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Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 5, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on Wednesday the 12th of March next, at two o'clock.

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

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

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock on the Monday previous to the Levee*, or upon any *earlier* day between the hours of *eleven and four*, in order that they may be submitted for the Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above regulations.

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

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

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

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

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 25th day of *February*, 1856,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to make better provision for the spiritual care of populous parishes,' have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale of certain property situate in the parish of Llandaff, in the county of Glamorgan, and now vested in us.

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

"And whereas, under and by virtue of a certain indenture, bearing date the second day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, made between the Reverend George Thomas of the one part, and ourselves of the other part, all that piece or parcel of land comprising twenty-one perches and one-half of another perch of land, with the cottages and premises thereon, situate in the parish of Llandaff, in the county of Glamorgan, became vested in us in fee simple, subject to the provisions of the said Act.

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

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

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, or of any other Act of Parliament."

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

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 25th day of February, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical duties and revenues," and of another Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for enabling 'Ecclesiastical Corporations, aggregate and sole, 'to grant leases for long terms of years,' duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council

a scheme, bearing date the fourteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, 'the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical duties and revenues,' and of another Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act for enabling Ecclesiastical 'Corporations, aggregate and sole, to grant leases 'for long terms of years,' have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for determining the portion of the improved value to be made payable to us in certain leases of mines about to be granted by the Rector of the parish of Perran Uthnoe, in the county of Cornwall.

"Whereas by the said last-recited Act it is enacted, that it should be lawful for any Ecclesiastical Corporation, aggregate or sole (with certain exceptions, which do not include rectors), from time to time, with the consent or consents thereby required, to grant or demise by lease, in manner thereafter mentioned, any mines, minerals, quarries, or beds belonging to such corporation, together with the right of working, or of opening and working the same.

"And whereas by the same Act it is further enacted, that in case of any lease of mines, minerals, quarries, or beds granted thereunder, such portion of the improved value accruing under such lease, as by the authority provided in the first recited Act shall be determined, not being more than three fourth parts nor less than one moiety of such improved value, shall forthwith, and from time to time as the same shall accrue, be paid to us, and shall be subject to the provisions relating to monies payable to us.

"And whereas, with the consent required by the said Act, and otherwise in accordance with the provisions thereof, it is proposed by the Reverend Richard Astley, the present rector of Perran Uthnoe aforesaid, to grant or demise by lease the mines and minerals lying and being under certain lands situate in the said parish of Perran Uthnoe, belonging to him as such rector, with power to open and work the same.

"And whereas the improved value to accrue under the leases so proposed to be granted as aforesaid will, according to the meaning of the same Act, be the whole net amount of the reservations to be made in the said leases respectively.

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that three-fourth parts of the whole net amount of the reservations to be made in the said leases so to be granted, whether consisting of rent, royalty, or otherwise, shall by such leases be made directly payable to us, and that we shall have all the like remedies in respect of such three-fourth parts of any such reservations as aforesaid, as if the same were separate rents reserved to us as lessors or grantors and reversioners of the premises comprised in such leases, independently of the rights and remedies of the said Richard Astley and his successors, rectors of Perran Uthnoe, in respect of the remaining one-fourth part thereof, without any priority or preference between us and the said rectors for the time being: And, further, that we shall have full benefit and advantage, either jointly with, or separately from, the said Richard Astley and his successors, rectors of Perran Uthnoe for the time

being, of all or any of the covenants, conditions, and agreements in the said leases to be contained on the lessee's part, in like manner as if we had been grantors, lessors, and reversioners as aforesaid, and as in such leases shall be expressed; and that, for effectuating such objects, the said leases shall and may be framed in such manner and contain all such clauses and provisions as we shall approve, and shall have full force accordingly, any rule of law, statute, or custom, to the contrary notwithstanding.

"And we further recommend and propose, that we be authorized to apply, from time to time, if we shall think fit, all or any part of the monies which shall be received by us by virtue or on account of the reservation or reservations aforesaid (after deducting therefrom all costs, charges, and expenses which we may have incurred in respect of the premises) towards making better provision for the cure of souls within the original limits of the parish of Perran Uthnoe.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in conformity with the provisions of the said recited Acts or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas notice of the said scheme has been given to the said Richard Astley, as such rector as aforesaid, in accordance with the provisions of the first-recited Act, and he does not object thereto.

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

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 25th day of *February*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications, the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical duties and revenues," and of another Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for enabling Ecclesiastical Corporations, aggregate and sole, to grant leases for long terms of years," duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the fourteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the words and figures following; that is to say:

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the third and fourth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to carry into effect, with certain modifications,

'the fourth report of the Commissioners of Ecclesiastical duties and revenues,' and of another Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifth and sixth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act for enabling Ecclesiastical Corporations, aggregate and sole, to grant leases for long terms of years,' have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following scheme, for determining the portion of the improved value to be made payable to us in a certain lease of minerals about to be granted by the Rector of Calstock, in the county of Cornwall.

"Whereas by the said last-recited Act it was enacted, that it should be lawful for any Ecclesiastical Corporation, aggregate or sole (with certain exceptions, which do not include rectors), from time to time, with the consent or consents thereby required, to grant or demise by lease, in manner thereafter mentioned, any mines, minerals, quarries, or beds belonging to such corporation, together with the right of working or of opening and working the same.

"And whereas by the same Act it was further enacted, that in case of any lease of mines, minerals, quarries, or beds granted thereunder, such portion of the improved value accruing under such lease, as by the authority provided in the first-recited Act should be determined, not being more than three-fourth parts nor less than one moiety of such improved value, should forthwith, and from time to time as the same should accrue, be paid to us, and should be subject to the provisions relating to monies payable to us.

"And whereas, with the consent required by the said Act, and otherwise in accordance with the provisions thereof, it is proposed by the Reverend Frederick Thomas Batchelor, the present rector of Calstock aforesaid, to grant or demise by lease the minerals lying under a portion of the glebe lands attached to his benefice, situate at Calstock aforesaid, belonging to him as such rector.

"And whereas the improved value to accrue under the lease so proposed to be granted as aforesaid will, according to the meaning of the same Act, be the whole of the rents, royalties, or other reservations which will become payable by virtue of such lease.

"Now, therefore, we humbly recommend and propose that three-fourth parts of the whole net amount of the reservation or reservations to be made in the said lease so to be granted, whether consisting of rent, royalty, or otherwise, shall, by such lease, be made directly payable to us; and that we shall have all the like remedies in respect of such three-fourth parts of any such reservation as aforesaid as if the same were a separate rent reserved to us as lessors or grantors and reversioners of the premises comprised in such lease, independently of the rights and remedies of the said Frederick Thomas Batchelor and his successors, rectors of Calstock, in respect of the remaining one-fourth part thereof, without any priority or preference between us and the rector of Calstock for the time being: And further, that we shall have full benefit and advantage, either jointly with or separately from the said Frederick Thomas Batchelor and his successors, rectors of Calstock for the time being, of all or any of the covenants, conditions, and agreements in the said lease to be contained on the lessee's part, in like manner as if we had been grantors, lessors, and reversioners as aforesaid, and as in such lease shall be expressed; and that, for effectuating such objects, the said lease shall and may be framed in such manner, and contain all such clauses and provisions, as we shall approve, and shall have

full force accordingly, any rule of law, statute, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

"And we further recommend and propose, that we be authorized to apply, from time to time, if we shall think fit, all or any part of the monies which shall be received by us by virtue or on account of the reservation or reservations aforesaid (after deducting therefrom all costs, charges, and expenses which we may have incurred in respect of the premises) towards making better provision for the cure of souls within the limits of the parish of Calstock aforesaid.

"And we further recommend and propose, that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid, or any of them, in conformity with the provisions of the said recited Acts, or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas notice of the said scheme has been given to the said Frederick Thomas Batchelor, as such rector as aforesaid, in accordance with the provisions of the first-recited Act, and he does not object thereto.

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

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Downing-Street, March 1, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James R. Holligan Esq., to be Auditor of Public Accounts for the Island of Barbados.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint John Yeedon Lloyd, Esq., and Sir Samuel Osborne Gibbes, Bart., to be Members of the Legislative Council of New Zealand.

Whitehall, March 3, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Donald Mackinnon to the Church and Parish of Strath, in the Presbytery and Isle of Skye, vacant by the death of the Reverend John Mackinnon, late Minister thereof.

Whitehall, March 3, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Charles Harris, Esq., Chief Constable of the county of Hants, and Captain Douglas William Parish Labalme liere, Inspecting Superintendent of the Metropolitan Police, to be the Assistant Commissioners of Police of the Metropolis.

Admiralty, 1st March, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Henry Pascoe to be First Lieutenant, vice Nason, resigned his Commission.

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

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Henry Atkins Bowyer, Gent., to be an Ensign, vice Clark, retired. Dated 29th February, 1856.

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

Herefordshire Regiment of Militia.

William Christopher Seymour, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Brown, promoted.

John Early, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Archibald, appointed to the 50th Regiment of Foot.

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

1st Cornwall Rifles.

Lieutenant Fulbert Archer to be Captain, vice Glanville, resigned. Dated 27th February, 1856.

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

Inverness, Banff, Elgin, and Nairn Regiment of Highland Light Infantry Militia.

The Honourable Lewis Alexander Grant to be Captain, vice William Duff, who retires.

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

90th, Stirlingshire, &c., Militia, Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

John Crawford Tait, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Alexander Robert Abercromby Boyd, resigned.

Francis Pringle, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Francis Fawkes, appointed to the 71st Regiment of Foot.

Commissions signed by Her Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the County of Lanark.

1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Lieutenant Sir Henry Orlando Robert Chamberlain, Bart., to be Captain, vice Robertson, deceased. Dated 25th February, 1856.

Ensign William Mitchell to be Lieutenant, vice Crawford, promoted. Dated 25th February, 1856.

Ensign Robert Savery Rouse to be Lieutenant, vice Chamberlain, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1856.

George Paulet, Gent., to be Ensign, vice MacDonald, resigned. Dated 25th February, 1856.

James McGregor, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Mackenzie, appointed to 30th Foot. Dated 26th February, 1856.

John Cameron Pender, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Hussey, appointed to 39th Foot. Dated 27th February, 1856.

Alexander Martin Edmiston, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Mitchell, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1856.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Ensign Robert Pollock to be Lieutenant, vice Eddington, appointed to 92nd Foot. Dated 25th February, 1856.

Ensign James Begg to be Lieutenant, vice William Fullarton Fullarton, appointed to 92nd Foot. Dated 26th February, 1856.

John Forbes, Gent., to be Ensign, vice John Pollock, resigned. Dated 25th February, 1856.

John Charles Mariette, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Eddington, promoted. Dated 26th February, 1856.

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

Hertfordshire Militia.

Ensign Augustus Temple to be Lieutenant.
Dated 1st March, 1856.

Ensign Edward Dorricer Newbolt to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st March, 1856.

Ensign Henry Joseph Toulmin to be Lieutenant.
Dated 1st March, 1856.

South Herts Yeomanry.

Stevenson Arthur Blackwood, Esq., to be Cornet.
Dated 29th February, 1856.

Henry Sambrook Crawley, Esq., to be Adjutant.
Dated 29th February, 1856.

November 16, 1855.

The Supreme Court of Judicature at Bombay has appointed Charles Wilkin, of 10, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, a Commissioner of that Court, for taking affidavits and examining witnesses in the city of London, and elsewhere in England.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, March 3, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of proceeds arising from the Russian schooner, no name, No. 12,044, captured on the 29th May, 1855, by Her Majesty's ship Merlin, will commence on Monday the 17th March, 1856, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor, serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Secretary of the Admiralty, London," in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes:—

	£	s.	d.
Flag share . . .	15	6	6
Captain . . .	36	8	0
Second class . . .	14	7	7
Third class . . .	11	10	1
Fourth class . . .	7	7	11
Fifth class . . .	4	2	2
Sixth class . . .	3	14	0
Seventh class . . .	2	9	5
Eighth class . . .	1	4	8
Ninth class . . .	0	16	5
Tenth class . . .	0	8	2

Haslingden Union.—Registration No. 3,902.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the registry of a separate building, named Dearden Gate Independent Chapel, situate at Haslingden, in the parish of Whalley, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of Haslingden, for solemnizing marriages therein, was cancelled; and that a separate building, named Dearden Gate Independent Chapel, situated at Haslingden aforesaid, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 27th day of February, 1856, duly registered in its stead for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 28th day of February, 1856.

Thomas Woodcock, Superintendent Registrar of the said Haslingden District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Methodist Association Chapel, situated in the parish of Lostwithiel, in the county of Cornwall, in the district of the Bodmin Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 23rd day of February, 1849, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 27th day of February, 1856.

W. R. Hicks, Superintendent Registrar.

Colne Valley and Halstead Railway.

Incorporation of Company; power to make Railway; to enter into arrangements with the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway; the Eastern Union Railway; and the Eastern Counties Railway Companies; and to enable those Companies to subscribe to the undertaking. Amendment of Acts, and for other purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Bill has been introduced into the House of Commons to incorporate a Company, and to confer on such Company power to make and maintain the railway and works hereinafter mentioned, or some part or parts thereof; that is to say:

A railway commencing by a junction with the line of the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway at a point situate about 37 yards north of the platform of the Chappel station thereof, in the parish of Wakes Colne, in the county of Essex, and terminating in a meadow on the west side of the public road from Halstead to Stisted, south of and adjoining a bridge over the river Colne, known as Parson's Bridge, at a point about 50 yards from the centre of the said public road, at the point at which the railway is intended to cross the same, and which said point is situate within and about forty yards south of the centre of the said bridge, in the parish of Halstead, in the said county of Essex, and which said meadow is in the occupation of the Reverend Charles Burney and Gabriel Daking Green; which said intended railway will pass from, in, through, or into the several parishes, townships, town-lands, and extra-parochial or other places following, or some of them; that is to say: Mount Bures, Chappel, Wakes Colne, White Colne, Colne Engaine, Earls Colne, and Halstead, all in the county of Essex.

And the said Bill confers upon the Company to be incorporated, the following powers or some of them; that is to say: to make lateral deviations from the line of the said railway and works to the extent shown upon the plans hereinafter mentioned;

to form junctions with any railway or railways at the commencement or termination, or in the line or course of the said intended railway and works in the several parishes, townships, townlands, and extra-parochial or other places aforesaid or any of them. To cross, stop up, alter, or divert, for the purposes of the said railway and works, either temporarily or permanently, any turnpike, public, carriage, and other roads, highways, streets, footways, railways, tramroads, aqueducts, canals, rivers, navigations, sewers, drains, and streams in the several parishes, townships, townlands, and extra-parochial or other places before mentioned or any of them. To levy tolls, rates, and duties upon or for the use of the said intended railway and works, and to confirm, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment of such tolls, rates, and duties respectively. To make and maintain stations, sidings, wharfs, approaches, roads, and other works and conveniences within the said parishes, townships, townlands, and extra-parochial or other places aforesaid or some of them. To purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, the lands and houses required for the purposes of the said intended railway and works, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all existing rights and privileges connected with such lands and houses respectively, and all such other rights and privileges of any company, corporation, commissioners, trustees, or other persons, whether held under Act of Parliament, or otherwise, which would in any manner interfere with the construction, maintenance, and use of the said intended railway and works, or either of them. And it is also intended to confer upon the Company to be incorporated other powers, rights, and privileges, for the purpose of carrying into effect the several objects and provisions aforesaid, and particularly power to authorize parties having limited interests, or being under any disability or incapacity to sell or convey lands in consideration of an annual rent-charge. And the said Bill also authorizes the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or any or either of them, to subscribe funds towards the said undertaking, or any part thereof, and to guarantee to the intended Company such interest, dividend, annual or other payments, as may be agreed upon between such Companies respectively, and to take and hold shares in the said undertaking, and to apply any capital or funds now or hereafter respectively belonging to them, or under the control of their respective directors, or to raise additional capital by the creation of new shares in their several undertakings, or any of them, either with or without preference or priority in payment of interest or dividend, or by borrowing on mortgage or bond, for the aforesaid purposes, or any of them; and also to enable the said Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or any or either of them, to vote at meetings of the said Company, to be incorporated as aforesaid, and to appoint Directors of such last-mentioned Company. And it is also intended to apply for powers to enable such last-mentioned Company, and the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or either of them, or any other Company, persons, bodies politic or corporate, to enter into mutual arrangements or agreements with respect to the several matters aforesaid, or any of them, or for the construction, maintenance, or use of the said intended railway, by the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury

and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or any or either of them, or any other persons, bodies politic or corporate; and also to authorise the Company to be incorporated as aforesaid, to run and pass over the several lines of railway of the said Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or either of them; and also to enable such last-mentioned Companies, or either of them, to run and pass over the lines of the proposed railway, when made, with engines and carriages; or to enable all or any of such Companies to enter into arrangements or agreements for an interchange of traffic, and for the purposes aforesaid, to authorise the said Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company (so far as may be necessary), to alter, vary, and limit the tolls, rates, and duties demanded and received by them under the several Acts relating to the said Companies respectively, and for the use by the Company so to be incorporated as aforesaid of the several stations, conveniences, and works belonging to the said Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway Company, the Eastern Union Railway Company, and the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or either of them, upon such terms and conditions, and under and subject to such payments, as shall be agreed upon between such last-mentioned Companies, or either of them, and the Company so to be incorporated as aforesaid, or as, in case of dispute, shall be determined by the Board of Trade; and further to confirm all or any arrangements or agreements which may have been entered into for the several purposes aforesaid, or any of them, prior to the passing of the said intended Act, and vary or extinguish all such rights and privileges as could or might interfere with the several objects aforesaid, or any or either of them. And it is further intended for the purposes aforesaid, to alter, amend, enlarge, or repeal, so far as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid, all or some of the powers and provisions of the several Acts herein-after mentioned or referred to, or some or one of them; that is to say, to alter, amend, enlarge, or repeal, all or some of the powers and provisions of the several Acts, directly or indirectly relating to or affecting the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway Company, or its undertakings, or the property, rights, and interests of the said Company, or any of them. And also all or some of the powers and provisions of the several Acts directly or indirectly relating to or affecting the Eastern Union Railway Company, or its undertakings, or the property, rights, and interests of the said Company, or any of them; and also all or some of the powers and provisions of the several Acts, directly or indirectly relating to or affecting the Eastern Counties Railway Company, or its undertakings, or the property, rights, and interests of the said Company, or any of them; together with the several powers and provisions of all or any other Acts, which can or may interfere with the carrying out of the several objects aforesaid, or any or either of them.

That in the said Bill power is sought by the thirty-second clause for the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury, and Halstead Railway Company, to sell and convey to the owners of the adjoining lands certain parcels of land purchased by the said Company, for the purposes of a line of railway from Chappel to Halstead, authorized to be constructed by "The Colchester, Stour Valley,

Sudbury, and Halstead Railway Act, 1846," which said line of railway has long since been abandoned, and the powers of the said Act for the construction of the same have long since expired; and power is also sought for the said Company to receive, take, and hold the purchase money for the said lands in paid up shares of the Company to be incorporated by the said Bill.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the thirtieth day of November last, duplicate plans and sections of the said intended railway and works, together with a book of reference thereto, and a published map showing the general course and direction of the said intended railway and works, and a copy of the notice, as published in the London Gazette, were deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Essex, at his office at Chelmsford, in the said county; and that on or before the said thirtieth day of November a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference, as relates to each parish in or through which the said intended railway and works are proposed to be made; and also a copy of the notice, as published in the London Gazette, were deposited with the parish clerk of each such parish, at his residence, and, in the case of any extra-parochial place, with the parish clerk of some parish immediately adjoining such extra-parochial place, at his place of abode.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the thirty-first day of December last, printed copies of the said Bill were deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1856.

Mayhew and Salmon, Halsted, Essex, and
30, Great George-street, Westminster,
Solicitors for the Bill.

In the Matter of Letters Patent for England and Wales and the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, for Scotland and for Ireland respectively, granted to William Longmaid, of Plymouth, Accountant, for "improvements in treating ores and other minerals, and in obtaining various products therefrom, certain parts of which improvements are applicable to the manufacture of alkali," the letters patent for England, Wales, and Berwick-upon-Tweed, bearing date the 20th day of October, 1842, the letters patent for Scotland bearing date the 13th day of March, 1843, and the letters patent for Ireland bearing date the 4th day of May, 1843.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and in pursuance of an Act, made and passed in the 5th and 6th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to amend the law touching letters patent for inventions," of an Act made and passed in the 7th and 8th years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for amending an Act passed in the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled 'An Act for the better administration of justice in His Majesty's Privy Council and to extend its jurisdiction and powers,' and of 'The Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852;'" the said William Longmaid, now of Victoria Cottage, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, together with Thomas Julian Pote, of Plympton, in the county of Devon, Surgeon, Alfred Hingston, Banker, and William Joseph Square, Surgeon, both of Plymouth aforesaid, the assignees of the said several letters patent, intend to petition Her Majesty in Council, praying Her Majesty to grant

to them a prolongation of the respective terms of sole using and vending the invention for which the said several letters patent were so granted as aforesaid. And notice is hereby further given, that an application will be made on the 5th day of April, 1856, or so soon after as their Lordships shall be sitting and counsel can be heard, to the Right Honourable the Lords of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, to fix an early day for the hearing of the matters contained in the said petition; and all persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of such petition, are, on or before the said 5th day of April, 1856, to enter a caveat at the Privy Council Office.

Watkins and Hooper.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2355. Frederick Whitaker, of Murray-street, New North-road, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the construction of sewing machines."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of October, 1855.

2361. And Charles Lenny, of Croydon, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in carriages."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of October, 1855.

2370. And Thomas Roberts and John Dale, of Manchester, Manufacturing Chemists, in the county of Lancaster, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in treating and preparing amylicious substances for the purpose of stiffening."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of October, 1855.

2382. And Ellis Butterworth, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing, spinning, and doubling cotton, wool, and other fibrous materials."

2383. And Charles Crickmay, of Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, and Frederic Joseph Clowes, of Camberwell, in the same county, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of guns, pistols, and gun-stocks, and in cutting and carving wood, metals, minerals, and other materials, by machinery."

2385. And Eugène Hippolyte Rascol, of Catherine-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus used in the manufacture of type and other articles for letter-press printing."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office, on the 24th day of October, 1855.

2387. And Henry Tritton, of Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, Esquire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved safety apparatus for the protection of persons while painting the exterior of buildings and cleaning windows, which may be used as a balcony for holding flowers."

2389. And James Platt, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanical Engineer, and John Whitehead, of the same place, Foreman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing clay for the manufacture of bricks."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 25th day of October, 1855.

2398. And Henry Wyatt, of 58, Pall Mall, London, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a peculiar apparatus for more rapidly and perfectly manœuvring or steering steam-ships of war or of commerce, which is entitled 'The Transpulsor.'"

2399. And Simon O'Regan, of Liverpool, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in marine engine boilers and other boilers and their furnaces."

2402. And George Geyelin, of Melville-terrace, Torriano-avenue, Camden-road, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved construction of perambulator."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 27th day of October, 1855.

2410. And Joseph Whitworth, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in artillery and fire-arms."

2413. And Germain Jean Paul Marie Villeroix, of Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacturing of soap."

2414. And William Hartley, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in safety valves."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 29th day of October, 1855.

2423. And William Henry Walenn, of 46, Regent-street, London, county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "self-acting attachment to be applied to gates."—A communication from Henry Davis, of United States, America.

2424. And Robert Griffiths, Journeyman Joiner, Lower Broughton, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a compound and exact measurement tap, applicable to the measurement of every kind of liquor or liquid."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office, on the 31st day of October, 1855.

2451. And Robert Cook, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, N.B., Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for effecting the operations of punching, rivetting, and shearing."

As set forth in his petition recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of November, 1855.

2466. And William Gardner, of the firm of William, Henry, and Alexander Gardner, of Droylesden, in the county of Lancaster, Watch Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of manufacturing watches or other time

keepers, and also improvements in the machinery, tools, or apparatus for accomplishing the same." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of November, 1855.

2481. And George Burridge, of Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Architect, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the preparation of glass for ornamental purposes."

2487. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in fire-arms."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 5th day of November, 1855.

2488. And Joseph Jessop, of Lascelles Hall, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, Manufacturing Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of furnaces and boilers."

2490. And Richard Goose, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cut nails."

2495. And Edward Jeffreys, of Shrewsbury, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the construction of furnaces."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 6th day of November, 1855.

2562. And Thomas Skinner, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Silver Plater, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in producing figures or ornaments upon the surfaces of metals."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of November, 1855.

2578. And William Lea, of the firm of William and John Lea, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement or improvements in taps or cocks."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 15th day of November, 1855.

2653. And Charles Sanderson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of iron."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of November, 1855.

2666. And Thomas Allan, of Adelphi-terrace, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in applying electricity."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 27th day of November, 1855.

2695. And James Egleson Anderson Gwynne, of Essex Wharf, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in instruments for indicating pressure or vacuum."

2696. And Charles Maybury Archer, Gentleman of the Press, of No. 3, St. James'-gardens, Haverstock-hill, Hampstead-road, county Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new material for the manufacture of paper, and for the production of textile fabrics."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of November, 1855.

2702. And Edward Daniel Johnson, of Wilington-square, in the county of Middlesex, Watch Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the construction of attachable seconds watches." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of November, 1855.

2708. And William Ward, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Spinner and Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of December, 1855.

2839. And William Clay, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of bar iron."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of December, 1855.

2894. And James Murdoch, of 7, Staple-inn, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines or apparatus for working chain stitch embroidery."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of December, 1855.

2917. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in treating beetroot and other saccharine vegetable substances, in order to extract alcohol therefrom, and at the same time render or leave the remaining parts of the vegetable fit food for cattle."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of December, 1855.

2923. And Thomas Duppa Duppa, of Longville, in the county of Salop, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in generating and heating steam."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of December, 1855.

91. And Charles François Leopold Oudry, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the preservation of metals and other solid substances."

93. And William Owen, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Iron Master, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of railway wheels and tyres."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of January, 1856.

106. And William Owen, of Rotherham, in the county of York, Iron Master, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stoves and fire-places."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of January, 1856.

204. And Alexander Dalgety, of 76, Florence-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in vices, or gripping or holding apparatus."

206. And William Owen, of the firm of Owen, Stodart, and Company, of Red Lion-square, in the county of Middlesex, Piano Forte Manu-

facturers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in piano fortes."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 25th day of January, 1856.

231. And Jean Hector Destibeaux, Manufacturer, of Paris, in the French Empire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved waterproof fabric."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of January, 1856.

297. And Rudolph Bodmer, of No. 2, Thavies-inn, Holborn, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved lubricating oil."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 4th day of February, 1856.

307. And George Cumins Thomas, of Washington City, United States, but now of 67, Gracechurch-street, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of hardening and tempering steel."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of February, 1856.

340. And Charles Walker, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in safety valves and in apparatus for cleansing or purifying water in steam-boilers."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of February, 1856.

350. And Louis Schwartzkopff, of Berlin, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for raising mud and soil from the bottoms of rivers and other waters."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 9th day of February, 1856.

354. And William Horatio Harfield, of 113, Fenchurch-street, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of metallic screw nuts."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of February, 1856.

356. And Henry Bessemer, of Queen-street-place, New Cannon-street, in the city of London, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of malleable or bar iron and steel."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 12th day of February, 1856.

366. And Samuel Fox, of Stocks Bridge, in the parish of Peniston, in the county of York, Wire Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in springs for railway and other carriages."

368. And William Gilchrist, of Kirkintilloch, in the county of Dumbarton, North Britain, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ornamental weaving."

370. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of fire-arms."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 13th day of February, 1856.

384. And William Hamond Bartholomew, of 15, Brunswick-terrace, Leeds, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in propelling vessels when screws or submerged propellers are used."

388. And Charles Cowper, of 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in impregnating wood with preservative and colouring materials, and in apparatus for that purpose."—A communication from the late Henri Boucherie, of Bordeaux, in France.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 14th day of February, 1856.

394. And James Hogg, junior, Publisher, of No. 4, Nicolson-street, Edinburgh, in the county of Edinburgh, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of envelopes and certain other combinations and applications of paper and gum, denominated 'Letter Checks' for containing and securing written, printed, or other communications."

398. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for making boots and shoes."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 15th day of February, 1856.

406. And James Strang Thomson, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Manufacturer, and Andrew Barclay, of the same place, Engineer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in printing and embossing textile fabrics and other surfaces, and in the production of apparatus to be employed therein."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of February, 1856.

416. And Stephen Fitchew Cox, of the city of Bristol, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of leather, and in machinery for that purpose."

422. And Richard Waygood, of Newington-causeway, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved portable laundry, or combined boiling, washing, mangling, and drying and ironing apparatus."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 19th day of February, 1856.

423. And William Aristides Vérel, of Macduff, in the county of Banff, Scotland, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in grinding or pulverizing hoofs and horns, and in using them alone or mixed with pulverized bones for manure."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 20th day of February, 1856.

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

Errata in Friday's Gazette.

After No. 852, for "353," read "854."
854. For "Hammond," read "Hamond."

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Amazon Life Assurance and Loan Company.

BY direction of Joseph Humphry, Esq., the Master of the High Court of Chancery, charged with the winding up of this Company; notice is hereby given, that the said Master purposes, on Tuesday the 11th day of March, 1856, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, to proceed to make a call on the several persons who are included in class A in the list of contributories of the said Company, as settled by the said Master up to this day, and that the said Master purposes that such call shall be for ten shillings per share. All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place, to offer objections to such call.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1856. *J. Humphry.*

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the London Mercantile Life Assurance Company.

I WILLIAM HENRY TINNEY, Esq., the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of the affairs of this Company, do peremptorily order that a call of five shillings per share be made on each of the contributories of this Company; and I do peremptorily order each contributory, on or before the 12th day of March, 1856, to pay to Robert Palmer Harding, the Official Manager of this Company, at his offices, No. 4, Lothbury, in the city of London, the balance (if any), which will be due from him after debiting his account in the Company's books with such call.—Dated this 13th day of February, 1856. *W. H. Tinney.*

North-Eastern Railway.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the North-Eastern Railway Company, duly convened in such manner as meetings are, by their Act of Incorporation and other Acts, required to be called, and are usually called and held at the De Grey Rooms, in the city of York, on Thursday, the twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, it was resolved and determined by more than a majority of two-thirds of the votes of the Shareholders in such meeting assembled, either in person or by proxy, that the said Company did concur with the London and North-Western, the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire, and the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Companies, or any of them, and any other Company or Companies, in accepting and did accept, either as joint tenants or tenants in common with such other Companies, or any of them, and in such shares and proportions as might be agreed upon, a lease or leases from the Company of Proprietors of the Rochdale Canal, of the tolls and duties authorized to be levied and taken by them upon their canal or navigation or any part thereof, and of the warehouses and other property belonging to such last-named Company, so far as the same might be necessary for the due and proper collection and receipt of such tolls and duties, or incidental thereto, or as the same Company might have power to lease the same, or to authorize the use and enjoyment of such warehouses and other property for the purposes of the lease of such tolls and duties upon such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding

twenty-one years, as the Directors of the said North-Eastern Railway Company, and the said other Companies accepting such lease or leases, might think fit, and the Directors of the said North-Eastern Railway Company were authorized to affix the seal of the same Company to such lease or leases and any counterpart or counterparts thereof, and to do such other acts as might be requisite effectually to complete the same, with which intent it was determined and intended to, and the said meeting determined that the said Directors might, adopt and exercise all or some of the powers and provisions of "An Act to enable Canal Companies to become carriers of goods upon their canals."—York, 22nd February, 1856.

W. O'Brien, Secretary.

Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company duly convened in such manner as meetings are by their Act of Incorporation required to be called, or are usually held at the Palatine Hotel, Hunt's Bank, in Manchester, on the fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, it was unanimously resolved and determined, that the said Company did concur with the London and North Western Railway Company, the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, and the North Eastern Railway Company, or any of them, in accepting, and did accept either as joint tenants or as tenants in common with such other Companies, or any of them, in such shares and proportions as might be agreed upon, a lease or leases from the Company of Proprietors of the Rochdale Canal, of the tolls and duties authorised to be levied and taken upon their canal or navigation, or any part thereof, and of the wharves, warehouses, and other property of the same Company, or the use and enjoyment thereof, so far as the same Company might have power to lease the same, or to authorise the use and enjoyment thereof, at such rent or rents, upon such terms and conditions and for such period, not exceeding twenty-one years, as the Directors of the said Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company (in concurrence with the respective Directors of the other Companies accepting such lease or leases), might think fit, and the Directors of the said Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company were authorised to affix the seal of the said Company to such lease or leases and any counterpart or counterparts thereof, and to do all such other acts as might be requisite for effectually completing the same, for which purpose it was determined, and the said meeting authorised the Directors of the said Company to adopt and exercise all or any of the powers and provisions of the Act 8th and 9th Victoria, cap. 42, intituled "An Act to enable Canal Companies to become carriers of goods upon their canals."—Manchester, February 25, 1856.

Win. S. Lawn, Secretary.

Rochdale Canal.

IN pursuance of the Act of the session of the 8th and 9th years of Her present Majesty, chapter 42, notice is hereby given, that at a Special Assembly of the Company of Proprietors of the Rochdale Canal, duly convened in the manner in which Special Assemblies are by their Act of Incorporation required to be called and held, at the Wellington Hotel, in Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, on Wednesday, the twelfth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-

five, it was unanimously determined by the votes of the Shareholders or Proprietors in such meeting assembled :

That the tolls and duties upon the whole and every part of the canal and navigation of this Company, shall be let on lease by this Company to the London and North-Western Railway Company, the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, the Manchester, Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway Company, and the North-Eastern Railway Company, or such of them as may concur in accepting the same, either as joint tenants, or as tenants in common, and in such shares and at such rent or several rents, and upon such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding twenty-one years from the commencement of such lease as the Committee of Management of this Company may think fit; and that (either together with or separately from the said tolls and duties) the warehouses, wharfs, and other property of this Company, or such part thereof, or such use and benefit thereof, or of any part thereof as the said Committee of Management may think fit, shall be let on lease by this Company to the London and North-Western Railway Company, the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, the Manchester, Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway Company, and the North-Eastern Railway Company, or such of them as may concur in accepting the same, either as joint tenants, or as tenants in common, and in such shares, at such rent or several rents, and upon such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding twenty-one years from the commencement of such lease as the said Committee of Management may think fit; and that the said Committee of Management shall and may affix the seal of this Company to such lease or leases, and any other documents for effecting all or any of the objects of this resolution, and to any counterpart or counterparts thereof, and in relation to the matters aforesaid, every and any of them, this Company hereby determines to adopt, and authorises the said Committee of Management to exercise the powers of leasing contained in the Act 8th and 9th Victoria, cap. 42, intituled "An Act to empower Canal Companies to become carriers of goods upon their canals."—Dated this twenty-fifth day of February, 1856.

Richard Eadson, Clerk of the Rochdale Canal Company.

Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, duly convened in such manner as meetings are by their Act of Incorporation required to be called, or are usually called, held at the Palatine Hotel, Hunt's Bank, in Manchester, on the eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, it was resolved and determined that the said Company did concur with the Lancashire and Yorkshire, the North-Eastern, and the London and North-Western Railway Companies, or any one or more of them, and any other Company or Companies, in accepting, and did accept, either as joint tenants or as tenants in common with such other Companies, or any of them, and in such shares or proportions as might be agreed upon, a lease or leases from the Company of Proprietors of the Rochdale Canal of the tolls and duties authorised to be levied and taken by them upon their canal or navigation, or any part thereof, and of the warehouses and other property belonging to such last-named Company,

so far as the same may be necessary for the due and proper collection and receipt of such tolls and duties, or incidental thereto, as the said Company may have power to lease the same, or to authorise the use and enjoyment of such warehouses and other property for the purposes of the lease of such tolls and duties, upon such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding twenty-one years, as the Directors of the said Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, and the said other Companies accepting such lease or leases, might think fit; and the Directors of the said Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company were authorised to affix the seal of the said Company to such lease or leases, and any counterpart or counterparts thereof, and to do all such other acts as might be requisite effectually to complete the same, with which intent it was determined and intended to, and the said meeting did determine, that the said Directors of the said Company might adopt and exercise all or some of the powers and provisions of "An Act to enable Canal Companies to become carriers of goods upon their canals."—Manchester, February 23, 1856.

Edwd. Ross, Secretary to the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company.

London and North Western Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of the London and North Western Railway Company, duly convened in such manner as meetings are by their Act of Incorporation required to be called, or are usually called, held at their station in Euston-square, in London, on the twenty-second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, it was unanimously resolved and determined, that the said Company did concur with the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, and the North Eastern Railway Company, or any of them, in accepting and did accept, either as joint tenants or as tenants in common with such other Companies, or any of them, in such shares and proportions as might be agreed upon, a lease or leases from the Company of Proprietors of the Rochdale Canal, of the tolls and duties authorised to be levied and taken upon their canal or navigation, or any part thereof, and of the wharves, warehouses, and other property of the same Company, or the use and enjoyment thereof, so far as the same Company might have power to lease the same, or to authorise the use and enjoyment thereof, at such rent or rents, upon such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding twenty-one years, as the Directors of the said London and North Western Railway Company (in concurrence with the respective Directors of the other Companies accepting such lease or leases), might think fit, and the Directors of the said London and North Western Railway Company were authorised to affix the seal of the said Company to such lease or leases, and any counterpart or counterparts thereof, and to do all such other acts as might be requisite for effectually completing the same, for which purpose it was determined, and the said meeting authorised the Directors of the said Company to adopt and exercise all or any of the powers and provisions of the Act 8th and 9th Victoria, cap. 42, intituled "An Act to enable Canal Companies to become carriers of goods upon their canals."—Euston Station, 27th February, 1856.

Chas. E. Stewart, Secretary.

CONTRACT FOR DRIED HIDES IN THE HAIR.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, February 14, 1856.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby give notice, that, on Tuesday the 11th March next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's several Dock Yards with

DRIED HIDES IN THE HAIR.

A sample of the hides and a form of the tender may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for Dried Hides," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £500 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR RUM.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, February 23, 1856.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 13th March 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,

Rum, 100,000 gallons; half to be delivered in one month, and the remainder in one month afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CONTRACT FOR SCOTCH BARLEY.

Department of the Comptroller for
Victualling, Somerset-House,
February 23, 1856.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 6th March 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, the undermentioned article, viz.:

Scotch Barley, 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 the barley.

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.

Samples of the barley (not less than 2 lbs.), 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 contract has been decided.

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

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

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

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

(Sixth Monthly Return.)

AN ACCOUNT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF LONDON, on Friday the 29th February, 1856, published pursuant to the provisions of the Act to regulate Joint Stock Banks in England.

Liabilities.				Assets.			
Dr.		£	s. d.	Cr.		£	s. d.
To Paid up Capital		300,000	0 0	By Government and other Securities, Bills Discounted, Cash on Hand, &c.		1,190,883	16 5
To Amount due by the Bank on Current and other Accounts		890,883	16 5				
		£1,190,883	16 5			£1,190,883	16 5

Head Office, Threadneedle-street, 1st March, 1856.

M. Marshall, junior, Manager.

LONDON CHARTERED BANK OF AUSTRALIA.

STATEMENT of Average LIABILITIES and ASSETS, from 26th March to 25th June, 1855.

Liabilities.				Assets.			
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.
Notes in circulation—				Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals, also Gold and Silver in Bars, Bullion, or Gold Dust or Gold Ore ...		253,337	5 6
Not bearing Interest		150,267	15 3	Landed Property		35,470	17 11
Bearing Interest		—	—	Notes and Bills of other Banks		8,021	3 3
Bills in circulation—				Balances due from other Banks		103,255	1 8
Not bearing Interest		71,520	3 11	Amount of all Debts, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, Stocks, and Funded Debts (excepting Balances due to the Company from other Banks)		698,223	15 5
Bearing Interest		—	—				
Balances due to other Banks ...		28,067	1 0				
Cash deposited—							
Not bearing Interest		276,108	12 10				
Bearing Interest		—	—				
Total Liabilities		£525,963	13 0	Total Assets		£1,098,308	3 9

G. M. Bell, Secretary.
W. M. Young, Accountant.

D. Dunbar, Chairman.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 23rd day of February, 1856.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Andover Bank	Andover	Heath and Co.	10545
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Jemmett, Pomfret, & Co.	11445
Aylsham Bank	Aylsham	Copemans and Co.	3498
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Z. D. Hunt	29648
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	34852
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple	Marshall and Co.	8565
Basingstoke and Odiham Bank	Basingstoke	Seymour, Lamb, and Co.	23146
Bedford Bank	Bedford	T. Barnard and Sons	34213
Bewdley Bank	Bewdley	Nichols, Baker, and Co	10118
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester	H. M. and G. Tubb	13808
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Attwoods, Spooner, and Co.	22173
Birmingham and Warwickshire Bank	Birmingham	J. L. Moilliet and Sons	9114
Blandford Bank	Blandford	Oak and Co.	7560
Boston Bank	Boston	Garfit and Co.	62264
Boston Bank	Boston	H. and T. Gee and Co.	15180
Bridgwater Bank	Bridgwater	J. and J. L. Sealey	8198
Bristol Bank	Bristol	Miles, Miles, and Co.	38135
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank	Broseley	Pritchards, Boycott, & Co.	14814
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	21653
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Moor, and Co.	68412
Banbury Bank	Banbury	J. C. and A. Gillett	32050
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	Cobb and Son	23896
Bath City Bank	Bath	G. Moger and Son	671
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	34002
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Lloyds and Co.	22385
Bradford Old Bank	Bradford, Yorkshire	H. A. & W. M. Harris & Co.	12390
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon	Wilkins and Co.	58980
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton	Hall, West, and Co.	18845
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington	Harding, Smith, and Co.	11256
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Worlledge and Co.	2805
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge	Mortlock and Co.	16249
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Messrs. Fosters	48819
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	30921
Carmarthen Bank	Carmarthen	David Morris and Sons	20499
Chertsey Bank	Chertsey	La Coste and Son	3519
Colchester Bank	Colchester	Round, Green, and Co.	16834
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank	Colchester	Mills, Bawtree, and Co.	34719
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro	Tweedy and Co.	44935
Coventry Bank	Coventry	Little and Woodcock	7542
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.	17757
Craven Bank	Settle	Alcocks, Birkbeck, & Co.	68215
Chepstow Old Bank, Chepstow Bank, Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank	Chepstow	Bromage, Snead, and Co.	9263
Derby Bank	Derby	W. and S. Evans and Co.	10269
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.	33437
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank	Derby	Crompton, Newton & Co.	21754

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank.....	Devizes	Locke and Co.	8700
Diss Bank	Diss	Fincham and Co. ..	10626
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank...	Doncaster.....	Cooke and Co.	68179
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank..... }	Darlington	Backhouse and Co.	85071
Devonport Bank.....	Devonport	Hodge and Co.	8180
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank	Dorchester	R. and H. Williams	47780
East Cornwall Bank.....	Liskeard	Robins, Foster, and Co.	78846
East Riding Bank.....	Beverley	Bower and Co.	48115
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank	Chelmsford	Sparrow, Round, and Co.....	45290
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.	24557
Farringdon Bank and Bank of Wantage	Farringdon	Barnes, Medley, and Co	6406
Farnham Bank	Farnham	John and Jas. Knight	12452
Faversham Bank.....	Faversham	Hilton and Co.	6146
Godalming Bank.....	Godalming	Mellersh and Keen	5872
Guildford Bank	Guildford.....	Messrs. Haydon.....	14713
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	27293
Hastings Old Bank.....	Hastings	Smith, Hilder, and Co.....	32640
Hereford City and County Bank.....	Hereford	Matthews and Co.....	17765
Hertford and Ware Bank	Hertford	S. Adams and Co.....	20533
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.	19746
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon.....	Veasey, and Co.	51485
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.....	4797
Hemel Hempstead Bank.....	Hemel Hempstead	Smith and Whittingstall	24262
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank.....	Hitchin	Sharples and Co.	37279
Hereford, Ross and Archenfield } Bank, and Ross and Archenfield } Bank	Ross	Morgan and Co.	21896
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	20635
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, } Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Man- } ningtree and Mistley Bank, and } Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.	68375
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Mercer, Randall, and Co.	15389
Kington and Radnorshire Bank.....	Kington	Davies and Co.	25116
Knighton Bank	Knighton	Davies and Co.	9103
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank.....	Knaresborough ..	Harrison and Co.	20903
Kendal Bank	Kendal	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co....	47895
Kettering Bank	Kettering.....	J. C. Gotch and Sons	8717
Longton Staffordshire Bank ..	Longton	C. Harvey and Sons	5329
Leeds Bank.....	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	53676
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams, Brown and Co. ...	36557
Leicester Bank	Leicester ..	T. and T. T. Paget	28354
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Whitfeld and Co.	29297
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.....	84917
Llandoverly Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank	Llandoverly	D. Jones and Co.	12626
Loughborough Bank ..	Loughborough.....	Middleton and Cradock	6726
Lymington Bank.....	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	3961
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co.	35287
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis.....	Jarvis and Co. ..	10828

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	12000
Manningtree Bank	Manningtree	Nunn and Co.	2358
Merionethshire Bank	Dolgelly	Williams and Son	4806
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	15531
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank	Abergavenny	Bailey and Co.	28365
Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, Chepstow Bank, Chepstow Old Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank.....	Monmouth	Bromage, Snead, and Co.	13530
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell.....	23381
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	45962
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Bunny, Slocock, and Co.	17950
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Eaton, Hammond, and Co.	20210
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Norwich ..	Harveys and Hudsons	46716
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich	Gurneys and Birkbecks	90381
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Bank	Nottingham	Hart, Fellows, and Co.	9126
Nuneaton Bank	Nuneaton	Craddock and Co.	3359
Naval Bank, Plymouth ..	Plymouth.....	Harris and Co.	17226
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Everett and Co.	10333
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	29077
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co.	10193
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons & Co.	32009
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank.....	Tonbridge	T. H. and S. Beeching.....	11145
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Co.	11145
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank.....	Hull	Pease and Co.	46164
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co.	10420
Peterborough Bank and Oundle Bank	Peterborough	D. Yorke and Co.	8668
Pembrokeshire Bank	Haverfordwest.....	J. and W. Walters	9043
Reading Bank ..	Reading	Simonds and Co.	30639
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	27800
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	6135
Rochdale Bank	Rochdale	Clement, Royds, and Co.	4101
Rochester, Chatham, and Strood Bank	Rochester.....	Day and Nicholson ..	7429
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Sons	15730
Rugby Bank	Rugby	A. Butlin and Son.....	9083
Rye Bank.....	Rye	R. C. Pomfret and Co.....	14806
Ross Old Bank, Herefordshire	Ross	Allaway and MacDougal	3967
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ...	Gibsons and Co.	31246
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury	Burton, Lloyd, and Co.	13519
Scarborough Old Bank ..	Scarborough ..	Woodall and Co.	23770
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ..	Shrewsbury..	Rocke, Eytons, and Co.	35023
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank.....	Sittingbourne	Vallance and Co.	2720
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton ..	Maddison and Pearce ..	11955
Southwell Bank	Southwell.....	Wylde and Co.	12076
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ..	Southampton	Atherley, Fall, and Co.....	3618
Stone Bank ..	Stone ..	W. Moore	345
Stafford Old Bank	Stafford	Stevenson and Co.	10312

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Stamford and Rutland Bank	Stamford	Eaton, Cayley, and Co.....	26199
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank.....	Shrewsbury	Beck, Downward, and Co.	23257
Taunton Bank.....	Taunton	H. and R. Badcock	23734
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock.....	Gill, Sons, and Co.	7880
Thornbury Bank.....	Thornbury	Rolph and Co.	7812
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank	Tiverton	Dunsford and Co.	9933
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire	Thrapston	Yorke and Eland	11199
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank	Tring	Butcher and Son	12229
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester	Percival and Co.	7870
Town and County of Poole Bank and } Ringwood and Poole Bank	Poole	G. W. Ledgard and Sons.....	10627
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston	Vivian and Co.	12916
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge.....	Hull, Smith, and Co.	14614
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford.....	Hedges, Wells, and Co.....	7341
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank.....	Warwick	Greaves and Co.	26482
Wellington Somerset Bank.....	Wellington	Fox, Brothers, and Co.....	3847
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	44911
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby	Simpson, Chapman, and Co.....	13560
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester	Bulpett and Co.	20475
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester } Bank	Weymouth	Eliot, Pearce, and Co.	15110
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- } shire Bank	Wirksworth.....	Arkwright and Co.	36433
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank	Wisbech	Gurneys and Co.	48970
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe	P. and W. Hancock	5859
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ..	Goodricke and Holyoake	9412
Worcester Bank	Worcester	Farley, Lavender, and Co.	5977
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- } bury Old Bank	Worcester	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	66859
Worcestershire Bank	Kidderminster	Farley, Turner, and Co.	8510
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ..	R. and W. F. Fryer	9291
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank... }	Yarmouth	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co.....	44640
Yarmouth, Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bart. & Co	12911
York Bank	York	Swann, Clough, and Co.	41165

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Bank of Westmorland ..	Kendal ..	12428
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley	9292
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford	50952
Bilston District Banking Company.....	Wolverhampton	9261
Bank of Whitehaven	Whitehaven	30942
Bradford Commercial Banking Company	Bradford	20571
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company	Burton-upon-Trent	46750
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company	Chesterfield	9310
Cumberland Union Banking Company	Workington ..	32935
Cheltenham and Gloucestershire Banking Company ..	Cheltenham	9117
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company	Coventry	23652

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry	12773
County of Gloucester Banking Company.....	Cheltenham	107873
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle.....	23767
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	19656
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company	Dudley	38043
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	20744
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	22738
East of England Bank.....	Norwich	23380
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	144505
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	17377
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	35505
Hull Banking Company	Hull	25923
Halifax Commercial Banking Company	Halifax	13618
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	42632
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1471
Herefordshire Banking Company	Hereford	18650
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company.....	Knaresborough	26518
Kingsbridge Joint Stock Bank	Kingsbridge	3387
Lancaster Banking Company.....	Lancaster	62783
Leeds Banking Company.....	Leeds	23214
Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	66585
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company.....	Lincoln	47187
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company.....	Leamington Priors	10452
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	9326
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company ...	Nottingham	31983
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham ..	24925
National Provincial Bank of England.....	Birmingham.....	396570
North Wilts Banking Company	Head Office, 112, Bishopsgate-st., London	
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Melksam	39056
Northamptonshire Banking Company.....	Northampton	77140
North and South Wales Bank.....	Northampton	23319
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	Liverpool	35255
Saddleworth Banking Company	Leicester	49175
Sheffield Banking Company.....	Saddleworth	1644
Stamford, Spalding and Boston Banking Company	Sheffield	34198
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire } Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Stamford	47994
Shropshire Banking Company.....	Langport	334870
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Shiftnall	39349
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company.....	Stourbridge.....	56236
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company.....	Sheffield	24028
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Sheffield	50526
	Richmond	47381
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton	32473
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	12919
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	28637
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company.....	Warwick	29057
West of England and South Wales District Bank.....	Bristol	80268
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	72632
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	32096
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch.....	5017
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester	5803
York Union Banking Company	York	66080
York City and County Banking Company.....	York	86566
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	120767

**CONTRACTS for FRESH BEEF, MUTTON,
BREAD, VEGETABLES, &c.**

FOR THE ROYAL MARINE INFIRMARIES AT WOOL-
WICH AND CHATHAM.

Admiralty, February 20, 1856.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 13th March next, at one o'clock, they will be ready, at the Office of the Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, Somerset-place, in London, to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of all such quantities of all or any of the following articles as shall from time to time be required for the use of either one or both of the Royal Marine Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham, from the 1st day of April next to the 31st day of March, 1857; viz.:

BEEF AND MUTTON.
BREAD.
MILK.
SOAP, YELLOW.
CANDLES, MOULDS AND DIPS.
VEGETABLES.

Samples of the soap and candles, together with the conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at this Office, or by applying to the Purveyor at the Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham.

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" 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 the contracts for beef and mutton, for bread and for vegetables, and in the sum of £50 for each of the others.

Royal Naval Hospital, Plymouth,
February 23, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I shall be ready at my Office, at the Royal Naval Hospital, Plymouth, on Monday, the 10th of March next, to receive Tenders, in writing (sealed up), and to treat for the supply of all such quantities of

Bread,	}	At per Cwt.,
Beef,		
Mutton,		
Yellow Soap,		
and		

Candles, at per dozen lbs.,
as shall be required for the service of the said Hospital, and also (with the exception of candles) for the service of the Royal Marine Infirmary, at Stonehouse, from the 1st of April, 1856, to the 31st of March, 1857, inclusive.

Half the amount of the stamp duty, on the contracts and bonds, to be paid by the contractors.

The further conditions of the several contracts, including the amounts in which the sureties will be required to become bound with the parties tendering, and also the amount of the fines which will be imposed for any violation of such contracts, may be known by applying at the office of the Agent of the said Hospital.

No regard will be paid to any tender in which the prices shall not be inserted in words at length, or that shall not be delivered into my office before

ten o'clock in the morning of the above-mentioned day; nor unless the persons who send in the tenders, or some one on their behalf, shall then be in attendance, to await the result.

The articles mentioned in each tender are to be noted on the back thereof.

Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons (who must name their places of abode), engaging to become bound with the party tendering, in such sum as will be required for the due performance of each of the said contracts.

Joseph Nias, Captain Superintendent.

East India-House, March 3, 1856.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of the bye-law of the East India Company, cap. 7, sec. 6, it is ordained:

"That a list shall be published thirty days before the Biennial Election of Directors, containing the names of such Proprietors qualified agreeable to law, as shall signify in writing to the Secretary their desire of becoming Candidates for the Election thirty-two days before such Biennial Election."

The Court of Directors of the said Company do hereby give notice, in order that the Proprietors may conform to the said bye-law, that the ensuing Election of Five Directors of the East India Company for six years, is appointed for Wednesday, the 9th April next, and that such list will be published thirty days before the said Election, as the above-mentioned bye-law directs.

James C. Melville, Secretary.

Bank of England, March 4, 1856.

THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice,

That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday the 13th instant, at twelve precisely, to consider of a dividend.

Also that another General Court will be held at the Bank, on Tuesday the 8th April next, from ten o'clock in the forenoon till four in the afternoon, for the election of a Governor and Deputy Governor for the year ensuing (which will be declared that evening); and the same Court will be continued, by adjournment, and held at the same place, and during the same hours, on Wednesday the 9th April next, for the election of twenty-four Directors (which will also be one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the charter); and the election of the twenty-four Directors will be declared as soon as the scrutiny is over.

Printed lists of the Proprietors having votes will be ready to be delivered at the Bank, on Tuesday the 25th March.

John Bentley, Secretary.

N.B. By an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of George 3rd, no person will be entitled to vote at the said election who shall not have been six calendar months possessed, in his own right, of the stock for which he shall then give his vote, unless the said stock shall have been acquired or shall have come by bequest, or by marriage, or by succession to an intestate's estate, or by the custom of the city of London, or by any deed of settlement after the death of any person who shall have been entitled for life to the dividends of such stock.

St. Katharine Docks.

February 26, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under authority of the 117th section of the 6th George 4th, cap. 105, the Directors of the St. Katharine Dock Company will cause to be put up to auction, at a Rummage Sale, on or about the 19th of March

next, and following days, sundry Wines, Spirits, and Cordials (which have been in deposit several years), for the payment of the rates, rent, and charges due thereon; and that such of the goods as shall not be then sold will be destroyed, under the sanction of Her Majesty's Customs.

Particulars may be ascertained upon application at the Superintendent's Office, St. Katharine Docks, and the proprietors of any of the goods, who may be desirous of preventing the sale thereof, may do so upon payment of the rates, rent, and charges due upon the same, to the Collector, at the Dock House, on or before the 17th of March next.

The goods will be on show, at the Docks, from Tuesday, the 11th of March, until the day of sale; and catalogues may be obtained of Mr. J. G. Wian, Wine and Spirit Broker, No. 18, Mark-lane, London.

By order of the Court,
T. W. Collet, Secretary.

Athenæum Fire Office.
30, Sackville Street, London,
March 4, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the Athenæum Fire Insurance Society, will be held at the offices of the Society, No. 30, Sackville-street, London, on Saturday next, the 8th March, at one o'clock precisely, for the appointment of Directors, and for other purposes.

By order of the Board,
Henry Salter, Manager.

Royal Harbour of Ramsgate Office,
22, Austin Friars, London, February 29, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the General Annual Meeting of the Trustees for the maintenance and improvement of the Harbour of Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, and for cleansing, amending, and preserving the Haven of Sandwich, in the same county, will, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of Parliament 32nd George the Third, cap. 74, be held at this office, on Wednesday, the 19th of March next, at half-past twelve o'clock at noon precisely, to choose a Chairman, Deputy Chairman, and a Committee of Treasury, for the year ensuing; and to elect by ballot, in pursuance of the Act of Parliament 37th of George 3rd, cap. 86, three of the Trustees, to be of the Committee of Managers or Directors, for three years, in the room of those going out by rotation.

By order,
Thos. M. Shadwell, Secretary.

Offices of the British American Land Company, No. 35½, New Broad-street, London, February 27, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors of the British American Land Company is appointed to be held, at the London Tavern, Bishopsgate-street, on Wednesday, the 26th day of March next, at one o'clock precisely, at which meeting the Report of the Directors will be presented, and an election of four Directors and one Auditor will take place.

By order of the Court of Directors.
A. H. Brown, Chief Clerk.

Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China.

Gresham House, Old Broad-Street,
March 1, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held, at the London Tavern, on Tuesday, the 18th day of March inst. at the hour of one p.m. precisely, to confirm the resolution of the Extraordinary General

Meeting held on the 29th day of February, 1856, which authorized the Court of Directors, on behalf of the Company, to apply for and accept a supplemental charter, in such form and on such terms as the Court may think fit, for the reduction of the capital of the Company,—such reduction of capital not to be under the sum of £400,000.

By order of the Court,
J. C. Stewart, Secretary.

Lead-Office, February 28, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, will be held at the Company's House, in Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, on Thursday the 27th March next, at twelve o'clock precisely, being a half-yearly Court; also to consider of a Dividend; and that the transfer book will be shut on Tuesday the 11th March, in order for making out the dividend warrants for the half year ending at Lady-day next, and opened again on Thursday the 3rd April following.

Chas. Deane, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Thomas Fearnley and James Wainwright, as Stone Masons and Contractors, at Bradford, in the county of York, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by and owing to the said late firm will be paid and received by the above-mentioned Thomas Fearnley, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated the 27th of February, 1856.

Thomas Fearnley.
James Wainwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Casement the elder and John Casement the younger, as Painters, Plumbers, and Glaziers, at Toxteth-park, in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

John Casement, senr.
John Casement, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ellen Rigge, Honoria Rigge, and Emily Arabella Rigge, at No. 42, New Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of E. H. and E. Rigge, as Milliners and Dress Makers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Honoria Rigge, who retires therefrom. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Ellen Rigge and Emily Arabella Rigge, by whom the said trades will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 28th day of February, 1856.

Ellen Rigge.
Honoria Rigge.
Emily A. Rigge.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned, Martha Clegg, Sarah Clegg, and Jonas Clegg, all of York-street, in Todmorden within Langfield, in the county of York, as Rope Makers and Ironmongers, trading under the firm of Martha Clegg and Company, at Sandholme and York-street, in Langfield aforesaid, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and from the said partnership in the business of Rope Makers will be received and paid by the said Jonas Clegg, by whom such business will in future be carried on; and that all debts owing to and from the said partnership in the business of Ironmongers will be received and paid by the said Sarah Clegg, who will in future carry on the Ironmongery business.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

Martha Clegg.
Sarah Clegg.
Jonas Clegg.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Gallop and William Wainwright carrying on a business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and at Chorlton, in the county of Chester, or otherwise in the counties of Lancashire and Cheshire, as Cutlers, Dealers and Butchers, was dissolved on the 4th day of October last, by mutual consent.—Dated this 29th day of February, 1856.

W. Gallop.
Wm. Wainwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting us, at No. 29, Great Dover-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, in the trade or business of Gold Beaters, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of March, 1856.

*Frederick Edward Summers.
John Edridge Walton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Philip Tizard, Thomas Prynn, and William Littell Tizard, of East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Brewers, carrying on business by the name of Tizard, Prynn, and Co., at the Devonport and Stonehouse Crystal Ale Brewery, was dissolved from the 31st day of December last, as regards the said William Littell Tizard; and that in future the said business will be carried on by the said Philip Tizard and Thomas Prynn on their own account; and all persons owing any debts to the said firm of Tizard, Prynn, and Co., are to pay the same to the said Philip Tizard and Thomas Prynn, who will pay all debts due and owing from the said firm.—Dated this 15th day of January, 1856.

*Philip Tizard.
Thos. Prynn.
W. L. Tizard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us, and carried on under the style or firm of Rowell and Porter, as Accountants and Agents, at Corporation-street, in the city of Manchester, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 25th day of February, 1856.

*Edward Rowell.
Joseph Porter.*

TAKE notice, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James William Giles and Alexander Walker Lavender, as Pianoforte Tuners and Music Sellers, and carried on by us at No. 2, Castle-square, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, was, on the 1st day of January, 1856, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to the said partnership estate are to be paid to the undersigned James William Giles.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1856.

*James William Giles.
Alexander Walker Lavender.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Arnold and Benjamin Sunderland, carrying on business together as Licensed Auctioneers and Appraisers, at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Arnold and Sunderland, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said concern will be received and paid by the said Henry Arnold, who will henceforth carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1856.

*Henry Arnold.
Benjamin Sunderland.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on between us the undersigned, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Tar Distillers and Manufacturers of Ammonia; under the firm of Kurtz, Cropper, and Co., and also at Dublin, in Ireland, under the firm of Kurtz, Keightley, and Co., was dissolved by mutual consent, so far as respects the undersigned Alfred Dudley Keightley, on and from the 1st day of January now last past. All debts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the undersigned Charles Kurtz and John Wakefield Cropper, by whom the business, both at Liverpool and Dublin, will in future be carried on.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

*Charles Kurtz.
J. W. Cropper.
A. D. Keightley.*

WE, the undersigned, John Griffin and Stephen William Griffin, mutually agree to dissolve the Partnership existing between us and known as the firm of J. S. W. Griffin, No. 2, Dunster-court, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, on and from the 31st of December, 1855. All debts due or owing by or to the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Griffin.—As witness our hands this 1st day of March, 1856.

*John Griffin.
Stephen William Griffin.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Robinson and John Frost Roud, in the business of Ship and Insurance Brokers and Commission Agents, at No. 137, High-street West, Sunderland, under the style or firm of Geo. Robinson and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 27th day of February, 1856.

*Geo. Robinson.
John F. Roud.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Furness and Albert Henry Fernandez, as Joint Contractors for Construction of the Caterham Railway, was dissolved on the 8th day of January last, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said George Furness.—Witness our hands this 25th day of February, 1856.

*George Furness.
Albert Henry Fernandez.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Rhodes Bristow and William Barnes Tarrant, at Bond-court, Walbrook, London, and at Greenwich, Kent, as Attorneys and Solicitors, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1856.

*Alf. R. Bristow.
Wm. B. Tarrant.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business under the style or firm of Allen and Stanton, at No. 3, Marylebone-street, St. James', in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Woollen Drapers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 28th day of February, 1856.

*Susanna Allen.
George Stanton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Gosling and William Bate, at Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, in the trade of Brick Makers, carried on under the firm of Gosling and Bate, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said trade will in future be carried on by the said William Bate, and all debts due and owing to and by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Samuel Gosling.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1856.

*Samuel Gosling.
William Bate.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Charles Thomas and John Joseph Weatherley Phipson, as Edge Tool Manufacturers, of Freet'-street, Birmingham, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January last.—Dated 14th February, 1856.

*J. J. Weatherley Phipson.
Charles Thomas.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Gibson and Henry Denis De Vitre, as Cloth Merchants and Commission Agents, at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Gibson and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to and from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Denis De Vitre.—As witness our hands this 28th day of February, 1856.

*Geo. Gibson.
Henry D. De Vitre.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Wilson and Maxwell Carter Maxwell, in the business of Pawnbrokers, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1856.

*John Wilson.
Maxwell Carter Maxwell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Jones and John Bensly, of Union-street, in the city and borough of Bath, Linen Drapers, under the style or firm of Jones and Bensly, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by and to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said Edward Jones by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 29th day of February, 1856.

*Edward Jones.
John Bensly.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Parry Gibberd and James Kelley Ireland, under the style or firm of Gibberd and Ireland, as Drapers, in Long street, Atherstone, in the county of Warwick, was, on the 25th day of February last dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said late copartnership are to be paid to the said John Parry Gibberd, by whom the said business will in future be conducted on his own account, and by whom all demands upon the said late copartnership will be discharged.—As witness our hands this 1st day of March, 1856.

*John Parry Gibberd.
James Kelley Ireland.*

London, February 29th, 1856.

WE, the undersigned, George Buck and John Roe Hickman, carrying on business at No. 245, Tottenham-court-road, in the parish of St. Giles, in the county of Middlesex, as Tool Manufacturers and Dealers in Mechanical Tools, have this day mutually agreed to dissolve the partnership hitherto subsisting between us. All debts due to or from the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Buck, by whom the business will in future be carried on.

George Buck.

John Roe Hickman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, George Randell and John Hayward, of Bexley, in the county of Kent, Brewer, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1856.

George Randell.

John Hayward.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, at Ashby Woulds, in the parish of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, in the trade or business of Getting and Working Pot and Fire Clays, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 26th day of February, 1856.

Wm. Hough.

Thomas Gray.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William McNeill and David Amis, of No. 23, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, General Stationers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and in future the business will be carried on by the said William McNeill on his separate account.—Witness our hands this 29th day of February, 1856.

William McNeill.

David Amis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Tailors and Drapers, under the style or firm of Williams and Hind, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, James Besden Williams.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1856.

Jas. B. Williams.

William Hind.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing at Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, between Otto Trechmann and Joachim Valentin Curths, as Cement Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Otto Trechmann and Curths, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Otto Trechmann, who will in future carry on the said business.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1856.

Otto Trechmann.

J. V. Curths.

WE hereby give notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business at Broadstairs, in the parish of Saint Peter the Apostle, in the Isle of Thanet, and county of Kent, as Wheelwrights, Builders, and Carpenters, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 8th day of December, 1855.—As witness our hands this 27th day of February, 1856.

George Page.

Robert Wraight.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Nathaniel Clegg, and in a cause Castle and others against Thomas Williams, the creditors of Nathaniel Clegg, late of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Wine Merchant, deceased, who died in or about the month of November, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of March, 1856, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 7th day of April, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 29th day of February, 1856.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause wherein John Gilliland is plaintiff, and Thomas Newton and Elizabeth his wife, Stephen Gilmore and Mary his wife, and William Letta Gilliland are defendants, the creditors of Thomas Newton, late of Dormington, in the county of Hereford, Esq., who died on or about the 12th day of July, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of March, 1856, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, No. 11, New-square,

Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1856, at half past three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Theodore Dickens (since deceased), and Jane Dickens (by order to revive), against Clement William Unthank (since dismissed), and others, the creditors of the Reverend James Bentham, late of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, who died in or about the month of January, 1831, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of April, 1856, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Wednesday, the 9th day of April, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1856.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Welby against Hair, the creditors of Catherine Welby, late of No. 3, Buccleugh-terrace, Upper Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, who died in or about the month of November, 1849, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of March, 1856, to come in and prove their debts or claims, before William Henry Tinney, Esq., one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Thursday, the 3rd day of April, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1856.

Estate of James Hare Poynter.

BY indenture, dated the 13th day of February instant, James Hare Poynter, of Weymouth, in the county of Dorset, Draper, granted, covenanted to surrender, and assigned all his freehold, copyhold, and personal estate, except leasehold, to James Johnston, of No. 38, Botolph-lane, in the city of London, Fruit Merchant, and James Carter Sharp, of Wood-street, Cheapside, in the same city, Warehouseman, in trust, for the benefit of his creditors as therein mentioned. The said indenture was executed by the said James Hare Poynter on the day of the date thereof, and his execution was attested by Henry Empson, of No. 61, Moorgate-street, in the said city, Solicitor; and by the said James Johnston on the 26th day of February instant, and his execution was attested by John Hollams, of Mincing-lane, in the said city, Solicitor; and by the said James Carter Sharp on the 26th day of February instant, and his execution was attested by William Sturt, of No. 7, Gresham-street, in the said city, Solicitor.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Powell Jones, of the town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Dealer in Spirituous and Malt Liquors, hath by indenture of assignment, bearing date the 7th day of February, 1856, made between the said Thomas Powell Jones, of the one part; and Robert Evans, of Neath, in the said county of Glamorgan, Brewer, for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, trustees for themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said Thomas Powell Jones, parties thereto, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said Thomas Powell Jones, of the third part; bargained, sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, unto the said trustees, their executors, administrators, and assigns, all and every the real and personal estate, goods, chattels, and effects whatsoever and wheresoever, of him the said Thomas Powell Jones, as in the said indenture mentioned, upon trust, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said Thomas Powell Jones. And notice is hereby given, that the said indenture of assignment was executed by the said Thomas Powell Jones and the said trustee, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, John Howard, of Worcester-place, in the town of Swansea aforesaid, Solicitor; and that the said indenture now lies for signature by the creditors of the said Thomas Powell Jones, at the office of the said John Howard, at Worcester-place aforesaid.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Chirney, of Battle-bridge, in the county of Middlesex, Linen Draper, hath by indenture, bearing date the 31st day of January, 1856, granted, covenanted to surrender, and assigned; that is to say: as to such part of his estate and effects as are of freehold tenure granted, and as to such part of his estate and effects as are of copyhold tenure covenanted to surrender, and as to such part of his estate and effects as are of the nature of personal estate, assigned unto John Bradbury, of Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Ware-

houseman, all and singular the real and personal estate and effects of him the said Charles Chirney, upon the trusts therein mentioned, for the benefit of all and every the creditor and creditors of him the said Charles Chirney; that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Charles Chirney and John Bradbury on the day of the date thereof, and as to their respective executions thereof is witnessed and attested by Augustus Bradbury, of No. 18, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Solicitor; and that the said deed of assignment now lies at the office of Messrs. Davidson and Bradbury, No. 18, Basinghall-street aforesaid, for execution by those creditors who have not executed the same.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Margaret Criddle, of Castle Cary, in the county of Somerset, Baker and Shopkeeper, has by indenture, bearing date the 26th day of February, 1856, assigned all her real and personal estate and effects whatsoever, unto John Speed Andrews, of Castle Cary aforesaid, Innkeeper, for the benefit of himself and all other the creditors of the said Margaret Criddle who shall execute the said indenture or otherwise accede thereto within three calendar months from the date thereof; which indenture was duly executed by the said Margaret Criddle and John Speed Andrews on the said 26th day of February, and the execution thereof by them is attested by Charles Russ, of Castle Cary aforesaid, Solicitor.—Dated 28th February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 19th day of February, 1856, John Jaques, of Rhodes, near Middleton, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer, conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects to Samuel Fielding, of Middleton aforesaid, Corn Dealer, John Heaton, of Middleton aforesaid, Plumber and Glazier, and Otho Pollitt, of Great Heaton, in the said county, Yeoman, upon trust, for the equal benefit of all the creditors of the said John Jaques who shall execute the said indenture, or signify their assent thereto, within three calendar months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said John Jaques, Samuel Fielding, John Heaton, and Otho Pollitt, respectively, on the day of the date thereof, and duly attested. And notice is hereby given, that such indenture now lies at the office of Mr. Edward Brookes, Solicitor, Swan-court, Market-street, Manchester, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1856, Paul Raby, of Cadnant Cottage, Menai-bridge, Anglesea, North Wales, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein mentioned, unto Henry Green, of Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Auctioneer, upon trust, for the equal benefit of all the creditors of the said Paul Raby who should execute the same within three months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Paul Raby and Henry Green, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Edward Bretherton, of No. 49, North John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor; and that the said indenture of assignment now lies at the office of the said Edward Bretherton, No. 49, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Paul Raby. All persons indebted to the said Paul Raby are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their respective debts to the said trustee, or to the said Edward Bretherton.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 15th day of February, 1856, and made between Charles Fox, of Chester-road, in the city of Manchester, Baker and Flour Dealer, of the first part; John Moss, of the said city of Manchester, Corn Merchant, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals were thereunto subscribed and affixed, being creditors of the said Charles Fox, of the third part; the said Charles Fox conveyed, assigned, and set over unto the said John Moss, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all and every the real and personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, of him the said Charles Fox, upon the trusts therein mentioned, for the benefit of all and every the creditors of the said Charles Fox; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Charles Fox, on the 15th day of February instant, and by the said John Moss on the 28th day of February instant, in the presence of, and was duly attested by, Joseph Janion, of the city of Manchester, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at the office of Messrs. Hall and Janion, of Essex-street, Manchester aforesaid, Solicitors, for execution by the creditors of the said Charles Fox.—Dated this 29th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 23rd day of February, 1856, and made between Mary Goodwin and Ruth Goodwin, of Bakewell, in the county of Derby, Spinners, of the first part; Lancelot George Reed, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Timber and Iron Merchant, and George

Deakin, of Sheffield aforesaid, Merchant, of the second part; and the several other persons who by themselves or their partners, or their agents, shall thereunto subscribe and set their names and seals, of the third part; the said Mary Goodwin and Ruth Goodwin assigned and transferred all the leasehold premises late the property of Anthony Goodwin, late of Bakewell aforesaid, Blacksmith, Ironmonger, and Farrier, deceased, and now belonging to the said Mary Goodwin and Ruth Goodwin, and also all other the personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, of them the said Mary Goodwin and Ruth Goodwin, subject and except as therein mentioned, unto the said Lancelot George Reed and George Deakin, their executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the benefit of themselves and such of the creditors of the said Anthony Goodwin, deceased, and Mary Goodwin, and Ruth Goodwin, who should execute the said indenture within two months from the date thereof. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture was duly executed by the said Mary Goodwin, on the 23rd day of February instant, and by the said Ruth Goodwin, on the 26th day of February instant, both in the presence of, and attested by, Thomas Mander, of Bakewell aforesaid, Solicitor, and James Macqueen, of the same place, Solicitor, and by the said Lancelot George Reed, on the said 23rd day of February instant, and by the said George Deakin, on the 25th day of February instant, both in the presence of, and attested by, the said James Macqueen; and the said indenture now lies at the office of the said James Macqueen, in Bakewell aforesaid, for execution by the said creditors. And notice is hereby further given, that such creditors as shall not execute the said indenture, or assent in writing to take the benefit thereof, on or before the 23rd day of April next, will be excluded from all benefit under the said indenture.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture of assignment, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1856, and made between William Henry Carlin, late of Ludgate-street, in the city of London, but then of the Island of Jersey, Tobaccoist, of the first part; Frederick William Martin, of Ludgate-street aforesaid, Gentleman, of the second part; Philip Dodwell, of No. 45, Minorities, in the city of London, Tobaccoist, and Charles Lambert, of Drury-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Tobaccoist, for and on behalf of themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said William Henry Carlin, of the third part; and the several other persons whose names and seals were thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said William Henry Carlin, of the fourth part; the said William Henry Carlin, assigned all that leasehold messuage and dwelling-house with the appurtenances, being No. 25, Ludgate-street aforesaid, and all his estate and interest therein, and also all and every the stock in trade, fixtures, and fittings, goods in trade, and merchandizes, books of account, debts, sum and sums of money, and all securities for money, unto the said Philip Dodwell and Charles Lambert, their executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, after making certain payments therein mentioned, to retain and satisfy rateably and proportionably to themselves and the other parties thereto, of the fourth part; who should execute the said indenture of assignment, within two calendar months from the date thereof, the several debts or sums set opposite to their respective names in the schedule thereto. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture was executed by the said William Henry Carlin, on the said 19th day of February, 1856, and that the execution thereof by the said William Henry Carlin, was attested by, George Edward Evans, of the Island of Jersey, Solicitor; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Frederick William Martin, Philip Dodwell, and Charles Lambert, on the 28th day of February, 1856, and that the execution thereof by the said Frederick William Martin, Philip Dodwell, and Charles Lambert, was attested by Charles Cutler, of No. 5, Bell-yard, Doctors-commons, in the city of London, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at the office of the said Charles Cutler, for the execution thereof by the creditors of the said William Henry Carlin.—Dated this 29th day of February, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given, that George Bradburne, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer, hath, by an indenture, bearing date the 18th day of February, 1856, and made between the said George Bradburne, of the first part; William Henry Dormer Miller and Thomas Downs, Corn Dealer, both of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the said county, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and affixed, being severally creditors of the said George Bradburne, of the third part; assigned all his estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto the said William Henry Dormer Miller and Thomas Downs, their executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust for the equal benefit of the whole of the creditors of the said George Bradburne, who shall execute the said indenture within one calendar month from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was, on the 25th day of February instant, exe-

ented by the said George Bradburne, in the presence of, and such execution was attested by the undersigned, Robert Slaney; and that the said indenture was, on the 27th day of February instant, executed by the said William Henry Dormer and Thomas Downs respectively, and such respective executions were also attested by the undersigned, Robert Slaney. And notice is hereby also given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said Robert Slaney, for execution by the other creditors of the said George Bradburne. And notice is hereby further given, that all persons claiming to be creditors of the said George Bradburne are requested, whether assenting to or dissenting from the provisions made by the said indenture, forthwith to deliver or transmit to the said Robert Slaney, full particulars of their respective claims; and that all persons indebted to the said George Bradburne, or who have any of his estate or effects, are requested forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Robert Slaney, the Solicitor acting in the matter of the said assignment.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1856.

ROBERT SLANEY, Solicitor, Newcastle, Staffordshire.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of Louis Christian Koeffler, late of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Bleacher and Dyer (now deceased), parties to a certain deed of arrangement entered into between the said Louis Christian Koeffler and his creditors, bearing date the 14th day of April, 1855, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Bellhouse and Bond, Solicitors, No. 40, Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, on Thursday, the 20th day of March instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating some fit and proper person to supply the place of Mr. Edward Taylor Bellhouse, the present trustee of the said deed of arrangement, the said Mr. Edward Taylor Bellhouse being unable by reason of his having gone to reside beyond the seas to act in the trusts of the said deed; at which time and place before-mentioned all the creditors of the said Louis Christian Koeffler are hereby requested to attend.

In the Matter of Charles Phillips Edney and Alfred Rains, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Druggists, Bankrupts.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named bankrupts will be held at the offices of Messrs. Evans and Son, Solicitors, Commerce-court, Lord-street, Liverpool, on Friday, the 7th day of March, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, to take into consideration the propriety of accepting from several of the debtors to this estate who are unable to pay their debts in full, a composition in satisfaction thereof, and to authorize the assignees to accept such composition, or to give time for payment thereof, and also to authorize the assignees to become parties to any deed of assignment for the benefit of creditors made by any of such debtors, and also to authorize the assignees to accept or repudiate certain contracts made and entered into by the said bankrupts.—Dated the 29th day of February, 1856.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated 14th July, 1854, against Auguste Silvestre, of No. 24, Argyll-street, Regent-street, Importer of, and Dealer in, Fancy Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 6d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. 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 under which they claim.—February 25, 1856.

EDWD. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 15th day of March, 1851, against Robert William Wright, Charles Davy, and Jacob Dixon, late of Devonshire-street, Queen's-square, Bloomsbury, Goldsmiths and Jewellers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 7d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and three subsequent Wednesdays, between eleven and two of the clock on each day. 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 under which they claim.—February 25, 1856.

EDWD. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of William Hodge, of No. 34, Great Maitland-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Manufacturing Stationer, Dealer and Chapman.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Final Dividend of 2½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 6th day of March next, and the three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

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

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 17th June, 1854, against William Hearn, of Stangate Wharf, Lambeth, Dust Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second and Final Dividend, at the rate of 4½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 20, Aldermanbury, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities 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 under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

CHARLES LEE, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 10th August, 1853, against Edward Green, of No. 21, Cork-street, in the parish of St. James, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend, at the rate of 4½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday, the 3rd of March next, or any subsequent Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock on each day. 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 under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 24th of February, 1851, against James Loneragan, of No. 12, Cambridge-terrace, Lower-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Corn Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 5½d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury City, on Monday the 3rd of March next, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and three of the clock on each day. 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 under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 30th of August, 1852, against Henry Newson Brewer, of Amersham Villa, Comber Hill, in the parish of Saint Paul, Deptford, in the county of Kent, and of No. 80, Bermondsey-walk, in the parish of Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Mast and Block Maker, and Dealer in Marine Stores and Oakum, and of No. 8, South Eastern Arcade, in the parish of St. Olave, Southwark, in the said county of Surrey, Tobaccoist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend at the rate of 3½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday, the 3rd March next, or any subsequent Mondays, between eleven and three on each day. 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 under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 15th March, 1853, against William Ayres (commonly known as William Port Ayres), of Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Nurseryman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend, at the rate of 3d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those

legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday, the 3rd March next, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of the Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will and letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.
H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated 23rd February, 1855, against Samuel Barnett, late of No. 20, Bennerton-street, Caledonian-road, but now of the Waterloo Tavern, Wellington-road, Liverpool-road, both in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First Dividend, at the rate of 5s. 9d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday, the 3rd of March next, or any subsequent Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of the Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.
H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Sylvester Lewis Samuel, of Liverpool, Watch Manufacturer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Second Dividend of 4d. in the pound, with First Dividend of 1s. 0½d. in the pound, on new proofs, upon application at my office, as under, on Wednesday the 5th day of March next, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—February 21, 1856.

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

In the Matter of Thomas Mellor, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant. Separate Estate.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 4s. 3d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, 1856, or any subsequent Thursday, between eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAS. CAZENOVE, Official Assignee,
11, Eldon-chambers, South John-street, Liverpool.

In the Matter of Thomas Mellor and Samuel Eason, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of Mellor and Eason.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 1½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 28th of February, or any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAS. CAZENOVE, Official Assignee,
11, Eldon-chambers, South John-street, Liverpool.

In the Matter of Joseph Prescott, of Liverpool, Tea Dealer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Second Dividend of 1d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 53, South John-street, Liverpool, on Wednesday, the 5th March, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—March 1, 1856.

CHARLES TURNER, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John Nicholson, of Walton Lodge, West Derby, Surgeon and Boarding-house Keeper.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive an First Dividend of 8s. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 53, South John-street, Liverpool, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March instant, or any subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the

clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—March 1, 1856.

CHARLES TURNER, Official Assignee.

In Re William Geldart, of North Shields, Shipowner, &c., against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th August, 1854, was duly filed.

I HEREBY give notice, that a Second and Final Dividend, at the rate of 6½d. in the pound (in addition to 4s. in the pound previously declared), may be received by all the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, at my office, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday the 8th of March next, or any subsequent Saturday, between the hours of ten and three of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In Re Thomas Adamson and Henry Hunter Bell, of Sunderland, Curriers and Leather Cutters, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 23rd of August, 1855, was duly filed.

I HEREBY give notice, that a First and Final Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 4d. in the pound, may be received by those creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, at my office, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 8th of March next, or on any subsequent Saturday between the hours of ten and three of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In Re Samuel Meek, of Kendal, in the county of Westmoreland, Innkeeper, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th November, 1855, was duly filed.

I HEREBY give notice, that a First and Final Dividend, at the rate of 4s. in the pound may be received by those creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, at my office, Royal Arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 8th March next, or on any subsequent Saturday, between the hours of ten and three 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 letters of administration under which they claim.—February 28, 1856.

THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In Re Langdale, Eyton, and Cooke, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Merchants and Manufacturing Chemists, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th July, 1853, was duly filed.

I HEREBY give notice, that a Fourth and Final Dividend, at the rate of 4d. in the pound (in addition to 1½d. in the pound), may be received by all the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, at my office, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 8th day of March next, or any subsequent Saturday, between the hours of ten and three 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.—February 28, 1856.

THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

WHEREAS a Petition for arrangement under the superintendence and controul of the Court, was, on the 20th day of February, 1856, filed by William Bennett, of No. 34, Margaret-street, Cavendish-square, in the county of Middlesex, Victualler, and whereas, for reasons then appearing, the said William Bennett was, on this 4th day of March, 1856, duly found and adjudged bankrupt, 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 17th day of March instant, and on the 8th day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. 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. Herbert A. Reed, Solicitor, No. 11, Ironmonger-lane, Cheapside, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 28th day of February, 1856, filed against Charles Paris Poole, of No. 43, Lawrence-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman and Shirt Manufacturer, 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 14th day of March instant, at half past two in the afternoon precisely, and on the 15th of April next, at twelve at noon 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. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambre-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Sole, Turner, and Turner, Solicitors, No. 68, Aldermanbury, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was on the 28th day of February, 1856, filed against John Young, of No. 36, Surrey-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Ale and Porter Merchant, and General Commission Agent, trading under the firm of John Young, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Sergeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 13th March instant, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 23rd April next, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Isaac Nicholson, No. 24, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Thomas Johnson, Solicitor, No. 14, Ironmonger-lane.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 23rd day of February, 1856, filed against Samson Brazier, of Coldeu-common, in the parish of Twyford, near Winchester, in the county of Hants, Brick Maker, and Brick Burner, Beer Retailer, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Sergeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 13th of March instant, and on the 23rd day of April next, at one of the 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. W. Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. R. Cullen Dewy, Solicitor, No. 64, Mark-lane.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 23rd day of February, 1856, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, against Charles Hyacinth Joseph Caylits, of No. 4, Cullum-street, in the city of London, trading there with Francis Louis Simond, in copartnership as Merchants, under the style or firm of Caylits, Simond, and Co., and he being 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 March instant, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 18th day of April next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London; and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr.

William Whitmore, of No. 2, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. J. W. Nicholson, Solicitor, of No. 48, Lime-street.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 1st day of March, 1856, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, by John Hiscock, of Brook-street, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, Factor, Dealer and Chapman, 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 15th day of March instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 18th day of April next, at half past one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Wm. Whitmore, of No. 2, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Stopher, Solicitor, of No. 52, Cheapside, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 29th day of February, 1856, hath been presented against Thomas Hill, of the Castle Public-house, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 17th March instant, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon, and on the 15th day of April following, at twelve o'clock at noon, 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. Graham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Martineau and Reid, Solicitors, No. 2, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 28th day of February, 1856, hath been presented against Charles Edward Bird, of No. 52, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 14th day of March instant, at half past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 10th day of April next, 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. Bell, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. J. and J. H. Linklater and Hackwood, Solicitors, No. 17, Sise-lane.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th day of February, 1856, hath been filed against William Homer, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Publican and Brick Maker, 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 14th day of March instant, and on the 4th day of April next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, on each day, 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. Thomas Bittleston, No. 29, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. W. Palmer, Solicitor, or to Messrs. Motteram and Knight, Solicitors, Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for arrangement under the control of the Court, filed the 11th day of January, 1856, against Thomas Jones, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Draper, and he being declared 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 14th day of March instant, and on the 4th day of April next, at eleven o'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. Thomas Bittleston, No. 29, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Motteram and Knight, Solicitors, Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 28th day of February, 1856, hath been filed against Robert Newton, of Gooch-street, in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Baker and Provision Dealer, and he being declared 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 17th of March instant, and on the 7th of April 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. James Christie, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Barnabas Chesshire, Solicitor, Temple-row, Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1856, hath been filed against Henry Brisband, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Button Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared 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 14th day of March instant, and on the 4th day of April next, at eleven 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, No. 20, Temple-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. H. Southall, Solicitor, Birmingham.

WHEREAS on the 26th of February, 1856, a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed against James Baker the younger, of South-street, Exeter, Linen Draper, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 13th day of March instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 10th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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. H. L. Hirtzel, Queen-street, Exeter, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. James Walter Friend, Solicitor, Exeter, or his Agent, Mr. John Stogdon, Solicitor, Exeter.

WHEREAS, on the 3rd day of March, 1856, a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed against Thomas Warren Knight, of No. 36, Fore-street, Taunton, in the county of Somerset, Grocer and Tea Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, and he having been declared a 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 13th day of March instant, and on the 17th day of April next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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. Hirtzel, Queen-street, Exeter, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Ernest Rossiter, Solicitor, Taunton.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 28th day of February, 1856, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 29th day of February, 1856, against Robert Welsh, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Merchant, Dealer and Chapman and he being declared 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 14th day of March instant, and on the 24th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, on each day, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, 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. George Young, of Park-row, Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Edward Maud, Solicitor, Duncan-street, Leeds.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 21st day of February, 1856, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against William Smith, of Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to William Scrope Ayrtton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of March instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 15th of April next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Philip Hope, of Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Howard and Dollman, Solicitors, Fenchurch-street, London, Messrs. Hudson and Darlington, Solicitors, Bradford, or to Messrs. Bond and Barwick, Solicitors, Leeds.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 27th day of February, 1856, against David Kay, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Flour Dealer, and he having been 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 17th day of March instant, and on the 7th of April next, at eleven 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 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. 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.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 26th day of February, 1856, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, against John Travis and Thomas Durden Kershaw, of Shaw, in the parish of Prestwich-cum-Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinners and Copartners, Dealers and Chapman, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th of March instant, and on the 8th day of April next, at twelve of the clock at noon on each day, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, 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. John Fraser, No. 45, George-street,

Manchester, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed to receive the same, and give notice to Messrs. Holgate and Roberts, Solicitors, Rochdale.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 1st day of March, 1856, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Manchester, by Henry Smithies, John Smithies, and James Smithies, all of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounders, Dealers and Chapman, and they being declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of March instant, and on the 14th day of April next, at twelve of the clock at noon, on each of the said days, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, 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. John Fraser, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Sale, Worthington, and Shipman, Solicitors, Fountain-street, Manchester.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 29th day of February, 1856, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, against William McCormick, of Naylor-street, Oldham-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 14th day of March instant, and on the 4th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on each of the said days, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, 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. Francis Hernaman, No. 69, Princess-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed to receive the same, and to give notice to Mr. George James Heald, Solicitor, Cooper-street, Manchester.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 23rd day of November, 1855, against John Solomon, of No. 96, Vine-street, Minorities, in the city of London, Beer Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th day of March instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, (by adjournment from the 5th day of February last), in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 7th day of December, 1855, against Thomas Bennett, of No. 58, Margaret-street, Cavendish-square, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th of March instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon 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.

ROBERT 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 27th day of May, 1854, against William Henry Wearn, of Wish-street, Southsea, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Southampton, Grocer Wine Merchant, and Dealer, will sit on the 15th day of March instant, 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.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 26th day of May, 1855, against Samuel Warren,

of the city of Gloucester, Licensed Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 20th day of March instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, 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.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 20th day of March, 1855, against William England and Frederick Henry England, of Bruton Mills, in the county of Wilts, Clothiers and Copartners, will sit on the 20th of March instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of July, 1855, against John Henry Bradshaw, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 3rd day of April next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, 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.

WILLIAM 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 20th day of July, 1855, by Joseph James Brierley, and Robert Arrowsmith the younger, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Silk and Cotton Manufacturers and Copartners, will sit on the 17th March instant, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 29th day of September, 1853, against William Jolly, of Bishop Stortford, in the county of Hertford, Currier, will sit on the 27th of March instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of January, 1856, against Charles Jefferies, late of Union-court, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, trading in partnership with Richard Wilkin Pearce and Laurence Thome Dutton, in Union-court aforesaid, under the firm of Jefferies, Pearce, and Co., and at Rio de Janeiro, in the Empire of Brazil, under the firm of Dutton, Pearce, and Co., and now residing at Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, will sit on the 27th of March instant, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, 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.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 11th day of December, 1855, against William Wiffin and Frederick William King, of No. 80, Long-acre, in the county of Middlesex, Card Makers and Copartners in Trade, trading under the style or firm of Wiffin, King, and Company, will sit on the 1st of April next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make Dividends 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 Dividends. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy,

filed on the 24th day of January, 1855, against David Enoch Davies, of Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Draper, will sit on the 3rd day of April next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, 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.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of August, 1855, against George Pyne, of Albert-street, in the city of Bristol, Cordwainer, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, will sit on the 3rd day of April next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, 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.

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 14th day of August, 1848, awarded and issued forth against William Ashley, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Underwriter, Broker, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of March instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, 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.

RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 19th day of January, 1856, against Henry Mansfield, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fancy Toy Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 27th of March instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, 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.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of November, 1855, filed by George Parsons, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brassfounder and Gas-fitting Manufacturer, will sit on the 28th day of March instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of November, 1855, against Richard Briant, of No. 31, Murray-street, New North-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of March instant, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of January, 1856, against Elizabeth Benson and Sarah Benson, of the Mansfield Hotel No. 4,

Mansfield-street, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Spinsters and Copartners, Hotel and Boarding-house Keepers, has, on the application of the said bankrupts, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of March instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupts' 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.

THIS is to give notice, that Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of October, 1855, against William Tambling, now residing at No. 25, Waterloo-street, Stoke, in the parish of Stoke Damerel, in the county of Devon, within the district of this Court, Builder, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 31st day of March instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, at Saint George's Hall, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the provisions of "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" when and where the assignees or any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of January, 1856, against Henry Mansfield, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fancy Toy Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," sit on the 27th day of March instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, for the allowance of a Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. 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 Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 11th day of January, 1856, against Robert Forshaw, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Coal Dealer and Beerseller, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," sit on the 27th of March instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, for the allowance of a Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. 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 the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 15th day of January, 1856, by John T. Edwards, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Laceman, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to the Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 26th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, for the allowance of a Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. 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.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against William Mortimer, of Morley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer and Dyer, Dealer and Chapman, hath

appointed a public sitting under such Petition to be holden on the 7th day of April next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against John Stephenson, of Hogsthorpe, in the county of Lincoln, Joiner, Cabinet Maker, and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 26th day of March instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Townhall, in Kingston-upon-Hull, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th of January, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Joseph Spooner Taylor, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Ironfounder, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 1st day of April next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Nottingham; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of January, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Abraham Stimson, of Scholefield-street, Bloomsbury, in the parish of Aston-juxta-Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 31st March instant, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 6th day of November, 1855, against William Barker the younger, of the Albion Brewery, Hampstead-road, Haverstock-hill, in the county of Middlesex, Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 25th day of February last, allow the said William Barker the younger a Certificate of the first class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of December, 1855, against Charles Robert Thompson, of Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, and of Southampton, in the town and county of Southampton, Wine Merchant and East India Agent, trading under the firm of C. R. Thompson and Co., did, on the 27th day of February, 1856, allow the said Charles Robert Thompson a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of December, 1855, against Samuel Henry Ranford, of Lewisham Railway Station, Lewisham, in

the county of Kent, Livery Stable Keeper and Horse Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 25th day of February last, allow the said Samuel Henry Ranford a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of July, 1851, against Thomas Hammond, of No. 21, Conduit-street, Westbourne-terrace, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Maker, did, on the 27th day of February 1856, allow the said Thomas Hammond a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of November, 1855, against Phineas Cohen, of No. 7 and 15, Artillery-passage, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, Dealer in Ironmongery and Hardware, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 27th day of February, allow the said Phineas Cohen a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 28th day of February, 1854, against Henry Johnson, of No. 2, Turnwheel-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and residing at Thames Ditton, in the county of Surrey, Machinist and Engineer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 13th day of April, 1855, allow the said Henry Johnson a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of November, 1855, against William Henry Saunders, of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 26th day of February, 1856, allow the said William Henry Saunders a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, which was duly filed against Alexander John Heath, of Westgate-street, in the county of Gloucester, Boot and Shoe Maker, Dealer and Chapman, bearing date the 8th day of May, 1855, did, on the 28th day of February last, allow the said Alexander John Heath his Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 13th day of December, 1855, against Benjamin Hainsworth, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Common Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 18th day of February, 1856, 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.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 2nd day of July, 1855, against John Crippin and William Robinson Forster, of Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ferry Proprietors, Coal Merchants, and Copartners, Dealers and Chapman, did, on the 27th day of February, 1856, allow John Crippin, one of the said bankrupts, a Certificate of the third class, subject to a suspension of twelve months from the said 27th day of February, 1856; 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 William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 25th day of August, 1855, against Edward Roberts, late of Hulme, but now of Stretford, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 6th day of November, 1855, allow the said bankrupt

a Certificate of conformity of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of December, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against William Edmonds, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Hosier, did, on the 28th day of February, 1856, allow the said William Edmonds a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 20th day of November, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Nottingham, against Samuel Smart, of Lenton, in the county of Nottingham, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 26th day of February, 1856, allow the said Samuel Smart 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 a meeting of the creditors of Valentine Bennett Simpson, late of No. 4, Lower Church-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, out of business, previously of Winchester Cottage, Winchester-street, Pentonville, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, formerly of No. 1, Place d'Armes, Dunkerque, France, out of business, an Insolvent Debtor, will be held on Thursday, the 20th day of March instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the offices of Messrs. Nicholls and Clark, No. 9, Cooks court, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex. Solicitors, to assent to or dissent from the assignee of the said insolvent debtor commencing and prosecuting a suit or suits in equity against the trustee or trustees of a certain indenture of settlement, bearing date the 22nd day of September, in the year of our Lord, 1832, for the recovery of two several annuities of £50, or any part thereof, under and by virtue of which said settlement the said insolvent debtor became, and his assignee in his right, is now entitled to receive of and from the said trustees or trustee, and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee compounding, submitting to arbitration, settling, or otherwise agreeing with the said trustees or trustee, for the payment of the said several annuities or any parts thereof respectively, and generally to authorize and empower the said assignee to take such measures in relation to the said several annuities as he shall deem most expedient and necessary for the benefit of the estate of the said insolvent debtor.

In the Matter of William Scott, late of Kimberley-street, Unthanks-road, in the county of the city of Norwich, Carpenter and Builder, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent debtor will be held at the offices of Messrs. Miller, Son, and Bugg, Solicitors, Surrey-street, in the city of Norwich, on Friday the 21st day of March next, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to approve and direct of the place, time, and manner of sale by public auction of the real estate of the said insolvent debtor, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of Parliament in that behalf.—Dated the 28th day of February, 1856.

In the Estate of Cecilia Frances Chadwick, of the Fair Meadow, in the parish of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Widow.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Third Dividend of 2s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, or any subsequent day, between the hours of ten and four. No dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—Dated 14th February, 1856.

FRANCIS PAYNTER, Official Assignee,
Townhall, Redruth.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Webster, now and since the 15th day of September, 1855, residing at the back of No. 69, Gooch-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, previously and for about three and a half years residing at the Old Fellows Arms, Little Hampton-street, Birmingham aforesaid, there carrying on the business of a Retail Brewer, and during the whole of these residences having a Shop at No. 78, Snow-hill, Birmingham aforesaid, and there carrying on the business of a Hair Dresser and Dealer in Perfumery and Tobacco, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of

Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Webster, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Webster is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Webster, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Charles Hague, of Wenman-street, Balsall Heath, in the parish of King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, previously of No. 93, Sherlock-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, General Carver, carrying on business at No. 219½, in Sherlock-street, in Birmingham aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Hague, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Hague is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Charles Hague, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Josiah Freeth, of No. 43, Bordisley-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, previously of No. 73, and before then of No. 24, in the same street, and being sometimes a Spoon Maker, and sometimes a Tool Maker and Photographic Artist, before then of No. 14, Bartholomew-row, in Birmingham aforesaid, Electro Plater and Gilder, prior to that time of Icknuld-street West, in Birmingham aforesaid, out of business, and formerly of Icknuld Port-road, in Birmingham aforesaid, Electro Plater, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Josiah Freeth, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Josiah Freeth is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Josiah Freeth, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Charles Stanley, at present and for three years last past residing at No. 20, Cregoe-street, in the parish of Saint Thomas, in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Boot and Shoe Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Stanley, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Stanley is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Charles Stanley, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Guest, Clerk of the said Court, Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Hasleham Leake, now and for two years last past residing at No. 37, Hampton-street, previously for about ten months residing at No. 66, Summer-lane, before then, for about eight months residing at No. 123, Summer-lane, before then, for about two months, residing at No. 51, John-street West, and during all the before-mentioned residences renting a shop at No. 115, Brearley-street, and before then, for about eight years, residing at No. 8, Lionel-street, all said places being in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and during all the said residences carrying on

the business of a Plumber, Glazier, and Painter, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Birmingham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Hasleham Leake, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Hasleham Leake is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Hasleham Leake, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Gnest, Clerk of the said Court, at the Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Walter Hart, formerly of No. 60, East-street, lodging at No. 77, Upper North-street, and now of No. 54, Grand Parade, in lodgings there, all in Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Tailor, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, Brighton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Walter Hart, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Walter Hart is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Walter Hart, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Ewen Evershed, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, in Prince's-street, Old Steine, Brighton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Samuel Trigg, formerly of No. 44, Temple-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and now of No. 22, York-road, Hove, in the said county of Sussex, Lodging-house Keeper and Hand Chairman, and whose wife formerly carried on the business of a Dress Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Brighton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Samuel Trigg, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Samuel Trigg is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Samuel Trigg, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Ewen Evershed, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, in Prince's-street, Old Steine, Brighton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Parry, at present and for five years last past residing at Cross-street, in Ellesmere, in the county of Salop, and during that time carrying on the businesses of a Ropemaker, Flaxdresser, and Publican there, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Shropshire, at Oswestry, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Parry, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Parry is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Parry, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard Jones Croxon, Clerk of the said Court, at the County Court, at Oswestry, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Killingworth Staines, now and for more than four years last past, residing at Polesworth, in the county of Warwick, Grocer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Atherstone, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Killingworth Staines, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Killingworth Staines is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 17th day of March instant, at eleven 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 Killingworth Staines or that

have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Thomas Pilgrim, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Atherstone, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Walter Humber, of Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Attorney's Clerk, then keeping a Grocer's shop in Yeovil aforesaid, and also acting as Clerk to an Attorney, but now acting as a Clerk to an Attorney only, and residing in Yeovil aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Somersetshire, at Yeovil, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Walter Humber, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Walter Humber is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th March instant, at half past 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 Walter Humber, 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 Yeovil, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Massey, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Lace Manufacturer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Loughborough, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Massey, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Massey is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Massey, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Beauvoir Brock, Clerk of the said Court, at Loughborough, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Charles Norman, at present and for two years and upwards now last past residing in apartments at No. 25, Upper Maudlin-street, in the parish of Saint James, in the city and county of Bristol, and renting workshops adjoining the White Hart Public-house, in Upper Maudlin-street, in the parish of Saint Michael, in the said city and county of Bristol, Carpenter, Joiner, Builder, Undertaker, Manufacturer of Billiard and Bagatelle Tables, Venetian and other Fancy Blinds, and Agent to the British Provident Life and Fire Assurance Company, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Norman, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Norman is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 27th day of March next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon, 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 Norman, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Sir John Kerle Haberfield and Messrs. Harley and Gibbs, Clerks of the said Court, at the office of the said Court, Broad-street, Bristol, the Official Assignees of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Trotman, at present and for four years last past residing at No. 1, Brunswick-place, Hotwells, in the parish of Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, and carrying on business there as a Chemist and Druggist, and Licensed Dealer in Tea, Coffee, Tobacco, British Wines, and Patent Medicines, and also a Dealer in Perfumery, Soap, Pickles, Sauces, and other articles usually sold by Chemists and Druggists, and occasionally letting lodgings and apartments, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Trotman, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Trotman is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th of March instant, at half past ten in the forenoon, 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 Trotman, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Sir John Kerle Haberfield and Messrs. Harley and Gibbs, Clerks of the said Court, at the office of the said Court, Broad-street, Bristol, the Official Assignees of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Hazel Jones, at present and for the last fourteen days residing at Rowham-place, in the parish of Clifton, in lodgings, out of business, previously and for one year and eleven months Furniture Broker and Model Lodging-house Keeper, of No. 3, Gloucester-terrace, previously and for ten years at No. 4, Gloucester-terrace, Beer Retailer, both in the parish of Clifton, and all in the city and county of Bristol, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Hazel Jones, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Hazel Jones is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 24th day of April next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, 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 Hazel Jones, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Sir John Kerle Haberfield or Messrs. Harley and Gibbs, Clerks of the said Court, at the office of the said Court, Broad-street, Bristol, the Official Assignees of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Drake, for the last three years living and residing at Castle Cary, in the county of Somerset, and carrying on the business of a Grocer and Carrier, and for ten years previously carrying on the business of a Grocer, at Castle Cary aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Somersetshire, at Wincanton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Drake, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Drake is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 11th day of March instant, 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 George Drake, 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, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Nicholson, formerly of Trinity-street, in the parish of Fareham, in the county of Hants, Blacksmith, and then and now of West-street, in the said parish of Fareham, Blacksmith, and Licensed Retailer of Beer, keeping a house there, called the White Horse, and Shopkeeper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at the Guildhall, at Portsmouth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Nicholson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Nicholson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 17th day of March instant, 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 John Nicholson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Howard, Clerk of the said Court, at Portsmouth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Edwin Pearce, of the parish of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Painter, Glazier, Gilder, Grainer, and Paperhanger, for two years last past carrying on business at Redruth aforesaid, under the name of Edwin Pearce, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cornwall, at the Townhall, Redruth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Edwin Pearce, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided the said Robert Edwin Pearce is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 13th of March instant, at eleven 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 the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Edwin Pearce, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Francis Paynter, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at the Townhall, Redruth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Dickens Paling, of Houghton-on-the-Hill, in the county of Leicester, Shoeing and Jobbing Smith, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Dickens Paling, under the pro-

visions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Dickens Paling is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Dickens Paling, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Loseby, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Leicester, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Wilson, late of Factory-lane, in Lutterworth, in the county of Leicester, formerly carrying on business as a Draper and Hatter, afterwards as Assistant Draper and Hatter, and latterly out of business and employment, afterwards and at present at No. 63, in High Cross-street, in the borough of Leicester, Licensed Victualler, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Wilson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Wilson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Wilson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Loseby, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Leicester, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Jeremiah Forknall, formerly of No. 123, High Cross-street, Leicester, at the same time carrying on business at No. 33 and 35, Cumberland-street, both in Leicester, Dealer in new and second hand Furniture, Hardware, Iron, Bones and Rags, afterwards and at present residing at No. 131, High Cross-street, and No. 33 and 35, Cumberland-street, in Leicester aforesaid, carrying on the above-mentioned businesses, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Jeremiah Forknall, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Jeremiah Forknall is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Jeremiah Forknall, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Loseby, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Leicester the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Willson Mortimer, formerly of No. 23, Midland-street, Morlidge-street, in the borough of Leicester, Licensed to let Horses by hire, Beer House Keeper, Horse Breaker, and Dealer in Hay and Milk, afterwards and at present of No. 23, Morlidge-street, in the said borough of Leicester aforesaid, Horse Breaker and Dealer in Hay, and at the same time holding the aforementioned premises situate in Midland-street, in Leicester, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Willson Mortimer, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Willson Mortimer is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Willson Mortimer or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Loseby, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Leicester, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Jacob Dyke, of the Bay Tree Tavern, New-road, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the town and county of Southampton, Retailer of Beer and Brewer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at the Court-house, Castle-square, Southampton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Jacob Dyke, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Jacob Dyke, is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 18th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the

provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Jacob Dyke, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. A. S. Thorndike, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Southampton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Charles Loveder, late of Orchard-street, in the parish of All Saints, in the town and county of Southampton, and now of No. 23, Lyon-street, New-town, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the said town and county of Southampton, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, and a Joint Exhibitor with William Brooker, of a Mechanical Exhibition, called the Entertainment of the War, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at the Court-house, Castle-square, at Southampton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Loveder, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Loveder is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 18th of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Charles Loveder, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. A. S. Thorndike, Clerk of the said Court, at Southampton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Thomas, of Market-place in the city of Bangor, in the county of Carnarvon, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Provision Dealer and Licensed Victualler, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Carnarvonshire, at Bangor, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Thomas, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Thomas is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 19th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Thomas, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Lloyd Jones, Clerk of the said Court, at Bangor, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Sampson Harris, formerly Chief Engineer of the Third Class in Her Majesty's ship *Horatio*, and also of Chapel-street, Sheerness, in the county of Kent, afterwards Chief Engineer of the Second Class in Her Majesty's ship *Tribune*, and of Chapel-street, Sheerness aforesaid, since Chief Engineer of the First Class in Her Majesty's ship *St. Vincent*, and of No. 15, Fox's-place, Sandy-hill, Woolwich, in the said county of Kent, and then and now Chief Engineer of the First Class of Her Majesty's ship *Royal William*, and of No. 42, Frankfort-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Devonshire, at East Stonehouse, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Sampson Harris, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Sampson Harris is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 14th day of May next, at eleven 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 Sampson Harris, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Parmenas Pearce, Clerk of the said Court, at St. George's Hall, East Stonehouse, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Samuel Jacobs, formerly of No. 19, King-street, in the parish of Saint James, in the town and port of Dover, in the county of Kent, General Dealer, and afterwards and for six months last past, of High-street, in the town and borough of Folkestone, in the said county, Agent and Salesman for James Clark, of No. 39, Spargate-street, Dover, and High-street, Folkestone, General Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at the Guildhall, at Folkestone, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Samuel Jacobs, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Samuel Jacobs is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 15th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted

to the said Samuel Jacobs, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to Mr. Ralph Thomas Brockman, Clerk of the said Court, at Folkestone, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Ainsworth, formerly of Uxbridge, in the county of Middlesex, but now of New Romney, in the county of Kent, Clerk, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Kent, at Romney, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Ainsworth, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Ainsworth is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 31st day of March next, at eleven 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 notice is hereby given, the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Ainsworth, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Stringer, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at New Romney, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William White, at present residing in Friendship-lane, in Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Boot and Shoe Maker, and Keeper of a Register Office for Servants, late of High-street, and previously of Northgate-street, in Hartlepool aforesaid, carrying on the same businesses, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Durham, at Hartlepool, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William White, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William White is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of March instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William White, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Edwin Marshall, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Hartlepool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Gray, formerly of New Malton, in the county of York, Grocer, afterwards of Middlesboro, in the same county, Grocer, afterwards of Middlesboro aforesaid, Grocer's Assistant, and now of the same place, Merchant's Clerk, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Durham, at Stockton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Gray, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Gray is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 11th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Gray, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Edwin Marshall, Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Stockton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Russell Willington, sometimes called John Russell Wellington, at present and for thirty years and upwards now last past residing at Fully Grove Cottage, near the Magazine, in the tything of Shirehampton, in the parish of Westbury-upon-Trym, in the county of Gloucester, and for twenty years of the said period renting land adjoining Fully Grove Cottage aforesaid, Magazine Keeper and Farmer.

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 27th of March instant, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Tucker, at present and for two years and upwards now last past residing at No. 15, Limekiln-lane, in the parish of Saint Augustine, in the city and county of Bristol, and there carrying on business as a Bread and Biscuit Baker, and Dealer in Flour, Groats, Oatmeal, and Confectionary, and letting Unfurnished Apartments.

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 27th day of March instant, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Samuel Furse Arthur, sometimes called Samuel Arthur, for seven weeks now last past, residing at No. 2, Rosemary-street, in the city and county of Bristol, carrying on business as a Marine Store Dealer, and also working as a Journeyman Plasterer, and previously and for eighteen months then next, residing at No. 32, Stokes Croft, in the said city and county of Bristol, working as a Journeyman Plasterer, and my wife during the same period, letting lodgings.

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 27th day of March instant, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Jarvis Payne, of No. 92, High-street, in the parish of Saint Martin, in the borough of Leicester, out of business and employment, now and for three calendar months and twenty-seven days both inclusive, and immediately preceding residing at No. 92, High-street aforesaid, out of business and employment, and previously and immediately preceding thereto, for two calendar months and fourteen days both inclusive, residing at No. 80, Knighton-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the said borough, out of business and employment, before and immediately preceding that period, for one calendar month and twenty-one days both inclusive, residing at No. 7, Mount-street, Manchester-road, Southport, in the parish of Northmeols, Lancashire, out of business and employment, and immediately preceding that time-for one calendar month and thirteen days both inclusive, residing at No. 38, Asylum-street, in the said parish of Saint Mary, in the borough of Leicester aforesaid, out of business and employment, and immediately preceding and prior thereto, for two calendar months and twenty-nine days, residing at the Fox and Hounds Public-house, Syston, Leicestershire, for fourteen days carrying on there the business of a Publican and Victualler, and for the remainder of the said two calendar months and twenty-nine days, out of business and employment, and for one year, three calendar months, and nineteen days previously and immediately preceding to the said several periods, of and residing at the Admiral Nelson, Humberstone-gate, in the said borough of Leicester, Publican and Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 19th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Talbott, formerly of the South End, Thurmaston, in the county of Leicester, Baker and Flour Seller, afterwards and at present of the North End, Thurmaston, in the said county of Leicester aforesaid, in lodgings, out of business and employment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 19th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Orlando Green, of No. 41, Humberstone-gate, in the parish of Saint Margaret, in the borough of Leicester, Painter, Decorator, Paper Hanger, Plumber and Glazier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Leicestershire, at Leicester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 19th of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Robert Law, at present and for eighteen months last past residing in Buckley-street, in the borough of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Journeyman Blacksmith, and for twelve months previously thereto residing in Bury-road, in the borough of Rochdale aforesaid, Beerseller and Journeyman Blacksmith, and for four years and three months previously thereto residing in Bury-road, in the borough of Rochdale aforesaid, Beerseller, Grocer, Shopkeeper, and Journeyman Blacksmith, and for ten years previously thereto residing in Butterworth-street, in the borough of Rochdale aforesaid, carrying on the trade or business of a Grocer and General-shop Keeper, and during the last-mentioned period working as a Journeyman Blacksmith, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John Stock Turner Greene, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Rochdale, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of March instant, 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 Sarah Bardsley, at present and for six weeks last past residing in Packer-street, in the township of Castleton, in the borough of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Second-hand Clothes Dealer, and for four years previous thereto residing in Packer-street, in the township of Castleton, in the borough of Rochdale aforesaid, carrying on the trade or business of a Woollen, Fent, Print, and Second-hand Clothes Dealer, and during the last-named period occupying a stall in the Rochdale New Market, in the borough of Rochdale aforesaid, Woollen, Fent, Print, and Second-hand Clothes Dealer, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John Stock Turner Greene, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Rochdale, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of March instant, 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 Thomas Thomas, of High-street, Swansea, Glamorganshire, Weaver.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Falconer, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Glamorganshire, at Swansea, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 25th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Richards, of the Willow Tree Tavern, situate in High-street, Swansea, Glamorganshire, Licensed Victualler and Shipwright, and and late of High-street aforesaid, Grocer and Shipwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Thomas Falconer, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Glamorganshire, at Swansea, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 25th day of March instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Mole, now and for three years and upwards residing at No. 19, Balsall Heath-road, in the parish of Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, during part of that time carrying on business at No. 29, Cannon-street, Birmingham, in the said county of Warwick, being a Coal Dealer, and during the remainder of the time carrying on business in Castle-street, in Birmingham aforesaid, and selling Ale and Porter by Commission, afterwards in the Upper Priory, in Birmingham aforesaid, and selling Ale and Porter on my own account, an Insolvent Debtor.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas William Palmer, at present and for eight months now last past residing at No. 151, in Moor-street, prior thereto for two months residing in Leinster-place, Small Heath, theretofore for three months residing in lodgings at No. 98, Gloucester-terrace, Coventry-road, previously thereto lodging at No. 103, in Moor-street aforesaid, prior thereto for six months lodging at No. 98, Gloucester-terrace aforesaid, theretofore for sixteen months residing at No. 155, in Moor-street aforesaid, part of which time having an office at No. 89, in Aston-street, and formerly residing in lodgings at No. 128, in Moor-street aforesaid, having an office in the Corn Exchange-passage, in High-street, afterwards having an office at No. 150, in Moor-street aforesaid, all named places being in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, during the whole time carrying on business as an Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor, an Insolvent Debtor.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Withnall, at present and for two years and one month now last past, residing in lodgings at Sutton Slade, in the parish of Sutton, in the county of Warwick, out of business or employ, and prior thereto for nine years residing at Saltley, in the parish of Aston, in the said county, Licensed Victualler, an Insolvent Debtor.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of Robert Lane, at present and for one year and six months last past residing at No. 87, Cheapside, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, carrying on business there as a Beer Seller, and being a Journeyman Printer, an Insolvent Debtor.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of John Haycox, now and for two years and four months last past residing at Moor Green, in the parish of Kinganorton, in the county of Worcester, Gardener, and for two years immediately previous thereto residing at Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and being during the whole of that time a Gardener, and for twelve months immediately previous thereto residing in Grosvenor-street, in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and being during the whole of that time a Gardener, and for three years immediately previous thereto residing at Cleobury Mortimer, in the county of Salop, and carrying on during that time the business of an Innkeeper and Seed and Corn Dealer, in partnership with his brother, Edward Haycox, an Insolvent Debtor.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Luker, late of the New Inn, Cadnam, in the parish of Eling, in the county of Southampton, Publican and Dealer, and now of Winsor, in the said parish of Eling and county of Southampton, Cattle Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles James Gale, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Hampshire, at Southampton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Channell, of Portsmouth, within the liberties of the town and county of Southampton, Carpenter and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles James Gale, Esq., the Judge of the County Court of Hampshire, at Southampton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Eli Egerton, of Winsor, in the parish of Eling, in the county of Southampton, Brick-maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles James Gale, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Hampshire, at Southampton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Ralph Stobbs, at present and for the last six years residing in Claypath, in the city of Durham, in the county of Durham, and carrying on the business of Publican and Journeyman Brewer, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry Stappilton, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Durham, at the County Court-house, Durham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 17th day of March instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

THE estates of James Murray, Manufacturer, No. 51, Wilson-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 27th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the said 27th day of February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed James Thomson, Junior, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Murray against arrest or imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held, at two o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday, the 12th day of March next, within the George 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 27th day of June next.

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

SANG and ADAM, Agents,
61, Great King-street, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Joseph Spence, lately residing in Bread-street, Edinburgh, now deceased, were sequestrated on the 27th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the 19th day of December, 1855.

The Lord Ordinary, on the said 27th day of February, 1856, nominated and appointed Mr. John Menzies Baillie, Accountant in Edinburgh, Interim Factor on the estate.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within Stevenson's Sale-rooms, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, the 12th day of March, 1856, at two o'clock afternoon.

To entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 19th day of April next.

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

ROB. AINSLIE, W.S., Agent,
14, Abercromby-place, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Robert Paton, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, Union-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 28th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated 28th February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has appointed Alexander Black, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Robert Paton against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held, at two o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 17th day of March, 1856, within Cranston's 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 28th day of June, 1856.

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

RICH. ARTHUR, S.S.C., Agent,
Chambers, 16, Royal Exchange, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Alexander Nicol, Merchant and Fish Dealer in Findhorn, in the county of Elgin, were sequestrated on the 29th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the 29th day of February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Arthur Duff, Sheriff-Clerk, Elgin, Interim Factor on the said estates, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Alexander Nicol against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held, at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday, the 18th day of March, 1856, within the Gordon Arms Hotel, Elgin.

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 29th day of June, 1856.

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

GEORGE MORE, W.S., Agent,
5, Fettes-row, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Robert Paterson, Grocer, at Brewster-ford, near Calder, in the parish of Bothwell, and county of Lanark, were sequestrated upon the 29th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the 29th day of February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills has appointed John A. Brodie, Esq., Accountant, Glasgow, Interim Factor, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Robert Paterson against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee, or Trustees in succession and Commissioners, is to be held, at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 13th day of March, 1856, within Drummond's Royal Hotel, Airdrie.

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 30th day of June, 1856.

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

JOHN LEISHMAN, W.S., Agent,
18, Drummond-place, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Wilkie Brothers, Accountants, Share Brokers, Insurance Brokers, and Dealers in Shares, in Glasgow, and of James Wilkie and George Binnie Wilkie, the Individual Partners of that Company, were sequestrated on the 27th February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the 27th February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary, on the same day nominated and appointed William Auld, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estates, and granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Wilkie and George Binnie Wilkie against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Wednesday the 12th day of March, 1856, within the George 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 27th day of June, 1856.

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

J. B. DOUGLAS, W.S., Agent,
6, Fettes-row, Edinburgh.

THE estates of George Banks, Boot and Shoe Maker Union-place, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 29th day of February, 1856.

The first deliverance is dated the 29th day of February, 1856.

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed Thomas Dall, Accountant in Edinburgh, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said George Banks against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within Stevenson's Sale-rooms, No. 4, St. Andrew-square, Edinburgh, on Saturday, the 15th day of March next, 1856, at one o'clock afternoon.

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 30th day of June next, 1856.

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

J. and J. MACANDREW, Agents,
Edinburgh, 33, Dublin-street,
February 29, 1856.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

The following PERSON, who, on his Petition filed in the Court, has obtained an Interim Order for protection from process, is 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 Tuesday the 18th March, 1856, at Eleven o'clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

George Callard, of No. 9, York-terrace, Commercial-road East, late also of No. 1, Emma-place, Devonport-street, Commercial-road East, both in Middlesex, Chandlershop Keeper and Brush Maker.

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.

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Saturday the 1st day of March, 1856.

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

Richard Burridge Lawrence, late of Myddleton-square, Middlesex, Coal Merchant, Insolvent, No. 58,476 T.; William Tyler, Assignee.

Edward Benjamin May, late of No. 4, Victoria-terrace, Battersea-bridge-road, Surrey, Draper, Insolvent, No. 65,720 T. James Scouller Fiske, Assignee.

Thomas White, late of the Woolpack Public House, Hart-street, Cripplegate, city of London, Victualler, out of business, Insolvent, No. 65,788 T.; Joseph Chout Sawen • Mead, Assignee.

John Lovelace, late of Dorchester, Dorsetshire, Carpenter and Builder, Insolvent, No. 79,532 C.; Frederick William Smith Gregory, Assignee.

James Tyley, late of Marlborough-street, city and county of Bristol, Licensed Victualler, Insolvent, No. 81,353 C.; William Hale and William Clack, Assignees.

John Richardson, late of No. 3, Ordnance-place, South-coates, Kingston-upon-Hull, out of business, Insolvent, No. 81,566 C.; John Brodriok, Assignee.

William Grocock, late of Stratford-terrace, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire, Joiner, Insolvent, No. 81,606 C.; Thomas North, Assignee.

William Roberts, late of Chepstow, Monmouthshire, Builder, Insolvent, No. 81,631 C.; William Davies and Daniel Harris, Assignees.

Joseph Clarke, late of Paradise-street, Coventry, Warwickshire, Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor, Insolvent, No. 81,715 C.; Alfred King and Henry Parrish, Assignees.

Samuel George Cox, late of No. 55, Gardner-street, Brighton, Sussex, out of business, Insolvent, No. 81,894 C.; Henry Rock, Assignee.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 1st day of March, 1856.

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

On their own Petitions.

Charles Wright, late of No. 7, Godfrey-row, Shacklewell-green, Middlesex, Gentleman's Librarian.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Vagg, late of Uxbridge, Middlesex, Butcher and Beer-shop Keeper.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Phillips, late of No. 8, Sun-street, Bishopsgate-street, London, Shopman to a Linen Draper.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Figgins Stephens, late of No. 30, Wilton-square, New North-road, Islington, Middlesex, Tailor and Clothier.—In the Queen's Prison.

Charles Read, late of No. 7, Blizard-place, Fulham-road, Brompton, Middlesex, Grocer and Tea Dealer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Wilkinson, late of No. 2, Albion-cottages, Amersham-road, New Cross, Kent, Dealer in Coals.—In the Queen's Prison.

Thomas Benjamin Cove, late of No. 17, Cox's-terrace, Lower-road, Rotherhithe, Surrey, Builder.—In the Gaol of Surrey.

Auguste Jean Baptiste Amand, late of No. 6, Regent-cottages, Dunstan-road, Kingsland, Middlesex, Artificial Florist.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

William Walker, late of No. 108, Denbigh-street, Belgrave-road, Pimlico, Middlesex, Schoolmaster.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

George Haslam, late of No. 24, Jewin-street, Cripplegate, London, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Edward Harnett, late of No. 5, Cumberland-street, Hackney-road, Middlesex, Master Mariner.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Barnet Adelstone, late of No. 15, St. Mark-street, Goodman's-fields, Middlesex, Dealer in Jewellery.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

- George Tyrer Lightbody, late of the Union Jack Beer-shop, No. 53, Russell-street, Rotherhithe, Surrey, Licensed Retailer of Beer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Edward William Barker, late of No. 1, Earl-street, Old Kent-road, Surrey, Wine Cooper.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Moses Gillingham, late of No. 7, Warren-street, Tottenham-court-road, Middlesex, Builder.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Charles Ford, late of No. 5, Great Marlborough-street, Regent-street, Middlesex, Tailor.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- John Clark, late of No. 18, Trinity-square, Southwark, Surrey, Foreman to a Miller.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- John Clark, late of No. 1, Little Grove-street, Lisson-grove, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Thomas Cloutman, late of No. 9, Meeting House-lane, High-street, Peckham, Surrey, Journeyman Carpenter.—In the Gaol of Surrey.
- Owen George Smith, late of No. 10, Newnham-street, Edgeware-road, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Robert Sillick, late of the Hanworth-road, Hounslow, Middlesex, Coach Maker and Wheelwright.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- George Leonard Hopkins, late of No. 72, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, Trunk Manufacturer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Ann Larkin, late of No. 18, Acacia-road, St. John's-wood, Middlesex, Widow, not in business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- John Charles Ward, late of the Liver Vaults, School-lane, Liverpool, Lancashire, Beerseller.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Maria Frith, late of Alpha-terrace, Lower Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Alfred Bennington Jefferys, late of No. 51, Park-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, Ship Chandler's Assistant.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Berry Smith, late of Mount Sion-road, Radcliffe, near Bury, Lancashire, Blacksmith.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Edward Sedden, late of Deardens-buildings, Rochdale, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- David Mason, late of Palfrey, near Walsall, Staffordshire, Coach Harness Dresser.—In the Gaol of Stafford.
- Michael McDonnell, late of No. 201, Great Homer-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, Forwarding Agent.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Peter Evans, late of No. 41, Naylor-street, Manchester, Lancashire, Provision-shop Keeper.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- John Tierney, late of Castlegate, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, Beer-house Keeper.—In the Gaol of York.
- George Parvin, late of Heeley, near Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- John Dugdale, late of Union-street, Accrington, Lancashire, Wholesale Currier.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Jeremiah George, late of Brackley, Saint James, Brackley, Northamptonshire, Sheriff's Officer, &c.—In the Gaol of Northampton.
- Thomas Weston Martin, late of No. 46, Paradise-square, Oxford, Foreman to a Tailor.—In the Gaol of Oxford.
- Frederick Copelin Bugbird, late of Brook Cottage, Prescott, near Liverpool, Lancashire, Excavator.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- William Gill, late of No. 6, Ryland's-yard, Warrington, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Robert Burn Scotland, late of No. 15, Faulkner-terrace, Liverpool, Lancashire, Commission Merchant.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Stephen Jackson, late of Upper Duke-street, Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- William Monk, late of Kings Langley, Hertfordshire, Clerk to a Coal Merchant.—In the Gaol of Hertford.
- Frederick Augustus Edwards, late of the Angel Inn, Redcliffe-street, Bristol, out of business.—In the Gaol of Bristol.
- Edward Brooks, late of East Grinstead, Sussex, Bricklayer and Builder.—In the Gaol of Lewes.
- Richard Hall, late of New-road, Shoreham, Sussex, Bread and Biscuit Baker.—In the Gaol of Lewes.
- John Ritching, late of Braithwaite-green, Levens, near Milnthorpe, Westmoreland, Farmer.—In the Gaol of Appleby.
- Benjamin Mees, late of Kinver, Staffordshire, Forgemaster.—In the Gaol of War sick.
- James Milnes, late of Briggate, Leeds, Yorkshire, Commission Agent.—In the Gaol of York.
- George Foulstone, late of King-street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, Builder.—In the Gaol of York.
- Albert John Ashforth, late of Harvest-lane, Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Harvey Oakes, late of Sheffield Moor, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Thomas Briggs, late of No. 173, Woodhouse-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, Blacksmith and Machine Maker.—In the Gaol of York.
- Aaron Collins, late of No. 174, Park-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, Furniture Broker.—In the Gaol of York.
- Benjamin Jennings, late of No. 11, Dyer-street, Leeds, Yorkshire, Licensed Hawker.—In the Gaol of York.
- Michael Clayton, late of Apperley-lane Top, near Rawdon, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Richard Barrow Harcastle Cragg, late of Skipton-in-Craven, Yorkshire, Painter and Gilder.—In the Gaol of York.
- Thomas Booth the younger, late of No. 18, Taylor's-terrace, Doctor's-fields, Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- William Henry Gale Hasleham, late of No. 12, Ardwick-green, Ardwick, Manchester, Lancashire, Attorney's Clerk.—In the Gaol of Manchester.
- Theodore Petchell, late of No. 21, Bow-street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Thomas Bineen, late of New-street, Keighley, Yorkshire, News-vender.—In the Gaol of York.
- George Carver, late of Denton, near Otley, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- John William Halliley, late of Mushroom-street, Newtown, Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- John Woodcock, late of King street, York, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Thomas Braithwaite, late of Pollard-street, Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- Mary Heathcote, late of Busfield-terrace, Sheffield, Yorkshire, Widow, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- George Lunn, late of Marsh, near Huddersfield, Yorkshire, Cloth Dresser.—In the Gaol of York.
- Richard Oldfield, late of Dewsbury, Yorkshire, Card Maker.—In the Gaol of York.
- Robert Wilson Nightingale, late of St. Stephen's-street, city of Norwich, Journeyman Grocer.—In the Gaol of Norwich.
- John Smith, late of Dolly-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, Commission Agent.—In the Gaol of York.
- John Robson, late of Guiseley, near Leeds, Yorkshire, Cloth Manufacturer.—In the Gaol of York.
- Alfred Rushworth, late of Spofforth, near Wetherly, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- George Adams, late of Retford, Nottinghamshire, Seedsman.—In the Gaol of York.
- John Metcalfe, late of Saint James-road, Halifax, Yorkshire, Hay and Straw Dealer.—In the Gaol of York.
- James Greenwood, late of New-lane-place, Meadow-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- William Heppenstall, late of Watson's-walk, Sheffield, Yorkshire, Draper's Assistant.—In the Gaol of York.
- Joseph Halls Bare, late of Ipswich, Suffolk, not in any business.—In the Gaol of Suffolk.
- David Bennett, late of High-street, Merthyr Tydvil, Glamorganshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Cardiff.
- William Burrows, late of Harop-street, Greenheys, Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Thomas Rostron, late of New Church-street, Radcliffe, near Bury, Lancashire, Labourer in Print Works.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Edward Jameson, late of Walwick-park, Northumberland, Labourer.—In the Gaol of Morpeth.
- Septimus Jameson, late of Ramshaws Mill, Wark, Northumberland, Grinder.—In the Gaol of Morpeth.
- John Dent, late of Grove-lane, Handsworth, Staffordshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Stafford.
- Jonathan Mills, late of Lyon-dam, Oldham, Lancashire, Journeyman Cotton Spinner.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Owen Owens, late of St. Paul's square, Liverpool, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court, having filed their Schedules, are ordered to be brought up before the Court, as hereinafter mentioned, at the Court-House, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-

Inn, as follows, to be dealt with according to the Statute :

On Tuesday the 18th March, 1856, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

William Burke Williams, formerly of No. 15, Earls-terrace, Kensington, Middlesex, Clerk to Her Majesty's Honourable Board of Ordnance, Pall-mall, Middlesex, then of the Black Horse Inn, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire, then of No. 91, Mary-street, Hampstead-road, Middlesex, of no occupation or employment.

Theodor Berthold Liebercht Strauss (sued, committed, and detained as Theodor Strauss, also sued with one Winand Bedbur), formerly of No. 40, New North-street, Finsbury, then of Macclesfield-street, Soho, then of Richmond Buildings, Soho, then of Frith-street, Soho, then of John-street, Oxford-street, then of No. 8, Seymour-place, Euston-square, New-road, all in Middlesex, German Mustard Manufacturer and Foreign Provision Merchant, carrying on said business in copartnership with one Winand Bedbur, as Bedbur and Strauss, first at No. 45, Greek-street, Soho, and afterwards of No. 3, John-street, Oxford-street, both in Middlesex, and having a stable first at Rathbone-place, Oxford-street, then in Cross-street, Finsbury, then in Little Portland-place, Regent-street, and afterwards in Wells-street, Oxford-street, all in Middlesex, and late of No. 8, Seymour-place aforesaid, Importer of Foreign Produce and occasionally letting lodgings, also during all the time Sole Agent for D. H. Carsten, of Lubeck, Germany, Provision Merchant, and up to June, 1855, his wife a Milliner, at Berlin, Germany aforesaid.

On Tuesday the 18th March, 1856, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

John Kirk the younger (sued as John Kirk), formerly of No. 361, Rotherhithe-street, Rotherhithe, Surrey, Iron-monger, then of No. 13, Rotherhithe-street aforesaid, Ironmonger, and late of No. 361, Rotherhithe-street aforesaid, out of business.

Robert Henderson Temperley (sued with one Christian Ker Temperley), formerly of No. 32, Acacia-road, St. John's Wood, Middlesex, out of business, afterwards of Stanton's Wharf, Stoney-lane, Tooley-street, Southwark, Surrey, Carman and Coal Merchant, then of No. 40, Trinity-square, Southwark aforesaid, and whilst residing at the said last mentioned place carrying on the business of Carman and Coal Merchant at Stanton's Wharf aforesaid, then of No. 88, Windsor-terrace, Dover-road, Newington, and late of No. 12, Mount-row, New Kent-road, Surrey, out of business.

On Tuesday the 18th March, 1856, at Ten o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

William Hickson (sued as W. Hickson, now carrying on business under the name of R. Noyes), formerly of No. 2, Broad-court, Long-acre, Plumber, Painter, and Glazier, then and late of No. 46, Long-acre aforesaid, both in Middlesex, Foreign Glass Merchant, and Importer of Glass, Plumber, Painter, and Glazier, also trading as Agent to the Continental Glass Company, also Letting Lodgings.

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 Somersetshire, holden at Taunton, on Friday the 14th day of March, 1856.

James Privett, of No. 18, Pulteney-bridge, in the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Saddler and Harness Maker.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury, on the 18th day of March, 1856, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Henry Dain, late of Longdon, near Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, in no business or occupation, previously of Great Hampton-street, Whitmore Reans, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, in no business or occupation, previously of Moumore Green, Wolverhampton aforesaid, Grocer, Provision, and Corn Dealer, previously residing at Moumore Green aforesaid, carrying on the trades aforesaid, and also carrying on at Cobden-place, Blakenhill, Wolverhampton aforesaid, the trades of a Grocer, Provision and Corn Dealer, and Baker.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on Tuesday the 18th day of March, 1856, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely.

Edward Brooks, late of East Grinstead, in the county of Sussex, Bricklayer and Builder.

David Collins, formerly of Heathfield, Retailer of Beer and Licenced Victualler, then of the New Eight Bells, Salehurst, near Hurst-Green, Licenced Victualler, and late of Burwash, Agricultural Labourer, all in the county of Sussex.

Richard Hall, late of New-road, Shoreham, in the county of Sussex, Bread and Biscuit Baker, Corn Chandler, and General Dealer.

Samuel George Cox, formerly of No. 55 and 56, Queen's-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Wholesale and Retail Stationer, Printseller, and Bookseller, and late of No. 55, Gardner-street, Brighton aforesaid, out of business, also for four seasons Keeper of the Bazaar for the Sale of Fancy Goods at the Swiss Gardens, Shoreham, in the said county of Sussex.

William Jackson, formerly of No. 31, Titchborne-street, Edgware-road, Paddington, then of No. 14, Upper George-street, Edgware-road, Paddington aforesaid, both in Middlesex, and late of No. 14, Charles-street, Brighton, Sussex, Riding Master's Assistant and Dealer in Horses.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester Castle, Chester, on Wednesday the 19th day of March, 1856.

Henry Onslow, formerly of Foregate-street, Grocer and Provision Dealer, afterwards of Lower Bridge-street, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and at the same time carrying on the business of a Joiner and Builder, afterwards residing in Weaver-street, and carrying on business in Foregate-street, as a Joiner and Builder only, afterwards of Claremont-walk, Joiner and Builder, all in the city of Chester, then a Prisoner for Debt in Lancaster Castle, afterwards in lodgings at No. 70, Brunswick-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Journeyman Joiner, and late in lodgings at the White Bear Inn, Lower-bridge, in the city of Chester, Joiner and Builder.

William Abraham, late of Crewe, in the county of Chester, carrying on business there under the name or firm of W. and H. Abraham, Chemists and Druggists, and Dealers in Seeds, Oils, Colours, and Paints, and Agent for the Lancashire Insurance Company (sued with Hannah Abraham).

John Higginson, formerly of Little Barrow, in the township and parish of Barrow, in the county of Chester, Wheelwright, in lodgings, and late of the same place, Dealer in Corn, Flour, and Guano, in lodgings.

John Hayward, formerly of No. 1, Grange-vale, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Commission Agent, in lodgings, and late of the same place, in lodgings, out of business.

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

2. The petition and schedule will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination at the Office of the Court in London, between the hours of Ten and Four, on this notice being exhibited; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act of 1st and 2nd Victoria, cap. 110, sec. 105.

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

3. The duplicates of the petitions and schedules, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the Clerks or Assistant Clerks of the said County Courts, for inspection and examination, at the Offices of the said County Courts respectively, at the Towns aforesaid, and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided according to sec. 106 of the Act.

INSOLVENT DEBTORS' COURT.

DIVIDENDS.

A Dividend of six pence in the pound is now payable to the creditors of Benjamin Daniell, late of No. 2, Hope-cottage, Kentish Town, Middlesex, in no business, No. 64,300 T.

Of one shilling and eight pence halfpenny in the pound to the creditors of William Brown, late of Stock-street, Red-bank, Manchester, Lancashire, Ivory and Bone Turner, No. 79,295 C.

Of one shilling and eleven pence in the pound to the creditors of Joseph Holton, late of Bell Bar, North Mimms, Hertfordshire, Wheelwright, No. 79,281 C.

Of two shillings and two pence in the pound to the creditors of John Calder, late of the Market-place, South Shields, Durham, Boot and Shoe Maker, No. 78,282 C.

Of two shillings and eleven pence in the pound to the creditors of Thomas Williamson, late of Chapel-street, Salford, Lancashire, Assistant to a Grocer, No. 66,843 C.

Of one shilling and nine pence farthing in the pound to the creditors of George Lock Sharp, of the Prince Albert Beer-shop, Great Warley, near Brentwood, Essex, Beer Retailer, No. 4,515 P.

Apply at the Provisional Assignee's Office, No. 5, Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn, London, between the hours of Eleven and Three.

In the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

In the Matter of Charles Starkey.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Starkey, an Insolvent Debtor, who was discharged from the Gaol of Warwick, will be held on Tuesday the 18th day of March, 1856, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Mr. Warmington, Solicitor, in Castle-street, Dudley, for the purpose of assenting to or dissenting from the assignee of the said insolvent's estate, taking proceedings either in law or in equity against certain persons to be named at such meeting, for the purpose of recovering certain property of the said insolvent, conveyed to the such certain person as aforesaid, within three calendar months of the time of the arrest of the said Charles Starkey, and of assenting to or dissenting from the said assignee submitting to arbitration, compromising and settling any such proceeding when taken upon such terms as the said assignee shall think advisable.—Dated this 29th day of February, 1856.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS IN IRELAND.

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

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court, having filed their Schedules, are ordered to be brought up before the Court, at the Court-House, No. 3, Lower Ormond-quay, Dublin, on the 15th day of March, 1856, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute:

Charles Francis Atkinson, late of Usher's Quay, in the county of the city of Dublin, General Merchant, and Commission Agent.

Thomas Fisher, formerly of Westmoreland-street, in the city of Dublin, Newspaper and Advertising Agent, trading as Fisher and Co., and late of Monck-place, Philsborough, in the city of Dublin, 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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