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*Whitehall, December 13, 1856.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing

The Right Honourable Lord Broughton;  
The Very Reverend Henry Hart Milman, D.D.;  
Richard Ford, Esq.;  
Michael Faraday, Esq., D.C.L.;  
Charles Robert Cockerell, Esq.; and  
George Richmond, Esq.;

to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to determine the site of the New National Gallery, and to report on the desirableness of combining with it the Fine Art and Archæological Collections of the British Museum, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Committee on the National Gallery in 1853.

*Foreign-Office, October 31, 1856.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Benvenuto Mathew, Esq., late Her Majesty's Consul at Philadelphia, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Russian Ports in the Black Sea.

*Foreign-Office, December 15, 1856.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. William Downing Bruce as Vice-Consul at Edinburgh and Leith for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
December 15, 1856.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rio de Janeiro, transmitting copy of a Brazilian Imperial Decree, regulating the carrying trade between the ports on the sea coast of the Empire, and the port of Albuquerque, and admitting foreign flags to participate in it under certain conditions, involving the deposit by the exporter of a sum equivalent to the amount of the export duties on the cargo, which will be forfeited, if within one year the discharge of the goods should not be proved by a certificate from the Fiscal Station of Albuquerque.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,  
16th December, 1856.*

*12th Regiment of Light Dragoons.*

Major-General Sir Lovell Benjamin Lovell, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Sir Henry John Cumming, deceased. Dated 29th November, 1856.

*74th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Charles Augustus Shawe to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Alexander Thomson, C.B., deceased. Dated 24th November, 1856.

*Admiralty, 11th December, 1856.*

*Corps of Royal Marines.*

**BREVET.**

Captain John Thompson Aslett having been allowed to retire on full pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September, 1854, to be Major, the rank being honorary only.

*Admiralty, 12th December, 1856.*

*Corps of Royal Marines.*

First Lieutenant George Bayles Heasty to be Captain, vice J. T. Aslett, retired.  
Second Lieutenant John Frederick Crease to be First Lieutenant, vice Heasty, promoted.

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

Job Meigh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1856.

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

James Fitzmaurice Scott, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

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

*The Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry and Lancashire Hussars.*

Charlie Berkeley Molyneux, Esq. (late Captain in the 4th Light Dragoons), to be Adjutant. Dated 11th December, 1856.

*Whitehall, December 9, 1856.*

The Right Honourable Sir Alexander Edmund Cockburn, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed George Peard, of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Devon.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Zion Chapel, situated at Morley, in the parish of Batley, in the county of York, in the Superintendent Registrar's District of Dewsbury, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 12th day of December, 1856, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 13th day of December, 1856.

*William Carr, Superintendent Registrar.*

#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that—

1819. John Watkins Brett, of Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, 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 letter and numeral printing electric telegraphs."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of August, 1856.

1839. And Josiah Firth, of Heckmondwike, in the county of York, Carpet Manufacturer, and Joseph Crabtree, of Mill Bridge, near Heckmondwike aforesaid, Machine Maker, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "weaving Scotch, Kidderminster, and Dutch carpets by means of a power loom."

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

1844. And Antoine Dominique Sisco, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Practical Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in railway brakes."

1846. And Jean Jacques Danduran, Civil Engineer, of No. 13, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an apparatus called the self-swimmer."

1848. And John Keith, of Eltham, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for making envelopes."—A communication from the first and true inventor.

1849. And Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in primers for firearm cartridges."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 5th day of August, 1856.

1867. And Joseph Leese, Junr., of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Calico Printer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery used for printing calico and other fabrics."

1869. And Thomas Austen, of Waltham Abbey, in the parish of Waltham Holy Cross, in the county of Essex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a machine for ascertaining the propelling force of gunpowder."

1870. And William Gorse, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved door fastener."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 8th day of August, 1856.

1876. And Thomas Whittaker, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Millwright, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the mode or method of washing or cleansing woven fabrics."

1881. And Archibald Lockhart Reid, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Print Cutter, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in producing ornamental figures or devices on textile fabrics and other surfaces."

1883. And George Anderson, of 22, Queen's-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Gas Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of taps or valves for regulating the passage of gas."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 9th day of August, 1856.

1884. And Peter Armand Le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new electro-motive engine."—A communication.

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

1894. And David Lesser, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Confectioner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery or apparatus for making 'lozenges' or other similar articles."

1896. And William Church, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, and Henry Whiting Hamlyn, of Birmingham aforesaid, Corn Factor, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method or improved methods of constructing or building hay and other ricks."

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

1907. And John Burns Smith, of the city of Manchester, Mill Manager, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for preparing,

spinning, and twisting cotton and other fibrous substances."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of August, 1856.

1921. And Louis Auguste Joyeux, of Marseilles (Empire of France), has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in obtaining motive-power."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of August, 1856.

1934. And Pierre Noyer, of 38, Gerrard-street, Soho, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "winding up fusee watches and pocket chronometers and setting the hands without key."

1937. And Robert Jobson, of Wordsley, in the county of Stafford, Iron Founder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for pouring iron or other metal into moulds."

1939. And Joseph Brouard and Joseph Hubert, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in reefing the sails of ships or vessels."

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

2094. And Thomas Restell, of New Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Chronometer Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms and ordnance."

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

2198. And Pierre Lafitte, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved engine with rotary piston, applicable to various purposes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of September, 1856.

2370. And John Shaw and Edwin Shaw, of Glossop, in the county of Derby, Musical Instrument Makers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in pianofortes, organs, harmoniums, and other similar keyed musical instruments."

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

2417. And Richard Ford Sturges, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved manufacture of rollers or cylinders for printing fabrics."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of October, 1856.

2452. 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 farthingales or petticoats."—A communication.

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

2482. And George Chappell Potts, of New Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Cooper, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the application of certain materials to the cleaning of casks."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 22nd day of October, 1856.

2520. And James Fenton, of Low Moor, near Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer, has

given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of and signal apparatus for preventing accidents on railways."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 27th day of October, 1856.

2563. And Edward Joseph Hughes, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode or method of concentrating the colouring matter of certain vegetable substances."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of November, 1856.

2609. And George Collier, of Halifax, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in drying, stretching, and polishing or finishing yarns."

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

2630. And William Gossage, of Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of carbonates of zinc, of iron, and of manganese, and in the useful application of such carbonates."

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

2707. And George Pye, of Ipswich, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in treating and bleaching cotton."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of November, 1856.

2727. And William Brindley, of Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Paper Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the treatment and application of papier mâché for covering floors, roofs, and other like useful purposes."

2731. And John Jones, of Middlesborough-on-Tees, in the county of York, Engineer, and Edward Jones, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or production and treatment of metal castings."

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

2758. And Charles Tooth, of Burton-upon-Trent, Brewer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in charging or filling and filling up casks or other vessels for containing fermenting liquids."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of November, 1856.

2774. To Joseph Wheeler, of Wootton-under-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a method of converting rotary into reciprocating motion, especially applicable to machinery for forcing plastic substances through moulds and dies."

2777. And William Edward Laycock, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of November, 1856.

2782. And James Broadley, of Saltaire, in the county of York, Overlooker to Messrs. Titus Salt, Sons, and Co., of Saltaire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in weaving."

2788. And Charles Edwin Heinke, of Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Submarine Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus for illuminating objects beneath the surface of water, or for giving light in mines and other places where combustible or explosive gases exist."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 24th day of November, 1856.

2796. And Jacob Levi Elkin, of Jeffreys-square, St. Mary-axe, in the city of London, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved process applicable to the manufacture of zinc." A communication.

2797. And John Marshall, junior, of Selby, in the county of York, Oil Refiner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the purifying of oils and fatty matters."

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

2815. And James Higgin, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in treating certain vegetable dyestuffs, or preparations therefrom, so as to obtain a coloring substance of increased purity."

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

2825. And James Dryden, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, Manager, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in weaving."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of November, 1856.

2851. 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 bleaching."—A communication from Henry Bouchet.

2853. 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 pumping engines and in pumps."—A communication.

2861. And Frederic Siemens, of 7, John-street, Adelphi, London, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "im-

proved arrangement of furnaces, which improvements are applicable in all cases where great heat is required."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of December, 1856.

2878. And Ebenezer Daggett Draper and George Draper, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain new and useful improvements in oil feeders, vessels, or cans, for oiling machinery."—Partly a communication,

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of December, 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.

Vice-Chancellor Kindersley.

Friday the 5th day of December, in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, 1856; in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849; and of the North Tamar Mine Company.

Extract.

**T**HIS Court doth order, that the said Company be absolutely dissolved as from this day, and wound up by the Judge of this Court to whose Court this matter is attached, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849.

F. Bedwell, C. R. & W.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Lancashire Debt Guarantee Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart will, at his chambers, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on Monday the 22nd day of December, 1856, at one of the clock in the afternoon, or at such other adjourned time or place as he may then or afterwards fix, appoint an Official Manager of this Company; and further, that all parties interested are entitled to attend, at such time and place, and to offer proposals or objections to any such appointment.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1856.

### BUCKS AND OXON UNION BANK.

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

ACCOUNT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the BUCKS and OXON UNION BANK,  
Saturday the 29th November, 1856.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Paid up Capital ... ..	55,000	0	0
Current Accounts, Deposits, and other Liabilities ... ..	438,026	15	10
Undivided Profits ... ..	411	15	6
	<u>£493,438</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Cash in Hand, and in other Banking Houses, Bills of Exchange, Loans and Notes of Hand, Balance of Bank Premises and Preliminary Expenses ... ..	493,438	11	4
	<u>£493,438</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>4</u>

Bucks and Oxon Union Bank,  
Aylesbury, 11th December, 1856.

(Signed) A. Garrioch, Secretary.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 6th day of December, 1856.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue			Average Amount.
			£.
Andover Bank .....	Andover .....	Heath and Co. ....	12439
Ashford Bank .....	Ashford .....	Jemmett, Pomfret, & Co. ....	11028
Aylesbury Old Bank .....	Aylesbury .....	Z. D. Hunt .....	31736
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank .....	Biggleswade.....	Wells, Hogge, and Co. ....	32194
Barnstaple Bank .....	Barnstaple .....	Marshall and Co. ....	9431
Basingstoke and Odiham Bank ....	Basingstoke.....	Seymour, Lamb, and Co. ....	19288
Bedford Bank .....	Bedford .....	T. Barnard and Sons .....	32325
Bewdley Bank .....	Bewdley .....	Nichols, Baker, and Co .....	10528
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank .....	Bicester .....	H. M. and G. Tubb .....	13965
Birmingham Bank .....	Birmingham ....	Attwoods, Spooner, and Co.....	22252
Birmingham and Warwickshire Bank .....	Birmingham ....	J. L. Moilliet and Sons.....	8504
Blandford Bank .....	Blandford.....	Oak and Co. ....	6518
Boston Bank .....	Boston .....	Garfit and Co. ....	77272
Boston Bank .....	Boston .....	H. and T. Gee and Co.....	14898
Bridgwater Bank .....	Bridgwater .....	J. and J. L. Sealey .....	7174
Bristol Bank .....	Bristol .....	Miles, Miles, and Co.....	31723
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank .....	Broseley .....	Pritchards, Boycott, & Co.....	17719
Buckingham Bank .....	Buckingham .....	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.....	23838
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank.....	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.....	68176
Banbury Bank .....	Banbury .....	J. C. and A. Gillett .....	36359
Banbury Old Bank .....	Banbury .....	Cobb and Son.....	29828
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank .....	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co. ....	33561
Birmingham Bank .....	Birmingham .....	Lloyds and Co. ....	27256
Bradford Old Bank.....	Bradford, Yorkshire	H. A. & W. M. Harris & Co.....	11523
Brecon Old Bank .....	Brecon .....	Wilkins and Co. ....	60961
Brighton Union Bank.....	Brighton .....	Hall, West, and Co. ....	18809
Burlington and Driffield Bank ..	Burlington .....	Harding, Smith, and Co. ....	12028
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank .....	Bury St. Edmunds	Worlledge and Co. ....	2960
Cambridge Bank.....	Cambridge .....	Mortlock and Co. ....	16150
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank .....	Cambridge .....	Messrs. Fosters .....	47161
Canterbury Bank .....	Canterbury .....	Hammond and Co. ....	31645
Carmarthen Bank .....	Carmarthen .....	David Morris and Sons.....	21869
Chertsey Bank .....	Chertsey .....	La Coste and Son .....	2574
Colchester Bank .....	Colchester .....	Round, Green, and Co.....	17213
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank .....	Colchester .....	Mills, Bawtree, and Co. ....	34201
Cornish Bank, Truro .....	Truro .....	Tweedy and Co. ....	45935
Coventry Bank .....	Coventry .....	Little and Woodcock .....	756
City Bank, Exeter .....	Exeter .....	Milford and Co.....	15018
Craven Bank .....	Settle .....	Alcocks, Birkbeck, & Co.....	70608
Chepstow Old Bank, Chepstow Bank, Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank .....	Chepstow .....	Bromage, Snead, and Co.....	8302
Derby Bank .....	Derby .....	W. and S. Evans and Co. ....	10489
Derby Bank .....	Derby .....	Samuel Smith and Co.....	35299
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank.....	Derby .....	Crompton, Newton & Co. ....	27305

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank.....	Devizes .....	Locke and Co. ....	8929
Diss Bank .....	Diss .....	Fincham and Co. ..	10222
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank...	Doncaster.....	Cooke and Co. ....	74714
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank..... }	Darlington .....	Backhouse and Co. ....	84205
Devonport Bank.....	Devonport .....	Hodge and Co. ....	8795
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- shire Bank .....	Dorchester .....	R. and H. Williams .....	46641
East Cornwall Bank.....	Liskeard .....	Robins, Foster, and Co. ....	93841
East Riding Bank.....	Beverley .....	Bower and Co. ....	47740
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank .....	Chelmsford .....	Sparrow, Round, and Co.....	45053
Exeter Bank .....	Exeter .....	Sanders and Co. ....	24012
Farringdon Bank and Bank of Wantage	Farringdon .....	Barnes, Medley, and Co .....	8122
Farnham Bank .....	Farnham .....	John and Jas. Knight .....	11682
Faversham Bank.....	Faversham .....	Hilton and Co. ....	5259
Godalming Bank.....	Godalming .....	Mellersh and Keen .....	4688
Guildford Bank .....	Guildford.....	Messrs. Haydon.....	13482
Grantham Bank .....	Grantham .....	Hardy and Co. ....	28872
Hastings Old Bank.....	Hastings .....	Smith, Hilder, and Co.....	31862
Hereford City and County Bank.....	Hereford .....	Matthews and Co.....	16725
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank .....	Hull .....	Smith, Brothers, and Co. ....	20150
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon.....	Veasey, and Co. ....	51797
Harwich Bank .....	Harwich .....	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.....	5175
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank.....	Hitchin .....	Sharples and Co. ....	31049
Hereford, Ross and Archenfield } Bank, and Ross and Archenfield Bank .....	Ross .....	Morgan and Co. ....	21102
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. ....	62682
Kentish Bank .....	Maidstone .....	Mercer, Randall, and Co. ....	14109
Kington and Radnorshire Bank.....	Kington .....	Davies and Co. ....	25218
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank.....	Knaresborough ..	Harrison and Co. ....	21188
Kendal Bank .....	Kendal.....	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co....	40727
Kettering Bank .....	Kettering.....	J. C. Gotch and Sons .....	8877
Longton Staffordshire Bank ..	Longton .....	C. Harvey and Sons .....	5317
Leeds Bank.....	Leeds ..	Beckett and Co. ....	52012
Leeds Union Bank .....	Leeds .....	W. Williams, Brown and Co. ...	36649
Leicester Bank .....	Leicester ..	T. and T. T. Paget .....	28655
Lewes Old Bank .....	Lewes .....	Whitfield and Co. ....	26225
Lincoln Bank .....	Lincoln .....	Smith, Ellison, and Co.....	92050
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank .....	Llandovery .....	D. Jones and Co. ....	25393
Loughborough Bank .....	Loughborough.....	Middleton and Cradock .....	7470
Lymington Bank.....	Lymington .....	St. Barbe and Co. ....	3307
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Lynn Regis .....	Gurneys and Co. ....	38137
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank .....	Lynn Regis.....	Jarvis and Co. ..	13338

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Macclesfield Bank .....	Macclesfield .....	Brocklehurst and Co. ....	13994
Manningtree Bank .....	Manningtree .....	Nunn and Co. ....	2550
Merionethshire Bank .....	Dolgelly .....	Williams and Son .....	8137
Miners' Bank .....	Truro .....	Willyams and Co. ....	17076
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank .....	Abergavenny .....	Bailey and Co. ...	25618
Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, Chepstow Bank, Chepstow Old Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank.....	Monmouth .....	Bromage, Snead, and Co.....	15889
Newark Bank .....	Newark .....	Godfrey and Riddell.....	26860
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank .....	Sleaford .....	Handley, Peacock, and Co. ....	50386
Newbury Bank .....	Newbury .....	Bunny, Slocock, and Co. ....	20799
Newmarket Bank .....	Newmarket .....	Eaton, Hammond, and Co.....	19626
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank .....	Norwich .....	Harveys and Hudsons .....	50109
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks .....	Norwich .....	Gurneys and Birkbecks .....	94228
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Bank .....	Nottingham .....	Hart, Fellows, and Co.....	10819
Nuneaton Bank .....	Nuneaton .....	Craddock and Co.....	3208
Naval Bank, Plymouth .....	Plymouth.....	Harris and Co. ....	18101
New Sarum Bank .....	Sarum .....	Everett and Co.....	8248
Nottingham Bank .....	Nottingham .....	Samuel Smith and Co. ....	31710
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank .....	Oswestry .....	Croxon and Co.....	12730
Oxford Old Bank .....	Oxford .....	Parsons & Co. ....	Not received.
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank.....	Tonbridge .....	T. H. and S. Beeching.....	9110
Oxfordshire Witney Bank .....	Witney .....	J. W. Clinch and Sons.....	11327
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank.....	Hull.....	Pease and Co. ....	47337
Penzance Bank .....	Penzance .....	Batten and Co. ....	11035
Peterborough Bank and Oundle Bank .....	Peterborough .....	D. Yorke and Co.....	9510
Pembrokeshire Bank .....	Haverfordwest.....	J. and W. Walters .....	Not received.
Reading Bank .....	Reading .....	Simonds and Co. ....	29584
Reading Bank .....	Reading .....	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ....	29699
Richmond Bank .....	Richmond .....	Roper and Co. ....	6745
Rochdale Bank .....	Rochdale .....	Clement, Royds, and Co. ....	3913
Rochester, Chatham, and Strood Bank .....	Rochester.....	Day and Nicholson .....	7968
Royston Bank .....	Royston .....	Fordham and Sons .....	13699
Rugby Bank .....	Rugby .....	A. Butlin and Son.....	8128
Rye Bank.....	Rye .....	R. C. Pomfret and Co.....	13981
Ross Old Bank, Herefordshire .....	Ross .....	Allaway and MacDougal .....	4170
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank .....	Saffron Walden ..	Gibsons and Co. ....	31685
Salop Bank .....	Shrewsbury .....	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ....	13519
Scarborough Old Bank .....	Scarborough .....	Woodall and Co. ....	24302
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank .....	Shrewsbury..	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ....	37108
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank.....	Sittingbourne .....	Vallance and Co. ....	2663
Southampton Town and County Bank .....	Southampton .....	Maddison and Pearce .....	11322
Southwell Bank .....	Southwell .....	Wylde and Co. ....	13593
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ..	Southampton .....	Atherley, Fall, and Co.....	3000
Stone Bank .....	Stone .....	W. Moore .....	340
Stafford Old Bank .....	Stafford .....	Stevenson and Co. ....	10235

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Stamford and Rutland Bank .....	Stamford .....	Eaton, Cayley, and Co.....	29316
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank.....	Shrewsbury ... ..	Beck, Downward, and Co. ....	23140
Taunton Bank.....	Taunton .....	H. and R. Badcock .....	26188
Tavistock Bank .....	Tavistock.....	Gill, Sons, and Co. ....	8379
Thornbury Bank.....	Thornbury .....	Rolph and Co. ... ..	8975
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank .....	Tiverton .....	Dunsford and Co. ....	9705
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire .....	Thrapston .....	Yorke and Eland ... ..	11236
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank .....	Tring .....	Butcher and Son .....	13125
Towcester Old Bank .....	Towcester .....	Percival and Co. ... ..	7492
Town and County of Poole Bank and } Ringwood and Poole Bank .....	Poole .. ..	G. W. Ledgard and Sons.....	10366
Union Bank, Cornwall .....	Helston .....	Vivian and Co. ....	15803
Uxbridge Old Bank .....	Uxbridge.....	Hull, Smith, and Co. ....	12435
Wallingford Bank .....	Wallingford.....	Hedges, Wells, and Co.....	7776
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank.....	Warwick .....	Greaves and Co. ....	24971
Wellington Somerset Bank.....	Wellington .....	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ....	3118
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank .....	Wakefield .....	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ....	46295
Whitby Old Bank .....	Whitby .....	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ..	13482
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester .....	Bulpett and Co. ....	18030
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester } Bank .....	Weymouth .....	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ....	14991
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- } shire Bank .....	Wirksworth.....	Arkwright and Co. ....	35447
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank .....	Wisbech .....	Gurneys and Co. ....	56306
Wiveliscombe Bank .....	Wiveliscombe .....	P. and W. Hancock .....	6167
Wolverhampton Bank .....	Wolverhampton ..	Goodricke and Holyoake .....	11249
Worcester Bank .....	Worcester .....	Farley, Lavender, and Co. ....	4783
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- } bury Old Bank .....	Worcester .. ..	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	62111
Worcestershire Bank .....	Kidderminster .....	Farley, Turner, and Co. ....	6176
Wolverhampton Bank .....	Wolverhampton ..	R. and W. F. Fryer .....	11040
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank...	Yarmouth .....	Gurney's Birkbeck, and Co. ....	46369
Yarmouth, Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bart. & Co	12975
York Bank .....	York .....	Swann, Clough, and Co. ....	43667

## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Bank of Westmorland ..	Kendal ..	8509
Barnsley Banking Company .....	Barnsley .....	9358
Bradford Banking Company .....	Bradford .....	48946
Bilston District Banking Company.....	Wolverhampton .....	Not received.
Bank of Whitehaven .....	Whitehaven .....	27686
Bradford Commercial Banking Company .....	Bradford .....	19077
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company .....	Burton-upon-Trent .....	53921
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company .....	Chesterfield .....	10213
Cumberland Union Banking Company .....	Workington ..	33448
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company .....	Coventry .....	23396



Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Coventry Union Banking Company .....	Coventry .....	14263
County of Gloucester Banking Company.....	Cheltenham .....	109825
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company .....	Carlisle.....	23915
Carlisle City and District Bank .....	Carlisle .....	18898
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company .....	Dudley .....	38656
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company .....	Derby .....	19728
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company .....	Darlington .....	22660
East of England Bank.....	Norwich .....	25849
Gloucestershire Banking Company .....	Gloucester .....	148590
Halifax Joint Stock Bank .....	Halifax .....	17833
Huddersfield Banking Company .....	Huddersfield .....	32736
Hull Banking Company .....	Hull .....	28389
Halifax Commercial Banking Company .....	Halifax .....	12778
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company .....	Halifax .....	39710
Helston Banking Company .....	Helston .....	1501
Herefordshire Banking Company .....	Hereford .....	20026
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company.....	Knarborough .....	27560
Kingsbridge Joint Stock Bank .....	Kingsbridge .....	3235
Lancaster Banking Company.....	Lancaster .....	56127
Leeds Banking Company.....	Leeds .....	23159
Leicestershire Banking Company .....	Leicester .....	76112
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company.....	Lincoln .....	49339
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company.....	Leamington Priors .....	9932
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank .....	Ludlow .....	9675
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company ...	Nottingham .....	35021
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company .....	Nottingham .....	28104
National Provincial Bank of England.....	Birmingham.....	429115
North Wilts Banking Company .....	Hd Office, 112, Bishopsgate-st., London	
Northamptonshire Union Bank .....	Melksham .....	42095
Northamptonshire Banking Company.....	Northampton .....	81192
North and South Wales Bank.....	Northampton .....	22364
	Liverpool .....	59668
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company .....	Leicester .....	51560
Saddleworth Banking Company .....	Saddleworth .....	2159
Sheffield Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	36097
Stamford, Spalding and Boston Banking Company .....	Stamford .....	51207
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire } Bank, and Somersetshire Bank .....	Langport .....	346490
Shropshire Banking Company.....	Shifnal .....	44130
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company .....	Stourbridge.....	57080
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	21934
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	52869
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company .....	Richmond .....	51578
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company .....	Wolverhampton .....	35379
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank .....	Wakefield .....	14303
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company .....	Whitehaven .....	27402
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company.....	Warwick .....	30537
West of England and South Wales District Bank.....	Bristol .....	75298
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company .....	Salisbury .....	72565
West Riding Union Banking Company .....	Huddersfield .....	30775
Whitechurch and Ellesmere Banking Company .....	Whitechurch.....	4962
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester .....	5484
York Union Banking Company .....	York .....	68825
York City and County Banking Company.....	York .....	90610
Yorkshire Banking Company .....	Leeds .....	115725

MONTHLY RETURN.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour, imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of November, 1856.

SPECIES OF CORN, GRAIN, MEAL, AND FLOUR.	Quantities Imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of November, 1856.					
	Imported from Foreign Countries.		Imported from British Possessions out of Europe.		TOTAL.	
	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.
Wheat ... ..	407,179	7	22,701	7	429,881	6
Barley ... ..	105,665	2	3	1	105,668	3
Oats ... ..	131,898	5	1,411	4	133,310	1
Rye ... ..	7,121	0	—	—	7,121	0
Pease ... ..	10,639	2	443	1	11,082	3
Beans ... ..	29,935	0	0	4	29,935	4
Maize or Indian Corn ... ..	114,716	4	10,820	5	125,537	1
Buck Wheat ... ..	5	6	0	2	6	0
Beer or Bigg ... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of Corn and Grain ...	807,161	2	35,381	0	842,542	2
Wheat Meal and Flour ...	Cwt. 179,418	qrs. 1	lb. 26	Cwt. 26,465	qrs. 1	lb. 14
Barley Meal ... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oat Meal ... ..	67	3	10	14	0	0
Rye Meal ... ..	201	3	12	—	—	—
Pea Meal ... ..	2	0	0	—	—	—
Bean Meal ... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maize or Indian Corn Meal ...	110	2	8	2	0	0
Buck Wheat Meal ... ..	24	0	15	—	—	—
Total of Meal and Flour ...	179,824	3	15	26,481	1	14
					206,306	1 1

Custom House, London, 12th December, 1856.

W. MACLEAN,  
Secretary.

SALE OF PROVISIONS, &c., AT PLYMOUTH.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,  
December 1, 1856.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 18th instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Captain Superintendent will put up to sale, in the Royal William Victualling Yard at Plymouth, several lots of

ARMY, NAVY, GENERAL MESS, AND WAR  
PRISON STORES.

Consisting of Biscuit, Salt Beef and Pork, Compressed Vegetables, Scotch Barley, Rice, Tongues, Preserved Provisions, Wine, Cook's Fat, Clothing, Bedding, &c., &c., &c., all lying in the said Yard.

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

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

CONTRACT FOR WHEAT.

Department of the Comptroller for  
Victualling, Somerset-House,  
December 6, 1856.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 18th instant, at one

o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores, at Deptford,

Wheat, 2,000 quarters; half to be delivered in a fortnight, and the remainder in a fortnight afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

Tenders may be made for the whole or any portion of the wheat; and 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.

A proportional part of the price per bushel of wheat will be paid for any weight exceeding 60lbs. per bushel.

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

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the 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 Wheat," and must also be delivered at Somerset-House.

#### CONTRACTS FOR VEGETABLES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, December 1, 1856.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday, the 18th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying all such quantities of

#### VEGETABLES

as may be demanded for the use of Her Majesty's ships and vessels, at the following places, from the 1st April, 1857, to the 31st March, 1860, both days included, viz.:

Deptford to London Bridge inclusive.

Woolwich to Gravesend both inclusive.

A form of the tender may be obtained, and the conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at this office, or by applying to the Superintendent of the Victualling Establishment at Deptford; or the Superintendent of Her Majesty's Dockyard at Woolwich.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose; but it will not be necessary that the party tendering, or an Agent appointed by him, should attend at this office, 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 delivered at the above office, and signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £200 for the due performance of each of the contracts.

#### CONTRACT FOR FIRE BRICKS, CLAY, LOAM, AND SAND.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, December 10, 1856.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Tuesday the 6th January 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

Stourbridge, Welsh, and Windsor

#### FIRE BRICKS,

FIRE CLAY, LOAM, and GLASS GRINDERS' SAND.

Samples of the articles may be seen, and a form of the tender obtained 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 Fire Bricks, Clay, Loam, and Sand," and must 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 £200 for the due performance of the contract.

#### CONTRACT FOR ELM TIMBER.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, December 10, 1856.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 13th January 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

3,200 Loads of ENGLISH ELM TIMBER, and

30 ELM TREES for PUMPS,

felled between the middle of November last and the end of February next, and to be delivered (at prices including all carriage and other expenses) by the 30th November, 1857.

Tenders may be made for the supply of any one or more of the Yards, or for the whole of them.

A distribution and a form of the tender may be obtained 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 Elm Timber," 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 £1 per load, for the due performance of the contract.

East India-House, December 10, 1856.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the East India Company do hereby give notice,

That a Proprietor of East India Stock (J. Jones, Esq.), has given notice of his intention, at the Quarterly General Court of the said Company, appointed to be held at their House, in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 17th instant, to submit a motion relative to the constitution of the Home Government of India, with special reference to the Board of Control.

That another Proprietor (M. Lewin, Esq.) has given notice of his intention, at the said Quarterly General Court, to submit a motion relative to the annexation of Oude.

James C. Melvill, Secretary.

London Dock House, December, 2, 1856.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the London Dock Company hereby give notice, that a Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held, at this House, on Friday the 2nd January next, for the purpose of declaring a Dividend on the Company's stock for the half year ending the 31st December (instant); and on other affairs. The chair will be taken at one o'clock precisely.

J. D. Powles, Secretary.

**T**AKE notice, that the Partnership recently subsisting between us the undersigned, as Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, and carried on at No. 7, Wilson-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, under the style of Wood and Newberry, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1856.

Edward Wood.

Samuel Newberry.

**W**E the undersigned, Louis Keller, of No. 62, Saint Paul's-square, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and Leopold Keller, of No. 88, Hatton-garden, in the city of London, Stone Dealers, hereby give notice, that the partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between us, at both of the above-named places, under the style of L. Keller and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1856.

*Louis Keller.  
Leopold Keller.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Richard Abraham and Evan Edmunds, in the trade or business of Coal Workers, in the parishes of Pembrey and Llangendeirne, in the county of Carmarthen, and of Coal Merchants, at Kidwelly, in the said county of Carmarthen, and elsewhere, under the firm of Abraham and Edmunds, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the said businesses will be carried on by the said Richard Abraham on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 9th day of December, 1856.

*Richard Abraham.  
Evan Edmunds.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Craven, Jesse Craven, and John Rastrick, heretofore carrying on business at Bradford, in the county of York, as Ironfounders, under the style or firm of T. and J. Craven and Co., or under any other style or firm, was dissolved on the 3rd day of December instant, by mutual consent. And notice is also hereby further given, that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Thomas Craven and Jesse Craven, who will receive and pay all debts due to or owing by the said late partnership.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1856.

*Thomas Craven.  
Jesse Craven.  
John Rastrick.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Holmes and Francis Rutherford, carrying on business as China and Earthenware Dealers, at West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Francis Rutherford, by whom the said business is intended to be carried on, at West Hartlepool aforesaid.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1856.

*Joseph Holmes.  
Francis Rutherford.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Thomas Eaton and William Eaton, carrying on the business of Pawnbrokers, at No. 42, York-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, under the firm of Thomas and William Eaton, has been this day dissolved. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts owing by and to the said firm will respectively be paid and received by the undersigned, William Eaton, at No. 42, York-street, Westminster aforesaid, whose receipt will be a good discharge.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1856.

*Thomas Eaton.  
William Eaton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Goodman and Thomas Smith Goodman, late of Watlington, in the county of Oxon, but now of Newbury, in the county of Berks, Drapers and Tailors, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will for the future be carried on at Newbury aforesaid, by the said John Goodman.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1856.

*John Goodman.  
Thomas Smith Goodman.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Whitworth, William Whitworth, and Ambrose Scholefield, of Facit, in Spotland, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business at Spring Mill, in Facit aforesaid, as Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Edward Whitworth and Co., was dissolved this day by mutual consent. All debts due to or by the said firm, will be received and paid by the undersigned, Edward and William Whitworth, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Witness our hands this 11th day of December, 1856.

*Edward Whitworth.  
William Whitworth.  
his  
Ambrose X Scholefield,  
Mark.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Staley Buckle and William King, heretofore carrying on business in Abingdon-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Manufacturers of Silk and Cotton Fabrics and Agents, under the style or firm of John S. Buckle and Co., hath this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said John Staley Buckle, who will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the said copartnership.—Dated Manchester, December 12th, 1856.

*Jno. S. Buckle.  
William King.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, as Clog Iron and Nail Manufacturers, in Water-street, in Rochdale, under the name of James Holt, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1856.

*Burgess Holt.  
James Holt.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Morrison and John Reid, carrying on the trade or business of Tea Dealers, in Whitby, in the county of York, under the firm of Morrison and Reid, was dissolved, on the 15th day of November now last past, by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 13th day of December, 1856.

*Thomas Morrison.  
John Reid.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Isaac Barnes and Thomas Price, of No. 44, Cambridge-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Glass Cutters and Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Debts paid and received by Isaac Barnes.—As witness our hands this 11th day of December, 1856.

*Isaac Barnes.  
Thomas Price.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Russell and William Russell, Jewellers, of Spencer-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of December, 1856.

*John Russell.  
William Russell.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Underwood and John Wood, of Caroline-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Leather Pocket-book Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 4th day of November, 1856.

*Henry Underwood.  
John Wood.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Percival Harwar and Joseph Richard Harwar, carrying on business at No. 2, Furnival's-inn, in the city of London, as Law Stationers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received or paid by the undersigned, Joseph Richard Harwar.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

*Hy. P. Harwar.  
Jos. R. Harwar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Stephenson and Joseph Nixon, both of the city of Carlisle, trading and carrying on business in Lewthwaites-lane, Scotch-street, in Carlisle aforesaid, as Painters, Glaziers, Gilders, and Paper Hangers, under the style or firm of Stephenson and Nixon, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

*William Stephenson.  
Joseph Nixon.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Edwin Langston, Henry Middleton, and John Burley, of Buckingham-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Electro Plate Ware Manufacturers, under the title of Langston and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, as far as regards John Burley. All debts owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by Samuel Edwin Langston and Henry Middleton, who will in future carry on the said business.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of November, 1856.

*Samuel Edwin Langston.  
Henry Middleton.  
John Burley.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned, Samuel Farnan and Henry John Eady, carrying on business as Indigo Brokers, under the style of Farnan and Eady, at No. 6, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, has been this day dissolved by mutual assent.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1856.

*Samuel Farnan.  
Henry John Eady.*

**THE** Partnership hitherto existing between Thomas Davis and Edward Brady, under the firm of T. Davis and Co., of 36, Rathbone-place, Oxford-street, London, Export Oilmen and Pickle Merchants, &c., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1856.

*Thomas Davis.  
Edward Brady.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Harris and Edmund Harris, carrying on trade or business of Warehousemen, under the style or firm of Harris, Brothers, at No. 87, Watling-street, in the city of London, hath been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that by the like consent all debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the undersigned, Henry Harris, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1856.

*Henry Harris.  
Edmund Harris.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of December 12, 1856.]

#### NOTICE.

**THE** Copartnership carried on in Glasgow, at No. 333, Sauchiehall-street, and No. 240, George-street, under the Firm of W. and R. M'Farlane, as Booksellers, Stationers, Lithographers, Engravers, and General Printers, and at No. 1, Queen-arcade, under the firm of E. and M. M'Farlane, as Booksellers, Stationers, and Tobaccoists, is this day dissolved by mutual consent of the Subscribers, the sole Partners of said Firms. The debts due to and by the Firms will be collected and paid by the Subscribers, W. and A. M'Farlane, at No. 333, Sauchiehall-street.

*Archibald M'Farlane.  
William H. M'Farlane.  
Robert M'Farlane.*

JOHN BOYD, Witness.

JAMES BOYD, Witness.

Glasgow, December 10, 1856.

**TO** be sold, by public auction, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Inman versus Davison, by Mr. Samuel Turner Winstanley, the person appointed for that purpose, at the Clarendon Rooms, South John-street, in Liverpool, on Friday, the 9th day of January, 1857, at two of the clock, in the afternoon, in one lot:

Two valuable leasehold residences, situate and being Nos. 3 and 4, Falkner-crescent, Derby-road, Bootle, near Liverpool, in the respective occupations of Mr. Samuel Walters and Miss Cloughton, as yearly tenants, at a rental of £40 per annum each. The above property is held under a lease from the Earl of Derby for the term of seventy-five years, from 25th March, 1845, at a ground rent of £6 per annum.

Particulars may be had of Mr. R. A. Parker, No. 30, Moorgate-street, London, Solicitor; Messrs. Harvey, Falcon, and Harvey, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors; and of Mr. Samuel Turner Winstanley, Auctioneer, Liverpool.

**TO** be sold, by auction, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a suit of Humphrey v. Richards, with the approbation of the Judge to whose Court this cause is attached, by Mr. John Bayley, the person appointed to sell the same, at the Saracen's Head Inn, Ashford, in the county of Kent, on Tuesday, the 13th day of January, 1857, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:

Two freehold houses, substantially and well built, each containing a parlor, kitchen, cellar, and five bed rooms, with detached wash-houses, and a set of coach-maker's and wheelwright's shops, blacksmith's forge with two fires, large timber stores, yard, and other buildings, situate in New-street, in Ashford, now in the occupation of Mr. Thomas Humphrey and his under tenants, of which immediate possession may be had.

Particulars whereof may be had of Messrs. Farley and Company, Solicitors, Ashford, Kent; and of Messrs. Rickards and Walker, Solicitors, No. 29, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; and of Mr. John Bayley, Auctioneer, Ashford, Kent.

The Advowson and Next Presentation to the Vicarage of Crondale.

**TO** be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Her Majesty's Attorney-General against the Master and Brethren of the Hospital of St. Cross, near Winchester, and others, with the approbation of the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, at the Auction Mart, in the city of London, on Friday the 23rd day of January, at one of the clock in the afternoon:

The advowson and right of presentation to the Vicarage of Crondale, in the county of Southampton, the net annual income of the living is about £430, arising from a commuted rent charge, the present vicar being in his 54th year. The Vicar of Crondale, has the right of patronage to the incumbency of the district church of Crookham, in his parish, the net annual income of which is about £60; the present incumbent being 43 years of age.

Further particulars may be had at the office of Mr. John Peter Fearon No. 21, Great George-street, Westminster; of Messrs. Young, Vallings, and Jones, St. Mildred's-court, Poultry; of Messrs. Burder and Dunning, No. 27, Parliament-street, Westminster; of Mr. Comely, of Saint Cross, Winchester; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Norton, Hoggart, and Trist, No. 62, Old Broad-street, City.

In Chancery.—Strong v. Strong.

Valuable Freehold Estates in the borough of Southwark.

**MESSRS.** H. Brown and T. A. Roberts will sell by auction, at the Auction Mart, opposite the Bank of England, on Thursday, the 12th day of February, 1857, at twelve o'clock, in lots, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, pursuant to a decretal Order of the Court:

Valuable freehold estates, comprising the King George on Horseback public-house, No. 118, High-street, Borough, No. 119, High-street, and premises in Mermaid-court, in the occupation of Messrs. Gainsford and Goode; a shed in Mermaid-court; ten dwelling-houses, being Nos. 1 to 10, inclusive, Tennis-place; smithy and plot of ground adjoining; a hop warehouse, in Bowling Green-lane, in the occupation of Messrs. Humbles and Russell; six dwelling-houses, being Nos. 1, 2, 2½, 3, 4, and 5, Bowling Green-lane; nine dwelling-houses, being No. 3 to 11, inclusive, Price's-buildings; the whole let on lease at ground and other rents, amounting to upwards of £600 per annum. Also, with possession, two cottages and stabling, being Nos. 7 and 8, Mermaid-court.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be shortly had of Mr. George Heritage, Solicitor, No. 2, Furnival's-inn, Holborn; of Mr. William Dyson, Solicitor, No. 39, Chancery-lane; of Messrs. Bishop and Son, Solicitors, No. 23, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars; at the Auction Mart; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. H. Brown and T. A. Roberts, No. 22, Throgmorton-street.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Fletcher and another against Barnard and others, the creditors of Charles Barnard, formerly of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, the testator in the said cause named, who died in or about the beginning of the year 1837, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 16th day of January, 1857, 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 Decree. Wednesday, the 21st day of January, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the cause of Ommanney v. Stilwell, the creditors of Edward Couch, late of Stoke Damerell, in the county of Devon, and of the Royal Navy, and who joined in the expedition conducted by Sir John Franklin, to the Arctic Seas, and sailed from this country on such expedition in, and as Mate of, Her Majesty's ship the Erebus, on or about the 20th day of May, 1845, and has not since been heard of, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 8th day of January next, to come in and prove their debts 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 12th day of January, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1856.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Attorney-General against Wyvill, the person or persons claiming to be the heir or heirs at law of Richard Hutchinson, the brother of James Hutchinson, of the city of York, Alderman, whose will is dated the 3rd day of February, 1643, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 8th day of January, 1857, to come in and

prove their claims at the chambers of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded so far as their rights are affected by the said will and Decree. Friday, the 16th day of January, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of John Lashmar, late of No. 21, Cirencester-place, in the county of Middlesex, deceased, and in a cause Judd against Dickitts, all persons claiming to be creditors of the said John Lashmar, the testator in the pleadings named (who died on or about the 10th day of July, 1855), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 15th day of January, 1857, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 19th day of January, 1857, at one o'clock, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Ebenezer Foster and others, plaintiffs, against William Marshall and another, defendants, the persons claiming to be creditors or incumbrancers on the real estate of John Marshall the elder, late of Leverington Parson Drove, in the county of Cambridge, Farmer, the testator in the proceedings named, who died in or about the month of July, 1851, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 15th day of January, 1857, to come in and prove their debts and claims at the chambers of Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 11, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Thursday, the 22nd day of January, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1856.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, made on the 28th day of November, 1856, in a cause Carter against Fairclough and others, the creditors of John Walsh Fairclough, late of Oxtou, in the county of Chester, and of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant and Shipping Agent, who died in or about the month of July, 1855, are, by their Solicitors on or before the 23rd day of January next, to come in and prove their debts at the office of the Registrar for the Liverpool District of the said Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, situate at No. 1, North John-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1856.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, dated the 29th day of November last, Leonard Greenbank, of High-street, Worcester, Tailor and Draper, has assigned unto William Cole, of the city of Worcester, Accountant, all his personal estate and effects, for the benefit of his creditors, who by themselves or by some other persons on their respective behalves shall execute the same within three calendar months from its date; and the said indenture was executed by the said Leonard Greenbank and William Cole on the said 29th day of November last, and the execution thereof by them attested by the undersigned, Edward Corles, of No. 72, Broad-street, Worcester, Solicitor, and Frederick Prosser, his Clerk. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture is lying at my offices, in Broad-street aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Leonard Greenbank; and that the creditors neglecting to execute the same within the said three calendar months will be excluded from all benefit thereunder. All persons indebted to the estate of the said Leonard Greenbank are requested to pay the amount of their debts to me forthwith, on behalf of the said William Cole, who is duly authorised to receive the same.—Worcester, December 9, 1856.

EDWARD CORLES.

Mr. John Wood's Assignment.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 5th day of December instant, and made between John Wood, of Burley, in the parish of Oxley, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, of the first part; James Rhodes, of Bradford, in the said county, Timber Merchant, of the second part; and the said James Rhodes and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, of the third part; the said John Wood hath conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate to the said James Rhodes, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, respectively, in trust, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said John Wood; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said John Wood on the said 5th day of December instant, and by the

said James Rhodes on the 6th day of December instant, in the presence of, and attested by, James Wood, of Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor, and George Banks Haywood, of the same place, his Clerk; and that the said indenture is now lying at our offices, in the Hall, Ings, in Bradford aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said John Wood.—Dated the 11th day of December, 1856.

BENTLEY and WOOD, Solicitors, Bradford.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that William Marsland Pye, of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Bone and Guano Merchant and Seedsman, hath by an indenture, bearing date the 18th day of November, 1856, granted, conveyed, and assigned, all his real and personal estate and effects, unto William Marsland, of Quernmoor, in the said county of Lancaster, Gentleman, and Joseph Coulston, of Lancaster aforesaid, Tanner and Currier, in trust, for the equal benefit of such of the creditors of the said William Marsland Pye, as shall execute the said indenture of assignment; and the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said William Marsland Pye, William Marsland, and Joseph Coulston, on the said 18th day of November, 1856, in the presence of, and attested by, Thomas Johnson, of Lancaster aforesaid, Attorney and Solicitor, and William Tilly and Edwin Andrew, his Clerks. And notice is hereby further given, that the said deed of assignment is now lying at my office in Lancaster aforesaid, for the inspection and signature of the creditors of the said William Marsland Pye.—December 13th, 1856.

THOMAS JOHNSON, Solicitor to the Assignees.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 25th day of November, 1856, and made between Nancy Wild, of Twine Mill, in Shuttleworth, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, of the first part; James Orr, of Liverpool, in the said county, Cotton Broker, Emanuel Parkinson Crossland, of Bury, in the said county, Engineer, and James Davenport, of Rochdale, in the said county, Machine Maker, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and affixed (being creditors, in their own right, solely, or in copartnership with others, of the said Nancy Wild, or agents of such creditors), of the third part; the said Nancy Wild did by those presents grant, convey, bargain, sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the said James Orr, Emanuel Parkinson Crossland, and James Davenport, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all and every the freehold, real, and leasehold estates, stock in trade, wares, merchandize, fixtures, household and other goods, chattels of every description, sum and sums of money, debts due and owing, ready money and securities for money, books, papers, and writings, and all other her real and personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, in possession, reversion, remainder, or expectancy, upon trust for the equal benefit of all the creditors of the said Nancy Wild; which said indenture was executed by the said Nancy Wild, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and the execution thereof by her attested by, George Whitehead, of Bury aforesaid, Solicitor; and was executed by the said James Orr, on the 25th day of November, 1856, and the execution thereof, by the said James Orr, attested by William Blackmore, of Liverpool aforesaid, Solicitor; and was executed by the said James Davenport, on the 2nd day of December, 1856, and the execution thereof, by the said James Davenport, attested by John Holgate, of Rochdale aforesaid, Solicitor; and was also executed by the said Emanuel Parkinson Crossland, on the 5th day of December, 1856, and the execution thereof, by the said Emanuel Parkinson Crossland, attested by the said George Whitehead; and that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said George Whitehead, in Bury aforesaid, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.—Dated the 12th day of December, 1856.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 10th day of December, 1856, Henry Bescoby, of Dartford, in the county of Kent, Oil and Colourman, hath assigned all his estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein mentioned, unto Thomas Green, of No. 18, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer, William Snodin, of Elm-street, Gray's-inn-lane, Middlesex, Tallow Merchant, and George Mandy, of Eynsford, Kent, Auctioneer, upon trust, for the benefit of the creditors of him the said Henry Bescoby; which said indenture was executed by the said Henry Bescoby, William Snodin, George Mandy, and Thomas Green, on the day of the date thereof; the respective executions of the said indenture by the said Henry Bescoby, William Snodin, and George Mandy, being attested by Alfred Russell, of Dartford, in the said county of Kent, Solicitor, and Clarence Harcourt, Clerk to John Caleb Selby, of No. 13, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Solicitor; and the execution by the said Thomas Green is attested by the said John Caleb Selby and the said Clarence Harcourt. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said John Caleb Selby, No. 13, Coleman-street aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Henry Bescoby.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1856.



**Mr. James Pye's Assignment.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 26th day of November, 1856, James Pye, of Hadlow, in the county of Kent, Miller, did assign all and every his personal estate and effects, except any leasehold estate or estates of him the said James Pye, and the wearing apparel of himself and family, unto George Lambert, of Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, Corn Merchant, and William Holman, of Tonbridge Wells, in the said county, Corn Merchant, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Pye, who should execute the same within three months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was executed by the said James Pye, George Lambert, and William Holman, respectively, on the day on which the same bears date, and the execution thereof by them respectively is attested by George Stenning, of Tonbridge aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby further given, that the same indenture now lies at my office for the inspection and execution of the several creditors of the said James Pye.—Tonbridge, 12th December, 1856.

GEORGE STENNING, Solicitor to the Trustees.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Charles William Thornhill, John Thornhill, and William Henry Whitechurch, all of the town of Nottingham, Lacemen and Haberdashers, trading at Nottingham aforesaid, in copartnership, under the style or firm of Thornhill and Co., have, by indenture of release and assignment, bearing date the 13th day of December, 1856, and made between the said Charles William Thornhill, John Thornhill, and William Henry Whitechurch, of the one part; James Page, of the town of Nottingham aforesaid, Lace Manufacturer, and Samuel Weston Moore, also of the same town, Lace Manufacturer, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being severally creditors in their own right, or in copartnership, or being agents or attorneys of creditors, of the said Charles William Thornhill, John Thornhill, and William Henry Whitechurch, of the third part; assigned all their personal estate and effects, as therein mentioned, to the said James Page and Samuel Weston Moore, their executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the equal benefit of such of the creditors of the said Charles William Thornhill, John Thornhill, and William Henry Whitechurch, as shall assent to and execute the said indenture of release and assignment within two months from the date thereof; the said indenture of release and assignment was duly executed by the said Charles William Thornhill, John Thornhill, and William Henry Whitechurch, respectively, on the said 13th day of December, 1856, in the presence of, and attested by, John Watson the younger, of the town of Nottingham aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law, and Robert Hogg, his Clerk; and the same indenture was duly executed by the said James Page and Samuel Weston Moore on the said 13th day of the said month of December, 1856, in the presence of, and attested by, the said John Watson the younger and Robert Hogg.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, dated the 6th day of December, 1856, Alfred Amooore, of Hastings, in Sussex, Grocer, hath assigned all his personal estate and effects unto Charles Alderton, of Hastings aforesaid, Ironmonger, and Boykett Breeds, of Hastings aforesaid, Auctioneer, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Alfred Amooore who shall execute the said indenture or assent thereto in writing on or before the 6th day of March next; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Alfred Amooore, Charles Alderton, and Boykett Breeds on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of Edwin Martin, Solicitor, residing at Battle, in Sussex, and practising there, and at Hastings aforesaid, and George Meadows, his Clerk, by whom the said executions are duly attested.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1856.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Richard Thomas and Benjamin Thomas Norton, of the city of Bristol, Hat Manufacturers (thereinafter called the assignors), by an indenture, bearing date the 18th day of November, 1856, and made between the said Richard Thomas and Benjamin Thomas Norton, of the first part; David Nyman, of St. James Barton, Bristol, Manufacturer, Benjamin Wilson, of Walbrook, London, Merchant; and Thomas Pike, of Manchester, Warehouseman (thereinafter called the trustees), of the second part; and the several other persons whose hands and seals were thereunto subscribed and set in the schedule thereunder written, being severally creditors of the said assignors, of the third part; conveyed and assigned all their estate and effects whatsoever (except as therein excepted), unto the said trustees, in trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said assignors; and that such indenture was duly executed by the said Richard Thomas and Benjamin Thomas Norton, on the day of the date thereof; and such execution was attested by James George Hobbs, of Bristol, Solicitor; and such deed was also executed by the said David Nyman on the day of the date thereof, and also attested by the said James George Hobbs; and such deed was executed by the said Benjamin Wilson on the day after the date thereof, and attested by Thomas Barns Knight, of

No. 34, Lime-street, London, Solicitor; and such deed was also executed by the said Thomas Pike on the 1st day of December instant, and attested by William Henry Shaw, Solicitor, Manchester; and the said deed now lies at the office of the said James George Hobbs, Bank of England-chambers, No. 12, Broad-street, Bristol, for the inspection and signatures of the creditors of the said Richard Thomas and Benjamin Thomas Norton.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1856.

**T**O be sold by auction, by order of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, by Mr. Branch, at the Clarendon-rooms, South John-street, Liverpool, on Monday, the 22nd day of December, 1856, at two o'clock in the afternoon, subject to such conditions of sale as shall be then and there produced:

All the erections and buildings situate and being No. 49, in Norfolk-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, together with the steam-engine and other machinery therein, and which were recently in the occupation of Messrs. William Lawford, and Co.

The property is held on a lease, dated the 5th day of February, 1852, for a term of seven years, at a yearly rent of £63, payable half-yearly, and in the said lease is contained a power for the lessee to extend the term of the said lease for a further period of seven years; and also, in case the said term shall not be so extended, for the lessee during the last three months of the said term to remove all the buildings and machinery (except the boundary-walls), unless the lessee shall take the same at a valuation.

For further particulars apply to William Bird, Esq., Official Assignee; Messrs. Harvey, Falcon, and Harvey, Solicitors; Mr. Thomas Dodge, Solicitor; or to Mr. Edward Banner, Solicitor, Liverpool.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 22nd of January, 1856, against Edward Ellis, of Ludgate-hill, Wine Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 2d. 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 subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of 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 and letters of administration under which they claim.—December 9, 1856.

CHAS. LEE, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 11th April, 1856, against B. S. Ryder, of No. 1, Gough-street, Gray's-inn-road, Paper Stainer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 6d. 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 subsequent Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two, on each day. 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.—December 9, 1856.

CHARLES LEE, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 17th January, 1855, against William Foster, of Bridge Wharf, Millbank, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Stone Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend, at the rate of 9½d. 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 15th instant, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of 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.—December 11, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 22nd of February, 1856, against Simon Cohen and Joseph Lubliner, of No. 37, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Goldsmiths and Jewellers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend at the rate of 2s. 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 15th December instant, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and

three o'clock. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—December 11, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 7th July, 1856, against John Newman Walker, of No. 33, Houndsditch, in the county of Middlesex, Hardwareman and General Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First 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 15th instant, 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.—December 11, 1856.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John James Vonder Heyde and Christopher Octavius Vonder Heyde, of No. 80, Lower Thames-street, in the city of London, Tobacco Manufacturers, Merchants, and Copartners.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 3s. 6d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, any Thursday between the hours of eleven and twelve. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 10, 1856.

H. H. STANSFELD, Official Assignee,  
10, Basinghall-street, London.

In the Matter of John Bearne Walke, of Newton Abbot, in the county of Devon, Draper, Dealer and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 4s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, any Thursday, between the hours of eleven and twelve. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 10, 1856.

H. H. STANSFELD, Official Assignee,  
10, Basinghall-street, London.

In the Matter of Robert Frederick Cooper, of No. 37, Three Colt-street, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, Oil and Colourman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 4½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, any Thursday, between the hours of eleven and twelve. No dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 10, 1856.

H. H. STANSFELD, Official Assignee,  
10, Basinghall-street, London.

In the Matter of Samuel Lovelock and Thomas Forster, of Dowgate-hill, in the city of London, and of Streatham, in the county of Surrey, India Rubber Manufacturers and Waterproofers, against whom a Petition for private arrangement, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1856, under which they were adjudicated bankrupts, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 3s. 6d. in the pound, any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and three, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Samuel Lovelock and Thomas Forster, of Dowgate-hill, in the city of London, and of Streatham, in the county of Surrey, India Rubber Manufacturers and Waterproofers, against whom a Petition for private arrangement, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1856, under which they were adjudicated bankrupts, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, against the Separate Estate of Samuel Lovelock, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 4s. 4d. in the pound, any Wednesday between the hours of eleven and three, on application at

my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Edwin Fisher, of No. 44, Middlesex-place, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Oil and Colourman, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of June, 1856, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 2s. 7½d. in the pound, any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John Hiseock, of Brook-street, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer and Factor, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1856, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 1s. in the pound, any Wednesday, between eleven and three o'clock, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Francis Louis Simond, of No. 4, Cullum-street, in the city of London, trading there with Charles Hyacinth Joseph Cuyllits, in copartnership as Merchants, under the style or firm of Cuyllits, Simond and Co., against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1856, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, against the separate estate of Francis Louis Simond, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 20s. in the pound, any Wednesday, between eleven and three o'clock, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of James Tomlin, of Lloyd's Room, Royal Exchange, in the city of London, Ship Owner, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1856, is filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 4½d. in the pound, any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and three of the clock, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John Boddington, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Malt Factor, Hop Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was issued on the 12th day of January, 1855.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 1½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 6th day of January next, or on any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one 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.

JOHN FRASER, Official Assignee.

**T**AKE notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 27th day of December, 1855, against William Wiggins, of Hawley Mills, near Dartford, in the county of Kent, and Slat Paul's Hotel, Nos. 5 and 6, Saint Paul's-churchyard, in the city of London, Paper Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 12th day of December, 1856, annul the adjudication of Bankruptcy, made under the said Petition for adjudication and dismissed the said Petition.



**WHEREAS** a Petition for arrangement, under the superintendence and control of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, between Henry Christian, of No. 9, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, Coffee Merchant, and his creditors, was filed in the said Court, on the 20th day of August, 1856; and whereas at the adjourned first private sitting held under the said Petition, on the 12th day of December instant, the said Henry Christian having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th day of December instant, and on the 28th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Tucker, Greville, and Tucker, Solicitors, No. 28, St. Swithin's-lane, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for arrangement, under the superintendence and control of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, between Morris Roberts Syers, James Walker, and Daniel Backhouse Syers, trading and carrying on business as Merchants, in copartnership at Bull-alley, Lombard-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Syers, Walker and Co., and at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Syers, Walker, and Syers, Dealers and Chapmen, and their creditors, was filed in the said Court, on the 29th day of May, 1856, and whereas at the adjourned first private sitting, held under the said Petition on the 13th day of October, 1856, the said Morris Roberts Syers, James Walker, and Daniel Backhouse Syers, having been declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th of December instant, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 2nd of February next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of 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. Nicholson, No. 24, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee, in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Lawrance, Plews, and Boyer, Solicitors, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for arrangement under the superintendence and control of the Court was, on the 14th day of November, 1856, filed against William Eames Heathfield and William Aburrow, both of Princes-square, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Chemists, Traders; and whereas, at the first sitting, under the said Petition, held on this 16th day of December, 1856, the said William Eames Heathfield and William Aburrow, were, for reasons then appearing, duly adjudged bankrupts, and all further proceedings in the matter adjourned into the public Court, and they having been so declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 30th of December instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and on the 27th of January next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Henry Hyde, Solicitor, No. 33, Ely-place, Holborn, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 8th day of December, 1856, filed against Robert Yallowley Barnes, of No. 11, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Floor Cloth Manufacturer, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th day of December, 1856, at half past one, and not eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely (as advertised in the Gazette of Friday, December 12),

and on the 28th of January, 1857, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. 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. Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. W. J. Norton, Son and Elam, Solicitors, New-street, Bishopsgate, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 11th day of December, 1856, filed against Abraham Jacobs, John Jacobs, and Henry Jacobs, of No. 14, Crown-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Merchants, and Copartners, and now or lately carrying on the same trade or business at Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, in partnership with Solomon Solomon, and they having been declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th of December instant, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, and on the 28th of January next, at one in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of 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. William Pennell, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Linklater and Hackwood, Solicitors, No. 17, Sise-lane, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of December, 1856, hath been presented against Richard Griffiths the elder and Richard Griffiths the younger, of No. 20, Hatton-wall, in the county of Middlesex, and also of Nos. 20 and 21, St. James's-walk, Clerkenwell, in the same county, Brass Founders and Finishers, Metal and Tool Warehousemen, and Partners, carrying on business under the firm of Griffiths and Son, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 27th day of December instant, at twelve at noon, and on the 3rd day of February next, at eleven in the forenoon, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Graham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Emmett and Son, Solicitors, No. 14, Bloomsbury-square.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 1st day of December, 1856, hath been presented against Harriet Rose, of Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Milliner, Dealer and Chapwoman, and she having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender herself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 27th day of December instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, and on the 3rd day of February 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 her estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish her examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Stansfeld, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Sole, Turner, and Turner, Solicitors, Aldermanbury, London.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 11th day of December, 1856, hath been presented by Samuel Gifford, of No. 72, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Sail Cloth and Canvas Merchant, and Sacking Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, 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 6th day of January next, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon, and on the 3rd February follow-

ing, at twelve o'clock at noon, 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. George John Graham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bennett and Paul, Solicitors, No. 1, Sise-lane, City.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 13th day of December, 1856, hath been presented against Charles Henry Davis, of the New Cross-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Builder, and he being 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 27th of December instant, at half past twelve in the afternoon, and on the 4th of February next, at half past one in the afternoon, 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. Hatton Hamer Stansfeld, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Rixon, Son and Anton, Solicitors, No. 38, Cannon-street, City.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 2nd day of December, 1856, hath been presented against Joseph Loader, of No. 8, Walworth-place, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, Upholsterer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being 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 27th day of December instant, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and on the 4th of February next, at two in the afternoon, 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. Graham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. A. T. Hewitt, Solicitor, No. 6, Nicholas-lane, City.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1856, hath been filed against Thomas Clulee, of Aston Manor, juxta Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Victualler, Builder, 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 2nd and 23rd days of January next, at half past 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. James Christie, No. 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. John Smith, Solicitor, Birmingham.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, against John Jones, of Aberystwith, in the county of Cardigan, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, was filed on the 8th day of December, 1856, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Bristol District, at the city and county of Bristol, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 29th of December instant, and on the 27th of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, in the city and county of Bristol, 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. Alfred John Acraman, No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. M. Brittan and Sons, Solicitors, Albion-chambers, Bristol.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th of December, 1856, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against Tom Fowler Slater, 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 Ayrton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 13th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and on the 2nd day of February following, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, Yorkshire, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Philip Hope, of Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bentley and Wood, Solicitors, Bradford, or to Messrs. Cariss and Cudworth, Solicitors, Leeds.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 12th day of December, 1856, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against William Fraser, of Leeds, in the county of York, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 9th day of February following, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon 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 Mr. J. M. Barret, Solicitor, Leeds.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of December, 1856, against Richard Williams, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, and Licensed Victualler, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, on the 26th day of December instant, and on the 16th day of January 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. Charles Turner, North John-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Evans and Son, Solicitors, Liverpool.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 13th day of December, 1856, by Joseph Leeming the younger, of Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Whitesmith and Ironmonger, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Nathaniel Ellison, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners, the Commissioner authorized to act in the prosecution of the said Petition, on the 30th day of December instant, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 10th day of February next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 Baker, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Edward Turbull, Solicitor, of Hartlepool, or Mr. George Forster, Solicitor, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of July, 1856, by Arthur Allen the younger, of No. 24 Wharf, Harrow-road, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Dealer in Drain Pipes and Cement, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 28th day of December 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 16th day of June, 1856, by William Smith, formerly of Leslie-street, Mile End, and James Kidder, formerly of Jubilee-street, Mile End, and both now of No. 47, Church-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Grocers, Copartners, will sit on the 26th of December instant, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the joint 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 22nd day of July, 1856, by Robert Newens, of King-street, Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of December instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of June, 1856, against Thomas George Watts, of No. 1, Manor-terrace, Manor-street, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Coal Merchant, will sit on the 26th day of December instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 28th day of July, 1856, by Duncan Hairs, of No. 109, Saint Martin's-lane, in the city of Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Seedsman and Florist, will sit on the 26th of December instant, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 11th day of August, 1856, against Henry Herrick, of the Red Lion, East-street, Epsom, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler, will sit on the 26th day of December instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 29th day of July, 1856, against Thomas Sternberg, of Abington-street, Northampton, in the county of Northampton, Wine Merchant, will sit on the 26th day of December instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon 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.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 25th day of July, 1856, against John George Belford, of No. 31, Upper King-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Importer of Fancy Goods and Tobaccoist, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of Decem-

ber 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, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, dated the 11th day of January, 1856, and filed by Thomas Jones, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Draper, will sit on the 9th of January next, at half past eleven 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.

**JOSHUA EVANS, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of May, 1856, against Edward Kemp, of Abingdon, in the county of Berks, Grocer, Tea Dealer and Provision Merchant, will sit on the 8th day of January next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to 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 7th day of October, 1854, by Henry Chatteris, of Lothbury, in the city of London, Merchant, will sit on the 8th of January next, at half past twelve in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**JOSHUA EVANS, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 29th day of March, 1856, against Samuel Jabez Giffin, of No. 13, Diddington-place, Caledonian-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, will sit on the 8th of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 29th day of July, 1853, against William Henry Dee, of the Rose Crescent, in the borough of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Plumber, Glazier and Painter, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 9th January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 26th of September, 1856, against Isaac Parsons, of High-street, Rye, in the county of Sussex, Printer, Bookseller, and Stationer, will sit on the 9th of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq.,** Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 21st day of August, 1856, against Thomas Percival Willcox and Edwin Willcox, both of the city of Bristol, Contractors, Builders, Limeburners, and Brickmakers, Dealers and Chapmen and Copartners, carrying on business in copart-

nership, under the firm of Thomas Willcox and Sons, will sit on the 15th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, to make a Dividend of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq.,** Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of August, 1856, against Thomas Percival Willcox and Edwin Willcox, both of the city of Bristol, Contractors, Builders, Limeburners, and Brickmakers, Dealers and Chapmen and Copartners, carrying on business in copartnership under the firm of Thomas Willcox and Sons, will sit on the 15th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Percival Willcox, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq.,** Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 30th day of August, 1856, against Samuel Davis, of the city of Bristol, Grocer and Fixture Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 15th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, 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.

**NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq.,** Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 12th day of April, 1855, against William Aspdin and Augustus William Ord, both of Blackwall, Gateshead-on-Tyne, and New Wharf, Little Abingdon-street, in the city of Westminster, Cement Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, trading under the style or firm of Aspdin, Ord, and Co., will sit on the 13th day of January next, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to make a Final Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Augustus William Ord, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the separate 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.

**NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq.,** Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of January, 1856, against Joseph Dixon Sewell and Thomas Pattinson, both of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chemists and Druggists and Ship Chandlers and Partners, will sit on the 13th day of January next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to make a Final Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Pattinson, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**RICHARD STEVENSON, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 6th day of May, 1856, against George Smith, John McLachlan, and William Blackburne, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailors and Drapers, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 9th day of January next, at eleven of the clock 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 bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

**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 20th October, 1856, against Robert Wreford, of the city of Exeter, Attorney and Money Scrivener, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 14th of January next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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.

**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 23rd day of August, 1856, against Allen Searail, of Furzeley Mill, near Ashburton, in the county of Devon, Miller, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 14th day of January next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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.

**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 21st day of October, 1856, against Richard Slocombe, of Kentisbury, in the county of Devon, Farmer and Cattle Jobber, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 14th day of January next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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 14th day of October 1856, against John Roberts, of Pentre, near Mold, in the county of Flint, formerly a Grocer, and lately carrying on business at Pentre aforesaid, as a Corn Dealer, in copartnership with Thomas Conway, under the style or firm of Roberts and Company, and also in a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of November, 1856, against Thomas Conway, of Mold, in the county of Flint, Corn Dealer, lately carrying on business in copartnership with John Roberts, of Pentre, near Mold aforesaid, under the style or firm of Roberts and Conway, and which last Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy hath been annexed to and now forms part of the proceedings against the said John Roberts, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," sit on the 9th day of January 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 each of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupts who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.,** one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of November, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Thomas Brindley, of Uttoxeter, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Seed, and Hop Merchant, and Provision Dealer, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of a Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 15th day of January next, at ten of the clock 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 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 Fiat in Bankruptcy, dated the 27th day of March, 1849, awarded and issued against Henry

Williams, of Park-place, Kennington-cross, in the county of Surrey, Ironmonger and Smith, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 8th day of December, 1856, allow the said Henry Williams his Certificate; 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.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication in Bankruptcy, filed against John Dunham of Nos. 526 and 527, New Oxford-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, on the 21st day of July, 1856, did, on the 6th day of December, 1856, suspend the Certificate of the said John Dunham for twelve months from the said 21st day of July, 1856, and when granted to be 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.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 11th day of March, 1853, against Francis Young, of No. 10, Union-place, Walworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, having, on the 24th day of May, 1853, suspended the allowance of the Certificate of the said Francis Young for three calendar months from the day on which he passed his last examination, did, on the 2nd day of December, 1856, allow the said Francis Young 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.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 23rd day of June, 1856, against William Copeland Strange, of Henley-on-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Bricklayer and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 9th day of December, 1856, allow the said William Copeland Strange 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.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of September, 1856, against Edward Henry Hayes Shorto, of No. 189, High-street, in the city of Exeter, Jeweller and Watchmaker, did hold a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate to the said bankrupt, on the 4th day of December, 1856, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, and the said Court did then and there allow the same and did award unto the said bankrupt a Certificate of the second class; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt at the expiration of twenty-one days from the date hereof, unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 6th day of September, 1856, against William Stuart Findlater, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Coal Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, did, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, at Saint George's Hall, East Stonehouse, Devon, allow the said bankrupt a Certificate of the third class, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1856, subject to a suspension of twelve calendar months from the said 1st day of December; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, at the expiration of that time, unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jenmett, 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 27th day of July, 1855, against James Edward Dawson, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Money Scrivener, did, on the 5th day of December, 1856 (after a suspension of six calendar months, from the 4th day of June, 1856, 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.

**J**OHAN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of October, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, by Henry Horley, of Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Horse Dealer, did, on the 15th day of December, allow the said Henry Horley 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.

**J**OHAN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of October, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against William Henry Gibson, of the city of Hereford, Carrier, did, on the 15th day of December, allow the said William Henry Gibson 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.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Settle. In the Matter of William Armistead, an Insolvent Debtor.

**A** DIVIDEND of 6½d. in the pound is payable to the creditors of the above-named insolvent, and may be received at the County Court Office, in Settle, any day after the 11th day of December instant, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.

JOSIAS ATKINSON, Registrar.

In the Matter of Richard Harris Reed, of Exe Island, in the parish of Saint Edmund, in the county of the city of Exeter, Baker.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate may receive a First Dividend of 5½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 8th day of January next, or any subsequent day, between the hours of ten and four o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 9, 1856.

JOHN DAW, Official Assignee,  
13, Bedford-circus, Exeter.

In the Matter of Edward Adams, of No. 148, Fore-street-hill, in the city of Exeter, Tailor, Hatter, and Draper, previously of Black Boy-road, in the county of the same city, Tailor and Grocer, formerly of Southmolton, in the county of Devon.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate, may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 5½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 8th of January next, or any subsequent day, between the hours of ten and four 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.—December 9, 1856.

JOHN DAW, Official Assignee,  
13, Bedford-circus, Exeter.

In the Matter of Henry Sparks, now in lodgings at the Mount Pleasant Inn, Black Boy-road, Exeter, Brick and Tile Maker, previously of the Eagle Inn, Saint Sidwell, Exeter aforesaid, Innkeeper, and Brick and Tile Maker, and formerly of Black Boy-road, Exeter aforesaid, Brick and Tile Maker.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate, may receive a First Dividend of 7½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 8th day of January next, or any subsequent day, between the hours of ten and four 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 are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 9, 1856.

JOHN DAW, Official Assignee,  
13, Bedford-circus, Exeter.

In the Matter of William Pinwell, formerly of Cheap-house, in the parish of Chinslow, in the county of Devon, Tinman, Painter, Glazier, and Plumber, since of the Artichoke Inn, in Christow aforesaid, Journeyman Tinman, Painter, Glazier, and Plumber, his wife residing at the Artichoke Inn, Christow aforesaid, there carrying on the business of an Innkeeper.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate, may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 11d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 8th day of January next, 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.—December 9, 1856.

JOHN DAW, Official Assignee,  
13, Bedford-circus, Exeter.



In the Matter of Richard White, late of No. 41, Holloway-street, Exeter, and late of Russell-street, Exeter aforesaid, Baker and Confectioner.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under this estate, may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound, on application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 8th of January next, 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.—December 9, 1856.

JOHN DAW, Official Assignee,  
13, Bedford-circus, Exeter.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Timothy Coleburn (and not Coleman, as advertised in the Gazette of 5th instant), at present and for three months last past residing at No. 2, Upper Brook-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, in the parish of Manchester, and county palatine of Lancaster, Day Waiter, in lodgings, for three years previously thereto at the Albert Club-house, No. 26, Clifford-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock aforesaid, and whilst there following the occupation of Steward of the said Establishment, and also receiving the salary and profits derivable from the said office, and also during seven months of the above period carrying on business as a Provision Dealer and Green Grocer, at No. 30, Union-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Timothy Coleburn, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Timothy Coleburn is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of December instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Timothy Coleburn, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Samuel Kay, Registrar of the said Court, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Joseph Bushell, at present and for upwards of five years last past residing at No. 47, York-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and for the last two months of the time occupying a workshop at No. 16, Timber-street, Charter-street, Manchester aforesaid, and for three-quarters of a year previous occupying a shop in School-street, Manchester aforesaid, and being an Engine Maker and Millwright, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Joseph Bushell, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Joseph Bushell is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of January, 1857, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Joseph Bushell, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Samuel Kay, Registrar of the said Court, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Henry Bake, at present and for the last three years and three months residing at No. 21, Coupland-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the city of Manchester, and county of Lancaster, and during the first two years and three months of that period being a Clerk of Works, and occupying an office in Dickinson-street, in the said city, and also during eight months of that period residing in lodgings at Waltham Cross, in the county of Hertford, and during the last twelve months carrying on the business of an Architect and Surveyor, and occupying an office for about seven months of that period in Cross-street, in the said city, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Henry Bake, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Henry Bake is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Henry Bake, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Samuel Kay, Registrar of the said Court, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of William Pritchard, at present and for the last six months, residing in Townsend-street, in the parish of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Yeast Dealer and Greengrocer, previously keeping the Uckington Turnpike-gate, in the parish of Uckington, in the county of Gloucester, Collector of Tolls, and Yeast Dealer, previously of the Rose and Crown-passage, High-street, in the said parish of Cheltenham, Yeast Dealer, previously keeping the Knights-bridge-gate, in the parish of Elmstone Hardwick, in the county of Gloucester, Collector of Tolls, and Yeast Dealer, previously of Townsend-street aforesaid, Yeast Dealer, previously of Sherborne-place, Sherborne-street, in the said parish of Cheltenham, Yeast Dealer and Greengrocer, and formerly of York-street, in the said parish of Cheltenham, Yeast Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Cheltenham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Pritchard, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Pritchard is hereby required to appear before James Francillon, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 21st day of January next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place of the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Pritchard, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Francis Gale, Registrar at the said Court, at his office, at Cheltenham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Sarah Walton, of Hexham, in the county of Northumberland, Milliner and Dress Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Northumberland, at Hexham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Sarah Walton, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Sarah Walton is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 14th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for her first examination touching her debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Sarah Walton, or that have any of her effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Stokoe, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Hexham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Elijah Walker, from October, 1848, to June, 1856, residing at Hillhouse, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, and from thence to the present time, residing at No. 19, Spring Grove-street, in the said parish, and during both of the aforesaid periods carrying on the business of a Cloth Dresser, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, at Huddersfield, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Elijah Walker, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Elijah Walker is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 29th December 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 Elijah Walker, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Frederick Robert Jones, jun., Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Huddersfield, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of John Whinnett, of the parish of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Butcher and Beerseller, and previously of the parish of Tebworth, in the said county, Butcher and Licensed Victualler, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Bedfordshire, at Luton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Whinnett, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Whinnett is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 23rd day of December instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Whinnett, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. E. C. Williamson, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Luton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Edwin Samwells, late of Union-street and Mount-street, Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Straw Hat and Bonnet Manufacturer, and then and now of Wingfield-street, in Dunstable aforesaid, carrying on the businesses respectively of a Straw Hat and Bonnet Manufacturer, and Publican or Victualler, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Bedfordshire, at Luton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Edwin Samwells, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Edwin Samwells is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 23rd December instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Edwin Samwells, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. E. C. Williamson, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Luton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of George Lisle, now of Mindful Cottage, High Felling, in the borough of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Mason, late of the Staith Inn, Washington Staith, in the said county, Publican and Mason, before that of the High Felling aforesaid, Mason, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Durham, at Gateshead, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Lisle, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Lisle is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th of January next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Lisle, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Arnott, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Gateshead, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of William Sands, of Chilvers Coton, in the county of Warwick, Journeyman Carpenter, and previously thereto of Chilvers Coton aforesaid, Builder, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Sands, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Sands is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd of January next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Sands, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Dewes, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Nuneaton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Robert Kirkwood Carson, of Abbey-street, Nuneaton, Tea and Coffee Dealer, and Hawker of Tea and Coffee, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Kirkwood Carson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Kirkwood Carson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Kirkwood Carson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Dewes, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Nuneaton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of Thomas Field Gilbert the younger, late of Trafalgar Cottage, Bedminster, in the city and county of Bristol, and now of No. 15, Tavistock-street, Covent-garden, Middlesex, Clerk in Her Majesty's Customs, Bristol aforesaid, and Registrar of Marriages for the District of Bristol aforesaid, 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 Thomas Field Gilbert the younger, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Field Gilbert the younger is hereby required to appear before

the said Court, on the 14th day of January 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 Thomas Field Gilbert the younger, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Sir John Kerle Haberfield, Mr. Harley, or Mr. Gibbs, the Registrars 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 Paul Barratt, formerly of Hinckley, in the county of Leicester, Grocer, Provision, and General Dealer, afterwards of Swadlineote, in the county of Derby, Agent for a Grocer, but now and for upwards of six months last past of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Schoolmaster and Professor of Music, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, at Burton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Paul Barratt, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Paul Barratt is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said George Paul Barratt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Philip Hubbersty, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Burton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Eaton, now and for six months last past and upwards, residing at Repton, in the county of Derby, Blacksmith, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, at Burton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Eaton, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Eaton is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of January 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 John Eaton, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Philip Hubbersty, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Burton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Matthews, now and for fifteen weeks last past, residing in furnished lodgings at No. 20, Market-cross, in the township of Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, for thirteen months immediately previous thereto, residing at Castle-hill, Northwich, in the county aforesaid, for eight months immediately previous thereto, residing at No. 20, Market-cross, in Birkenhead aforesaid, for six months immediately previous thereto residing at No. 90, Overton-road, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, during the whole of the above mentioned periods, being an Agent for the sale of Iron and Steel on Commission, save and except the first three months of the said last-mentioned period of six months, during which three months being a Book Keeper, and for the last twenty-one months or thereabouts of such period, having an office for that purpose at No. 30, Cross-street, in Manchester aforesaid, for three months immediately preceding the said last mentioned period of residence, being on visits to his friends, having no particular place of abode and being out of business, for two years immediately previous thereto residing at No. 15, Gravel-lane, in Salford, near Manchester aforesaid, for the last eighteen months of such period, carrying on business there as a Wholesale Ironmonger, and for the first six months of such period, being an Agent for the sale of Ironmongery on Commission, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cheshire, in Hamilton-street, Birkenhead, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Matthews, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Matthews is hereby required to appear before John William Harden, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 19th December 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 Matthews, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Gill, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, in Birkenhead, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of William Baker, at present and for five days now last past residing at Poulton-cum-Seacombe, in the parish of Wallasey, in the county of Chester, Contractor, for three months immediately previous thereto residing at Laburnum Villa, Well-lane, Tranmere, in the parish of Bebbington, in the county of Chester, Contractor, for three years immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business at No. 6, Cleveland-place, in the township of Birkenhead, in the county aforesaid, Contractor, Grocer, and Provision Dealer, and during a portion of the above named periods and up to February, 1856, carrying on business in copartnership with John Nicholson, under the style or firm of Baker and Nicholson, as Contractors, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cheshire, at Hamilton-street, Birkenhead, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Baker, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Baker is hereby required to appear before John William Harden, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 19th day of December 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 Baker, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Gill, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, in Birkenhead, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Thomas Tucker, late of Mewagissey-street, Saint Austell, in the county of Cornwall, Surgeon and Apothecary, formerly of the same place, and now of the same place and profession, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cornwall, at Saint Austell, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Tucker, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Tucker is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Tucker, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edmund Carlyon, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Saint Austell, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Chisholm, at present and for three years and upwards now last past residing and carrying on business at No. 33, Lower-arcade, in the parish of Saint James, in the city and county of Bristol, Carver, Gilder, Picture Frame, and Looking-glass Maker, and Dealer in Birds, Engravings, Pictures, Picture-frames, and Fancy Articles, an Insolvent Debtor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 24th of December instant, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Cornelius Williamson, at present and since the 1st day of June last, residing and carrying on business in the Hotwell-road, in the city of Bristol, under the name of Cornelius Wilson, as a Bottle and Rag Merchant, and Dealer in Marine Stores, and for three months and four days previous thereto residing at No. 20, Bridewell-lane, in the city of Bath, and county of Somerset, part of the time Servant to Mr. Davis, of Bridewell-lane aforesaid, Dealer in Marine Stores, and part of the time carrying on the business on his own account and in his own name, and purchasing goods on one occasion jointly with John Toy, Creditor number 2, and for three months previously residing at Horfield, near the said city of Bristol, and for three months previous thereto residing in Temple-street, and for six months previous thereto residing in Saint Philip's Marsh, Dealer in Old Casks, and for twelve months previous thereto residing on Redcliffe-hill, Beer Retailer, also carrying on the business of a Dealer in Marine Stores, in Saint Philip's Marsh, all in the said city of Bristol, an Insolvent Debtor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 24th day of December 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 David Evans, now and for two days last past residing in furnished lodgings at No. 12, Upper Parliament-street, for eight weeks immediately previous thereto residing in furnished lodgings at No. 45, Bloom-street, for two and a half months previous thereto residing at No. 18, Price-street, for four months or thereabouts immediately previous thereto residing in furnished lodgings at No. 45, Bloom-street, for two months immediately previous thereto residing in furnished lodgings at No. 150, Bedford-street, Topham-park, for eighteen months immediately previous thereto residing in furnished lodgings at No. 7, Mill-street, all in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and being a Woollen Draper's Assistant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Anna Dixon, otherwise Kate Seaton, at present and for seventeen weeks last past occupying a furnished house, No. 30, Hotham-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Boarding and Lodging-house Keeper, for six months previously residing in lodgings at No. 32, Hotham-street aforesaid, for four months previously in lodgings at No. 7, Finch-street, for two months previously in lodgings at No. 18, Trafalgar-street, for two months previously in lodgings at No. 50, Hotham-street aforesaid, for three months previously in lodgings at No. 7, Finch-street aforesaid, all in Liverpool aforesaid, for three months previously residing in lodgings at No. 21, French-street, in the city of Dublin, in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, and during the whole of the above time being out of business, for two months previously thereto occupying a furnished house, No. 17, Warren-street, and for eight months previously occupying a furnished house, No. 3, Pellet-street, both in Liverpool, Boarding and Lodging-house Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Mary Ann Cronin, at present residing at Mrs. Mary Ann Griffiths, No. 26, Pine-street, Falkner-square, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, previously of No. 71, Bamber-street, Liverpool, aforesaid, Widow, previously of No. 16, Saint Clement's-terrace, Upper Parliament-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Widow, and formerly of No. 32, Mount-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Widow.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Henry Chudleigh, at present and since the month of June last residing and carrying on the profession or business of a Schoolmaster at Birchfield House, No. 19, Harris-street, Bury New-road, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and for thirteen months next previously thereto residing at No. 3, Brook-street, Cheetham, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, and for eleven months next previously to the said last-mentioned period residing at No. 99, Bury New-road aforesaid, and during the said last two mentioned periods of thirteen months and eleven months carrying on the profession or business of a Schoolmaster, at No. 99, Bury New-road aforesaid.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Evans, of the Forge Hammer, at Clydach, in the parish of Llanelly, in the county of Brecon, Licensed Victualler, and from and after the 10th June last, at Clydach aforesaid, in the said parish of Llanelly, out of business and Labourer, an Insolvent Debtor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Brecknockshire, at Crickowell, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 1st of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.



In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Palley, late of Ide Hill, in the parish of Sundridge, in the county of Kent, but now of Sevenoaks, in the said county, Coal Merchant and Carrier.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that James Espinasse, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Kent, at Sevenoaks, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 17th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Dyer, of Tregorick, in the parish of Saint Austell, in the county of Cornwall, Miner, late of the town of Saint Austell, in the said county, Grocer, Pork Dealer, and Miner, and previously of Bodmin-road, in the said town of Saint Austell, Miner, Grocer, and Pork Dealer, and formerly of the parish of Saint Ewe, in the said county, Miner.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that George Granville Keke-wich, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Cornwall, at Saint Austell, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 8th day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency, bearing date the 22nd day of May, 1855, presented by John Bostock, of Church-street, Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, Butcher, will sit on the 22nd day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Townhall, Nuneaton, to Audit the Accounts of the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to insolvents; and the said Court will also sit on the same day, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**THE** estates of William Simpson, Plasterer, and Potato and Provision Merchant, in Perth, were sequestrated on the 10th day of December, 1856, by the Sheriff of Perthshire.

The first deliverance is dated 10th December, 1856.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Monday, the 22nd day of December, 1856, within the Procurators' Library, County-buildings, in Perth.

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 10th day of April, 1857.

The Sheriff has granted a Warrant of Protection to the said William Simpson against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

JOHN YOUNG, Agent, Writer, Perth.

**THE** estates of David Scott Collins, Clothier in Perth, were sequestrated on the 9th December, 1856, by the Sheriff of the County of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 9th of December, 1856.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Monday the 22nd December, 1856, within the Procurators' Library, County Buildings, Perth.

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 9th day of April next.

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

ALEXR. ROBERTSON, Agent,  
20, South-street, Perth.

#### NOTICE

**THE** estates of Robert Watson, Upholsterer, in Campbelltown, were sequestrated on the 10th day of December, 1856, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Argyllshire, at Campbelltown.

The first deliverance is dated the said 10th day of December, 1856.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of said month of December, within the Argyll Arms Inn, Campbelltown.

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 10th day of April, 1857.

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

CHARLES MUNRO, Writer, Campbelltown, Agent.  
Campbelltown, December 10, 1856.

**THE** estates of Alexander Bannatyne, Merchant, in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 11th December, 1856, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire; and a Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, granted to the said Alexander Bannatyne till the meeting of his creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The first deliverance is dated 11th December, 1856.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on the 19th December, 1856, within the Globe Hotel, George-square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 11th day of April, 1857.

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

JOHN CLARK, Agent,  
22, Renfield-street, Glasgow.

#### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 13th day of December, 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.

Edmund Cordery, late of No. 39, Newnham-street, John-street, Edgware-road, Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, Insolvent, No. 66,212 T.; John Young, Assignee.

William Stonehewer Hanson, late of Ipswich, Suffolk, not in any business, Insolvent, No. 82,050 C.; Eugene Hardwicke, Assignee.

Harvey Oakes, late of Sheffield Moor, Sheffield, Yorkshire, out of business, Insolvent, No. 82,089 C.; Joseph Cecil, Assignee.

#### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 13th day of December, 1856.

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

On their own Petitions.

William Nelson Blackman Harman, late of No. 49, Camera-terrace, Kings-road, Chelsea, Middlesex, Dealer in Watches and Jewellery.—In the Queen's Prison.

Thomas Cooke, late of No. 24, Blandford-square, Dorset-square, Middlesex, Farmer, out of employ.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

William Osborn, late of No. 25, Chapel-street, Edgware-road, Middlesex, Butcher.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Lumley, late of No. 2, Victoria-cottages, Old Ford-road, Bow, Middlesex, Gauger to the Saint Katharine Dock Company.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Thomas Dawson, late of No. 23, Golden-terrace, Barnsbury-road, Islington, Middlesex, Umbrella Manufacturer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Richard Cutmore, late of No. 14, Somers-place East, New-road, St. Pancras, Middlesex, Gauger.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Richard Nott, late of No. 34, Addison-road North, Notting-hill, Middlesex, General Agent.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

George Ewens, late of No. 13, Doris-street East, Regent-street, Lambeth, Surrey, Manufacturer of Writing Desks.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

George Hill Dutton, late of No. 1, Oxford-terrace, St. Peter's, Islington, Middlesex x Parliamentary Agent.—In the Queen's Prison.

John Hagell, late of No. 29, Belitha-terrace, Bardsbury-park, Islington, Middlesex, Baker.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

John Child, late of No. 78, Moscow-road, Bayswater, Middlesex, Grocer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Philip Bradley, late of No. 32, Greenhill's-rents, Old Smithfield-bars, Middlesex, Cattle Dealer and Commission Agent.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 William Evans, late of No. 18, Sidney-place, Commercial-road East, Middlesex, Coal Merchant and Greengrocer. In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 George Wrigglesworth, late of Westbourne House, Westbourne-road, Islington, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

#### On Petition of Creditor.

Thomas Milligan, late of Turners-hill, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire, Hatter.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 James Newell, late of Lofthouse, Rothwell, Yorkshire, Cordwainer and Shop Keeper.—In the Queen's Prison.

#### On their own Petitions.

Thomas Williamson, late of Livesey-street, Rochdale-road, Manchester, Lancashire, Shopkeeper.—In the Gaol of Manchester.  
 George Betts, late of Temple-street, city and county of Bristol, Grocer and Tea Dealer.—In the Gaol of Bristol.  
 Thomas Mousley Ordish, late of No. 47, Broad-street, Canterbury, Kent, out of business.—In the Gaol of Maidstone.  
 William Henry Morris, late of No. 180, Lee Bank-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, Butcher.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 Albion Roberts, late of No. 40, Pembroke-place, Liverpool, Lancashire, Dealer in Tobacco and Cigars.—In the Gaol of Chester.  
 John Blencowe, late of No. 11, Plantation-road, city of Oxford, Baker.—In the Gaol of Oxford.  
 John Wright, late of Guild-street, Burton-upon-Trent, Staffordshire, Tin Plate Worker.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 Samuel Barbour, late of No. 132, Summer-hill, Birmingham, Warwickshire, Tailor and Draper.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 Thomas Clulce, late of Aston-cross, Aston-juxta-Birmingham, Warwickshire, Licensed Victualler.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 George Berry, late of Newport-street, Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, Stone Mason, Contractor, and Builder.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 William Slater, late of Congleton, Cheshire, Journeyman Currier.—In the Gaol of Chester.  
 Richard Stubbs, late of Macclesfield, Cheshire, in no business.—In the Gaol of Chester.  
 Alfred Loftus, late of Nantwich, Cheshire, in no business.—In the Gaol of Chester.  
 John Lowthin, late of West Rainton, Durham, Schoolmaster.—In the Gaol of Durham.  
 William Hague, late of Eccles New-road, Salford, Lancashire, Accountant and Agent.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Thomas Knowles the younger, late of Hudson-street, Preston, Lancashire, Reporter.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Abraham Blick Fullford, late of Icniel-street East, Birmingham, Warwickshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 Samuel Bartholomew, late of No. 4 Court, No. 5, House, Hurst-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, Painter.—In the Gaol of Warwick.  
 Robert Sutcliffe, late of Bridge Mill, Whitworth, near Rochdale, Lancashire, Chemist.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 William Smith, late of Grosvenor-square, Lower Broughton, Manchester, Lancashire, Commission Agent.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Roger Mashiter, late of Bolton-le-Sands, near Lancaster, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Edwin Leech, late of Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, Beer-house Keeper.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 David Evans, late of No. 15, South-street, Toxteth-park, Liverpool, Lancashire, Master Mariner.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 William Robinson, late of Pinfold-lane, Skerton, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Harriet Poole, late of Oulton, near Leeds, Yorkshire, Widow.—In the Gaol of York.  
 Samuel Poole, late of Oulton, near Leeds, Yorkshire, Stone Merchant.—In the Gaol of York.  
 William Vicars, late of No. 12, Southampton-street, Reading, Berkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Reading.  
 Matthew De Rome, late of No. 25, Patchett-street, Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire, Plasterer and Painter.—In the Gaol of Chester.  
 George Smith, of Oakham, Rowley Regis, Staffordshire, Labourer and Public Executioner.—In the Gaol of Worcester.

John Davis, late of Foxlediate House, Tardebigg, Worcestershire, Coachman.—In the Gaol of Worcester.  
 Henry William Knowles, late of Kersley, near Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, Druggist's Assistant.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 James Thomson, late of Kirkdale, Liverpool, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 John Crawshaw, late of Armley, near Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.  
 Alfred Green, late of Moss-street, Bradford, Yorkshire, Sawyer and Builder.—In the Gaol of York.

#### 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 Sussex, holden at Lewes, on Tuesday the 30th day of December, 1856, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely.

Paul Hand, formerly of No. 4, Harp-lane, in the city of London, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant, afterwards of Prospect Cottage, Shooter's-hill-road, Charlton, in the county of Kent, afterwards of No. 4, Bruce-villas, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business as a Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant, at No. 67, Lower Thames-street, in the city of London, and late of No. 1, New Steine, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, out of business.

Thomas Brown, formerly of Saint Mary's Hotel, East-street, Hotel Keeper, afterwards of the Horseshoe Brewery, Canal-walk, Licensed Victualler and Brewer, both in the town and county of Southampton, and late of No. 9, Friar's-walk, Lewes, in the county of Sussex, in lodgings there, out of business.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Devonshire, holden at the Castle at Exeter, on Tuesday the 30th day of December, 1856, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

William Carkett, late of No. 27, Oxford-street, Plymouth, Devonshire, Tailor, previously of No. 55, Cambridge-street, Plymouth, Devon, Journeyman Tailor and Slop-seller, formerly of No. 10, Flora-cottages, Plymouth, Devon, Journeyman Tailor.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester Castle, Chester, on Wednesday the 31st day of December, 1856.

Albion Roberts, formerly residing at No. 66, Bedford-street North, at the same time carrying on business at No. 168, Brownlow-hill, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as a Grocer, Baker, and Flour Dealer, subsequently of No. 40, Pembroke-place, Liverpool aforesaid, Dealer in Tobacco and Cigars, and also Vendor of Newspapers and Periodicals, and late a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Chester Castle, in the county of Chester, under the Absconding Debtors Act, at the suit of Martha Clough and Edward Bennett, Legatees under the will of Martha Tasker, deceased.

William Slater, formerly of Congleton, in the county of Cheshire, Journeyman Currier, in lodgings, subsequently of New York, then of New Brunswick, both in the United States of America, as Journeyman Currier, at both places in lodgings, and late of Congleton aforesaid, Journeyman Currier, in lodgings.

Alfred Loftus, formerly of the Lamb Inn, Nantwich, in the county of Chester, Licensed Victualler, at the same time employed as Traveller in the Manchester trade for the firm of Messrs. Joshua Proctor and Edward Westhead and Company, Smallware Manufacturers and Merchants, No. 49, Piccadilly, Manchester, in the county of Lan-

east, afterwards of Nantwich aforesaid, Licensed Victualler only, afterwards of Knaresborough, in the county of York, in no business, in lodgings, and late of Nantwich aforesaid, in no business, in lodgings.

John Higginson, formerly a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of Chester Castle, in the county of Chester, and late of Little Barrow, in the parish of Barrow, in the said county, Corn, Flour, Potato, and Guano Dealer and Agent for the sale of the British Economical Manure, in lodgings.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, on Monday the 12th day of January, 1857, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely.

Thomas Williamson, late of Livesey-street, Rochdale-road, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Shopkeeper, previously of Rochdale-road, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, Shopkeeper, and formerly of Cheetham-terrace, North-street, Red Bank, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, Shopkeeper and Commission Agent.

Samuel Braddock, formerly of Leck, Staffordshire, Grocer and Tea Dealer, then of Maskell-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, Lancashire, Beer Retailer, then of Apoley-grove, Stockport-road, Manchester aforesaid, Book-keeper, then a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol of the Castle of Lancaster, Lancashire, then of Kay-street, Manchester aforesaid, Provision Dealer and Commercial Traveller, and late of Ogilvie-street, Manchester aforesaid, Commercial Traveller.

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 Eleven and Three, 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.

In the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, in England.

In the Matter of James Pritchit, an Insolvent Debtor.

THE creditors of James Pritchit, heretofore of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, who, on or about the 26th day of November, 1833, was discharged

from the Fleet Prison, London, by virtue of the provisions of the Act of Parliament then in force for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, are requested to meet at the offices of Messrs. Bubb and Co., Solicitors, Clarence-street, in Cheltenham aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 31st day of December instant, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining in what lot or lots, and manner, and at what place certain freehold lands and real estate, late of the said insolvent, situate at Yardley, in the county of Worcester, called the Colemans, shall be sold by public auction, and for other purposes connected with the said sale and the said insolvent's estate.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1856.

## COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS IN IRELAND.

*Pursuant to the Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland, and an Act of the 14th and 15th Vic., ch. 57.*

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

The following PRISONER, whose Estate and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court having filed his Schedule, is ordered to be brought up before the Assistant Barrister for the County of Monaghan, at a Court of Quarter Sessions, to be holden at the Court-House of Monaghan, in said County, on Saturday the 3rd day of January, 1857, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, to be dealt with according to the Statutes:

Joseph Comuskey, late of Castle Blayney, in the county of Monaghan, Merchant.

The following PRISONER, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court, having filed his Schedule, is ordered to be brought up before the Assistant Barrister for the County of Armagh, at a Court of Quarter Sessions to be holden at the Court-House of Armagh, in said County, on Saturday the 10th day of January, 1857, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon precisely, to be dealt with according to the Statutes:

John Albin, late of the city of Armagh, in the county of Armagh, Cabinet Maker.

## TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's Discharge, Notice in Writing of such intention must be given to such Prisoner, *Two clear Days*, exclusive of *Sunday*, prior to the day of Hearing.

2. The Petitions and Schedules will be produced by the proper Officer for Inspection and Examination at the Office in Dublin, on every *Monday, Wednesday, and Friday*, between the Hours of Ten and Four, until despatched for the Hearings on Circuit.

*All Letters must be Post-paid.*

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