign Augustus Charles Morgan to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant Isaac King, appointed Ensign 41st Foot.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.*

*1st Regiment of Derbyshire Militia.*

Lieutenant Moreton Le Brooke to be Captain, vice Wright, resigned. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

Thomas Peach to be Lieutenant, vice Brook, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

Charles Harwood, Gent., to be Surgeon, vice Bennett, resigned. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dumfries.*

*Dumfriesshire, Roxburghshire, and Selkirkshire Militia.*

Thomas Scott Chisholm, Esq., to be Ensign. Dated 19th December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.*

*Stirlingshire, &c., or 90th Regiment of Militia.*

Charles Gibson, M.D., to be Surgeon.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.*

*Leicestershire Militia.*

Alfred Ashley Vaughton, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1854.

Douglas Henry Campbell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th December, 1854.

Charles Henry Newbalt, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 19th December, 1854.

[This Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Friday last.]

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.*

*Leicestershire Militia.*

Robert Theodore Farringdon Stammers, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 16th December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.*

*Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.*

William Frederick Raitt, Gent. (lately a Lieutenant of the 96th Regiment of Foot), to be a Lieutenant, vice Hale, retired. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

Charles James Garstin, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Ireland, promoted. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

Arthur Brinckman, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

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

*Shropshire Regiment of Militia.*

Charles Oakley, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Wood, resigned. Dated 27th December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.*

*West York Rifle Regiment of Militia.*

Edward Mason, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Serjeant-Major William Cole, to be Ensign. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Richard Blackburne Leatham, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

James Lees Harwar, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

*2nd Regiment of West York Militia.*

John Frackelton Ferris, Esq., late 77th Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 8th December, 1854.

George Linford, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 8th December, 1854.

*3rd (Light Infantry) Regiment of West York Militia.*

William Armit, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 20th December, 1854.

*4th Regiment of West York Militia.*

Captain Edward Waud to be Major. Dated 9th December, 1854.

Lieutenant the Honourable Bryan Stapleton to be Captain. Dated 9th December, 1854.

The Honourable Lionel Massey to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1854.

*5th Regiment of West York Militia.*

Augustus Staines, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 12th December, 1854.

*6th Regiment of West York Militia.*

The Honourable Adolphus Edward Prendergast Vereker to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1854.

Alexander Strange, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1854.

John Sowden Scott, Esq., late Captain 31st Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 12th December, 1854.

William Alcock, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

Jon Frederick Augustus Stodhart, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

MEMORANDUM.

That the name of Ensign Robert Johnston Stansfeld, of the 2nd Regiment of West York Militia, was accidentally inserted in the Gazette of 5th December, as Robert Johnston Stansfield.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.*

*Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.*

William Henry Spooner, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Monro, resigned. Dated 27th December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.*

*West Suffolk Militia.*

Edward Frederic Agnew, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 16th December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.*

*Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.*

Samuel Finnamore, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th December, 1854.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Flint.*

*Royal Flintshire Militia.*

George Gordon Warren, Gent., to be Ensign.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Radnor.*

*Royal Radnor Militia.*

William Theobald Butler, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 19th December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.*

*Hampshire Regiment of Militia Infantry.*

Captain Christian William McNiell, late of the Royal London Militia, to be Captain. Dated 8th December, 1854.

Ensign Alfred Augustus James, late 3rd West York Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Henry Willis Fleming, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th December, 1854.

George Egerton Hodgson, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 20th December, 1854.

Edward Charles Forwood, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 20th December, 1854.

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

*1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.*

Frederick Gibbons, Esq., to be Captain, vice Hinde, deceased. Dated 20th December, 1854.

*2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

Francis Charles Hastings Russell, Esq., M.P., to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

Sir Erskine Perry, M.P., to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.*

*1st or South Durham Regiment of Militia of the County of Durham.*

Edward Egremont, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

George Sowerby, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

*Artillery Regiment of Militia of the County of Durham.*

First Lieutenant George Hodgson to be Captain. Dated 22nd December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.*

*Hertfordshire Militia.*

George Thomas Gape, Gent., to be Ensign.  
Dated 27th December, 1854.  
Edward Vernon White, Gent., to be Ensign.  
Dated 27th December, 1854.  
Henry Harrison Bartlett, Gent., to be Ensign.  
Dated 27th December, 1854.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.*

*1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.*

Edward Thomas Dundas, Esq., to be Captain,  
vice W. C. J. Anstruther, resigned. Dated  
11th December, 1854.

*2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.*

Adam Eddington, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated  
16th December, 1854.

[The following Article is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 5th of December instant.]

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.*

*Royal Wilts Militia.*

Arthur Pearse, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated  
14th November, 1854.

**TREASURY WARRANT.**

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof.

And whereas further powers are given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by an Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the post-office."

And whereas, in consequence of an additional treaty lately entered into between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French, it is expedient to alter the rates of postage on the letters hereinafter mentioned; Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers vested in us in and by the said before-mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided), order and direct that, on every letter not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to France or Algeria, or posted in France or Algeria, addressed to the United Kingdom and transmitted by the post direct, between any place in the United Kingdom and any place in France or Algeria, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such respective letters an uniform total rate of postage of four pence.

And that on every letter not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any foreign country on the continent of Europe (Spain, Portugal, and

France excepted), or to any of the islands in the Grecian Archipelago, or to Alexandria, Beyrout, Smyrna, or the Dardanelles, or posted in any such foreign countries (except as aforesaid), islands, ports, or places addressed to the United Kingdom, and transmitted by the post between any place in the United Kingdom and any such foreign countries (except as aforesaid), islands, ports, or places, via France, otherwise than in closed mails (the sea conveyance in the Mediterranean being by French packet boats), there shall be charged, taken, and paid in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such respective letters, an uniform British rate of postage of two pence.

And that on every letter not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, posted in, or addressed to Algeria, France, or any other foreign countries on the continent of Europe (Spain and Portugal included), or to any of the islands in the Grecian Archipelago, or to Alexandria, Beyrout, Smyrna, or the Dardanelles, and transmitted by the post between Algeria, France, or any such other foreign countries, islands, ports or places, and Her Majesty's colonies of Jamaica, Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland, via France and the United Kingdom (the sea conveyance in the Mediterranean, being by French packet boats), there shall be charged, taken, and paid in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such respective letters, an uniform British rate of one shilling.

And that on every letter not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, posted in or addressed to Algeria, France, or any other foreign countries on the continent of Europe (Spain and Portugal included), or to any of the islands in the Grecian Archipelago, or to Alexandria, Beyrout, Smyrna, or the Dardanelles, and transmitted by the post between France, or any such other foreign countries, islands, ports or places, and any port in Her Majesty's colonies (Jamaica, Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland excepted), via France and the United Kingdom (the sea conveyance in the Mediterranean being by French packet boats), there shall be charged, taken, and paid in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such respective letters, an uniform British rate of ten pence.

And we direct that on every letter transmitted as is mentioned in this Warrant, exceeding a quarter of an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid in lieu of any rates of postage now payable by law on such respective letters, progressive and additional rates of postage as follows (that is to say):

On every letter exceeding a quarter of an ounce in weight, and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, two rates of postage.

On every letter exceeding half an ounce in weight, and not exceeding three quarters of an ounce in weight, three rates of postage.

On every letter exceeding three-quarters of an ounce in weight, and not exceeding one ounce in weight, four rates of postage.

And for every quarter of an ounce in weight, above the weight of one ounce, there shall be charged and taken one additional rate of postage, and every fraction of a quarter of an ounce shall be charged as an additional quarter of an ounce, and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant if not exceeding one-quarter of an ounce in weight.

And we do further order and direct, that as to any letter hereinbefore authorised to be sent by the post under the provisions aforesaid, which shall be posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to France or Algeria, the postage thereof shall in every case be paid either in money or by being duly stamped with the proper British postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed or appear on the outside of every such letter near the address, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage duty payable thereupon under or by virtue of this Warrant; and as to every such letter posted in France or Algeria, addressed to the United Kingdom, it is the intention that the postage thereof shall in every case be paid at the time of the same being posted.

And we do further order and direct, that if the postage of any such letter posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to France or Algeria, shall not be duly and properly paid, either in money or by British stamps, when posted; or, if the postage of any such letter posted in France or Algeria, addressed to the United Kingdom, shall not be duly and properly paid when posted, every such letter shall be charged with a postage of double the amount of postage to which it would have been liable under the provisions aforesaid, if the postage thereof had been paid in money or stamps when posted.

And we do further order and direct that nothing herein contained shall be construed in anywise to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the exemptions and privileges granted by the said recited Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, nor to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the privileges which seamen and soldiers employed in Her Majesty's service, and seamen and soldiers employed in the service of the East India Company, now by law enjoy of sending and receiving by the post letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, subject to the regulations and restrictions in respect of the same, nor to annul, prejudice, or affect the privilege under which printed newspapers, printed prices current, printed commercial lists, printed courses of exchange, periodical publications, and parliamentary proceedings, may now be forwarded by the post between the United Kingdom or Her Majesty's colonies and France or Algeria, or between the United Kingdom and Her Majesty's colonies or foreign countries through France, subject to the regulations and restrictions in respect of the same, nor to repeal, alter, or affect the provisions of a certain Warrant under the hands of two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 17th day of May, 1854, as to certain letters transmitted by the post between the United Kingdom and any port or place in Turkey or the Black Sea.

And we do further order and direct that the term "by the post" whenever used in this Warrant, shall, as to the sea conveyance, include the conveyance by packet-boat, British or French, or by private ship, unless it be inconsistent with the context of the clause or provision in which such term shall be found; and that the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as they would have had if inserted in the said Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

And we do further order and direct that this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January next.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners

for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any two of them, by Warrant, under their hands at any time hereafter to alter any of the regulations hereby made and to make and establish any new or other regulations in lieu thereof.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twenty-seventh day of December, 1854.

*Elcho.*  
*Alfred Hervey.*

#### NOTICE.

*County Courts' Registry, No. 2, New Street, Spring Gardens.*

#### REDUCTION OF FEES.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to order that the following reduced fees should be taken for Searches, &c., namely:

#### *Table of Fees.*

	<i>s. d.</i>
For every search for a judgment or petition for protection made at the Registry	0 6
For forty searches, to be made within two months ( <i>to be paid in advance</i> )	10 0
For every certificate of search, obtained either through the Clerk of the Court or by a letter to the Registrar	2 0
For having the record of any judgment removed from the register ( <i>to be paid to the Clerk of the Court</i> )	1 6

The registry of county courts' judgments was established to afford to traders a ready means of ascertaining the solvency of parties, and to enable executors and administrators to discover what judgment debts they are bound to satisfy.

In the registry can be found the name, address, and occupation of every party against whom a judgment has been recorded since March, 1847, in any of the county courts throughout England and Wales, for £10 and upwards, and which remains unsatisfied at the time the search is made.

#### INSOLVENCY.

Also the name, last address, and occupation of every party who has applied for protection from his creditors to any of the county courts since June, 1854.

*Masters' Office, Southampton-Buildings, Monday the 11th day of December, 1854.*

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the London and Birmingham Extension and Northampton, Daventry, Leamington, and Warwick Railway Company.

I JOHN ELIJAH BLUNT, Esq., the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of this Company, do peremptorily order that a call of one pound per share (being fifteen shillings and eight pence per share for debts, and four shillings and four pence per share for costs) be made on the contributories of this Company included in class one, as settled by me; and I do peremptorily order each of the said contributories, on the 11th day of January, 1855, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Henry Croysdill, the Official Manager of this Company, situate No. 84, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to pay to the said Official Manager of this Company the balance, if any, which will be due from him after debiting his account in the Company's books with such call.

*J. E. Blunt.*

**THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,**

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 26th day of December, 1854,

Is *Twenty Shillings and Four Pence Farthing* per Hundred Weight;

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

**THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,**

The Produce of the MAURITIUS, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is *Sixteen Shillings and One Penny Three Farthings* per Hundred Weight;

**THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,**

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is *Twenty-one Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing* per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the three foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is *Nineteen Shillings and Ten Pence Halfpenny* per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,  
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, December 29, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the Act of Parliament 7 William 4, and 1st Victoria, c. 73, intituled "An Act for better

enabling Her Majesty to confer certain powers and immunities on Trading and other Companies," an application has been made to Her Majesty to grant a Charter of Incorporation to the Peel River Land and Mineral Company, formed for the purpose of purchasing and holding lands in New South Wales, and of cultivating, letting, and selling the same, and of working gold and other mines, and of conducting mineral operations, and of smelting and disposing of gold dust, ore, and minerals and the produce thereof, and of granting licences and privileges for working gold and other mines and minerals, and that such application has been referred by Her Majesty to the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1854.

J. C. and H. Freshfield, Solicitors for the Peel River Land and Mineral Company.

Vice-Chancellor Wood.

Wednesday, the 20th day of December, in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1854; in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and in the Matter of the Pantagraphic Cutting, Carving, and Engraving Company.

THIS Court doth order that the said Pantagraphic Cutting, Carving, and Engraving Company, be absolutely dissolved from this day, and be wound up by the Judge to whose Court the second-mentioned matter is attached, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849.

F. Metcalfe, Registrar.

**BANK OF ENGLAND.**

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 23rd day of December, 1854.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£.		£.
Notes issued	27,478,185	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	2,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	13,478,185
		Silver Bullion	
	<u>£27,478,185</u>		<u>£27,478,185</u>

Dated the 28th day of December, 1854.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£.		£.
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities (including	
Rest	3,140,652	Dead Weight Annuity)	11,609,583
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Other Securities	14,581,403
chequer, Savings' Banks, Com-		Notes	8,352,740
missioners of National Debt, and		Gold and Silver Coin	658,919
Dividend Accounts)	6,560,414		
Other Deposits	10,009,957		
Seven Day and other Bills	938,622		
	<u>£35,202,645</u>		<u>£35,202,645</u>

Dated the 28th day of December, 1854.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

WEEKLY RETURNS of the Quantities and Price of BRITISH CORN, IMPERIAL MEASURE, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the following Cities and Towns in ENGLAND and WALES, from which the Prices that govern Duty are calculated, conformably to the Act of the 5th Victoria, cap. 14.

MARKETS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.		
	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.
	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.
London .....	4132	0	16129 11 0	5468	0	9977 14 9	8238	0	11356 2 0	24	0	58 13 0	239	0	587 13 3	285	0	652 1 8
Uxbridge .....	948	4	3767 0 10	239	0	428 8 0	63	4	92 1 6	—	—	—	15	4	38 15 0	6	0	12 12 0
Chelmsford .....	3027	3	11101 0 1	2447	5	4071 4 10	180	4	260 18 3	—	—	—	344	5	775 13 6	369	2	820 6 6
Colchester .....	1392	4	5107 13 8	3772	7	6189 3 3	123	4	173 7 3	—	—	—	20	0	43 18 0	56	4	120 9 6
Roufard .....	838	0	2988 1 3	531	0	914 12 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	0	54 11 0	—	—	—
Chipping Ongar .....	10	0	31 0 0	10	0	18 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saffron Walden .....	582	6	1931 10 2	1388	6	2192 6 4	22	0	30 18 0	—	—	—	7	0	17 17 0	26	0	62 6 0
Braintree .....	1025	4	3559 4 0	1386	0	2107 10 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	0	119 11 0	11	5	25 11 6
Hertford .....	271	7	927 15 6	1393	0	2434 17 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royston .....	480	5	1669 16 0	1327	0	2144 10 0	90	0	127 0 0	12	4	28 0 0	48	6	111 13 0	4	3	9 2 0
Bishop Stortford.....	630	5	2059 1 10	3137	6	5235 0 6	69	4	99 9 0	—	—	—	26	0	60 14 0	18	4	49 9 6
St. Albans .....	100	0	343 14 6	222	5	371 2 3	13	4	18 18 0	—	—	—	4	4	10 8 10	1	3	3 6 0
Hemel Hempstead .....	87	4	315 10 0	11	4	18 19 6	12	0	16 18 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hitchin .....	311	1	1064 6 11	742	0	1213 16 6	10	0	14 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aylesbury .....	146	0	528 12 0	96	4	161 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	174	4	384 10 6	—	—	—
Buckingham .....	232	4	992 17 6	12	0	20 2 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	0	4 2 0	—	—	—
High Wycombe .....	335	0	1203 14 6	309	4	512 19 9	16	0	22 7 6	—	—	—	10	0	23 10 0	—	—	—
Newport Pagnel .....	101	6	299 3 0	42	0	68 11 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oxford .....	242	0	828 17 0	483	0	780 17 0	96	0	124 0 0	—	—	—	78	0	172 5 0	10	0	28 0 0
Banbury .....	60	0	202 6 0	116	0	188 18 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Henley.....	71	0	261 11 0	277	6	508 6 6	65	0	104 15 0	—	—	—	7	0	16 16 0	9	4	27 1 6
Witney .....	12	4	41 5 0	94	0	147 19 0	39	4	53 3 0	—	—	—	13	4	28 7 9	3	4	9 16 0
Chipping Norton.....	70	0	235 13 4	88	0	139 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Warminster.....	664	0	2360 14 0	1147	2	2201 16 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	4 10 0	12	0	29 8 0
Swindon .....	1070	4	3829 18 0	712	4	1239 11 9	65	0	83 5 0	—	—	—	66	0	138 7 0	82	4	181 10 0
Devizes .....	637	0	2312 6 6	346	0	639 15 0	25	0	35 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Salisbury .....	1101	4	3795 17 0	931	0	1677 7 6	30	0	40 10 0	—	—	—	10	0	26 0 0	—	—	—
Troubridge .....	None		Sold.	—		—	—		—	—		—	—		—	—	—	—
Chipperham .....	110	0	400 5 0	88	4	167 3 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Windsor .....	64	0	253 17 6	200	4	361 9 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Reading .....	456	2	1745 7 6	1154	2	1994 11 3	40	0	55 18 6	—	—	—	27	0	64 8 0	11	0	25 1 0
Abingdon .....	143	0	524 9 0	585	0	1002 4 6	33	4	48 0 0	—	—	—	132	4	304 0 0	—	—	—
Maidenhead .....	32	0	118 8 0	128	4	233 3 9	65	0	88 17 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



Received in the Week ending December 23, 1854.		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.					
No. 21645.	MARKETS.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.			
		Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	
	Newbury .....	689	4	2530	10	6	521	0	913	0	6	140	0	196	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Wallingford .....	491	4	1853	18	0	615	0	1078	9	6	5	0	8	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Guildford .....	452	0	1710	0	0	20	0	35	0	0	15	0	22	5	0	—	—	—	5	0	
	Croydon .....	109	0	387	1	0	19	4	32	3	6	53	0	74	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Kingston .....	174	4	667	4	9	174	0	306	8	9	55	0	85	10	0	—	—	—	5	0	
	Dorking .....	85	3	318	3	3	89	4	160	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	
	Maidstone .....	341	0	1233	17	6	77	0	122	0	9	15	0	21	0	0	—	—	—	—	34	15
	Canterbury .....	950	0	3561	18	6	1347	0	2247	17	6	129	0	185	14	6	—	—	—	105	0	
	Dartford .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Chatham & Rochester...	61	0	226	10	6	105	4	171	18	0	73	4	103	12	0	—	—	—	23	0	
	Dover .....	152	4	549	15	3	247	0	407	14	6	10	0	13	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Gravesend .....	120	7	451	7	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Ashford .....	17	0	59	8	0	179	0	292	0	0	102	0	136	0	0	—	—	—	41	0	
	Chichester .....	141	4	530	17	3	191	4	339	11	6	125	0	169	15	0	—	—	—	5	0	
	Lewes .....	234	0	854	18	0	169	0	291	0	0	65	0	83	5	0	—	—	—	31	0	
	Rye .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Brighton .....	—	—	—	—	—	75	0	134	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	East Grinstead .....	89	4	321	6	0	4	0	6	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Battle .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Arundel .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Hastings .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Midhurst .....	—	—	—	12	0	—	—	21	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Shoreham .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Winchester .....	168	0	606	16	0	443	4	741	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Andover .....	310	0	1176	16	0	166	0	274	1	0	60	0	80	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Basingstoke .....	566	0	2023	9	0	376	0	603	2	6	67	0	90	15	0	—	—	—	79	4	
	Fareham .....	None		Sold.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Havant .....	—	—	—	17	0	—	—	30	16	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Newport .....	348	0	1336	18	6	405	0	706	19	3	20	0	26	0	0	—	—	—	5	4	
	Ringwood .....	97	0	339	3	6	127	0	221	16	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Southampton .....	220	0	791	1	8	111	0	210	18	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Portsmouth .....	—	—	—	137	0	—	—	256	1	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Christchurch .....	—	—	—	30	0	—	—	52	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Blandford .....	613	0	2184	13	0	420	0	746	18	0	52	0	74	16	0	—	—	—	5	0	
	Bridport .....	160	0	576	0	0	308	0	557	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Dorchester .....	562	0	2034	1	6	584	4	1022	13	6	40	0	57	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	
	Sherborne .....	—	—	—	81	0	—	—	150	17	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Shaftesbury .....	175	0	628	1	0	21	0	55	6	0	42	0	59	6	0	—	—	—	20	0	

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	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.
Wareham.....	258	4	907 10 6	127	4	218 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poole .....	—	—	—	130	0	234 2 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Exeter .....	35	7	134 18 0	106	2	190 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barnstaple .....	116	1	408 15 10	35	7	66 3 7	16	2	18 2 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plymouth.....	—	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totness .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tavistock.....	66	0	231 18 3	31	0	54 4 9	37	0	43 19 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kingsbridge.....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oakhampton .....	69	0	243 12 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tiverton .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Honiton .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truro .....	24	3	89 10 0	15	0	24 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bodmin .....	83	3	303 14 6	78	4	128 5 10	26	4	34 1 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Launceston .....	97	4	346 0 0	77	4	131 15 0	38	2	44 2 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redruth .....	7	4	26 10 0	28	1	47 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Helstone .....	82	4	297 0 0	23	5	40 2 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Austell .....	17	4	63 13 6	79	1	127 3 9	485	0	630 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Falmouth.....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Callington .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liskeard .....	5	0	18 5 0	10	0	16 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Columb .....	11	2	44 10 0	3	6	6 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bristol .....	1012	2	3593 5 2	1407	4	2469 2 0	331	0	462 10 6	—	—	22	3	54 3 10	—	—	—	—
Taunton .....	412	4	1600 18 9	243	6	441 10 0	26	4	35 6 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wells .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridgewater.....	149	6	566 11 1	117	4	216 7 11	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	10 16 0	—	—	—	
Frome .....	9	0	31 1 0	5	0	8 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chard .....	158	6	564 19 5	194	0	349 17 0	73	6	100 16 3	—	—	20	2	50 8 9	20	0	58 0 0	
Somerton.....	383	0	1437 17 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shepton Mallett .....	—	—	—	25	0	46 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellington .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wiveliscomb .....	—	—	—	462	0	852 17 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monmouth .....	50	0	183 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abergavenny .....	25	0	96 5 0	150	2	268 10 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chepstow.....	317	3	1139 3 0	11	2	20 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pontipool.....	55	4	203 19 3	36	0	67 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Newport .....	—	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gloucester .....	790	1	2913 4 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	4	33 6 8	12	4	30 0 0	
Cirencester .....	601	0	2139 6 0	1145	0	2007 9 0	—	—	—	—	—	130	0	316 12 6	21	0	46 18 0	

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Tetbury .....	121	0	422	18 0	167	4	297	17 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stow-on-the-Wold .....	45	0	158	15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tewkesbury .....	397	4	1396	6 4	65	0	112	12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cheltenham .....	—	—	—	—	24	0	43	4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dursley .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Northleach .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stroud .....	37	0	131	12 0	35	3	61	19 4	10	0	14	5 0	—	—	—	—	5	0	12	0 0	—	—	—	
Hereford .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Leominster .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kington .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Worcester .....	138	1	481	9 4	141	3	275	13 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bromsgrove .....	196	1	687	10 1	74	2	140	3 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	7	75	16 4	—	—	—	
Kidderminster .....	115	1	400	8 10	57	1	107	0 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stourbridge .....	30	3	108	12 0	59	0	113	14 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Evesham .....	—	—	—	—	35	0	65	10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	0	27	0 0	—	—	—	
Shrewsbury .....	748	2	2585	1 9	244	5	448	12 4	22	6	32	16 0	—	—	—	—	6	1	15	5 6	6	2	13 16 0	
Eudlow .....	85	3	301	12 1	47	4	81	1 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Newport .....	—	—	—	—	34	4	62	8 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Oswestry .....	297	4	1051	13 3	113	0	202	7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wellington .....	91	6	312	4 0	177	2	330	2 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wenlock .....	88	2	296	12 6	58	0	98	18 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Whitechurch .....	—	—	—	—	182	0	338	12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Market Drayton .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stafford .....	33	6	118	12 10	146	2	271	9 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Burton-on-Trent .....	160	0	564	3 0	821	0	1513	11 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Eichfield .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Newcastle-under-Lyne .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stone .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Uttoxeter .....	66	2	227	6 0	145	0	258	5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Walsall .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wolverhampton .....	335	2	988	10 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chester .....	151	1	550	0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Nantwich .....	134	4	442	17 10	23	6	45	17 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Middlewich .....	76	7	270	13 3	—	—	—	—	64	0	89	1 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Four-L-ne-ends .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Congleton .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Macclesfield .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Stockport .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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Derby .....	268	0	978 10 0	296	0	531 16 0	93	0	149 12 0	—	—	—	54	0	136 4 0	25	0	59 7 0
Chesterfield .....	41	2	156 17 0	1	0	1 15 0	2	4	3 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coventry .....	401	6	1410 0 2	85	0	153 11 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	61	7	159 7 6	7	4	18 0 0
Birmingham .....	1440	1	5199 0 3	60	0	109 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	1	53 13 4	—	—	—
Warwick .....	480	3	1726 5 0	297	0	542 15 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	33 0 0	—	—	—
Stratford-on-Avon .....	221	2	784 15 0	264	0	470 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	206	0	522 12 0	20	0	51 0 0
Leicester .....	1505	0	5430 7 6	958	4	1649 5 3	235	0	367 18 0	—	—	—	20	0	46 0 0	5	0	11 5 0
Loughborough .....	111	0	398 2 0	42	0	76 12 0	20	0	30 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hinckley .....	182	0	649 5 4	166	0	287 18 0	57	0	94 1 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lutterworth .....	—	—	—	108	0	186 5 6	23	0	34 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Northampton .....	1857	0	6732 0 3	2381	0	4075 13 6	220	0	328 1 6	—	—	—	510	0	1176 9 0	110	0	259 13 0
Peterborough .....	2433	0	8455 2 6	179	0	319 2 0	841	0	1085 1 6	—	—	—	191	0	444 8 6	41	0	92 8 9
Daventry .....	69	4	236 7 0	31	4	51 18 0	13	0	19 10 0	—	—	—	66	6	158 8 0	—	—	—
Wellingborough .....	37	0	133 11 0	87	0	145 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	13 13 0	10	0	20 15 0
Kettering .....	51	0	180 19 0	171	0	292 8 6	26	0	40 18 0	—	—	—	10	0	23 10 0	—	—	—
Oakham .....	—	—	—	12	0	19 16 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bedford .....	492	6	1678 0 10	314	4	522 19 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	16 10 0	—	—	—
Leighton Buzzard .....	51	2	174 8 0	121	1	203 9 11	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	22 16 0	5	0	12 0 0
Luton .....	70	0	239 18 0	18	0	27 12 0	32	0	42 17 0	—	—	—	2	4	4 16 0	—	—	—
Huntingdon .....	548	1	1891 13 0	301	6	487 2 9	262	4	360 12 6	—	—	—	177	0	414 19 6	—	—	—
St. Ives .....	1541	1	5148 15 1	240	0	389 3 3	391	0	489 10 0	—	—	—	90	0	236 8 0	11	1	24 5 10
Cambridge .....	2098	5	7152 5 10	2218	6	3483 10 2	465	6	561 12 6	34	0	74 6 0	101	6	240 10 6	18	0	42 0 0
Ely .....	1097	1	3453 12 4	105	2	161 11 3	168	0	209 6 2	—	—	—	44	6	107 7 6	15	0	30 15 0
Wisbeach .....	4768	0	16674 3 6	159	0	273 19 6	650	0	823 14 4	—	—	—	87	6	208 16 6	45	0	93 15 0
Newmarket .....	390	6	1429 14 6	772	3	1088 18 7	10	0	14 5 0	—	—	—	12	7	32 0 0	—	—	—
Inswich .....	950	0	3412 11 8	2626	2	4358 13 1	39	4	60 1 6	—	—	—	35	0	86 17 0	82	4	189 6 0
Woodbridge .....	863	4	3017 17 3	2058	2	3420 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	0	66 2 0	75	0	177 0 0
Sudbury .....	922	0	3199 8 7	1461	2	2305 10 9	13	0	18 17 0	—	—	—	23	0	52 17 0	6	0	17 8 0
Hadleigh .....	748	7	2743 3 6	1084	5	1706 7 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	4	26 15 6	2	4	5 10 0
Stowmarket .....	455	0	1492 11 9	1173	0	1913 1 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	0	61 0 0	21	4	48 5 6
Bury St. Edmunds .....	1743	7	5902 4 0	3631	4	5760 10 9	275	4	400 9 0	164	4	391 11 9	50	0	118 18 0	111	4	240 2 6
Beccies .....	222	0	797 10 6	784	0	1292 6 6	9	0	13 3 0	—	—	—	42	0	103 0 0	13	0	31 15 0
Bungay .....	569	0	1994 19 6	1460	0	2364 5 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	122	0	297 12 6	2	0	4 16 0
Lowestoft .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norwich .....	3663	7	13211 12 0	9792	4	15814 14 0	47	4	70 17 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yarmouth .....	538	5	1975 5 3	2511	4	4146 13 5	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	4	94 14 6	—	—	—
Lynn .....	1959	1	7077 8 0	4958	0	7960 14 4	92	4	126 15 3	—	—	—	20	0	46 0 0	80	0	179 0 0
Thetford .....	None	—	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.						
Watton .....	173	0	608	7	6	242	4	379	2	6	15	0	19	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Diss .....	239	4	814	8	3	907	4	1437	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
East Dereham .....	613	0	2169	4	3	1336	0	2011	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Harleston .....	354	2	1183	1	0	1085	4	1752	7	7	22	4	36	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Holt .....	117	0	423	15	0	714	7	1105	0	2	27	0	38	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Aylesham .....	139	1	499	10	10	390	3	609	13	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Fakenham .....	650	1	2336	15	9	2564	5	4040	10	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	4	21	15	0	19	4	55	12	6		
Northwalsham .....	20	0	69	0	0	405	2	632	0	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Swaffham .....	35	0	122	10	0	47	6	80	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Lincoln .....	4584	4	17590	0	9	3261	0	5711	3	6	229	0	323	3	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	53	0	138	3	0	20	0	54	0	0		
Gainsborough .....	740	4	2731	11	6	473	4	823	15	9	24	0	36	10	0	7	0	16	2	0	—	—	—	—	20	0	52	15	0	—	—	—	—			
Glanfordbridge .....	1670	0	6200	18	3	919	0	1579	1	0	6	0	7	16	0	6	4	13	13	0	—	—	—	—	36	0	91	12	0	50	0	125	0	0		
Louth .....	1122	0	4051	19	3	511	4	854	16	9	153	0	218	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	0	20	8	0	42	0	100	7	0		
Boston .....	4987	4	18720	16	0	455	0	775	13	0	644	4	883	9	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	540	0	1319	2	0	513	4	1228	10	0		
Steafor .....	1082	0	4016	19	0	315	0	559	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Stamford .....	1272	0	4517	10	0	1727	0	2990	16	3	60	0	94	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Spalding .....	2620	0	9614	18	6	—	—	—	—	—	435	0	590	3	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Barton-on-Humber .....	—	—	—	—	—	82	0	140	18	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Bourne .....	305	0	1071	17	0	90	0	147	15	0	177	0	248	12	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Grantham .....	867	4	3167	0	3	1318	0	2292	11	0	68	0	104	13	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Grimsby .....	600	0	2270	0	0	240	0	412	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Hornecastle .....	301	0	1115	10	0	1257	0	2193	5	6	10	0	14	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Market Raisin .....	612	0	2256	18	6	90	0	163	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Caister .....	46	0	170	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Alford .....	315	0	1138	12	0	96	0	161	0	0	20	0	29	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Holbeck .....	22	0	83	12	0	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	29	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Long Sutton .....	100	3	352	18	6	60	0	105	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Nottingham .....	1232	0	4631	3	0	793	4	1434	1	0	131	0	210	15	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Newark .....	1673	4	6126	16	10	2063	4	3654	12	6	47	0	66	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Mansfield .....	158	7	605	17	0	173	0	318	6	9	43	0	65	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Retford .....	316	0	1233	19	9	10	0	16	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
York .....	659	5	2427	2	6	861	4	1500	3	0	298	4	427	19	3	10	0	21	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Leeds .....	2049	3	7367	6	4	850	0	1590	5	6	155	0	234	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Wakefield .....	8177	7	30132	3	3	1519	0	2862	9	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Bridlington .....	1180	0	3873	3	0	458	0	756	6	0	140	0	181	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Beverley .....	617	3	2269	2	2	421	6	743	4	7	100	0	134	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Hewden .....	529	0	1968	17	0	166	0	290	3	6	140	0	176	19	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Sheffield .....	112	0	443	16	0	—	—	—	—	—	8	0	12	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		

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Received in the Week ended  
December 23, 1854.

MARKETS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.		
	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.	Quantities.		Price.
	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£. s. d.
Hull .....	818	4	2936 3 6	243	0	426 8 6	20	0	27 0 0	—	—	—	10	0	26 10 0	—	—	—
Whitby .....	148	2	472 14 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Malton.....	696	1	2364 3 1	712	1	1170 6 9	302	0	413 3 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barnsley .....	76	1	293 4 0	36	0	66 13 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bedale .....	36	0	131 8 0	7	4	12 0 0	3	4	4 11 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bradford .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Doncaster.....	882	1	3299 3 8	371	0	668 0 3	75	0	110 9 0	9	6	20 2 0	13	4	35 3 6	2	2	5 2 0
Knaresborough .....	121	4	449 3 0	25	0	46 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pickering .....	23	2	80 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Richmond .....	194	6	741 16 6	10	6	19 8 0	44	4	66 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ripon .....	158	1	596 17 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	0	6 0 0	1	4	3 10 0	—	—	—
Selby .....	32	5	128 17 3	24	0	40 13 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Skipton .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thirsk .....	87	3	340 4 10	5	4	9 18 0	28	0	42 3 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rotherham .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Otley .....	4	0	15 4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thorne.....	212	2	779 12 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liverpool.....	601	2	2203 8 3	37	5	64 11 0	Incor	rect.	—	—	—	—	11	2	27 0 0	—	—	—
Elverstone .....	33	6	149 15 0	120	0	208 0 0	27	6	50 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lancaster.....	104	5	391 15 11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	6	12 2 5	—	—	—
Preston .....	365	4	1383 7 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	3	94 6 3	—	—	—
Wigan .....	33	6	120 8 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Warrington .....	302	0	1057 0 0	88	0	156 4 0	111	0	151 4 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manchester .....	807	2	2906 2 0	449	4	715 9 1	89	2	130 10 6	—	—	—	272	6	647 15 7	21	4	69 4 11
Bolton .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Blackburn .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bury .....	No		Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rochdale .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Appleby .....	33	0	115 10 0	12	2	21 8 9	103	0	146 15 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kendal .....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carlisle .....	252	7	954 7 5	60	3	106 17 1	80	2	118 16 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whitehaven.....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cockermouth .....	35	5	149 10 4	17	0	35 13 0	35	1	52 5 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Penrith .....	76	4	285 15 9	57	0	104 17 0	82	4	113 18 9	10	4	27 10 6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Egremont.....	26	0	104 19 6	10	4	20 14 9	21	2	32 18 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wigton .....	71	2	275 12 6	14	2	26 18 9	31	7	43 13 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maryport.....	None		Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Workington .....	No		Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Received in the Week ended December 23, 1854.		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.									
MARKETS.		Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.							
		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.
Belford	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Hexham	.....	43	1	156	17	4	16	2	26	1	4	—					—					—				
Newcastle	.....	1704	4	6213	9	6	715	0	1282	9	1	163	2	230	17	6	—					29	0	57	11	0
Morpeth	.....	310	0	1104	14	3	99	0	171	17	0	57	0	77	15	0	—					8	0	18	0	0
Alnwick	..	217	0	775	18	7	208	2	338	7	0	105	6	148	11	6	—					Incor				
Berwick	.....	572	3	2053	13	1	955	3	1539	16	6	187	4	255	7	0	65	2	141	6	0	Incor				
Durham	.....	101	2	353	18	1	30	0	55	10	0	—					—					—				
Stockton	.....	354	4	1329	17	7	5	6	10	13	6	2	5	3	8	3	—					17	1	41	2	1
Darlington	.....	122	2	460	5	7	13	2	24	12	6	—					—					—				
Sunderland	.....	745	2	2759	10	3	875	2	1714	18	10	—					—					—				
Barnard Castle	.....	112	4	445	11	3	27	0	48	8	0	16	0	22	16	8	—					—				
Wolsingham	.....	52	2	199	8	5	132	6	247	16	0	25	0	42	10	0	—					—				
Mold	.....	29	4	112	10	0	—					—					—					—				
Denbigh	.....	51	3	168	10	0	72	5	126	0	0	—					—					—				
Wrexham	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Carnarvon	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Bangor	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Llangefni	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Corwen	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Welshpool	..	No		Return.			—					—					—					—				
Newtown	.....	No		Return.			—					—					—					—				
Haverfordwest	.....	3	2	9	1	6	34	1	60	0	4	390	4	468	11	2	—					—				
Carmarthen	.....	93	4	310	17	1	102	6	195	11	1	791	7	976	11	5	—					—				
Llandillo	.....	—		—			17	1	35	16	9	—					—					—				
Swansea	.....	12	3	46	15	6	31	7	57	5	9	—					—					—				
Cowbridge	.....	—		—			31	7	63	15	0	—					—					—				
Cardiff	.....	—		—			111	2	209	10	8	—					—					—				
Brecon	.....	None		Sold.			—					—					—					—				
Knighton	.....	No		Return.			—					—					—					—				
Grand Total	.....	118798	6	—			115744	4	—			21251	2	—			347	0	—			5727	2	—		
General Weekly Average	.....	—		s. d.			—		s. d.			—		s. d.			—		s. d.			—		s. d.		
				72	4	108			33	8	965			27	4	641			46	0	077			47	10	119
Aggregate Average of Six Weeks				73	1				34	11				28	6				45	1				49	3	

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**AN ACCOUNT** of the Total Quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth), with the Quantities entered therein for Home Consumption, and the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, in the Week ended 20th December, 1854.

SPECIES	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported).						Quantities Entered for Home Consumption, at the same Ports.						Amount of Duty received thereon.						Rates of Duty (Foreign and Colonial).					
	Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Foreign.		Colonial.		Total.		Corn and Grain of all sorts, per qr.		Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.			
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	
Wheat & Wheat Flour .....	20864	6	365	0	21229	6	—	—	—	—	—	1131	3	2	23	19	6	1155	2	8				
Barley & Barley Meal .....	1234	0	—	—	1234	0	—	—	—	—	—	61	14	0	—	—	—	61	14	0				
Oats and Oat Meal .....	6552	7	6	0	6558	7	—	—	—	—	—	327	11	11	0	3	7	327	15	6				
Rye and Rye Meal .....	3	5	—	—	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	0	5	2	—	—	—	0	5	2				
Pease and Pea Meal .....	1684	6	—	—	1684	6	—	—	See Note.	—	—	84	5	1	—	—	—	84	5	1	1	0	0	4½
Beans and Bean Meal .....	5752	3	—	—	5752	3	—	—	—	—	—	287	12	8	—	—	—	287	12	8				
Indian Corn & Indian Meal .....	23549	7	0	1	23550	0	—	—	—	—	—	1177	10	6	0	0	2	1177	10	8				
Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal	0	5	—	—	0	5	—	—	—	—	—	0	0	9	—	—	—	0	0	9				
Beer or Bigg .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
	59642	7	371	1	60014	0	—	—	—	—	—	3070	3	3	24	3	3	3094	6	6				

NOTE.—The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported, shown in the preceding statement.

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-house, London, 27th December, 1854.

JOHN A. MESSENGER,  
Inspector-General of Imports and Exports.

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## Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
2683. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Donald and William Heginbotham, Powerloom Managers for John Ferguson and Co., both of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, praying for letters patent for the invention of "certain improvements in looms," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of December, 1854, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

## Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

1875. To Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in obtaining motive power."—A communication.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of August, 1854.

2236. To Samuel Mason, Shoe Manufacturer, and William Beeby, Clicker, both of Northampton, in the county of Northampton, for the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of coverings for the human leg and foot."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of October, 1854.

2615. To Jos Mayer, of Dale Hall Pottery, Longport, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer, and John David Kind, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement, or improvements, in door knobs or handles, made of china, earthenware, glass, or other vitreous or semi-vitreous substance, and in attaching the said knobs or handles to their spindles."

2616. To Charles Frederick Stansbury, of the firm of Nourse and Co., of 17 and 18, Cornhill, London, Patent Agents, for the invention of "a machine for cutting keys."—A communication.

2618. To Auguste Edouard Loradoux Belford, of 16, Castle-street, Holborn (City), London, and now of 29, Boulevard St. Martin, Paris, in the Empire of France, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—A communication.

2619. To Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, and 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved inkstand."—A communication.

2620. To Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, and 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in photography."—A communication.

2621. To John Louis Jullion, of Combe House, Tovil, in the county of Kent, Analytical Chemist, for the invention of "separating certain vegetable fibres from mixed fabrics for various useful purposes."

2622. To Charles William Grant, of Bath, in the county of Somerset, a Lieutenant-Colonel on the Retired List of the Indian Army, for the invention of "certain apparatus for the production of draught, and prevention of smoke in domestic stoves and fire-places"

2623. To Hiram Berdan, of the city, county, and State of New York, for the invention of "compressible life boat."

2624. To Samuel Fisher, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in ordnance and in machinery and apparatus to be employed in manufacturing the same."

2625. To Christopher James Taylor, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Agent, for the invention of "improvements in protecting underground telegraph wires."

2626. To Thomas Finnemore Evans, of Philpott-lane, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of candles."—A communication.

2627. To Thomas Haimes, of Melbourne, near Derby, for the invention of "improvements in warp machinery."

2628. To William Creech Taylor, of No. 20, Catherine-grove, Greenwich, for the invention of "improvements in constructing the bearing parts of shafts and axles."

2629. And to John Court, junior, of Sheerness, in the county of Kent, Builder, for the invention of "improvements in rockets."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of December, 1854.

2630. To James Redgate, of Sneinton, in the county of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, James Thornton, of the town of Nottingham, Mechanic, and Edwin Ellis, of Sneinton, in the said county of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for the manufacture of lace and other fabrics."

2631. To Richard Ruston, of Lansdown Villa, Northumberland-street, Vauxhall-road, Birmingham, for the invention of "improvements in anchors."

2632. To Llewellyn William Evans and James McBryde, of Saint Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemists, for the invention of "certain improvements in the burning of sulphuret ores for making sulphuric acid and for smelting."

2633. To William Frederick Padwick, of Hayling Island, in the county of Hants, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improvement in projectiles."

2635. To William Charles Scott, of Warner-road, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in paddle wheels."

2636. To Peter Edwin Henderson, of 4, Trafalgar-square, Charing Cross (Office for Patents), in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in ventilating ships."

2637. To Louis Cornides, of No. 4, Trafalgar-square (Office for Patents), Charing Cross, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "certain improved apparatus for coating or covering surfaces of glass or other material with collodion."

2638. And to James Rose, of Ashford Station, South Eastern Railway, Kent, for the invention of "an improvement in constructing the fire-boxes of steam boilers."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of December, 1854.

2639. To John Rowley, of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for embossing natural and artificial leather, and woollen, cotton, paper, silk, and other woven or felted fibrous materials, the said improvements being more particularly adapted to those

- machines in which heat is employed for effecting such said embossing."
2640. To William Clark, of Upper-terrace, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in anchors."
2641. To Uriah Scott, of Duke-street, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved method of constructing hollow and solid metallic bodies."
2642. To Arthur Lyon, of Windmill-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Sausage Machine Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machines for reducing or mincing meat and other solid edible substances."
2643. To Luke Turner, of the firm of Hodges and Turner, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Manufacturers, for the invention of "an improvement in weaving elastic fabrics."
2644. To Francis Archer, of Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, and William Papineau, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in distilling peaty, schistose, bituminous, and vegetable matters."
2645. To Robert Adams, of King William-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in fire-arms called revolvers."
2646. And to Edward Strong, of Carstairs, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in removing and replacing the wheels and axles of locomotive engines and other rolling stock of railways."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of December, 1854.
2648. To Peter Joel Livsey and William Weild, both of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in cartridges and projectiles, and in the construction, mounting, and working of ordnance."
2650. To John Hickman, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, and Isaac Smith, of Birmingham aforesaid, Machinist, for the invention of "a new or improved stop cock."
2652. To Matthew Curling Friend, of No. 44, Ashburnham-grove, Greenwich, Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, and William Browning, of 111, Minories, in the county of Middlesex, Philosophical Instrument Maker, for the invention of "an apparatus for determining the magnetic aberrations occasioned by local attraction."
2654. To William Eassie, of the city of Gloucester, Railway Contractor, for the invention of "improvements in means of stopping or retarding vehicles used on railways."
2658. And to Leopold Wimmer, of Vienna, in the Empire of Austria, Baker, for the invention of "improvements in baking."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of December, 1854.
2660. To Charles Frederick Stansbury, of the firm of Nourse and Co., of Nos. 17 and 18, Cornhill, London, American and General Patent Agents, for the invention of "an improved life car or buoy."—A communication from F. Z. Tucker, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York and United States of America.
2662. To William Hartley, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in safety valves for steam boilers and in steam engines."

2664. To Edwin Whele, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in oil and other lamps."
2666. To Louis Henri Frederic Melsens, of Brussels, Belgium, Professor of Chemistry and Natural Philosophy, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, for the invention of "improved processes of saponification."
2668. And to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the extracting tannic acid from leather, and in preparing the leather for the manufacture of glue."—A communication from Obadiah Rich, of Cambridge, Massachusetts, in the United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of December, 1854.

Errata in Gazette of Tuesday.

2494. For "Walter Blunder," read "Walter Blundell."
2580. For "Frederick Jolly," read "Frederic Jolly."

MASTER'S OFFICE.

Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope.

Master's Office (late Orphan Chamber),  
4th October, 1854.

Unknown and Foreign Heirs.

AN Account of all estates or property belonging to persons unknown, or not residing within the colony of the Cape of Good Hope, and not having any known legal representative therein; and of the names and designations, so far as known, of the persons who are supposed to be interested therein; published in conformity with the 37th section of the Ordinance, No. 105, of his Excellency the Governor in Council, promulgated on the 14th day of February 1834, entitled "An Ordinance for providing for the due administration and management of the estates and property of minors, lunatics, and persons absent from the colony, and for the proper care of the persons of minors and lunatics."

All persons interested in any of the said estates or property are hereby required, under the provisions of the Ordinance aforesaid, to transmit their claims to the Master of the Supreme Court.

All such claims must be supported by the requisite proof of kindred, and an agent in Cape Town, legally appointed and authorised by the claimant, to prefer the same, and receive the payment thereof.

	£	s.	d.
Benjamin Ricardo...	37	5	3½
Lieut.-Colonel William Back Spry	20	0	9
John Tate ... ..	9	18	4
Absolon ... ..	7	7	6
Children of Samuel and William Elligood ... ..	88	1	4
David Fidler ... ..	10	16	3
Johan Fredrik Getze ... ..	1325	11	9¾
Lendor, of the Cape, formerly slave of the widow W. C. Coenradie...	10	1	2¼
Willem Albrecht ... ..	9	1	1
Gerrit Hendrik Willem de Labat...	147	7	2¾
François de Necker ... ..	5	0	0
Windvogel Uithaalter ... ..	21	1	8
Kieviet ... ..	12	8	0
Dina Elizabeth Huysheer ... ..	38	11	0
Johanna Elizabeth Kotze ... ..	50	10	0
George Gough ... ..	70	9	3¼
Fredrik Wyzel ... ..	6	13	5¼

	£	s.	d.
Maria Elizabeth Oberholster, widow of Gerrit Jacobus Koekemoer ...	77	15	3
Isaac Johannes Meyer, Isaac Son...	17	6	9½
August ... ..	16	18	10
Heirs of Zimmerling, a gold watch and trinkets			
William Conn ... ..	12	8	11
Six unknown children of Elizabeth Pelser, deceased, married to Gerrit Johannes Kruger ...	10	17	6
Four unknown children of Hilletje Pelser, deceased, married to Stephanus Jacobus Kruger ...	10	17	9
William Jones ... ..	6	12	3
Hugh Millan ... ..	114	7	7
William Mott ... ..	11	12	0
Archibald Clarke ... ..	13	5	8
Louis Egbertus Greeff ... ..	5	4	4
James McGurn ..... ..	11	15	9
Saphier ... ..	32	17	1
Abraham Thwaites... ..	14	4	0
Daniel Malan, sr. ... ..	13	15	2
Belle, widow of John Raboula ...	24	6	9
Anna Elizabeth Arentz, widow of Godlieb Lourentz ... ..	29	19	4
Mary Reynolds, mother of the late Joseph Johnson, of Bandam, in Ireland; reference, Samuel Light, No. 2, Paradise-row, Lambeth...	72	8	6
The 3 absent heirs of the late Martha Maria Visser, wife of Jacob van Wyk... ..	34	9	1
The absent heirs of the late Maria Magaretha Visser, wife of Nicolaas Vlok ... ..	28	14	3
The absent heirs of the late Hercules Jacobus Visser ... ..	34	9	1
Alfred Medley ... ..	24	7	9
Thomas Phillips ... ..	24	17	11
Winifred Ford, married to Jeremiah Costello ... ..	13	14	11
John Hartley Sowerby ... ..	41	3	7
Brothers and sisters of Charles Johannes van Helsland (Flanders)	808	1	8
Thomas D. W. Morehead ... ..	260	17	1
William Henry Hunt ... ..	749	7	10
William Dunn ... ..	6	9	10
William Hutchinson ... ..	10	3	9
Barbera Christina Hanekom, wife of William Meintjes van den Berg	121	8	11
Joze Baptiste, alias Baptista, son of Joao Pinto, native of Oporto ...	5	13	9
Joseph Pedley ... ..	22	8	10
Hester Francina Russouw, married to Fredrik van Niekerk ... ..	217	14	1
Hendrik de Smidt ... ..	58	16	11
Carel Hendrik de Smidt ... ..	58	16	11
John Julian ... ..	20	10	10
Margaret Gow Bartie, married to Alexander Mortimer ... ..	261	18	1
Willem van der Mark ... ..	14	3	8
Sophia Page ... ..	11	18	0
Susanna Aldred, wife of John Phillips ... ..	143	2	3
Elizabeth Aldred, wife of John Brown ... ..	143	2	3
Johan Philip Barchfeld ... ..	17	0	6
Jan Hendrik Viljoen ... ..	11	13	8
Johanna Margaretha Viljoen, married to Andries Van Rooyen ...	11	13	8
Susanna Elizabeth Sophia Viljoen, married to Hendrik Snyman ... ..	11	13	8

J. Steuart, Master of the Supreme Court.

Edward Barnard, Agent-General for Crown Colonies, No. 5, Cannon-row, Westminster.—December, 1854.

## CONTRACTS FOR SEAMEN'S CLOTHING.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-House, December 16, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Wednesday, the 10th January 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 and Gosport, the undermentioned articles, viz.:

Blue Cloth, No. 1, 50,000 yards, Deptford; 30,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Blue Cloth, No. 2, 60,000 yards, Deptford; 30,000 yards Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Blue Jean, 30,000 yards, Deptford; 20,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Duck, 300,000 yards, Deptford; 400,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Flannel, 300,000 yards, Deptford; 200,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

White Cotton Drill, 50,000 yards, Deptford; 100,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Blue Serge, 200,000 yards, Deptford; 150,000 yards, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Blankets, 30,000 number, Deptford; 30,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Worsted Stockings for Men, 90,000 pairs, Deptford; 50,000 pairs, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Worsted Stockings for Boys, 2,000 pairs, Deptford; 3,000 pairs, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Worsted Caps, 50,000 number, Deptford; 20,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Shirts for Men, 30,000 number, Deptford; 20,000 number Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Shirts for Boys, 1,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Black Silk Handkerchiefs, 50,000 number, Deptford; 30,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Flushing Jackets, No. 1, 5,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Flushing Jackets, No. 2, 10,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Hair for Beds, 150,000 lbs., Deptford; 100,000 lbs., Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Bed Cases, 20,000 number, Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Shoes, 20,000 pairs, Gosport; one-fourth to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Mitts, 10,000 pairs, Deptford; 10,000 pairs, Gosport; one-fourth of each quantity to be delivered by the 31st March, another fourth by the 30th April, another fourth by the 31st May, and the remainder by the 30th June next, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

*Their lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole, or for such part thereof only as they may deem fit, or for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any.*

*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, at the Victualling Yards, at Gosport and Plymouth, or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs at Bristol.*

*Tenders will be admitted for any portion of the above quantities, but separate tenders must be made for each place, and no attention will be paid to any offer not so made.*

*Samples of the articles may be seen at the said Office between the hours of eleven and two only, and also at the Victualling Yards at Gosport and Plymouth.*

*The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said Office, at the Victualling Yards at Gosport and Plymouth, 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 \_\_\_\_\_," and must also be delivered at Somerset-House.*

#### CONTRACT FOR CANDLES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, December 23, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Saturday the 13th January, 1855, 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, and into the Royal Marine Barracks at Woolwich, all such quantities of

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

*The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular is called, may be seen at the said office, and those for the Marine Barracks (together with samples) at the office of the Barrack Master.*

*No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly 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 Candles," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £100 for the due performance of each of the contracts.*

#### CONTRACTS FOR SUGAR, COCOA, AND TEA.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-House, December 23, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Friday the 12th January, 1855, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and

delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, the undermentioned articles, viz.:

Sugar, 200 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Cocoa, 200 tons; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tea (Congou), 50,000 lbs.; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole, or any portion of any of the articles.

Their Lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either for the whole, or for such part thereof only as they may deem fit, or for a greater quantity, or of not contracting for any; and also an unlimited power of selection.

The articles to be exempted from the Customs' duties, and parties tendering are to state where they are respectively lying.

Samples of the sugar and cocoa (not less than 2 lbs. of each), and of the tea (not less than 1 lb. from the bonded warehouse), 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 to 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 in writing.

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

#### CONTRACT FOR SHOES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, December 26, 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 Saturday, the 13th January, 1855, 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,

5,500 pairs, size No. 10 } SHOES;  
5,500       "       11 }

one half thereof within six weeks, and the remainder within six weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the parties tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole, or any portion of the shoes.

Their lordships reserve to themselves the power, when the tenders are opened, of contracting either

for the whole, or for such part thereof only, as they may deem fit.

Patterns of the shoes, and the conditions of the revised contract, 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 Shoes," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Office,  
December 27, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors, will be held at the Society's Office, in Surrey-street, Norwich, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1855, at twelve o'clock at noon, pursuant to the deed of settlement, to receive the report of the directors.

Adam Taylor, } Secretaries.  
Samuel Bignold, }

Imperial Gas Light and Coke Company,  
Office, 33, John-Street, Bedford-Row,  
London, December 28, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Directors have made a call of £2 10s. per share on the new shares of this Company (Class B), and that the same is made payable on the 25th January, 1855.

Proprietors are required to pay the same on or before the said 25th day of January, to the Treasurer of the Company, Samuel George Smith, Esq., at the Banking House of Messrs. Smith, Payne, and Smith, No. 1, Lombard-street, London.

Alex. Henry, Secretary.

Law Life Assurance Office,  
Fleet-Street, London,  
December 28, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of Proprietors of the Law Life Assurance Society, will be held at the Society's Office, Fleet-street, London, on Friday the 2nd day of February next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, pursuant to the provisions of the Society's deed of settlement, for the purpose of receiving the Auditors' annual report of the accounts of the Society up to the 31st December, 1854, to elect two Directors in the room of Thomas Clarke, Esquire, deceased, and Edward Lawford, Esquire, who has disqualified, and for general purposes.

The Director to be chosen in the room of Thomas Clarke, Esquire, will remain in office until 24th June, 1855. The Director to be chosen in the room of Edward Lawford, Esquire, will remain in office until 24th June, 1856.

By order of the Directors,  
William Samuel Downes, Actuary.

No. 10, John-Street, Adelphi,  
December 26, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, to the officers and company of Her Majesty's steam vessel Sharpshooter, Lieutenant John Crawshay Bailey, Commanding, that an account of sales of the Brazilian brig, Felicidade, captured on the 2nd October, 1850, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, pursuant to Act of Parliament.

Augs. Chippendale, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, at Huddersfield, in the county of York, as Woollen Merchants, and carried on under the style or firm of Kilner, Mellor, and Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 27th day of December, 1854.

*Thomas Kilner, junr.  
Wright Mellor.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Ede the younger and Henry Joseph Ede, both of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and Frederick Charles Ede and Robert Robley, both of the city of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, carrying on business as Merchants, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, under the firm of Ede Brothers and Robley, and in Sydney aforesaid, under the firm of Ede and Robley, is dissolved by mutual consent, so far only as respects the said Henry Joseph Ede, who has retired therefrom.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1854.

*Edwd. Ede, junr. Frederick Charles Ede,  
Henry J. Ede. Robert Robley,*

By Edward Ede, junr., their Attorney,  
by virtue of a power of attorney in  
that behalf.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Philipps and Edward Augustus Marsden, as Attorneys and Solicitors, carrying on business at No. 4, Sise-lane, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of December, 1854.

*Henry Philipps.  
E. A. Marsden.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Abraham Wivell, of No. 16, Islington, Birmingham, Artist, and Thomas Rogers, of No. 91, Snow-hill, Birmingham, Artist at the Academy of Arts, Broad-street, Birmingham, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of December, 1854.

*Abraham Wivell.  
Thomas Rogers.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Jackson and Frederick Augustus Ducroz, carrying on business at Launceston, in Van Dieman's Land, as General Merchants, was dissolved from the 31st day of March last, by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 27th day of December, 1854.

*William Jackson.  
Fredk. A. Ducroz.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between the undersigned, as Cotton Brokers, at Liverpool, under the firm of Kershaw and Howard is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, William Kershaw.—Dated this 28th December, 1854.

*William Kershaw.  
John Lord Howard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, as Merchants and Commission Agents, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the trading style or firm of James McHenry, is dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 26th day of December, 1854.

*James McHenry. Abel Chapman.  
Joseph Anderson. Joseph Anderson, junr.*

WE the undersigned Michael Keyzor and Abraham Keyzor, both of the city of Norwich, carrying on business as Opticians, under the style or firm of M. and A. Keyzor, hereby give notice that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that for the future all claims upon and all debts owing to the late partnership will be satisfied by and paid to Mr. Michael Keyzor, who will carry on the business alone.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1854.

*Michael Keyzor.  
Abraham Keyzor.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Henry Benson and George Benson, under the firm of Benson and Brother, Agents for the sale of Cloth and Yarn, at the city of Manchester, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by and due to the said firm will be paid and received by the undersigned, George Benson, who will continue to carry on the business.—As witness our hands this 16th day of December, 1854.

*Henry Benson.  
George Benson.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Holdsworth and John Hanson, carrying on business at Leeds, in the county of York, as Listing Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Holdsworth and Hanson, is dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the 26th day of December, 1854. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said John Hanson, who in future will carry on the said business alone.—Dated this 26th day of December, 1854.

*Samuel Holdsworth.  
John Hanson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Clifford Firth and John Archer, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as General Brokers and Agents, under the firm of Firth and Archer, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of December, in the year of our Lord, 1854.

*Clifford Firth.  
John Archer.*

WE hereby mutually agree to dissolve the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, lately carrying on business under the style or firm of Kay, Houl, and Co., as Brewers, at Whittle-le-Woods, near Chorly, Lancashire.—December 9, 1854.

*William Kay.  
George Houl.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Eligio Gioachimo Curti and Moses Haim Picciotto, carrying on business as Merchants, at No. 8, Crosby-square, in the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Curti, Picciotto, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be respectively received and paid by the said Moses Haim Picciotto, in due course.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1854.

*Eligio Gioachimo Curti.  
M. H. Picciotto.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Wilson and William Weatherall Wilson, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Wilson and Sons, as Stationers, at Nos. 103, 104, and 105, Cheapside, in the city of London, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1854.

*Tho. Wilson.  
Wm. W. Wilson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, William Henry Smith, Thomas Smith, and John Sunley, carrying on business at No. 29, Ironmonger-lane, and No. 4, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, as Railway Advertising Contractors, under the style and firm of Smith Brothers and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned William Henry Smith and Thomas Smith, who will continue to carry on the said business at No. 29, Ironmonger-lane, and No. 4, King-street, Cheapside aforesaid, under the said style and firm of Smith Brothers and Co.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1854.

*Wm. H. Smith.  
Thos. Smith.  
John Sunley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, as Bakers, Grocers, and Flour Dealers, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Harris and Archer, was this dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 26th day of December, 1854.

*F. Harris.  
A. Archer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which subsisted between us the undersigned, Richard Lauder, of Glasgow, William Harvey, of Manchester, and James Harter Green, of Liverpool, carrying on business as Commission Agents and Merchants, at the following places, namely, at Glasgow under the style or firm of Rd. Lauder and Co., at Manchester under the firm of Lauder, Harvey, and Co., and at Liverpool under the firm of Lauder, Green, and Co., was dissolved on the 2nd day of October last, by mutual consent. All debts owing to and by the above-mentioned firms will be received and paid by the said Richard Lauder and James Harter Green.—Dated the 9th day of November, 1854.

*Richd. Lauder.  
Wm. Harvey,  
J. Harter Green.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership at one time subsisting between us the undersigned, as Cart Owners at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Caldwell and Sutton, was on the 21st day of October, 1845, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of December, 1854.

*David Caldwell.*  
*Isaac Sutton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Gideon Burton, Joshua Siddall, Daniel Burton, and William Burton, carrying on business as Dyers, at Lowerfields, Pilkington, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Gideon Burton and Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the concern will be received and paid by the undersigned, Gideon Burton, Daniel Burton, and William Burton.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1854.

*Gideon Burton.*                      *D. Burton.*  
*Joshua Siddall.*                      *W. Burton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Frederick Halsey Janson and Charles Cooper, carrying on the profession or business of Attorneys and Solicitors, under the firm of Janson and Cooper, at No. 4, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, was dissolved on the 20th day of December instant, by mutual consent; and that all debts due to the said late partnership are to be paid to, and those due from the same discharged by, the said Frederick Halsey Janson, who will continue to carry on the business at No. 4, Basinghall-street, in conjunction with Thomas Pix Cobb and John Michael Pearson, late of No. 15, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London aforesaid, under the firm of Janson, Cobb, and Pearson.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1854.

*Charles Cooper.*  
*Fredk. H. Janson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, James Frederick Harold and James Reed, carrying on business as Drapers in the above Bar-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, under the style or firm of Harold and Reed, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to or from the said firm will be respectively received and paid by the said James Frederick Harold, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Witness our hands this 22nd day of December, 1854.

*James Frederick Harold.*  
*James Reed.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Penny and Ralph Wood, carrying on business at the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Cotton Manufacturers, under the firm of Penny and Wood, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Robert Penny.—Dated this 26th day of December, 1854.

*Robert Penny.*  
*Ralph Wood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Dickson, James Dickson, James Jameson Dickson, Robert Dickson the younger, and Oscar Dickson, carrying on business as Merchants, in London, under the firm of Dickson Brothers and Co., and in Gottenburgh under the firm of James Dickson and Co., is dissolved so far as regards the said Robert Dickson the younger only, as and from the 31st day of December, 1854; and that the business will be continued, and the debts and credits paid and received, by the continuing partners.

*Robert Dickson.*                      *Oscar Dickson.*  
*James Dickson.*                      *Robt. Dickson, junr.*  
*James Jameson Dickson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing (if any) between us the undersigned, John Blake and Susan Bingham, or between us the said John Blake, and Susan Bingham as Executrix of Joseph Bingham, deceased, as Carmen, at Chapel-street, Milton-street, in the city of London, under the name of Joseph Bingham, or under the name of the said Susan Bingham, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 27th day of December, 1854.

The  
*John X Blake.*  
Mark of  
*S. Bingham.*

## BRITISH GUIANA

Official advertisement.—Berbice, to wit.

WHEREAS it has been reported to me, the undersigned Administrator-General of Berbice, that Ann Hamilton, born Faloon, wife of Robert Hamilton, of Belfast, in the county Antrim, in that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland, assisted and authorized by the said Robert Hamilton her husband, Helen Jemima Graham, of Belfast aforesaid, widow of the late Campbell Graham, of Belfast aforesaid, Merchant, Margaret Jane Graham, Maria Graham, Helen Jemima Graham the younger, and Dorothea Blair Graham, all of Belfast aforesaid, daughters of the said Mrs. Campbell Graham, widow, Margaret Elliott, born Barkley, late widow of William Faloon, of Belfast aforesaid, now wife of Thomas Elliott, of Belfast aforesaid, Merchant, assisted and authorized by her husband Thomas Elliott, William Harris Faloon, of Belfast aforesaid, Barrister-at-Law, son of the said Margaret Elliott, formerly Faloon, Margaret Dempsey, otherwise Faloon, of Belfast aforesaid, widow, daughter of the said Margaret Elliott, formerly Faloon, Eliza Faloon, of Belfast aforesaid, Spinster, another daughter of the said Margaret Elliott, formerly Faloon, and Alexander Faloon, of Belfast aforesaid, Civil Engineer, another son of the said Margaret Elliott, formerly Faloon, being the only children of Mrs. Margaret Elliott, by her former husband, William Faloon; Eliza McComb, born Barkley, wife of William McComb, of Belfast aforesaid, Bookseller, and the said Margaret Elliott, guardians of Campbell Faloon Gibson, of Belfast aforesaid, and also the said Eliza McComb, born Barkley, on her own account, and Elizabeth Hall, born Faloon, wife of William Hall, of Belfast aforesaid, testamentary heirs of the late Campbell Faloon, of Berbice, British Guiana, deceased, are now absent from the colony without having an agent or attorney in this colony to represent them the aforesaid heirs of the said late Campbell Faloon, deceased. I, therefore, in pursuance of ordinance No. 7, of the year 1851, intituled "An ordinance for amending and consolidating the rules and regulations applicable to the office of Administrator-General in the colony of British Guiana," do hereby summon the aforesaid heirs of the late Campbell Faloon, to appear before me on or before the 21st day of October of this present year, 1854, certifying that if they shall not so appear, or if within the period aforesaid they shall fail to offer proof of their being represented therein, they, the said heirs of the aforesaid late Campbell Faloon, shall be considered as absent from the colony, without having an agent or attorney to represent them.—Berbice, 20th day of September, 1854.

L. HOUSTON, Administrator-General of Berbice.

## BRITISH GUIANA.

Official Advertisement.—Berbice, to wit.

IN pursuance of the Ordinance No. 7, of the year 1851, intituled "An Ordinance for amending and consolidating the rules and regulations applicable to the office of Administrator-General in the colony of British Guiana,"

I, the undersigned, Administrator-General of Berbice, in the colony of British Guiana, do hereby call up and require the creditors of the estates hereinafter mentioned to file their claims, according to law, at my office, in the Public-buildings, in the town of New Amsterdam, in the colony aforesaid, within the period of four months from the publication of my second and last advertisement in the London Gazette, on pain, in default thereof, of being debarred from filing thereafter any claims omitted to be filed within the period aforesaid, this being my first advertisement.

Berbice, this 24th day of October, 1854.

L. HOUSTON, Administrator-General of Berbice.

List of Estates referred to in the above Official Advertisement.

Estate of Sarah Taylor, deceased, lately an inhabitant of the county Berbice, who died on or about the 25th July, 1854.

Estate of Thomas Campbell Haggart Moore, deceased, lately an inhabitant of the county Berbice, who died on or about the 21st July, 1854.

Estate of Martha Turner Shanks, deceased, lately an inhabitant of the county Berbice, who died on or about the 2nd September, 1854.

Estate of Thomas Goodluck, deceased, lately an inhabitant of the county Berbice, who died on or about the 29th June, 1850.

L. HOUSTON, Administrator-General of Berbice.

In Chancery.—Between William Chaffers, Plaintiff; and George Baker, Thomas Hermitage Day, Thomas Baker, Edward Day, and Elizabeth his wife, Elizabeth Day the younger, and Mary Ann Day, Defendants.

TAKE notice that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, on the 22nd day of January, 1855, or so soon after as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. W. H. Terrell,

of Counsel for the Plaintiff, that the Bill filed in this cause on the 26th day of August, 1853, and amended on the 24th day of February, 1854, may be ordered to be taken pro confesso against the above named Defendants, Elizabeth Day the younger and Mary Ann Day, pursuant to the Orders of this Honourable Court, bearing date the 8th day of May, 1845.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1854.

ALEXANDER CHAFFERS, Plaintiff's Solicitor,  
No. 43, Bedford-row, London.

To the above named Defendants, Elizabeth Day the younger and Mary Ann Day, formerly of Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, and now or lately residing at Heidelberg, in Germany.

#### Freehold and Leasehold.—Wisbeach.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to two several Orders of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Wilton v. Rumball, with the approbation of Sir Richard Torin Kindersley Knight, the Vice-Chancellor to whose court the said cause is attached by Mr. Cross, the person appointed by the said Judge for that purpose, at the Rose and Crown Hotel, in Wisbeach, on Thursday, the 1st day of February, 1855, at six o'clock in the evening, in three lots, the under-mentioned freehold and leasehold houses, with their appurtenances, viz.:

Lot 1.—A leasehold messuage or tenement with the yard and appurtenances thereto adjoining, situate in the Market-place, at Wisbeach, on the north side thereof, and late in the occupation of Mr. George William Mills, or his under-tenant, at the annual rent of £25, held for the residue of two several terms of 1000 years and 1000 years under indentures, dated the 7th April, 1720, and 2nd May, 1721.

Lot 2.—A freehold messuage or dwelling-house with the yard, garden, and appurtenances thereto adjoining, situate in Wisbeach aforesaid, in the Elm-road, near to the Timber-market, and abutting upon the said road on the south-west, and now in the occupation of Mr. Edward Osborne Dyson, at the annual rent of £18.

Lot 3.—A freehold messuage or tenement, with the yard and appurtenances thereto adjoining, situate in Wisbeach aforesaid, in Lower Hill-street, abutting upon the said street, south, and now in the occupation of Miss Ollard, at the annual rent of £14.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs Wing and Du Cane, No. 1, Gray's-inn-square; Messrs. E. F. and E. Jackson, Solicitors, Wisbeach; of the Auctioneer; and at the Rose and Crown Hotel, Wisbeach.

**T**O be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes of Knapton v. Jackson and others, and Meek v. Jackson and others, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor the Right Honourable Sir John Stuart, Knight, on Thursday, the 25th day of January, 1855, at three o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the White Swan Inn, Goodramgate, in the city of York, by Mr. George Acton, in two lots, viz.:

Lot 1.—Two freehold houses, with requisite outbuildings, situate in Garden-ploce, in the city of York, in the respective occupations of Mrs. Fawcett and Charles Brown; and a freehold dwelling-house, situate in Lowther-street, near to the last-mentioned dwelling-houses, now in the occupation of George Savage.

At Haxby, in the North Riding of the county of York:

Lot 2.—Four dwelling-houses, with requisite outbuildings and gardens, situate in Haxby aforesaid, and copyhold of the manor of Haxby, now in the occupation of Charles Snowden, J. Dobson, David Johnson, and John Jefferson.

Particulars may be had (gratis) of the Auctioneer, York; Mr. Charles Lever, Solicitor, No. 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, London; Messrs. Bell, Brodrick, and Bell, Solicitors, No. 9, Bow-churchyard, London; Mr. Phillips, Solicitor, York; Mr. Luke Thompson, Solicitor, York; and at the several Inns in the city of York.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Mackinnon v. Noble, with the approbation of the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, by Messrs. Winstanley and Sons, the persons approved by the Judge to sell the same, at the Victoria Hotel, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on Friday, the 19th day of January, 1855:

A freehold house, called and known as Bellingham Lodge, situate at Wigan, in the county of Lancaster. The house contains, on the ground-floor, entrance-hall, dining-room, study, library, breakfast-room, school-room, and nursery; on the upper floor, drawing-room, with five bedrooms, water-closet, and two attics. The domestic offices comprise, butler's-pantry, two kitchens, wash-house, brew-house, ale and wine cellars, coal-house, &c., and a coach-house and stabling for six horses. There is a good garden and grounds, and pasture and meadow land, containing about fifteen acres, statute measure. Connected with the above is a farm house and cottage, with barns and cow-

house. The property contains seams of coal, consisting of the Pemberton five and four feet Mines, the Wigan five, four, and nine feet Mines, the Cannell and King Coal, the Yard Coal and Arley Mines, all worked in the immediate vicinity. The whole is freehold, and the land-tax is redeemed.

To be viewed with orders. Descriptive plans and particulars are preparing, and may shortly be had, at the Victoria Hotel, Wigan; of John Daglish, Esq., St. Helen's, Lancashire; of Messrs. R. M. and F. Lowe, No. 2, Tanfield-court, Temple, London; Messrs. Freshfield, New Bank-buildings, City; of Messrs. Stone and Turner, No. 42, Jermyn-street, London; of Mr. Dean, No. 7, King's Bench-walk, Temple, London; and of Messrs. Winstanley and Sons, at their offices, Liverpool.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a cause of Lillie v. Wilson, with the approbation of his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, in two lots, by Mr. Frederick Charles Fitch, at the George Inn, Halstead, in the county of Essex, on Friday, the 19th day of January, 1855, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

A valuable freehold estate, situate in the parishes of Halstead and Gosfield, in the said county of Essex, comprising a newly erected freehold messuage, situate in the High-street, in Halstead aforesaid, near the new chapel there, with the yard and garden thereto belonging, and a right of way through the yard in front of the said chapel; and a piece of valuable freehold garden ground well planted with fruit trees, situate nearly opposite the King's Head Inn, at Gosfield aforesaid, and abutting upon the turnpike-road, containing by estimation 20 poles, and well adapted for building purposes.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) in London, of N. C. Milne, Esq., No. 2, Harcourt-buildings, Temple; Messrs. Madox and Wyatt, Solicitors, No. 30, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street; of Mr. F. E. Walsh, Solicitor, Sudbury, Suffolk; of Mr. Hustler, Solicitor, Halstead; and of the Auctioneer; and at the place of sale.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to a Decretal Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes of Dean v. Hall and other causes, with the approbation of William Henry Tinney, Esq., one of the Masters of the said Court, some time in the month of February or March, 1855, of which due notice will be given:

Certain freehold houses and shops and cottages, in Oldham-road, Manchester, Garden-street, Manchester, Old Infirmary-yard, Manchester, Wood-street, Manchester, Naylor-street, Manchester, and Back Pump-court, Manchester, in the occupation of respectable tenants, and chief rents amounting to £5 2s. 2d. per annum, secured in valuable property in or near to Newton-lane.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may in a short time be had (gratis) in London, at the said Master's Chambers Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane; of Messrs. Bower and Son, Solicitors, No. 46, Chancery-lane; and Mr. N. C. Milne, Solicitor, No. 2, Harcourt-buildings, Temple, and in the country, of Messrs. Vaughan, Lingard, and Vaughan, Solicitors, Stockport; of Messrs. Potter and Wood, Solicitors, Manchester; and of Mr. John Redford, No. 33, Dickinson-street, Manchester.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Sampson Baker Butt, plaintiff, against Joseph Clark and others, defendants, the persons claiming to be next of kin to Elizabeth John, late of the town and county of Southampton, widow, who died in the month of December, 1836, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1855, to come in and establish their said claims 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 excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Monday, the 19th day of February, 1855, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause James Hoddell against William Watkins and others, all persons claiming to be creditors, or who claim to be incumbancers on the real estate of Rachel Watkins, late of the town of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Widow, deceased, the Testatrix in the proceedings of the said cause named, who died in or about the month of August, 1848, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 29th day of January, 1855, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Monday, the 5th day of February, 1855, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1854.



**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 15th day of December, 1854, James Butcher, of Braintree, in the county of Essex, Baker, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate to Joseph Smith, of Great Bardfield, in the said county, Miller, and Daniel Harvey Piper, of Stisted, in the said county, Miller, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Butcher who should execute the said indenture within three calendar months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was executed by the said James Butcher on the day of the date thereof, and his execution attested by William Rankin, of Braintree aforesaid, Solicitor, and by the said Daniel Harvey Piper on the 19th day of December, 1854, and by the said Joseph Smith on the 20th day of December, 1854, and their execution attested by the said William Rankin; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture is now lying at the office of Edward George Craig and the said William Rankin, of Braintree aforesaid, Solicitors, for the inspection of, and execution by, the creditors of the said James Butcher.—Braintree, December 27, 1854.

**Assignment for benefit of Creditors.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by indenture, dated the 11th day of December instant, John Marks and Seymour Marks, both of Cirencester, in the county of Gloucester, Millwrights, assigned all and every their stock in trade, furniture and effects, whatsoever, unto John Michael Butt, of Kingsholm, near the city, but in the county of Gloucester, Ironfounder, and Sarah Marks, of Cirencester aforesaid, Widow, upon trust, for themselves the said John Michael Butt and Sarah Marks, and the other creditors of the said John Marks and Seymour Marks, who should execute the said indenture; which said indenture was executed by the said John Marks, Seymour Marks, and Sarah Marks, on the day of the date thereof, and by the said John Michael Butt, on the 19th day of December instant, and all of which said executions took place in the presence of, and were attested by, William Lawrence Cooke, of Cirencester aforesaid, Solicitor; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies for the signature of the said creditors at the offices of the said William Lawrence Cooke, in Cirencester aforesaid, and all such creditors who shall fail to execute the same will be excluded from all benefit to arise therefrom.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1854.

**Joseph Willey Wilcox's Assignment.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Joseph Willey Wilcox, of Leeds, in the county of York, Manufacturer, hath by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 21st day of December, 1854, assigned over all his estate and effects, both real and personal, unto Daniel Hopkin Atkinson, of Leeds aforesaid, Woolstapler, and Edward Bray, of Woodhouse, in the parish of Leeds aforesaid, Book Keeper, in trust, for the equal benefit of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Joseph Willey Wilcox; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture of assignment was executed by the said Joseph Willey Wilcox on the 21st day of December, 1854, and by each of them the said trustees, Daniel Hopkin Atkinson and Edward Bray on the 22nd day of December, 1854, in the presence of Edwin Eddison, of Leeds aforesaid, Solicitor, who duly attested the execution thereof by the said Joseph Willey Wilcox, Daniel Hopkin Atkinson, and Edward Bray on the said 22nd day of December, 1854; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture of assignment is now lodged at the offices of Payne, Eddison, and Ford, No. 58, Albion-street, in Leeds aforesaid, Solicitors, for the inspection and execution of the creditors of the said Joseph Willey Wilcox, and that such of them as shall not execute the same will be excluded from all benefit to arise therefrom.—Leeds, 22nd December, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that George Briscoe, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Spirit Merchant, did on the 30th day of November, 1854, execute a deed of conveyance and assignment, dated that day, of all his estate and effects to Charles Oldham and Thomas Milner, as trustees, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said George Briscoe; and also that both the said trustees executed such deed on the said 30th day of November last, and that the place of abode of the said Charles Oldham is Everton-road, in Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the city of Manchester, and that of the said Thomas Milner, Ashton-upon-Mersey, in the county of Chester; and further that the execution of such deed by the said George Briscoe, Charles Oldham, and Thomas Milner, was attested by John Hall, of No. 53, Piccadilly, Manchester aforesaid, Solicitor.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by deed, dated the 15th day of December, 1854, Richard Fare, of Preston and Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger, hath conveyed and assigned, all his estate and effects, whatsoever, to George Wood, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Factor, and Charles Daniel, of the same place, Factor, as trustees, upon trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Richard Fare; and that the said deed was executed by the said Richard Fare, on the said 15th day of December

1854, and his execution thereof was attested by James Winder, Solicitor, of Preston aforesaid, and by the said George Wood, on the 16th day of December aforesaid, and by the said Charles Daniel, on the 19th day of December aforesaid, and the execution thereof by them respectively was attested by William Henry Reece, of Birmingham aforesaid, Solicitor, at whose offices the said deed lies for execution by creditors.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 11th day of November, 1854, Thomas Short, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Draper, conveyed and assigned unto Jonathan Openshaw and James Galloway, both of the city of Manchester, Merchants, all the real and personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, of him the said Thomas Short, upon trusts in the said indenture contained, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Thomas Short who shall execute the said indenture or assent thereto; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the offices of Messrs. Sale, Worthington, and Shipman, Solicitors, No. 64, Fountain-street, Manchester, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1854, Thomas Whitehouse, of Milton-street, Dorset-square, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, assigned to William Henry Collins, of Bread-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Wholesale Ironmonger, and Samuel Pope, of No. 119, Crawford-street, in the said county of Middlesex, Ironmonger, all those three messuages or dwelling-houses, numbered 5, 6, and 7, Carlton-villas, Westbourne-park-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, and all other the personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever of him the said Thomas Whitehouse, upon certain trusts, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Thomas Whitehouse, as therein mentioned; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said William Henry Collins, on the 16th day of December, 1854, by the said Thomas Whitehouse, on the 21st day of December, 1854, and by the said Samuel Pope, on the 27th day of December, 1854, and the execution of which said indenture of the said Thomas Whitehouse and Samuel Pope is attested by John Tucker, of No. 28, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor, and the execution thereof by the said William Henry Collins is attested by the said John Tucker and George Joseph Collins, of Camden Cottage, Albion-street, Birmingham, in the said county of Warwick; and which said indenture now lies at our offices for execution by the creditors of the said Thomas Whitehouse.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1854.

**TUCKER and TUCKER, No. 28, St. Swithin's-lane, London, Solicitors to the Trustees.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1854, Frederick William Lemon and Henry Joslin Lemon, of Brentwood, in the county of Essex, Bankers and Grocers, assigned all their real and personal estate and effects unto John Green, of No. 2, Bishopgate-street, in the city of London, Provision Merchant, William Bagshaw, of No. 35, Coleman-street, in the same city, Accountant, and James Monkhouse, of Brentwood, in the county of Essex, School Master, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Frederick William Lemon and Henry Joslin Lemon, who should execute the same within one month after notice thereof, which indenture of assignment was duly executed on the day of the date thereof by the said Frederick William Lemon, in the presence of, and attested by, Charles Carne Lewis the elder, of Brentwood, Essex, Solicitor, and Charles Carne Lewis the younger, of the same place, Solicitor; and the said indenture was also duly executed by the said Henry Joslin Lemon, on the 13th day of December, 1854, in the presence of, and attested by, the said Charles Carne Lewis the elder; and the said indenture was executed by the said John Green and William Bagshaw, on the 21st day of December, 1854, and the execution thereof by the said John Green was attested by William Jones, of No. 8, St. Swithin's-lane, London, Solicitor, and the execution thereof by the said William Bagshaw, was attested by Marcus Travers, of No. 25, Throgmorton-street, London, Solicitor; and the said indenture was executed by the said James Monkhouse, on the 22nd day of December, 1854, in the presence of, and attested by the said Charles Carne Lewis the elder; and such indenture of assignment now lies at my office for execution by the creditors of the said Frederick William Lemon and Henry Joslin Lemon.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1854.

**CHARLES C. LEWIS, Brentwood, Essex.**

In the Matter of George Barber, of No. 150, Bishopsgate-street without, in the city of London, Grocer and Tea Dealer, Dealer and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 4d. in the pound, upon application at

my office, as under, on Thursday the 4th January, and the three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'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.—December 27, 1854.

H. H. STANSFELD, Official Assignee,  
76A, Basinghall-street, London.

In the Matter of John Moats the elder, of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, Coal Merchant and Wharfinger.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, and the three following Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three. 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.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Middle-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of William Brailsford, of the town of Nottingham, Smallware Dealer.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 7s. 9d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Tuesday the 26th day of December, and the three following Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three. 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.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Middle Pavement, Nottingham.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 14th day of July, 1854, against George Frederick Bloxam, of Lukesland-grove, near Ivy Bridge, in the county of Devon, Horse Dealer, Cattle and Sheep Salesman, Dealer and Chapman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday or Friday, between the hours of eleven and two. 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 or letters of administration.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of August, 1854, against John Pfooks, of Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, Brewer and Maltster, Dealer and Chapman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday or Friday between the hours of eleven and two. 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.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of March, 1854, against David Couzens, of Union-place, in the parish of East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Cab Proprietor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend at the rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday or Friday between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. 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 or letters of administration.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of April, 1854, against William Trebilcock, of the borough of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Boot and Shoe Maker, Dealer and Chapman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend at the rate of 3s. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday

or Friday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. 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 or letters of administration.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of May, 1854, against Charles Ogalbe, of Tavistock-street, in the borough of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Builder and Contractor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend, at the rate of 10d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday or Friday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. 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 or letters of administration.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 26th day of June, 1854, against James Palmer, of Bristedstow, in the county of Devon, Maltster and Brewer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 7½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, Queen-street, Exeter, on any Tuesday or Friday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. 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 or letters of administration.

H. L. HIRTZEL, Official Assignee.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was, on the 20th day of December, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, against Samuel Lampkin, of Gibson-street, Oakley-street, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Baker, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 15th day of January next, and on the 9th day of February following, at twelve of the clock at noon, precisely on each of the said days, 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. Cannan, No. 18, Alder-maury, London, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. J. T. Moss, Solicitor, No. 55, Gracechurch-street, London.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, was on the 25th day of December, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, by George Fifoot Lyde, of No. 2, Church-passage, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Sewed Muslin and Lace Maker, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, and on the 9th day of February following, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, 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. W. Whitmore, of No. 2, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Lloyd and Rule, Solicitors, of No. 26, Milk-street, Cheapside, London.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1854, hath been filed against James Atkinson and Alfred Atkinson, of Huntingdon, in the county of Huntingdon, Drapers, Dealers and Chapman and Copartners, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of January next, at half past eleven

of the clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 16th day of February next, at twelve o'clock at noon, precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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. Wm. Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Sole, Turner, and Turner, Solicitors, No. 68, Aldermanbury, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of December, 1854, hath been presented against Henry Albert Linford, Partner in Trade with William Richardson, of the Girdlers Arms, Sherborne-lane in the city of London, Tavern and Eating-house Keeper, 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 8th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and on the 8th of February following, at two 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. Johnson, No. 20, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. G. K. Pollock, No. 54, Bessborough-street, Belgrave-road.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 18th day of December, 1854, filed against George James Loe, of Chertsey, in the county of Surrey, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been 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 13th day of January next, and on the 6th day of February following, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, on each of the said days, 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. Charles Lee, No. 20, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee, in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. George Robert Jaquet, Solicitor, No. 9, New-inn, Strand, London, or to Mr. Philip William Lovett, Solicitor, Guildford, Surrey.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 20th day of December, 1854, filed against Charles Maryon Crooks, of Church-row, Houndsditch, in the city of London, Licensed Victualler, Wine and Spirit merchant, Dealer and Chapman, 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 13th day of January next, and on the 6th day of February following, at twelve at noon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. 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, the Official Assignee in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Trehern and White, Solicitors, No. 13, Barge-yard Chambers, Bucklersbury, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was, on the 20th day of December, 1854, filed against James Mortimer, of Grosvenor-road, Abbey-road, Saint John's-wood, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, and he being 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 2nd day of January next, at half past two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 2nd day of February following, 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 Messrs. Parker, Roake, and Parker, Solicitors, (and not Mr. William Matthew Mills Whitehouse, Solicitor, as advertised in last Friday's Gazette), No. 17, Bedford-row, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of December, 1854, hath been filed by William Kinton Gibbs, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 8th and 29th days of January next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon, on each of the said days, 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. Frederick Whitmore, of No. 7, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. John Browne Smith, Solicitor, Horseley-heath, or to Messrs. Motteram and Knight, Solicitors, Bennet's-hill, Birmingham.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1854, hath been filed against Ann Wilkinson, of Crosmere, in the parish of Ellesmere, in the county of Salop, Innkeeper, and she being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender herself to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 6th and 26th days of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon, on each of the said days, and make a full discovery and disclosure of her 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 her examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Frederick Whitmore, No. 7, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Wace, Solicitor, Ellesmere, or to Messrs. Motteram and Knight, Solicitors, Birmingham.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 20th day of December, 1854, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 21st day of December, 1854, against Bartholomew Steel, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Glass, China, and Earthenware Dealer, 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 13th day of January next, and on the 10th day of February following, at twelve of the clock at noon 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, Sheffield.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 21st day of October, 1854, against Isadore Bernstein, sometime called Joseph Bernstein, formerly of Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Outfitter, afterwards of California, in the United States of America, more recently of the city of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, in South Australia, and now of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent and Merchant, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry James Perry, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, on the 8th and 30th days of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come pre-

pared 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. James Cazenove, Eldon-chambers, South John-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Evans and Son, Solicitors, Commerce-court, Lord-street, Liverpool.

**W**HEREAS, on the 22nd day of December, 1854, (and not on the 23rd, as before advertised), a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed against George Brand Hussey, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, and he being adjudged bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, on the 8th day of January next, and on the 5th of February following, at one in the afternoon precisely, on each day, at the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Hall of Commerce, in Woolster-street, in the borough of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. 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. Hirtzell, Queen-street, Exeter, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Gibson and Moore, Solicitors, Plymouth.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 19th day of December, 1854, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the said 19th day of December, against John Marshall, of Todmorden, in the county of York, Cotton Spinner and Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 9th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and on the 6th day of February following, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, Yorkshire, 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. Henry Philip Hope, of Leeds, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Edward Hammerton, Solicitor, Todmorden, or to Messrs. Bond and Barwick, Solicitors, Leeds, (*omitted in Gazette of the 22nd instant*).

**E**DWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under an adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 20 day of October, 1854, against Henry John Nash, of No. 1, Crown-court, Cheap side, in the city of London, Woollen Warehouseman, will sit on the 10th day of January 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, in order to take the proof of debts under 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.

**W**ALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 27th day of October, 1854, against William Waithman, of Yealand Conyers, and of Manchester, both in the county of Lancaster, of Higher Bentham and Lower Bentham, both in the West Riding of the county of York, and of Holme Mills, and of Milnthorpe, and of Gate Beck, all in the county of Westmoreland, trading under the firm of Waithman and Company, as a Flax Merchant, Spinner, and Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester (by adjournment from the 14th day of December instant), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

**E**DWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 21st day of October,

1854, against Thomas Rutter, of the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 12th of January next, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estates and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 17th day of July, 1854, by James Russell, of the city of Chichester, Cabinet Maker, will sit on the 11th of January next, at twelve 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of June, 1854, against Thomas Clark, of the Castle Tavern, Thornton-heath, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 4, Furnival's-inn, Holborn, in the city of London, and of No. 17, Marlborough-road, Saint John's-wood, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, Brick Maker, Engineer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at eleven o'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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of July, 1854, against Henry Hill, of High-street, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 13th day of June, 1854, against William Paton, of Bread-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at twelve o'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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 8th day of July, 1854, against Bodham Butler Wisker, of Castle-street, Holborn, in the city of London, Tailor (carrying on business in partnership with George Sully, of the same place, Tailor), will sit on the 11th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 30th day of June, 1854, against William Pinnock, of Saint James-terrace, Harrow-road, in the county of Middlesex, Flour and Corn Factor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day January next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 20th day of July, 1854, against Thomas Allison Readwin, of No. 2, Winchester-buildings, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, Dealer in Shares, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bank-

ruptey, 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 27th day of June, 1854, against Owen Evans, of No. 148, Westbourne-terrace, Hyde-park, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at half past eleven 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition on which adjudication of Bankruptcy, was made on the 15th day of June, 1853, against Abraham Clarkson, of King's-road, Reading, in the county of Berks, Licensed Victualler, Common Brewer, Railway Contractor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th of January next, at eleven 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.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 26th day of June, 1854, against Thomas Bray, of Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, Architect and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**R**OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 6th day of July, 1854, against John Webb, of Rayleigh, in the county of Essex, Grocer, General Dealer, and Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 11th of January next, at half past eleven 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.

**W**ILLIAM THOMAS JEMMETT, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of September, 1854, against John Harwood, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, will sit on the 10th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, 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.

**W**ILLIAM THOMAS JEMMETT, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 11th day of September, 1854, against John Thornley, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Drysalter and Manufacturing Chemist, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 9th of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at 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.

**W**ALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 12th day of October, 1854, against Peter Ormerod, George Heyworth, Timothy Heyworth, Edmund Bridge, and Robert Crossley, of Egypt Mill, near Rawtenstall, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 19th of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**E**DWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 5th of April, 1854, against Charles Edward Mallam, of the Castle Inn, Tonbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Innkeeper, Licensed Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 20th day of January next, 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 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.

**E**DWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of September, 1843, against Archibald Leslie and William Smith, of Saint Dunstan's-hill, in the city of London, Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners in trade, will sit on the 20th day of January next, 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.

**E**DWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 7th day of November, 1853, against Charles Robert Roper, of Church-street, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 1, Bohemia-place, Hackney aforesaid, Chemist and Druggist, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at one o'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 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.

**E**DWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 29th day of March, 1826, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Coleman, of the Highwood, in the parish of Yarpole, in the county of Hereford, and Edward Wellings, of Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Bankers and Copartners, will sit on the 23rd of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon 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.

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**E**DWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of November, 1853, against Walter Cobbett, late of Bear-gardens, in the county of Surrey, Plumber and Lead Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, there carrying on trade in copartnership with Andrew Clark, of the same place, under the style or firm of Andrew Clark and Cobbett, and residing at No. 107, Stamford-street, Blackfriars, in the said county of Surrey, and afterwards residing at No. 9, Grosvenor-street, Camberwell-road, in the said county, and afterwards residing at Sunbury, in the county of Middlesex, but now a Prisoner for Debt in Her Majesty's Queen's Bench Prison, in the county of Surrey, will sit on the 19th of January next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the matter of the Bankruptcy of Edward Cowper Fyffe and Ebenezer Wathen Fyffe, of Howford-buildings, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchants, and Edward Fyffe the younger, of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Merchant, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the matter of the Bankruptcy of Edward Cowper Fyffe and Ebenezer Wathen Fyffe, of Howford-buildings, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchants, and Edward Fyffe the younger, of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Merchant, Copartners, Dealers, and Chapmen, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Edward Cowper Fyffe, 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the matter of the Bankruptcy of Edward Cowper Fyffe and Ebenezer Wathen Fyffe, of Howford-buildings, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchants, and Edward Fyffe the younger, of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Merchant, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Ebenezer Wathen Fyffe, 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the matter of the Bankruptcy of Edward Cowper Fyffe and Ebenezer Wathen Fyffe, of Howford-buildings, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchants, and Edward Fyffe the younger, of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Merchant, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Edward Fyffe the younger, 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 20th day of July, 1854, against Thomas Allison Readwin, of No. 2, Winchester-buildings, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, Dealer in Shares, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of January next, 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 bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of July, 1854, against Thomas Gadd, of New Fishbourne, in the county of Sussex, Farmer, and late of the city of Chichester, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of January next, 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th

day of July, 1854, against Henry Hill, of High-street, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of January next, 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 bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 15th day of June, 1853, against Abraham Clarkson, of King's-road, Reading, in the county of Berks, Licensed Victualler, Common Brewer, Railway Contractor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 2nd day of June, 1854, against Benjamin West, of No. 173, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and No. 2, Saint James-walk, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Bookseller and Bookbinder, will sit on the 19th day of January 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, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of May, 1854, against George Nathaniel Grane, of Chailey, in the county of Sussex, Surgeon and Apothecary, will sit on the 19th of January next, at half past eleven 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 30th day of June, 1854, against William Pinnock, of Saint James-terrace, Harrow-road, in the county of Middlesex, Flour and Corn Factor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th of January next, at half past twelve o'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 bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 27th day of June, 1854, against Owen Evans, of No. 148, Westbourne-terrace, Hyde-park, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon Apothecary, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of January 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.

**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 12th day of October, 1854, against Peter Ormerod, George Heyworth, Timothy Heyworth, Edmund Bridge, and Robert Crossley, of Egypt Mill, near Rawtenstall, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, 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.

**M**A RTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 26th day of August, 1854, presented and filed against Thomas Wigfall, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Table Knife Manufacturer, will sit on the 23th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council-hall, Sheffield, 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 8th day of April, 1854, and now in prosecution against Edward Biven, of No. 64, King William-street, in the city of London, Watch Maker, Dealer and Chapman, 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 19th of January next, at twelve o'clock noon 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 the 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 23rd day of October 1854, against George Satterfield, of Queen-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Grocer, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of November, 1854, against Henry Lucking, of Corringham, in the county of Essex, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be held before Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th of January next, at one 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of October, 1854, against Henry Boleno Mason (commonly known as Henry Boleno), of the Clown Tavern, Windmill-street, Haymarket, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th day of January next, 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 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 25th day of October, 1854, against Lydia Wood and Charles Henry Wood, of Willow-walk, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Carpenters, Builders, Dealers and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupts, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th day of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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.

**W**H EREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of October, 1854, against William Dunkley, of Daventry, in the county of Northampton, Grocer, Tallow Chandler and Ironmonger, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Esq., on the 19th of January next, at eleven 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 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.

**N**O TICE is hereby given, that Walker Skirrow, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 21st day of January, 1854, against William Chesworth, carrying on business at No. 11, Rook-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 26th day of January, 1855, at twelve at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt under the said Petition; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Walker Skirrow, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 12th day of October, 1854, against Peter Ormerod, George Heyworth, Timothy Heyworth, Edmund Bridge, and Robert Crossley, of Egypt Mill, near Rawtenstall, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of Timothy Heyworth and Robert Crossley two of the said bankrupts, sit on the 19th day of January, 1855, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said Timothy Heyworth and Robert Crossley, two of the said bankrupts under the said Petition; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupts, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

**THIS** is to give notice, that the Court authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th of September, 1854, against Michael Austin Studden, of Launceston, in the county of Cornwall, Gas Manufacturer and Leather Merchant, did hold a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate to the said bankrupt, on the 21st day of December instant, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter; and the said Court did then and there allow the same, and did award unto the said bankrupt 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 authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of August, 1854, against Samuel Garratt, of Perran-wharf, near Penryn, in the county of Cornwall, Contractor, Dealer and Chapman, and also of Bedminster, near the city of Bristol, Coal Pit Proprietor, did hold a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate to the said bankrupt, on the 19th day of December instant, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, and the said Court did then and there allow the same, and did award unto the said bankrupt 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.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 30th day of September, 1854, against Henry Cobbin Welsford, of Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Corn Factor, Dealer in Manures, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 22nd day of December, 1854, allow the said bankrupt 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.

**WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, 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 of Bankruptcy, filed against Samuel Hammond, of Leeds, in the county of York, Flax Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, trading and carrying on business at Lowfold Mills, in Leeds aforesaid, under the style or firm of George Hammond and Son, did, on the 19th day of December, 1854, suspend the allowance of any Certificate to the said bankrupt for two years from the said 19th day of December; and the said Commissioner did also order, that at the expiration of such period a Certificate of conformity of the third class should then be granted to the said bankrupt, but that such Certificate should not discharge the said bankrupt from liability upon or in respect of the several bills of exchange in existence at the time of his bankruptcy, and drawn, endorsed, or accepted by him upon or for John Beckenbach, P. J. Passavant and Co., Thomas Wilks Lord, J. M. Hirsch, and C. De Bergne, respectively; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, at the expiration of the said two years, unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Christmas Houlton, now in lodgings at Mr. Joseph Lygo's No. 31, Wellington-street, in Litchurch, in the county of Derby, Labourer, previously of No. 20, Wellington-street, in Litchurch, aforesaid, Baker and Grocer, and for two years previously thereto of Belper, in the said county, Baker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process

having been given to the said Christmas Houlton, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Christmas Houlton is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, at twelve 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 Christmas Houlton, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Charles Robert Newbert Bromwich, formerly of No. 43, Grauby-street, in the parish of Saint Margaret, in the borough of Leicester, Tobaccoist, Railway Clerk, Agent to the London Indisputable Life Policy Company, and carrying on business conjointly with William Cheney Beasley and William Coltman, as Coal Dealers, trading under the firm of the Erewash Valley Coal Company, at the Railway Wharf, Southampton-street, Leicester aforesaid, afterwards residing at No. 12, Nelson-street, London-road, Leicester, Agent to the London Indisputable Life Policy Company, and Railway Clerk, subsequently residing at No. 1, Tonbridge-street, in Leeds, in the county of York, Railway Clerk, and at present residing at No. 9, in Arboretum-street, in the parish or district of Litchurch, near Derby, in the county of Derby, Railway Clerk, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Robert Newbert Bromwich, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Robert Newbert Bromwich is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, at twelve o'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 Charles Robert Newbert Bromwich, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of James Baker, at present and for seven weeks last past of No. 59, Traffic-street, in the parish of Saint Peter, in the borough of Derby, in the county of Derby, Carpet Manufacturer and Card Cutter, in lodgings, previously thereto of London-road, in Litchurch, in the said county, Carpet Manufacturer and Card Cutter, in lodgings, previously of No. 51, Regent-street, in Litchurch, in the said parish of Saint Peter, in the said county, Carpet Manufacturer and Card Cutter, in lodgings, and previously of Regent-street, in Litchurch aforesaid, Carpet Manufacturer, Card Cutter, in lodgings, and during all the periods aforesaid carrying on the business of Carpet Manufacturer and Card Cutter, at No. 20, London-road, in the parish of Saint Peter, in the said borough of Derby, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Baker, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Baker is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, at twelve o'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 James Baker, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Michael Doyle, late of No. 29, Sadler-gate, in the parish of Saint Werburgh, in the borough of Derby, in the county of Derby, and now of No. 16, Parker-street, in the parish of Saint Alkmund, in the borough of Derby, in the county of Derby, Boot and Shoe Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Michael Doyle, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Michael Doyle is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, at twelve 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 Michael Doyle, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.



**WHEREAS** a Petition of Edward Wootton, of Traf-fick-street, Derby, in the county of Derby, Horse Dealer and Livery Stable Keeper, but recently also in lodgings at the Albion Inn, Siddals-lane, Derby aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edward Wootton, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edward Wootton is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, 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 Wootton, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Young, of Thorn-tree-lane, in the parish of Saint Peter, in the borough of Derby, in the county of Derby, Publican and Omnibus Proprietor, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Derby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Young, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Young is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th day of January next, 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 John Young, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Benjamin Frear, Clerk of the said Court, Derby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Stimpson, of Wolverton, in the county of Buckingham, Boot and Shoe Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Buckinghamshire, at Newport Pagnell, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Stimpson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Stimpson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of January next, 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 John Stimpson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Parrott, Clerk of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Newport Pagnell, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Daniel Hayward, formerly of No. 8, Orchard-place, then lodging in Northgate-street, afterwards of No. 54, Saint Peter's-place, and afterwards and at present lodging in Palace-street, all in the city of Canterbury, in the county of Kent, and occupying a workshop and premises in Lamb-lane, in the said city, and there carrying on the business of a Coach Builder and Wheelwright, in copartnership with Ledger Hayward, of Victoria-grove, Hawks-lane, in the same city, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Canterbury, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Daniel Hayward, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Daniel Hayward is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of January next, at eleven 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 Daniel Hayward, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Callaway, jun., Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Saint Margaret's-street, Canterbury, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Ledger Hayward, formerly of North-lane, then of St. Dunstan's-street, afterwards of Saint Mildred's, then of Hawk's-lane, afterwards of Victoria-grove, and occupying a house and premises in Lamb-lane, all in the city of Canterbury, in the county of Kent, and there carrying on the business of a Coach Builder and Wheelwright, in copartnership with Daniel Hayward, of Palace-street, in the same city, and during the time of his residence in Saint Dunstan's-street, his wife carrying on the business of a Milliner, an insolvent debtor, having

been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Canterbury, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Ledger Hayward, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Ledger Hayward is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of January next, at eleven 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 Ledger Hayward, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Callaway, jun., Clerk of the said Court, at his office, St. Margaret's-street, Canterbury, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Robert Martin, formerly of Calcott Farm, in the parish of Sturry, in the county of Kent, Farmer, and then and now of Herne-street, Herne, in the county of Kent aforesaid, out of business and employment, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Canterbury, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Martin, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Martin is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of January 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 Martin, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Callaway, jun., Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Saint Margaret-street, Canterbury, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Thomas Henry Walkeden, formerly of Rugeley, in the county of Stafford, Corn Factor, afterwards of Balla Dhoo, in the parish of Saint Mark, in the Isle of Man, Farmer, lately of Stafford, in the county of Stafford, out of business, and now of Dudley Port, in the parish of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, out of business, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, at the Shirehall, Stafford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Henry Walkeden, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Henry Walkeden is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of January next, at eleven 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 Thomas Henry Walkeden, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Edye, Clerk of the said Court, at Stafford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Miles Robertson, at present and for nine weeks last past or thereabouts, residing in lodgings in Commercial-road, near the Docks, in the city of Gloucester, Agent for the sale of Wines, Spirits, Cigars, Malt, Ale, and Porter by commission, previously and for six months or thereabouts, residing at No. 3, Westend-terrace, Westgate-bridge, in the said city of Gloucester, for the last three months of such period, or thereabouts, Agent for the sale of Wines, Spirits, Malt, Ale, and Porter, by commission, and small Farmer, on his own account, and for the first three months of such period, or thereabouts, of no business or employment other than as a small Farmer on his own account, previously and for ten years, or thereabouts, of the Duke of Sussex Inn, in the Island, in the said city of Gloucester, Innkeeper, Brewer and Victualler, and Dealer in Tobacco, Hay, Straw, and Corn, and small Farmer, and formerly of the Bear Hotel, Newnham, in the county of Gloucester, Hotel Keeper, Postmaster, Coach Proprietor, and Farmer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Gloucester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Miles Robertson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Miles Robertson is hereby required to appear before James Francillon, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 18th day of January next, 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 John Miles Robertson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Robert Wilton, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Gloucester, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of George Ryder, at present and for seven years last past residing at Barnwood, near the city but in the county of Gloucester, being first a Gentleman's Servant, and late out of employment, and his wife, during the whole of such residence, being a Laundress, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Gloucester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Ryder, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Ryder is hereby required to appear before James Francillon, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 18th day of January next, 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 George Ryder, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Robert Wilton, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Gloucester, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of William Allen, late of Snigsend, in the parish of Corse, in the county of Gloucester, Butcher, and afterwards of Holland-house, in the said parish of Corse, Butcher and Shopkeeper, and now of the same place, out of business, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Newent, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Allen, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Allen is hereby required to appear before James Francillon, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 23rd day of January 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 William Allen, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Robert Wilton, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Newent, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Edwin Turner, at present and for three years last past of Saint James's-street, in the parish of Taunton Saint James, in the county of Somerset, Baker, Corn Dealer and Job Master, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Somersetshire, at Taunton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edwin Turner, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edwin Turner is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of January 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 Edwin Turner, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edward Lovell, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Taunton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Thomas Henry Fewster, of the Black Horse Inn, Caversham, in the county of Oxford, Innkeeper, Land Measurer, Grocer, and General Dealer, formerly of the Crown Inn, Caversham, in the county of Oxford, Innkeeper and Land Measurer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Berkshire, at Reading, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Henry Fewster, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Henry Fewster is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of January next, at half past 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 Thomas Henry Fewster, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Hobbs, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Reading, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Catherine Ryan, late of Ebenezer, in the parish of Llanddeniolen, in the county of Carnarvon, Grocer, Flour Dealer, and General-shop Keeper, a Widow, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Carnarvonshire, at Carnarvon, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Catherine Ryan is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 17th day of Jan-

uary next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, 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 Catherine Ryan, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard David Williams, Clerk of the said Court, at Carnarvon, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Jane Fisher, formerly House Keeper at the Athenæum, Lowther-street, in the city of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, afterwards of Scotch-street, in the said city of Carlisle, Dealer in Glass, China, and Cigars, lately of No. 51, Strand-street, Douglas, in the Isle of Man, out of business, and at present and for eighteen months residing at No. 6, Scotch-street aforesaid, out of business, 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 Jane Fisher, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Jane Fisher is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of January next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, 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 Jane Fisher, or that have any of her 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.

In the Matter of the Petition of James Swift the elder, of Old Park, in the parish of Dawley, in the county of Salop, Puddler, an Insolvent Debtor.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Shropshire, at Madeley, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of January next, 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 John Rhodes Barlow, at present and from the 4th day of September last past residing at No. 14, Kenilworth-place, New Town, in the out-parish of Saint Philip and Jacob, being an Ironmonger's Assistant, and his wife a Milliner, and occasionally letting lodgings, and next immediately preceding thereto from the 21st day of December last, residing at No. 64, Castle-street, Castle Precincts, an Ironmonger's Assistant, and his wife carrying on a Millinery and Straw Business, and for six weeks next immediately preceding thereto residing in lodgings in Langton-street, Cathay, in the parish of Bedminster, being an Ironmonger's Assistant, all of which places are in the city and county of Bristol, and for nine weeks previous thereto residing in Scotland-road, Liverpool, carrying on trade there as an Eating-house Keeper, and for one month previous thereto residing at No. 85, Mill-street, Liverpool aforesaid, and previous thereto and from the 4th of June, 1853, residing in lodgings at No. 169, Mill-street aforesaid, part of the time out of business, and part of the time carrying on business as an Auctioneer, at No. 69, Mill-street aforesaid, and for one month previous thereto residing at Wales-farm, Wales, near Copplestone, in the county of Devon, out of business, and for three years previous thereto residing at No. 87, Castle-street aforesaid, carrying on trade there as a Furnishing Ironmonger.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon at the said Court, on the 18th of January next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Samuel Britton, at present and for fifteen months and upwards last past, residing at and keeping the Rising Sun Beer-house, at Channels-hills, at or near the Fishponds, in the parish of Stapleton, in the county of Gloucester, Retailer of Beer, Cider, Tobacco, and Cigars, Grocer, Tea, and Provision Dealer in Candles, Soap, and Potatoes, and General-shop Keeper, and during a portion of such period being a Journeyman Engineer, previously and for six years and upwards residing at Warmley-hill, in the parish of Britton, in the said county of Gloucester, Grocer, Tea and Provision Dealer, Dealer in Tobacco, and being occasionally employed as a Labourer, and during part of such last-mentioned period being a Retailer of Beer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 25th day of January next, at half past 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 Thomas Hill, at present and from the 25th day of March, 1853, residing at No. 8, Castle-street, in the precincts of the Castle, in the city and county of Bristol, Baker, and Dealer in Flour and Biscuits.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon at the said Court, on the 18th day of January next, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Bush, at present and from the 22nd day of September last past residing in lodgings at the Shakspeare Tavern, in Temple-street, in the parish of Temple, otherwise Holy Cross, in the city and county of Bristol, in no business or employment, previously thereto and for twenty-one weeks residing in the parish of Saint Cuthbert, in the city of Wells, in the county of Somerset, Butcher, and Dealer in Calves, Pigs, and Potatoes, previously thereto and for three months and upwards residing at No. 1, West-street, in the parish of Bedminster, Butcher and Dealer in Cattle and Meat, previously and for three months and upwards residing at No. 25, Montague-street, in the parish of Saint James, Butcher and Dealer in Cattle and Meat, previously and for seven years and upwards residing at the Shakspeare Tavern, Temple-street aforesaid, Butcher and Dealer in Cattle and Meat, the three last above-mentioned places of residence being in the city and county of Bristol.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of January next, at half past 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 Meleng, of No. 2, Biggin-street, Dover, in the county of Kent, Tailor, an Insolvent Debtor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Charles Harwood, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Kent, at Dover, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Richard Goulder Tomlin, of Middle-row, Dover, in the county of Kent, Plumber, Painter, and Glazier, an Insolvent Debtor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Charles Harwood, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Kent, at Dover, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of January next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Mustill, at present and for about four months last past residing at Burwell, in the parish of Burwell, in the county of Cambridge, Baker, also occupying half an acre of grass land, situate at Burwell aforesaid, before that for about six months residing at Swaffham Prior, in the parish of Swaffham Prior, in the said county of Cambridge, Baker, before that for about twelve months residing in Saint Edward's-passage, in the parish of Saint Edward, in the town of Cambridge, in the said county, trading during the said period in partnership with Edward Wood, as a Sugar Boiler and Confectioner, before that for about eight weeks residing on the Victoria-road, in the parish of Chesterton, in the said county of Cambridge, Journeyman to a Sugar Boiler, previously for six months lodging at Hammersmith, in the parish of St. Peter's, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Journeyman to a Baker, and previously for eighteen months residing at Ely, in the parish of the Holy Trinity, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Sugar Boiler and Confectioner.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that John Collyer, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Cambridgeshire, at Newmarket, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 9th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Edward Cattermole, formerly of the North Quay, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, out of business or employ, then of Howard-street, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Linen-Draper, my wife carrying on business in partnership with Hephziba Mann, as Milliners and Dress Makers, now of Charlotte-street, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Linen Draper and Widows' Cap Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE 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 22nd day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Daniel Powley, formerly of the North Entrance, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Flour, Yeast, and Corn Seller, and Carter, then of North Entrance, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Flour, Yeast, and Corn Seller, and Carter, and also occupying a Garden in the North Entrance, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, and carrying on business as a Market Gardener, now of the North Entrance, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, Carter, Market Gardener, and Greengrocer.

**N**OTICE 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 22nd day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of James Allen, at present and for thirteen days last past residing in Dog-lane, Bewdley in the county of Worcester, out of business, and for two years previously thereto residing in the borough of Kidderminster, in the said county of Worcester, and during the whole of that period carrying on the business of a Hat Manufacturer and Dealer in Hats and Caps.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Worcestershire, at Kidderminster, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 17th day of January next, 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 John Bickerton, formerly of Grimsby-lane, afterwards of Ann Maria's-buildings, Osborne-street, afterwards of No. 108, Osborne-street aforesaid, and now and late lodging at No. 120, Osborne-street aforesaid, Potatoe Dealer and Greengrocer, all the aforesaid places being in the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Yorkshire, at the Town-hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 19th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Denbighshire, at Denbigh, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by Henry Davies, of Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, Draper and Grocer, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Townhall, Denbigh, to Audit the Accounts of the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to insolvents; and the said Court will also sit on the 8th day of February next, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; 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.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Denbighshire, at Denbigh, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by James Bland, of Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, Chemist and Druggist, will sit on the 11th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Townhall, Denbigh, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to insolvents; and the said Court will also sit on the 8th day of February next, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; 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.

**T**HE estates of James Herbertson and Brothers, Wrights and Builders in Glasgow, as a Company, and of James Herbertson and Thomas Herbertson, Wrights and Builders there, the Individual partners of that Company, as partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 16th day of December, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 16th December, 1854.

Upon the Petition of the Bankrupts and concurring Creditor the Lords of the Second Division pronounced the following Interlocutor:—"Edinburgh, 23rd December, 1854.—The Lords having considered the Petition of James Herbertson and Brothers, and heard Counsel,—Recal the appointment of a meeting to be held on the 2nd day of January next; appoint a meeting of the Creditors to be held on Friday the 5th day of January next, 1855, at twelve o'clock, within the Globe Hotel, George-square, Glasgow, to elect one Trustee on the estates of the Company and

Individual Partners thereof, therein mentioned, or separate Trustees, or Trustees in succession, and Commissioners, and to do the other acts provided in said Statutes; and appoint intimation thereof, and of the said sequestration, to be given in the Edinburgh Gazette within four days, and in the London Gazette within eight days after the date hereof, and likewise remit of new, as therein craved, to the Sheriff of the county where the said meeting is to be held, to proceed in manner mentioned in the Statutes therein mentioned; and lastly, grant Warrant of Protection to the said James Herbertson and Thomas Herbertson, the Individual Partners, against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for election of a Trustee.

(Signed) "J. HOPE, I.P.D."  
D. J. MACBRAIR, S.S.C., Agent,  
8, Darnaway-street, Edinburgh.

**T**HE estates of William Douglas, Stationer, Hutchison-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 22nd December, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated the 22nd December, 1854.

The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has appointed Robert Macfarlane, Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor; and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said William Douglas against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for election of Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 5th day of January, 1855, within the Globe Hotel, George-square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this 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 April, 1855.

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

JOHN LEISHMAN, W.S., Agent,  
Edinburgh, 18, Drummond-place,

**T**HOMAS MANSFIELD, Accountant, in Edinburgh; Trustee on the sequestrated estate of John Rennie Esq., of Phantassie, Farmer, Corn Merchant, and Cattle Dealer, at East Linton, in the county of Haddington, now deceased, hereby intimates, that a meeting of the Creditors will be held within his Chambers, No. 7, Thistle-street, Edinburgh, on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1855, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application for his discharge, under the Act 54 Geo. III., cap. 137, sec. 72; and a full state of the Trustee's accounts will in the meantime lie in his hands for the inspection of the Creditors.

At this meeting three new Commissioners will be elected, in the room and place of Gerge Banks, Merchant, Haddington, Thomas Allan, Banker, Edinburgh, and Thomas Stevenson, Merchant, Leith, all deceased.

THOMAS MANSFIELD, Trustee.

Edinburgh, December 26, 1854.

### 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 Friday the 12th January, 1855, at Ten o'clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

Thomas Dando, formerly of No. 7, and now of No. 14 Little Charlotte-street, Blackfriars-road, Surrey, Tailor.  
John Lavender Gray, of Gerrard-street, Soho, late of Princes-street, Haymarket, formerly of Leicester-square, theretofore of Great Ryder-street, all in Middlesex, Tailor.

Domenico Ugo Silvestro Valli, formerly of No. 9, Clerkenwell-close, Clerkenwell-green, Manufacturer of the materials used in the making of Artificial Flowers, then of No. 52, Baker-street, Bagnigge-wells-road, Clerkenwell, then of No. 34, St. John's-lane, Clerkenwell, in copartnership with Luigi Cambriasi and Ballista Cambriasi, Manufacturers as aforesaid, under the style of D. Valli, L. and B. Cambriasi, then of No. 34, St. John's-lane, Clerkenwell, in business on his own account, and now of the same place, all in Middlesex, Manager of the same business for one Angelo Valli.

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.

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 Friday the 12th January, 1855, at Ten o'clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

Alexander Gibbs (sued with Charles Alexander Gibbs, also sued and known as Charles Gibbs, and Jane Curtis Gibbs, also sued and known as Jane Gibbs), late of No. 32, Allsop-terrace, New-road, St. Marylebone, Middlesex, in copartnership with Charles Alexander Gibbs, as Artists in Stained Glass, previously of No. 2, Harwood-place, Camden Town, Middlesex, in copartnership as aforesaid, and having apartments at No. 14, New Hampstead-road, Kentish Town, Middlesex, and formerly of No. 2, Harwood-place aforesaid, in copartnership as aforesaid.

Samuel Varley, formerly of No. 159, Fenchurch-street, London, and No. 6, Hemingford-terrace, Islington, Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, and late of No. 21, Harp-lane, Tower-street, London, out of business or employ.

Joseph Mash, late of No. 38, Upper Charlton-street, Fitzroy-square, Middlesex, Coal and Potatoe Dealer and Carman.

John Clary, formerly of High-street, Hadleigh, Suffolk, carrying on a Brick Maker's and Bricklayer's business for one Henry Wilkinson, sen., then of same place. Brick and Tile Maker, on his own account, having a brick kiln at Red-hill, Hadleigh, in the same county, then of the Red-hill brick kiln aforesaid, Brick and Tile Maker, renting four cottages and a field adjoining the said brick kiln, which cottages were underlet by him, then again of High-street, Hadleigh aforesaid, out of business, then of Rose Cottage, All Saints, Sudbury, Suffolk, Clerk to the Eastern Union Railway Company, at Sudbury aforesaid, then again of Rose Cottage aforesaid, out of employ, and next and late of No. 17, Bradley-terrace, Wandsworth-road, Surrey, Clerk to a Brewer.

Ferdinand Maillepre, late of No. 30, Princes-street, Rotherhithe, Surrey, out of business, previously of No. 2, East-street, East Greenwich, Kent, Glass Stainer, Embosser, and Ornamental Painter.

On Friday the 12th January, 1855, at Ten o'clock, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

Alexander White, formerly residing at No. 1, Middleton's Entry, Bristow-street, Edinburgh, then at No. 45, Bristow-street, Edinburgh, and afterwards at No. 127, Nicholson-street, Edinburgh, and carrying on business at No. 38, West Cross, Causeway, Edinburgh, all in Scotland, Bread and Fancy Biscuit Baker, and late lodging at the Mitre Tavern, Saint Martin's-lane, Charing-cross, Middlesex, Journeyman Baker.

James Holmes, formerly of Woodland-place, Ealing, Middlesex, not in any business or employ, next of No. 43, Brompton-square, Brompton, Middlesex, next of No. 22, Pelham-crescent, Brompton aforesaid, and late of No. 58, Brompton-crescent, Brompton aforesaid, having offices at No. 102, New Bond-street, Middlesex, Estate Commission, and General Agent, trading under the firm of James Holmes and Co., and during part of the above period Boarding and Lodging-house Keeper.

David Eames, formerly of the Green Man Public-house, Chalk-hill, Houghton Regis, Licensed Victualler, and occasionally Dealer in Straw Plait, then and late of Icknield-terrace, Dunstable, both in Bedfordshire, Straw Plait Dealer, and latterly Manufacturing the Plait into Hats.

William Morgan, late of No. 1, Park-place, Highbury Vale, Islington, Middlesex, Clerk and Agent to the Star Packet Company.

William Henry Webster, late of No. 3, Bryan-terrace, Caledonian-road, Islington, Middlesex, Painter and Glazier.

On Saturday the 13th January, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

George Robert Layburn (generally known as George Layburn), formerly of No. 3, Blandford-mews, Blandford-square, Gentleman's Coachman, then of No. 2, Blandford-mews, then of Nos. 2, 3, and 12, Blandford-mews, then of Nos. 3, 6, and 12, Blandford-mews, then of No. 9, Sherborne-street, Blandford-square, and Nos. 3, and 12, Blandford-mews aforesaid, then of No. 3, John-street, Woodfield-road, Harrow-road, and Nos. 3, 6, and 12, Blandford-mews aforesaid, then of No. 20, Sherborne-street aforesaid, and Nos. 3, 6, and 12, Blandford-mews aforesaid, then of No. 16A, Alpha-road, Regents Park, and No. 3, 6, 12, and 13, Blandford-mews aforesaid, Job Master and Stable Keeper, and letting Horses and Carriages for hire, then of No. 16A, Alpha-road aforesaid, and late of No. 35, Sidney-terrace, Marlborough-road, Chelsea, all in Middlesex, out of business as aforesaid, but occasionally a Coachman, wife a Laundress.

George Hinwood, formerly of Pitts-place, Old Kent-road, Surrey, Licensed Victualler, then of Smirks-road, Old Kent-road aforesaid, out of business, and late of No. 8, Little Ormond-yard, Queen-square, Middlesex, Assistant to a Licensed Victualler.

William Pearce (sued with Richard Coleman Nunn), formerly of Kingsland-road, then of Tuilerie-street, Hackney-road, then of York-place, Tuilerie-street aforesaid, all in Middlesex, Vocalist, then of No. 31, Old-street-road, Middlesex, Beer-shop Keeper, and Vocalist, then and late of the same place, Vocalist, his family now residing at No. 25, Rutland-street, Pearson-street, Kingsland-road, Middlesex.

Mary Ann Rose, formerly of Ramsey, Huntingdonshire, Retailer of Beer, afterwards of No. 2, Huberdasher-place, Hoxton, Middlesex, and late of No. 10, York-street, City-road, Middlesex, widow, out of business.

James George Durkin (sued as James Durkin and sued and committed as James George Durkin), late of Surrey-street, Croydon, Surrey, Chemist and Gas Engineer, in the employment of the Croydon Gas and Coke Company, previously and formerly of same place and employment.

Sarah Ailes, formerly of Wells Cottage, Camberwell, Surrey, then of Brighton, Sussex, then of No. 14, Bride-lane, Fleet-street, London, then of Manor-place, then of No. 9, Canterbury-place, both in Watworth, Surrey, and late of No. 17, Oval-cottages, Hackney-road, Middlesex, spinster, in no occupation or employ.

Adjourned.

On Friday the 12th January, 1855, at Ten o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

Mary Bevan (sued and detained as Mary Beavan), formerly of the Crown Public-house, Butlers-buildings, Upper East Smithfield, carrying on the business of a Licensed Victualler at this place, first as Mary Dowley, widow, trustee, and executrix, jointly with Charles Gardiner, under the last will and testament of Thomas Dowley, and afterwards as Mary Bevan, widow of William Forley Bevan, then of No. 14, Burr-street, Wapping, then and late of No. 8, Princes-square, St. George's-in-the-East, all in Middlesex, out of business.

#### 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.

#### 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 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 Kent, holden at the New Sessions-House, Dover, on the 12th day of January, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Thomas Stickells, of Hill-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Tailor, since of No. 69, Saint George's-street, in Hastings aforesaid, Tailor, afterwards of No. 7, Saint George's-street, in Hastings aforesaid, Tailor, Eating House Keeper, and Beer Seller, and late of High-street, in Ashford, in the county of Kent, Tailor.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby, on the 13th day of January, 1855, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely.

John Thomas Robson (sued with Robert Robson), formerly residing with his father, Robert Robson, at No. 6, Victoria-terrace, Machlin-street, in the borough of Derby, out of business, then of Elm Tree House, Burton-road, in the borough of Derby aforesaid, and afterwards of Temple Cottage, Burton-road aforesaid, carrying on business at Stockbrooke-street Mill, in Derby aforesaid, in partnership with his said father Robert Robson, under the firm of Robson and Son, as Silk Throwsters and Silk Manufacturers, and late of Abbey-street, in the said borough of Derby, residing with his father-in-law, William Mansfield, out of business.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick, on Monday the 15th day of January, 1855.

Thomas Knight, late of Neckells Green, Birmingham, Warwickshire, out of business, previously of Swannington, in the county of Leicester, Baker and Grocer, formerly of the same place and trades.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton, on Monday the 15th day of January, 1855.

George Hewitt, formerly of No. 77, Charles-street, City-road, then of No. 24, Westmoreland-place, Stoke Newington, both in Middlesex, carrying on business at No. 20,

Callum-street, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Wine Merchant and Agent, then of Oriol-place, College-street, Chelsea, then of No. 18, Cheyne-walk, Chelsea, then of No. 8, Powell-street, King-square, Goswell-road, all in Middlesex, out of business, then of No. 4, Oval, Kennington, then of No. 7, Westmoreland-place, Camberwell, both in Surrey, then of George-street, Hampstead-road, then of No. 57, Spencer-street, Goswell-road, Collector to a Brewer, then and late of No. 7, Skinner-street, Clerkenwell, all in Middlesex, out of business or employment.

Charles Bragg (sued by the name of Charles Braggs), late of South Petherton, in the county of Somerset, Barber, previously of the Wheat Sheaf Inn, South Petherton aforesaid, Innkeeper and Farmer, before then of the Sun Inn, Piddletrentthide, near Dorchester, in the county of Dorset, Innkeeper and Farmer.

William Bryant, late of the Nightingale Inn, Dulverton, in the county of Somerset, Licensed Victualler, Charcoal Burner and Dealer, in Coppice Wood, previously of Dulverton aforesaid, Tailor and Haulier.

Alfred Smith Fulljames, late of No. 21, Bridlewell-lane, and No. 31, Westgate-street, in the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Auctioneer and Commission Agent, having also lately a private residence at No. 2, Trafalgar-place, in the parish of Weston, near Bath, his wife and family at present residing at No. 5, Prospect-buildings, Wells-road, near Bath, previously of No. 21, Bridlewell-lane, and No. 31, Westgate-street aforesaid, carrying on the said businesses in partnership with Henry Whitfield, under the style or firm of Fulljames and Whitfield and having also the said private residence at Weston aforesaid, formerly of No. 21, Bride-well-lane aforesaid, carrying on the said businesses on his own account.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the Guildhall, in the City and County of Bristol, on the 18th day of January, 1855, at half-past Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

James Harris, late of Llantarnam Mill, in the parish of Llantarnam, in the county of Monmouth, Miller, Mealman, Farmer, Grazier and General Dealer, and of George-street, in the town of Newport in the said county of Monmouth, Mealman, Dealer in Corn, Flour, Potatoes, Baker, General Dealer, and occasionally letting Apartments.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at the Townhall, in Kingston-upon-Hull, on Friday the 19th day of January, 1855 (by adjournment from the 8th day of December, 1854).

John Frankish, formerly of New-buildings, Bridlington-quay, in the East Riding of the county of York, Auctioneer, General Dealer, Commission Agent, and Keeper of a Boarding and Lodging-house, and known as Frankish's Hotel, afterwards of No. 19, Silver-street, in the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Auctioneer, General Dealer, and Commission Agent, afterwards lodging at No. 42, Great Thornton-street, Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, out of business or employment, and late lodging at No. 19, Silver-street, Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, Auctioneer, General Dealer, and Commission Agent.

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.

### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS IN IRELAND.

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

The following PRISONER, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court, having filed his Schedule, is ordered to be brought up before the Court, at the Court-House, No. 3, Lower Ormond-quay, Dublin, on the 13th day of January, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute :

Joseph Scriber, of Neudstadt, in the Duchy of Baden, in Germany, Watch and Clock Maker, trading with Matthew Scriber, at South Great Georges-street, Dublin, as Watch and Clock Makers, under the firm of Scriber Brothers, and late of Westmoreland-street, Dublin aforesaid, out of business.

### TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's Discharge, Notice of such intention must be entered in the Book kept at the Office for that purpose, between the hours of Half-past Ten in the Forenoon and Four in the Afternoon. *Three clear Days*, exclusive of *Sunday*, prior to the day of Hearing.

2. The Petitions and Schedules, and all Books, Papers, and Writings filed therewith, will be produced by the proper Officer, for Inspection and Examination, every *Monday*, *Wednesday*, and *Friday*, between the hours of Half-past Ten in the Forenoon, and Four in the Afternoon, up to the last day for entering Opposition.

*All Letters must be Post-paid.*

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